OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

"Then the king will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.'" - Mt 25:34

The weekend of November 14th - 15th, the Angel Trees will go up in our Churches AND for the first time we will also be ONLINE!!!

Due to the Covid-19 Pandemic there will be some new ways to select gifts for many of the agencies we serve. In the bulletin, on the parish website or on Flocknote you will find a link to the Angel Tree lists for Genesis, Family Links, Asbury Heights, Heinz Center, St Vincent de Paul and the parish community. The trees in the Churches will contain the wishes for the community Food Pantry’s.

Several hundred wishes from people young and old alike are waiting for you to fill them. Our parishioners have always been most generous in their outreach to all of these communities. Select an Angel or a recipient from the online lists, purchase and wrap the gift and label it with the information from the list (see the sample online). If you are unable to get to the online lists please reach out to Angela for assistance.

Drop off of gifts will be at Conroy Hall at Our Lady of Grace Church on December 5th and 6th after the masses and from 1:00 - 4:00 pm. No gifts are to be left in the Churches or at the Rectory.

If you are in need or you know someone who is in need, please call Angela Gaughan, Pastoral Associate, at 412-561-6021. We are always here to help in any way we can. Thank you for your kind consideration. God bless and Happy Shopping!
LITURGY SCHEDULE/ PRIEST’S INTENTION

Sunday, Nov 22 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
7:00am STB John & Jeane Kish & Family (living)
9:00am STB Betty Feeney
9:30am OLG Joe & Pat Kanavich 50th Wedding Anniversary
11:00am STB For All People of the Parish
11:30am OLG Dolores Notaro
7:30pm STB Carmela Farrah

Monday, Nov 23 - Weekday
7:00am STB Ruth Ann McGrath
9:00am OLG George Piatak

Tuesday, Nov 24 - Saint Andrew Dung Lac, Priest & Companions
7:00am STB Mr. Thomas Lamb
9:00am OLG Paul Obert

Wednesday, Nov 25 - Weekday
7:00am STB Joseph & Ida Cestone
9:00am OLG Thomas Trainor

Thursday, Nov 26 - Weekday - Thanksgiving
9:00am OLG For All People of the Grouping
4:00pm-5:00pm Penance in OLG Parking Lot

Friday, Nov 27 - Weekday
7:00am STB Sam Lioon
9:00am OLG Martin Randal

Saturday, Nov 28 - Weekday
8:00am STB Aurthur Olszewski
2:45pm-3:45pm Penance in OLG Parking Lot
4:00pm OLG Mary Jean McNally
5:00pm STB William F. Oxenreiter

Sunday, Nov 29 - First Sunday of Advent
7:00am STB Diane Phister
9:00am STB Michael T. & Ann Jane Flaherty
9:30am OLG For All People of the Parish
11:00am STB Harper & Slogan Family
11:30am OLG Mary Andrea Collins
7:30pm STB Angela Raso

Your Charity to Saint Michael the Archangel Parish

Due to the holiday printing schedule, November 15th totals will appear in the November 29th bulletin

October 2020 Online Giving (Sundays Only)  $59,019.59

Thank You For Your Generosity

A big THANK-YOU to Laughlin’s Funeral Home for the 2021 pocket calendars which will be distributed the weekend after Thanksgiving, November 28th & 29th.

William Slater Funeral Home 2021 wall calendars were distributed last week at all Masses.

Please be sure to pick one up when you leave!

THE PARISH OFFICE REMAINS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

Parish staff is off on Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th.
RECENT BAPTISMS

Caroline Marie Brennan
Daughter of Patrick & Jordan Rohaus Brennan

Madeline Grace Chiesa
Daughter of Bradley & Monika Debolt Chiesa

Blair Catherine Kozy
Daughter of John & Erin Mundie Kozy

Lucy Grace Rodgers
Daughter of Matthew & Sarah Pfahl Rodgers

IN MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED DECEASED

†Nancy Massaro
†Dr. Francis C. Donovan
†Sadie L. Pizzato

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.
*The promise of heaven is our eternal hope.*

RECENT WEDDINGS

November 13, 2020
Derek Becker & Christiana Owens

November 20, 2020
Dakoda Richards & Allison Burns

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AT SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH

Jesus commissioned the eleven remaining Apostles to make disciples of *all* nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Congratulations on your commitment to further His great commission by baptizing your baby at St. Michael the Archangel Parish! We know this is a very exciting and blessed time for you and your family, and we rejoice with you.

If this is your *first* baby, email Deacon Eric Schorr at eschorr@smapgh.org to set up a time to meet, preferably before your baby is born. Your meeting with Deacon Eric gives you the opportunity to meet with a member of the parish clergy team to learn more about our parish and having your child baptized. We want to get to know your family better!

After your meeting with Deacon Eric, you will attend our Baptism Formation Evening for New Parents. These evenings are held every-other-month. You will receive the dates of the evenings at your meeting with Deacon Eric.

You will be able to schedule your baby’s baptism *after* you have met with Deacon Eric and attended the Baptism Formation Evening.

If this isn’t your first baby to be baptized and it has been *more than three years* since you have attended our Baptism Formation Evening for New Parents, you will need to meet with Deacon Eric before you schedule your baby’s baptism.

Altar Server Training

Altar server training is for anyone interested in becoming an altar server and also for all existing servers.

There are three training sessions available, but servers only need to come to one of them.

Please confirm attendance at one of the sessions by emailing Fr. Ben at bbarr@smapgh.org.

Training will be offered on:

- Monday, November 30th at St. Bernard at 6pm
- Wednesday, December 2nd at Our Lady of Grace at 6pm
- Friday, December 4th at St. Bernard at 6pm

Committee Members Needed

The "Wedding Committee" at St. Michael the Archangel Parish is looking for new members to join our ministry. Responsibilities include contacting the bride prior to the wedding day to gather necessary information, assisting with rehearsals, and coordinating the events of the wedding day. This committee is truly enjoyable. Interested volunteers who would like to join, please contact Debbie Tony at bt_dt@verizon.net. Thank you! Debbie
Christmas Flowers

You should have received or will receive a Christmas Flower offertory envelope with your December envelope mailing. If you would like to dedicate your offering to a loved one or loved ones, please include the name or names on the provided spaces on the envelope. Your envelope must be received by Friday, December 4th in order to appear in the Sunday, December 20th bulletin. If you do not receive envelopes you can still mail in your offering and dedication labeled “Christmas Flowers”

Thank you for your generosity!

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Wednesdays
6:30-8:30 PM
Fontenay Center, St. Bernard’s
For Information 412-561-0199
Open to All! No RSVP Necessary
Mary’s Place is a semi-independent home for pregnant and parenting women that provides support in an environment of reverence and love. Located in Mt. Lebanon, in the previous home of the St. Augustine Capuchin Friars, we officially opened in January 2020. We have capacity for seven residents at once and can take mothers older than 18 who are homeless and pregnant or parenting.

Guided by Catholic social teaching, Mary’s Place welcomes women of all faiths and encourages prayer, reflection and participation in community living.

As a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, we are always open to gifts of time or treasure from the local community. A few of our opportunities include:

- Weekly volunteer activities
- Online donations
- Donations of in-kind, specifically diapers and wipes

For more information on Mary’s Place, the services we offer, or how you can get involved, contact us at (412) 207-8805 or info@marysplacepgh.org

You can also visit us online at www.marysplacepgh.org

Brochures and pamphlets are available through the Respect Life committee.
St. Michael the Archangel Parish Mass Intentions Requests for 2021
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AS SOME PROCEDURES HAVE CHANGED

We will begin accepting Mass requests for the year 2021 on Monday, November 9, 2020. We will accept these by U.S. Mail, by dropping the request form into the Sunday collection or hand-delivering to the St. Bernard Rectory IN THE MAIL SLOT at 311 Washington Road. We will NOT be accepting Mass requests by phone and Masses WILL NOT be scheduled at the door. We assure you that forms will be kept in the order in which they are received (form and instructions will be published in the bulletin starting November 8th. Masses will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis. You will be notified of your Mass dates and times by e-mail or U.S. mail once they are scheduled (due to cost of postage, e-mail is preferred). In order to ensure good order and fairness to EVERYONE the following rules apply:

Only two (2) specific date requests will be taken for any one family. You may request 1 weekend Mass (Saturday Vigil or Sunday) intention and 1 weekly Mass intentions or 2 weekday Mass Intentions. More than two (2) requests will be sent out of the Parish to be fulfilled or celebrated by our Priests as part of concelebrated Mass. You will not be notified of silent intention dates.

To accommodate your requests please list an alternate date in the event that your first request is not met. If no dates are specified, they will be chosen at random and CANNOT be changed. Masses are no longer held in Clairvaux Hall except on Christmas and Easter. Suggested Mass Stipends are $10.00 each and your check should accompany your request. Make check payable to St. Michael the Archangel Parish.

STB MASS TIMES: Weekdays at 7:00am, Saturday at 8:00am, Weekend Saturday anticipated Mass at 5:00pm, Sunday 7:00am, 9:00am (outdoors), 11:00am & 7:30pm.

OLG MASS TIMES: Weekdays at 9:00am, Weekend Saturday anticipated Mass at 4:00pm (outdoors), Sunday 9:30am (outdoors) & 11:30am

Please be sure to add your phone number and e-mail address on the form and include phonetic spelling of hard to pronounce last names. Please keep in mind that it is mandated by Canon Law to offer a Mass for the people on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation. The following days are NOT OPEN for individual intentions since they are offered for the intentions of parishioners.

Holy Thursday, Easter, Mother’s Day, Father’s Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day: nor are intentions accepted for Good Friday or Holy Saturday. On civic holidays there will be only ONE mass celebrated and that will be at 9:00 a.m. Once scheduled, Mass intentions cannot be changed.

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. Please fill out the information in the block on the lower left of this page  2. Fill in your mailing address on the blank lines on the block on the lower right of this page. This section will be e-mailed or mailed back to you with the dates and times of your Masses listed on the back. 3. Detach the bottom portion of this page and enclose it with your payment. Make checks payable to St. Michael the Archangel Parish  4. Mail the form to the parish office, put it in the collection basket or drop it off at the rectory (In the Mail slot)

Mass Intention Requests for 2021, @ $10.00 stipend per Mass

2 Intentions scheduled per Family. Any amount exceeding 2 will be silent or sent out of the Parish to be fulfilled or celebrated by our Priests as part of concelebrated Mass.

Family Name
(Requestor)__________________________

Email Address: ____________________________

Telephone ____________________________

1. INTENTION

Date/Time ____________________________ Alt. Date ____________________________

OLG STB circle one

2. INTENTION

Date/Time ____________________________ Alt. Date ____________________________

OLG STB circle one

Silent Intention:

Method of Notification (check one): E-mail _____ US Mail _____
Temporary Mass Schedule
Parishioners must sign up on the website to attend all indoor Masses only

Mon-Fri
7:00am Indoors at St. Bernard Church (Main Church)
9:00am Indoors at Our Lady of Grace Church

Saturday
8:00am Indoors at St. Bernard Church (Main Church)
4:00pm Outdoors at Our Lady of Grace Church
5:00pm Indoors at St. Bernard Church (Main Church)

Sunday
7:00am Indoors at St. Bernard Church (Main Church)
9:00am Outdoors at St. Bernard Church
9:30am Outdoors at Our Lady of Grace Church
11:00am Indoors at St. Bernard Church (Main Church)
11:30am Indoors at Our Lady of Grace Church
7:30pm candlelight Mass Indoors at St. Bernard (Main Church)

Penance
Our Lady of Grace only in the back parking lot
Thursdays from 4:00pm - 5:00pm
Saturdays from 2:45pm - 3:45pm
Drivers please stay in your car and wear a mask

Saint Bernard Church
311 Washington Road/Pittsburgh, PA 15216

Our Lady of Grace Church
310 Kane Blvd/Pittsburgh, PA 15243
Sacrament of Confession
Tuesdays: 8:30am indoors - Our Lady of Grace
Wednesdays indoors following the 7:00am Mass - St. Bernard
Thursdays: 4:00-5:00pm indoors - St. Bernard
Thursdays: 7:00-7:30pm indoors - St. Bernard
Saturdays indoors following the 8:00am Mass - St. Bernard
Saturdays: 2:45 - 3:45pm outdoors - Our Lady of Grace
NO CONFESSIONS THE DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS!

Added Opportunity for Confession
Wednesday, December 16th
7:00pm
St. Bernard - Main Church

Last Day For Confession
Wed, December 23 following the 7:00am Mass – St. Bernard
Tues, December 22, 8:30am – Our Lady of Grace

Christmas Eve, Thursday, Dec. 24
2:00pm  Our Lady of Grace - Outdoors
4:00pm  Our Lady of Grace - Outdoors
4:00pm  St. Bernard - Main Church
4:00pm  St. Bernard - Clairvaux Hall
6:00pm  St. Bernard - Main Church
8:00pm  Our Lady of Grace - Main Church
Midnight St. Bernard - Main Church

Christmas Day, Friday, December 25
7:00am  St. Bernard - Main Church
9:00am  St. Bernard - Main Church
9:30am  Our Lady of Grace - Outdoors
11:00am St. Bernard - Main Church
11:30am Our Lady of Grace - Main Church

2020 Advent/Christmas Schedule

Sunday Mass Times
Anticipated, Saturdays at 4:00pm outdoors - Our Lady of Grace
Anticipated, Saturdays at 5:00pm indoors - St. Bernard
9:30am outdoors & 11:30am indoors - Our Lady of Grace
7:00am indoors, 9:00am outdoors, 11:00am indoors & 7:30pm indoors - St. Bernard

Thursday, December 31, 2019
4:00pm  Our Lady of Grace - Outdoors
6:00pm  St. Bernard - Main Church

Friday, January 1, 2020
Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God
9:00am  Our Lady of Grace - Indoors
11:00am St. Bernard - Main Church
HEARTS AND SOLES WALKING GROUP

THURSDAYS 5-6pm OUR LADY OF GRACE BEHIND THE CHURCH

PLEASE JOIN FELLOW PARISHIONERS FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO GATHER TO WALK, TALK AND SPEND TIME TOGETHER.

THERE IS SUCH A GIFT IN COMMUNITY AND FRESH AIR.

MASKS AND SAFE DISTANCING PLEASE.

CONTACT KATIE AT K.M.KEATING@ICLOUD.COM TO LET THE GROUP KNOW YOU ARE COMING OR FOR MORE DETAILS.
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For more information and/or to sign up:

1. Go to smapgh.org
2. Click on “Give” at the top of the homepage
3. Choose “Give to St. Michael the Archangel” from the drop down menu
4. Click on “Create an account”
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