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Advice for Christian Living

Let everything you do be done for God, both deeds and words. Refer all that is yours to Christ. Constantly turn your soul to God; and put your thought on the power of Christ, as if in some harbor by the divine light of the Savior it were resting from all talk and action. And often by day speak your thoughts to men, but most of all to God at night as well as by day. Don't let too much sleep keep you from your prayers and hymns to God, since long sleep is a rival of death. Show yourself always a partner of Christ, who makes the divine ray shine from heaven. Let Christ be to you continual and unceasing joy.

Do not relax the tension of your soul with feasting and drunkenness, but consider what is needful to be enough for the body. And do not rush early to meals, before the time for dinner comes; but let your dinner be bread, and let earth's grasses and the ripe fruits of trees be set before you; and go to your meal with composure, showing no sign of raging gluttony. In place of such

pleasures, choose the joys that are in divine words and hymns, joys supplied to you by wisdom from God; and let heavenly meditation ever lead you upward to heaven.

And give up the many anxious cares about the body by taking comfort in hopes toward God; because for you He will provide enough of all the necessary things: food to support life, covering for the body, and protection against winter cold. For to your King belongs the whole earth and all that is produced from it; and God treats the bodily parts of His servants with exceeding care, as if they were His, like His own shrines and temples. On this account do not dread severe diseases, nor the approach of old age, which must be expected in time; for even disease will come to an end, when with wholehearted purpose we do His commandments.

St. Clement of Alexandria

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Saint Hierotheus, Bishop of Athens -- October 4th

Glory to Jesus Christ!
Glory Forever!
Slava Isusu Christu!
Slava Na Viki!



SAT., OCT 3 (Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy) Fr. John Welch, celebrant

6:00 p.m. For The Parishioners

SUN., OCT 4 *The Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost —*

Respect Life Sunday

11:00 a.m. +Stephen DuBos requested by: M/M Ken Stanislaw
(10th anniversary of passing 10.2)

Tues., Oct 6 Third class
6:00 p.m. ECF classes at Hall



Local speaker & author to be on EWTN

Speaker, Local Author and President of Our Lady's Blue Army, Byzantine Division, **Catherine Moran**, will be on EWTN's "At Home with Jim and Joy" - Oct 7-8 at 1:30 p.m. EST - Topic- "The Spirituality St. Jacinta and Ven. Sr. Lucia" - The author's two books will be discussed on how by meditating daily on their writings and recorded words, readers can grow in their prayer life and in the knowledge of the message of Fatima.

SAT., OCT 10
12:30 p.m. Rosary Rally (inside church)

(Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy)

6:00 p.m. +Gerald "Jerry" Macala requested by: Family

SUN., OCT 11 *The Sunday of the Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council — Pastor Appreciation Sunday*

11:00 a.m. +Francis J. Kotasek requested by: Daughters
(2nd anniversary of passing 10.8)



October 4 – Dolly Dubos
October 6 – Jim Testa
October 10 – Camden Brown, Trudy Carlisle

Pray for the Homebound, Sick, Hospitalized, & in Recovery updated: October 2, 2026

RESIDING AT HOME – Andy Arendas, Bonnie Cohn, Michael Drotar, Geraldine Dubos, Michael Katula, Kathi Klimis, Paul Kotch, Greta Marks, Patty Orenic, Frank Phillips, Martha Swantek.

The Inn at Ironwood (6699 Ironwood Blvd., Canfield, OH 44406) – Dorothy Leone.

Windsor House at St. Mary's (1899 W. Garfield Rd., Columbiana, OH 44408) – Anne Thomas.

Church offerings from Sept. 26 & 27, 2026

Sunday Offering....\$1,625.00

Loose Currency....\$98.00

Candles....\$73.00

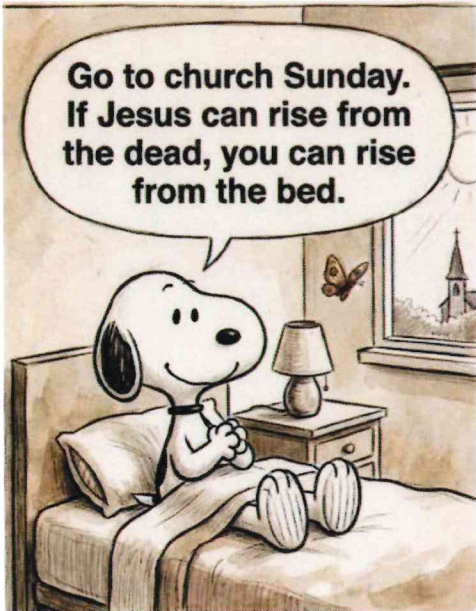
Holydays....\$15.00

TOTAL: \$1,811.00



September 27th TOTAL:
\$400.00

Weekly Requirement to Meet Yearly Expenses			
Date	Collection	Required	(Shortage)
Sept. 27	\$1,811	\$2,950	(\$1,139)
YTD	\$101,782	\$115,050	(\$13,268)



Quote of the Week

"The prayer offered to God in the morning during your quiet time is the key that unlocks the door of the day."

— Adrian Pierce Rogers



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| CRANBERRIES | HALLOWEEN | OCTOBER | SWEATER |
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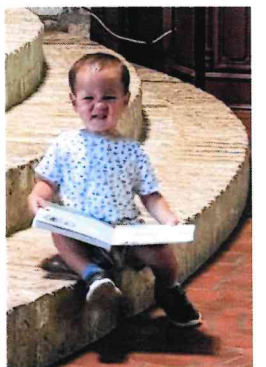
Importance of Kids at Liturgy...and staying at Liturgy

- If your kids are loud, please still come to Liturgy.
- If you're running late because getting everyone dressed and out the door was a battle, please still come to Liturgy.
- If your toddler won't sit still, please still come to Liturgy.
- If your baby needs to eat, please still come to Liturgy.
- If your child asks questions at the least convenient moment, please still come to Liturgy.
- If someone cries, drops a toy, or has to make their third trip to the bathroom, please still come to Liturgy.
- If your child doesn't know all the prayers, responses, or exactly when to sit or stand, please still come to Liturgy.
- If you feel like you spent the entire managing your children and heard approximately 12% of the homily, please still come to Liturgy.
- If Sunday morning feels messy instead of peaceful, please still come to Liturgy.
- If you're worried your children are distracting the people around you, please still come to Liturgy.
- If your child has a disability or special needs, please still come to Liturgy.

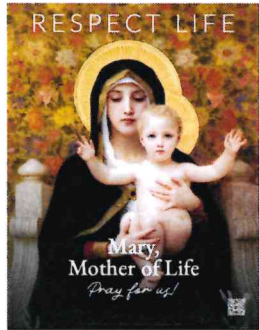
Children do not learn how to be part of the Church by staying home until they can sit quietly. They learn by being here.

- They learn the Sign of the Cross by watching us make it.
- They learn the prayers by hearing us pray them.
- They learn the Scriptures by hearing the Word of God proclaimed.
- They learn reverence by watching us bow.
- They learn that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist by seeing the love and reverence with which we approach to receive Him.
- They learn that the Church is their home because we make room for them here.
- The wiggles, whispers, crying babies, and little voices are not signs that children don't belong at Liturgy...They are signs that the Church is alive.
- So bring the babies. Bring the toddlers. Bring the big kids. Sit in the front so the little ones can see. Step out when you need to... but always come back in.

At Baptism, these children became members of the Body of Christ. They belong here. They need the grace of the sacraments, the example of their parents, and the love and patience of their parish family. Children are not simply the future of the Byzantine Catholic Church. They are part of the Church right now!



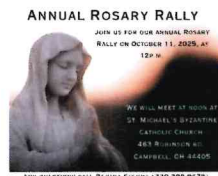
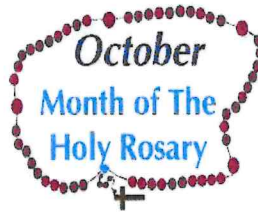
Respect Life Sunday



Each October, the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates **Respect Life Month**, a time to renew our commitment to recognizing, cherishing and protecting the dignity of every human life, from conception to natural death. The first Sunday of October, celebrated this year on October 4, is designated as Respect Life Sunday. The 2026 Respect Life Month theme, "*Mary, Mother of Life*," turns our attention to the Blessed Virgin Mary and her profound witness to the sacredness of human life. Mary's life reminds us that every human person is a gift from God, worthy of love and protection in every stage and circumstance. Her faithful "yes" to God also reminds us that welcoming and defending life can sometimes require sacrifice, courage and trust. As we begin Respect Life Month, may we ask the Blessed Mother to help us see every person through the eyes of Christ and to respond with compassion, courage and love—especially when life is vulnerable, unexpected or in need of our care.

October is month of the Rosary

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the Rosary by the faithful. The feast was introduced by Pope St. Pius V (1504-1572) in the year 1571 to commemorate the miraculous victory of the Christian forces in the Battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571. In this month of October, let us consider this beautiful prayer of the Rosary as a means that we too can use in order to draw closer to Jesus and Mary by meditating on the great mysteries of our salvation.



Rosary Rally next Saturday

On **Saturday, October 10th at 12:30 p.m.**, there will be a public Rosary Rally. The Holy Rosary will be prayed inside our church by the Blessed Mother icon. Everyone is invited to attend and pray. For more information, you may see Arleen Arendas or call her at 330-727-9578.

Priests Retreat this week in Ligonier

Our pastor will be attending the annual Clergy Retreat this week held at the Antiochian Village in Ligonier, PA. You may call or text his cell phone if you need him. The cell reception there is not the greatest, so he will get back to you when he can. Please pray for our priests this week as they gather and hopefully come back spiritually refreshed!

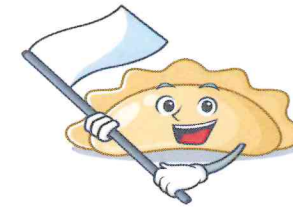
Banns of Marriage II

Gneeve Adams and Christopher Ryan to receive the Holy Sacrament of Crowning (Marriage) at our St. Michael Church on Friday, October 23, 2026.

Civic Club next Sunday

The Civic Club will have its second meeting **next Sunday, October 11th** at 12:15 p.m. in the Hall bar room. **Note:** this is moved one week earlier than the usual third Sunday of the month.

Pirohi sale this Friday



Our St. Michael's famous homemade Pirohi Sale will be **THIS Friday, October 9th** from 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. or until sold out. \$10 dozen. Potato/Cheese, Sweet Cabbage, and Lekvar. No need to get out of your car, just follow the signs, pull up to the door and someone will bring your order to you. Pre-Order by contacting Regina by calling or texting at 330-720-2100. Pre-orders are guaranteed. (*Note: all Lekvar orders MUST be pre-ordered, no walk-ins for lekvar*)

Chicken parm dinner in two weeks

There will be a Chicken Parm dinner on **Sunday, October 18th from 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m.** at the Hall. You can either EAT IN or TAKE OUT. \$15 per dinner. Drinks will be available for eat in only. Pre-Order by contacting Regina by calling or texting at 330-720-2100.

Food drive now begins

In conjunction with the GCU, our parish will participate in a food drive during the month of October to donate to the Society of St. Vincent De Paul, Youngstown. The GCU will match donations up to \$500.00. You may bring in non-perishable food items and set them by the autumn tree in the church. For any questions, you may see Ed Stanko.



Sip & Build: Santa face



Both of St. Michael Churches, Campbell and Hermitage, are participating together for an evening to have a sip & build on **Thursday, October 22nd** at Hartford Hill Winery. Come join us at Hartford Hill Winery to make this beautiful old Santa Face Hanger. Talk about getting your home into the holiday spirit.....This amazing guy will do that. This would look great at your home, on your porch, or anywhere you would love to hand it. It would make a great gift for that special someone, too. Size: approx 18 inches round Cost: \$40 All supplies are included. Reservation is needed.

Reserve your spot by going to the website <https://www.woodenbarnshop.com> (click on "Join A CLASS") to pay full amount or messaging Wooden Barn Shop on FB or call/text Donna 330-442-1722. (Please note, Marking going on the event does not reserve your spot) Payment via check or cash at the door. boards or pieces may vary due to use of reclaimed products. Each class will be instructional. You can also do a cash reservations through Hermitage Parishioner, Megan Pisarcik by calling/texting her at 724-699-0613.