PARISH MISSION

St. Michael’s Parish is a welcoming community of Catholic Christians, rich in tradition. We are inspired by the Holy Spirit and guided by the Word of God. We exist as a visible witness of Christ through worshipping, educating, evangelizing and serving.

“AMEN, I SAY TO YOU, HE WILL SURELY NOT LOSE HIS REWARD.” —MT 10:42

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME


Church Information

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Fr. Robert Keller
Deacon: John Bredemeier

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**PARISH INFORMATION**

**2020 A-Cross America Relay – LIFE Runners North Leg**

[Image of group of people with signs and a jersey]

July 4th is the kick off for the A-Cross America Relay! Join the largest spanning Pro-Life event with 1,528 legs covering 5,359 miles (12 million steps)! Go to [www.liferunners.org](http://www.liferunners.org) and select Relay to register to run or walk 5K legs on the Relay course or from anywhere in the world, anytime from Jul 4th kickoff to Aug 9th finish line. Wear “REMEMBER The Unborn” jersey to impact hearts and minds for saving lives.

**Schedule for July 4th:**
- 7:15 AM - Mass at St. Michael Church. All Welcome!
- 8:00 AM - Photo with jerseys and signs at St. Michael Church.
- 8:15 AM - Pray [LIFE Runners Creed](http://www.liferunners.org). Blessing
- 8:30 AM - Launch the Relay! [Register to walk the first 5K leg](http://www.liferunners.org). Walk or run additional legs that day and anytime and anywhere (on course or in neighborhood) between Jul 4th and Aug 11th.

**Wedding Banns**

July 4: Jack White & Jade Zimprich
July 18: Jordan Carlson & Stephanie Kerkvliet

**Thank You Note**

Thank you to the Family of Jack Miller for their donation to St. Michael’s Altar Society!

**SCRIP GIFT CARDS PURCHASES**

To purchase Scrip, please call the Parish Office (701) 772-2624 to see if we have what you need.

If we do have the cards on hand, you can place your order and pick up in the lobby of the Parish Office.

**Adoration at St. Michael’s**

Our parish offers Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Tuesday. Exposition begins after the 7:15 a.m. Mass, ending at 9:00 p.m. All are welcome to pray.

If you wish, you may also make a weekly commitment to prayer by going online to—[Adoration Pro](https://adorationpro.org/michaelnd). This program makes it possible for you to sign up for an hour of adoration every week. The scheduling program is accessed by going online at this address: [https://adorationpro.org/michaelnd](https://adorationpro.org/michaelnd)

**E-Bike for Sale**

I, Msgr. Daniel Pilon, have an electric tri-cycle that I would like to sell. I bought it, used, when I was in Mayville, not being able to drive a car at the time. Now that I am able to drive I do not need it anymore. I replaced the batteries (3 Lead Sealed Acid batteries) two years ago. There is also a battery charger that comes with it. I would like to sell it for $400, the amount I paid for it. If you are interested, you can call or text me at 701-361-2051 or email at daniel.pilon@fargodiocese.org
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

June 21, 2020
Weekly Amount Collected ........ $22,268
Weekly Amount Needed .......... $20,924
(To Reach the Weekly Budget Goal)
Weekly Collection Deficit ($1,344)

Year-To-Date Amount Collected $1,025,323
Year-To-Date Amount Needed $1,067,133
(To Reach the Annual Budget Goal)
Year-To-Date Collection Deficit ($41,810)

Annual Budget Goal ..................... $1,088,057

https://stmichaelsgf.weshareonline.org/
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TEMPORARY ADJUSTED MASS SCHEDULE

June 29th: Mass at 7:15 am, No 5:15 pm Mass
June 30th: Communion Service 7:15 am; Mass at 5:15 pm
July 1st: Mass at 7:15 am; Communion Service at 5:15 pm
July 2nd: Mass at 7:15 am; Mass at 5:15 pm
July 3rd: Mass at 7:15 am, Mass at 12:10 pm
July 4th: Mass at 7:15 am, 5:00 pm
July 5th: Mass at 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 5:00 pm

During the month of July, the Masses on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be adjusted. Masses Thursday-Sunday will remain the same.

Pastor’s Note

Welcome Deacon Jered Grossman.
We are pleased to welcome Deacon Jered Grossman as he arrives to begin his ministry at St. Michaels this weekend. Deacon Jered spent the summer of 2017 with us on a seminarian internship. Please offer him a warm welcome. He will be ordained a priest on August 8, 2020.

While we await Deacon Grossman’s priestly ordination, we are making adjustments to our weekly Mass schedule. Here are the short-term, temporary changes:

- Monday 5:15 p.m. Mass—cancelled June 29-Aug. 10
- Communion Services (with Bishop Folda’s Permission) 
  Tuesdays at the 7:15 a.m. and Wednesdays at the 5:15 p.m. Masses from June 30-August 11
- Together with Msgr. Pilon, several priests from neighboring parishes will be assisting with some of our Masses

Thank you for your understanding with the above accommodations. Again, these schedule changes are only temporary.

Welcome Fr. Metzger, our former Parochial Vicar
Fr. Metzger is assisting with our liturgies this weekend while I am away on vacation.

While I am away for vacation and retreat Deacon Grossman will be responding to all pastoral calls and special needs, outside of celebrating the Mass, offering the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and Anointing of the Sick.
Deacon Grossman will be collaborating with Msgr. Pilon to coordinate any funeral preparations, or emergency anointings as they may come up.

I am hiking and backpacking with my brother and nephew in Glacier Natl. Park. I will be away from June 27—July 8, returning for weekend Masses on July 11 & 12, and departing again for a five day retreat with my priest support group.

Thank You
Thank you and bless you for your ongoing financial donations and support to St. Michaels during the past months of COVID pandemic.
I understand many people are feeling the pinch due to layoffs and work reduction due to pandemic. In the midst of these times it especially heartwarming to see so many still offering their donations to help support your parish. Thank you and God bless.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr Gerard Braun
PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS
The Parish Office remains closed to the public, however the lobby doors are open to pick up/drop off items.  
*The office closes at 12:00 pm each Friday throughout the summer.*

Summer Office Hours  
Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am-3:00 pm.  
Fridays: 9:00 am to 12:00 Noon.

**DIRECTIONS FOR ATTENDING MASS**

- **Use main entrance to enter and exit the Church**  
  The Courtyard entrance is restricted for those who are unable to navigate the front steps.

- **Wear a Mask** at all times, except when receiving Holy Communion (Masks not required for Children 2 & under)

- **Maintain a distance of 6 feet** with anyone from outside your home

- **Sanitize your hands** when you come in the Church. Bring your own sanitizer from home if you have

- **Do not congregate on the main steps** after Mass (We want a clear path for people exiting the church)

- **Be prepared to attend another Mass** in case the church reaches full capacity
MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 29
7:15 am  †Kim Buchholz
5:15 pm  NO MASS

Tuesday, June 30
7:15 am  COMMUNION SERVICE
5:15 pm  †Paul Sandell, Rev. John Sandell, M/M Carl Sandell

Wednesday, July 1
7:15 am  †Donald Mugan
5:15 pm  COMMUNION SERVICE

Thursday, July 2
7:15 am  †Marcella Helt
5:15 pm  †Conner Sander

Friday, July 3
7:15 am  †Paul Sandell, Rev. John Sandell, M/M Carl Sandell
12:10pm  †Curtis Lizakowski

Saturday, July 4
7:15 am  †Gerald Altendorf
5:00 pm  †Michael L. Hoffart

Sunday, July 5
7:30 am  For the People
9:00 am  †Eugene R. Boehm
11:00 am  †Alan Hathaway
5:00 pm  †Elizabeth Alvarado

WE ♥ TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH YOU!

If you haven’t already signed up, please do so now! All that you need is a smart phone or computer/iPad/tablet.

Flocknote has been an excellent communication tool for our parish. When we need to get the word out, we count on Flocknote!