

DECEMBER 30, 2018

**ST. MICHAEL
CHURCH**

**401 S. Main Street
Newark, NY 14513
315-331-6753**

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OFFICE HOURS
Monday –Friday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm 1 pm to 4:30 pm.
CLOSED THURSDAY
Who to Contact?

What are you looking for?

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sacrament of Marriage— Please contact us at least 6 months in advance • Anointing of the Sick—please call for anyone who is seriously ill to receive this sacrament • Individual Appointment for Confession • Becoming Catholic –Call us if you would like to find out more about becoming Catholic 	<p>Fr. Jeffrey S. Tunncliff, Pastor Email: fr.jeffrey.tunncliff@dor.org Office Phone Ext. 105</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To Schedule a Baptism of an infant/young child • Request a visit and Communion for the homebound, nursing home residents, or hospital patients • To register as a new member of our parish 	<p>June Sherman, Pastoral Associate Email: june.sherman@dor.org Office Phone Ext: 104</p>
<p>Faith Formation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children’s Liturgy of the Word: Sunday Mornings during the 10:30 am Mass, September—May • Grades K—5—Sunday 9:15-10:20 am ALL GRADES MEET IN THE CHURCH HALL. YOUTH GROUPS MEET SUNDAY 12-1:30 PM. • Grades 6—8 KFC (Kids For Christ) • Grades 9—12 SCOOCH (Super Catholics of Our CHurch) • Sacramental Preparation for First Penance, First Eucharist, and Confirmation 	<p>June Sherman Email: june.sherman@dor.org Office Phone Ext: 104</p>
<p>Parish Finance and Facilities Issues</p>	<p>Mary Capone, Regional Finance Director Email: mary.capone@dor.org , Office Phone Ext. 102 Dominic Vitaro, Maintenance, Office Phone Ext. 111 Dick Boerman, Finance Council Chair: 585-703-5164</p>
<p>Music Ministry - if you have music talent, we would love to have you be part of our music ministry</p>	<p>Tim Schramm, Music Director: Office Phone Ext. 110, or 585-339-8546</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scheduling Mass Intention • Sacrament Records • Information for the Bulletin 	<p>Katie Childs, Parish Secretary Email: katie.childs@dor.org, Office Phone Ext. 101</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hispanic Ministry—home & hospital visiting, small group Bible reflection, and receiving sacraments for Spanish speaking people only 	<p>Sr. Kay Schwenzer, Hispanic Pastoral Minister Email: kschwenzer2@aol.com Office Phone Ext. 106, or 315-277-0302</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catholic Charities of Wayne County 	<p>Deacon Peter S. Dohr, Executive Director 315-331-4867</p>

Daily Mass Schedule in the Chapel: Monday-Thursday 8:00 am
Friday, Liturgy of the Word, with Communion 8:00 am, First Friday Mass, 12:10 pm, Saturday, 7:30 am
WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday: 4:30 pm Sunday: 8:15 & 10:30 am
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Second Tuesday, 4:00-6:00 pm & Saturday, 3:00-4:00 pm or by appointment

DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, December 30 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph 1 Sm 1:20-22,24-28 1 Jn3:1-2, 21-24	8:15 am ~ Barry McCadden—family 10:30 am ~ Mary Sweeney—Don & Anne Crowley	
Monday, December 31 Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord 1 Jn 2:18-21 Jn 1:1-18	6:00 pm ~ Cindy Hartman—Hartman family	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday, January 1 Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God Nm 6:22-27 Gal4:4-7 Lk 2:16-21	10:00 am ~ For all living & deceased members of St. Michael's Parish	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Wednesday, January 2 Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, bishops and doctors of the church 1 Jn 2:22-28 Jn 1:19-28	8:00 am ~ Robert Schumacher—Poiesz family	
Thursday, January 3 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 2:29-36 Jn 1:29-34	8:00 am ~ Fr. Felix—Nona & Kenny	
Friday, January 4 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious 1 Jn 3:7-10 Jn 1:35-42	9:00 am ~ First Friday Mass ~ St. Leona Didas—Fr. Jeff	
Saturday, January 5 St. John Neumann, bishop 1 Jn 3:11-21 Jn 1:43-51	7:30 am~ Poor Souls 4:30 pm ~ Chuck Mann—Sharon San Angelo & family	3 pm ~ Confessions
Sunday, January 6 Th Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Mt2:1-12	8:15 am ~ Al Loson—Joe & Korie 10:30 am ~ Alice Weeks—Gary & Carleen Pierce	8:15 am ~ RCIA Mass & sending 9:15 –10:20 am ~ Grades K-5 Faith Formation 12-1:30 PM ~ Confirmation Class 10:30 am ~ Choir



SCHEDULES WEEKEND OF JANUARY 5-6

MASS	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	COMMENTATORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
SATURDAY JAN. 5, 4:30 PM	I. Humphey B. Sherman	J. Addyman	P. Albrecht	T. O'Toole, G. Addyman, S. O'Toole bold = bread minister
SUNDAY JAN. 6, 8:15 AM	C. & I. Murphy	T. Murphy	F. Lawson	I. Colon, A. Chandler, C. Hann bold = bread minister
SUNDAY JAN. 6, 10:30 AM	C. Acquista F. Rinella	C. Owen	S. McCadden	J. Howard, S. Joslyn, R. Pryzbyc bold=bread minister
CHILDREN'S LITURGY JAN. 6, 10:30 AM	Leader K. Zappia	Teen Helper L. Childs	MONEY COUNTERS: TEAM 1	NANCY MURPHY'S COFFEE HOUR <i>Mitch & Debbie Ruffalo</i>

ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING Weekly Offertory: December 16th \$6650.14

Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Actual YTD 10/31/18	Budget YTD	YTD Overage shortage
Total Collections	\$115,427.00	\$121,516.00	\$6089.00
Total Operating Income	\$135,296.00	\$148,876.00	\$13,580.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$136,359.00	\$165,072.00	\$28,713.00
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Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Holy Day of Obligation
This week we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God on Tuesday. We will have a Vigil Mass on **Monday Evening** (December 31st), at 6:00 p.m. and then a Mass **Tuesday** at 10:00 a.m.

ELECTRONIC GIVING PROGRAM St. Michael's is pleased to offer this safe and convenient option for you to contribute your Sunday offerings to the Church automatically through your checking, savings account or credit card. Please contact the business office at 331-6753 if you need assistance.

Thank You

During this time when we celebrate the birth of Jesus, a time of hope and joy, I would like to thank everyone who sent cards and gifts. Your kindness is greatly appreciated. This is truly a very blessed time of the year. Peace, Fr. Jeff.

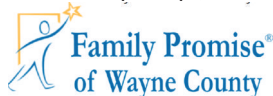


Catholic Ministries Appeal - "Sharing Our Blessings"

On, December 2nd, we began a new year in our church on the first Sunday of Advent. We are about to begin a new year on the secular calendar. Many people will make new year's resolutions to improve their lives. As you think about what the new year brings you might first think about the blessings you received in 2018. Then ask yourselves how you might share your blessings in 2019 with others. What do you do to help others? How do you contribute to our mission as a church to proclaim the gospel? Our CMA is a vital way of supporting our diocesan ministries. You can find out more at <http://stmichaelsnewark.org/financial-giving/cma-appeal/>.



Family Promise Seeks Volunteers—Family Promise of Wayne County, with its mission and vision to help homeless families regain sustainable housing, livelihoods and dignity, is currently seeking volunteers in several areas of our county and for its Day Center located in Lyons. Volunteers for days at the Lyons Center and evenings and overnights at Host sites are asked to attend a training session and complete a background check. The next training session will be held in Newark at Park Presbyterian Church, 110 Maple Court on Tuesday, January 8th from 1:00 to 3:30pm. In general, most volunteers are asked to serve as hosts for a two hour time slot. Please contact Linda Werts to register and for further information: 315-331-6999.



Did You Miss Fr. Jeff's Session "Advent: Preparing For the Incarnation"? It was a snowy night when Fr. Jeff gave his latest presentation so attendance was low. If you weren't able to join us for the presentation on November 28th, you can now view it on his website at <http://www.renewaloffaith.org/adventprep>.



Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia

Aquí estamos al final del año y estamos hablando de la familia. Tan importante para la sociedad es la familia. Podemos preguntarnos ¿Cómo es mi familia? ¿Cómo son las familias en mi vecindad?

Sabe que los Estados Unidos tiene más divorcios, más adolescentes embarazadas, más pobreza de niños y más abortos en todo el hemisferio del mundo occidental. Una mitad de todos los matrimonios terminan en divorcio. Tenemos una variedad de tipos de familias: las con madres o padres solteros, las de padres que cohabitan (cohabitación es demasiado común), las familias donde un hermano o una hermana mayor toma la responsabilidad de los padres, o familias que son creadas por unir las familias de un segundo o tercer matrimonio. No todas las familias son como la de María, José y Jesús. Hay necesidad de ver y aceptar la verdad de nuestras familias hoy. Debemos reconocer los distintos tipos, y mirar los valores en todas. Muchas veces la familia necesita compasión porque tenemos que ayudar a la mujer no casada que tiene sus hijos, o los divorciados o separados que luchan para mantener su familia. No siempre la vida en familia es feliz; muchas veces tienen sus problemas. Intentan conocer a Jesucristo y su evangelio y compartirlo con otros. Piensen en el evangelio de hoy cuando el joven Jesús se quedó atrás en Jerusalén, y los padres estaban buscándolo. Una crisis, pero una oportunidad de ayudar al joven Jesús encontrar lo que el Padre estaba pidiendo de él. Jesús empezó a entender lo que su Padre quería de él. En la familia por las experiencias vividas el individuo desarrolla más madurez, sabiduría y un mejor entendimiento de sí mismo.

La familia de uno anima y apoya a los otros miembros en tiempos de crisis porque comparten valores y sentimientos compartidos. En tiempos de crisis los miembros de la familia intentan hacer la voluntad de Dios. Intentamos seguir las huellas de Jesús; pertenecemos al Señor y a los demás. ¿Por qué me buscan? ¿No sabían que debo ocuparme en las cosas de mi Padre? A cualquier tipo de familia pertenecemos, tenemos la misma responsabilidad: ocuparnos en las cosas de Dios. Y ustedes, ¿en que están metidos en su hogar? ¿Qué son los valores que tienen para toda su familia? ¿Dios es el centro de su familia? ¿Hay hermandad en el hogar? ¿Hay verdadero amor y compasión entre ustedes?

¿Comparten en la misma mesa su cena cada noche para que puedan conversar entre sí haciendo más posible el apoyo uno del otro?



Hermana Kay

Actividades para la Comunidad Hispana:

- Viernes, 28 de diciembre, 7:00 p.m. en la capilla: Misa para celebrar juntos el tiempo de Navidad.** Favor de traer algunos entremeses para compartir.
- Sábado, 19 de enero, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. en el centro parroquial de la iglesia San Francisco en Geneva: Parejas: el Amor se Reúne.** Un tiempo para que parejas puedan renovarse, tomando tiempo para renovar su amor y compromiso uno al otro. Diácono José Rivera y su esposa estarán para presentar el tema y facilitar un intercambio entre las parejas. No es necesario que estén casados.



FAITH FORMATION

Grades K-5

Classes are 9:15—10:20 AM on Sunday mornings.
We meet in the Church Hall.

January—6,13,20,27

February—3, 10, 24

YOUTH MINISTRY

KFC (Kids For Christ) Middle School
Youth Group Grades 6-8

SCOOCH (Super Catholics Of Our Church)
High School Youth Group Grades 9-12

Classes are 12-1:30 pm on Sunday afternoons.

January—13, 27-youth host coffee hour

February—2 & 3— Souper Bowl of Caring collection before and after each of the weekend Masses. Middle School and high school youth are asked to sign up to help.
10 & 24

CONFIRMATION YEAR 1 & 2

Classes are 12-1:30 pm on Sunday afternoons
in the church hall (unless otherwise stated).

January—6, 20, 27 Youth host coffee hour after 10:30 am Mass—need goodies donated and youth to help out.

February—3, 2 & 3 weekend service, Souper Bowl of Caring. Help is needed before and after each Mass this weekend to collect cans of soup and monetary donations.

March—17, 31

April—14, 28

May—5

FAMILY MINISTRY

Today's Gospel describes a time of anxiety in the life of Jesus' family. We can imagine their panic and worry as they discovered that Jesus was not with the caravan returning to Nazareth. The Holy Family journeyed with family members and friends because traveling alone was dangerous. When they found Jesus at the Temple, Jesus spoke like a typical adolescent, unsympathetic to his parents' concern. Yet his words teach an important lesson about reducing anxiety in our family life. In essence, Jesus says, "If you had remembered who I am, you would have known where to find me." In their panic, Mary and Joseph had forgotten what had been told to them before Jesus' birth, that their son was the Son of God. Knowing a person well helps reduce our anxieties for them because we can better predict how they will behave, and we know their capacity to handle the challenges life might present to them.

As you gather as a family, have fun playing the game "How well do you know me?" Take turns trying to stump one another by asking family members questions about yourself, such as "What is my favorite memory of a family vacation?" "Given a choice, what dinner menu would I pick?" "If I could travel anywhere in the world, where would I go?" One member of the family might prepare and read the questions aloud as each person writes down the answers. Family members then take turns guessing the answers, playing this game as a quiz show. Observe that one thing about families is that we learn to know each other well.

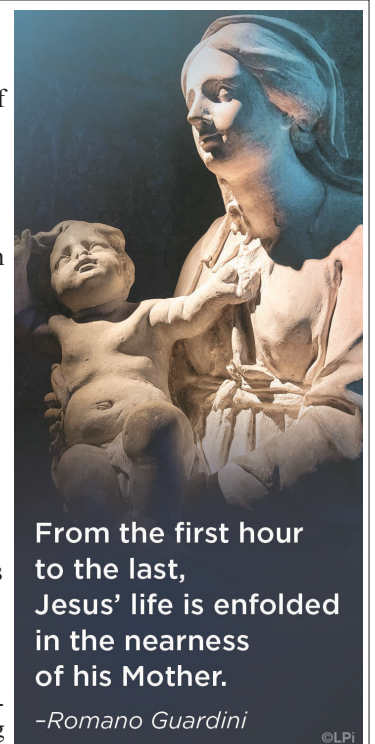


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Mary, Mother of God
Helping a friend, volunteering for the church or school event, shoveling the sidewalk — all of these actions require a yes.

Becoming your parent's medical power of attorney, resigning from a job or accepting a new one — our lives require yes after yes. Each one sets us up for even more choices. On January 1st, we celebrate Mary as Mother of God. This title is monumental. It elevates a simple girl from Nazareth to the most highly revered woman in all creation. And it all started with a simple yes! But it didn't end there.

Being free from sin doesn't mean being free from temptation. Mary had countless opportunities to say yes or no to God throughout her life. She is an example for us on the power of graced perseverance! Whatever your resolutions or decisions in the coming year, ask for Mary's intercession to say yes.



From the first hour to the last, Jesus' life is enfolded in the nearness of his Mother.

—Romano Guardini

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To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven

"... a time to be born..."

Please welcome our newly baptized: Levi Robert Planty

"...a time to love..."

"... a time to be healed..."

Please pray for the sick of our Parish.

*Steven Sapp, Leigh Ann Henry, Nate Barnes, Claire Childs, Kim Zielinski, Michael Kowaleski,
Mary Santoro, Cathy Wilhelm, David Murphy, Darlene Fletcher, Marie Wemesfelder, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo,
Jean Condit, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Mary Gilligan, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst,
Richard Siler, Chris McLellan, Gloria Viola, Ida Tolbert, Betty Howlett, Mary Mancuso & Pearl Johnson*

And please pray for our Parish friends. *Scott Weber, Richard Schweitz, Jr., Michael DePauw, Brian Beal, Bonnie Crane, Tracy Diaz-Cruz,
Sherry Caughell, Marilyn Lawrence & Lisa Ahrans*

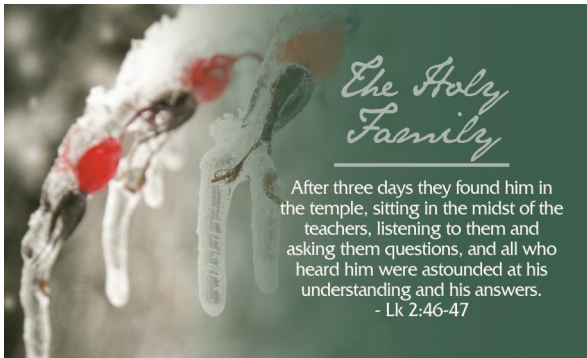
"... a time to die..."

Maria Fantauzzi, sister of Rosario Fantauzzi

Christine Jaworski

"... and a time for peace."

In our world and for all people, military and civilian, who are in the midst of war. ***Ecclesiastes 3:11***



**FOOD CLOSET ITEMS NEEDED THIS WEEK:
BOXED MILK**

Please leave items in the church gathering space. Thank you!
The Newark Food Closet donation drop off locations
are Citizen Bank on West Miller St. and HEP Sales on
Rt. 31, both in Newark. Thank you.

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