

Mass Intentions

December 14/15

Sat. 5:00 pm	Mary & Jim Gorrell, Sr + (Jim Gorrell, Jr.)
Sun. 9:00 am	Pete DePond + (Flora DePond)
Sun. 11:30 am	Our Parishioners
Mon. 8:15 am	Brian Reed +
Tues. 7:00 pm	Suzanne L. Bayley + (Tom, Debbie, Bayley, Son & Daughter in Law)
Wed. 8:15 am	Mary Gallagher +
Thur. 7:00 pm	Edmund Byers + (Dorinda Byers/ Eddy Biehl)
Fri. 8:15 am	Anita Zide + (Parishioner)

December 21/22

Sat. 5:00 pm	Rev. James Murphy + (Ellis J. Corra)
Sun. 9:00 am	John Armiger + (Phyllis Armiger)
Sun. 11:30 am	Our Parishioners



Sanctuary Lamp
All our Shut-in's

Offering for December 08, 2024

Offering - \$ 5392.00
Loose - \$ 304.00
Attendance - 314

Altar Flowers donated by Thomas and Deborah Bayley in memory of Thomas W. Bayley, Jr. and Patty Ruth Bayley for the week of December 15th.

Altar Flowers donated by Julie Rathbone in memory of Judith Y. and William V. Rathbone for the week of December 15th.



Please remember in your prayers:

Joan Polen, Ruth Coury, Pauline Schaffer, Decker Lee Nolan, Christel Reeves, Jim Gray, John Snyder, Melody Judy, Patricia Kincaid, Filomena Pacofsky, John Schneider, Lou Molinaro, Gail Robinson, Marg McLaughlin, Jane Padden, Tom Blinn, Raymond Pyles, and all of our ill and homebound parishioners.

December 14/15	Greeters	Lectors	Ex. Ministers	Mass Servers
5:00 pm 3rd Usher	L. Thomas/ J. Gorrell	D. Byers	L. & J. Hushion/ J. Smith	A. Fehrenbacher
9:00 am 3rd Usher	L. Wince/ F. Bartimoccia	R. Fanta	B. Fanta/ R. Fish/ C. Sutphin	L. & O. Vrabel
11:30 am 3rd Usher	D. Baldevieso	J. Bogdan	R. Schaffer/ C. Smith/ P. Helmick	S. Baldevieso
December 21/22	Greeters	Lectors	Ex. Ministers	Mass Servers
5:00 pm 3rd Usher	M. DeRose J. Gorrell	B. Fehrenbacher	J. Williamson/ D. Byers/ E. Biehl	L. Williamson
9:00 am 3rd Usher	E. Borkowski/ D. Evans	A. Borkowski	J. Evans/ L. V. Hlssen/ J. Hofbauer	S. Wigal
11:30 am 3rd Usher	R. Schaffer	J. Algin	P. Helmick/ J. Bogdan/ C. Smith	N. Algin



National Eucharistic Congress

National Eucharist Revival June 2024 - July 2025 – Year of Mission: In this Year of Mission, we are tasked with walking with each other, specifically walking intentionally with one person to help them encounter Jesus Christ. In the month of December we will focus on Pillar Three: Eucharistic Life. The vestments at Mass today change from the purple of Advent to a rose color to remind us that as we continue in our Christian mission we should be filled with great joy. As we hear in Philippians: “Rejoice in the Lord always, I shall say it again: Rejoice!”

Cleanliness is next to Godliness



As the Flu and allergy season is upon us please use the Hand Sanitizer in the Gathering Area. Together we can keep our congregation healthy throughout the winter season.

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Women’s Bible Study: We are studying the Book of Acts. Classes meet on Friday morning starting at 9 am.. Each class stands alone so come at any time. If you have any questions, contact Arlene Borkowski at amb052976@gmail.com or (304) 482-1186.

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Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids

In participation with the Knights of Columbus, St. Michaels will be collecting new & gently used coats for the kids. There is a collection bin in the gathering area.

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Catholic in Recovery for the Mid-Ohio Valley is holding weekly, general recovery meetings on Monday at 7pm in the St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church parish hall. Catholic in Recovery (CiR) is a community of individuals and families seeking recovery from a variety of addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments; it is open to all. For more information please contact John B. at: CatholicInRecoveryMOV12@gmail.com or call (681) 229-7220.

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*Thank you to **George’s Place** for the wonderful Christmas Luncheon and for Santa Claus, for visiting the children.*

Good Samaritan Center
December Donation
Peanut Butter



BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO:

12/15 Aiden DeAngelo
12/16 Carrie Janes
12/17 Oliver Vrabel, Lucas Tichy
12/18 Noah Weaver, Ethan Rutherford,
Terry & William Boyle (A)
12/22 Brooke Poling,
Patricia & Harry Helmick (A)
12/23 Michael Cullen
12/24 Anna McCarthy, Savannah Williams



The Advent Giving Tree is up and will once again support the **Stone Soup Kitchen** Downtown Parkersburg. Please take a tag and place your gift under the Tree. Gift cards should be dropped in the Collection Basket or given to Fr. John. This is a work of Mercy and those who benefit from our donations are extremely thankful. God bless your generosity.

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To become a member of the **Commemorative Mass Association**, or to renew your membership, please complete one of the Membership forms in the Vestibule. The annual cost per member is \$50 made payable to St. Michael Church. You may enroll individuals or families. For example: “John Smith” or “The Smith Family”. All monies will be deposited into our Mass Stipend Account and will be used for Liturgical Updates (i.e. Vestment, Altar Cloths, Hosts, Wine, Altar Server Cassocks, etc.).

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