

## The Week Ahead

### Sat / January 19

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Dwaine Huscher* †

Respect Life Collection for New Beginnings PHC

### Sun / January 20 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *Cecilia Orosz* † by *R & S Vander Zyl*

Respect Life Collection for New Beginnings PHC

Coffee & Donuts after Mass, in the Parish Hall

Rosary Makers after Mass, in the Parish Hall

10:30am - CCD Classes

### Mon / January 21 - St. Agnes

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day / Office Closed

10am - Rosary/Funeral Mass & Luncheon *Dean Graves* †

### Tue / January 22 - Day of Prayer for Protection of Unborn

### Wed / January 23 - Ss. Vincent & Marianne Cope

6pm - Mass: *Pres. Donald Trump - Sl* by *M & M Winston*

6:45pm - RCIA, in the Parish Library

### Thu / January 24 - St. Francis de Sales

9am - Mass: *Hickert Grandchildren - Sl* by *L Hickert*

6pm - *B--I--N--G--O*

### Fri / January 25 - Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle

9am - Mass: *Gerry Stehno* † by *P Miller*

### Sat / January 26 - Ss. Timothy & Titus

3-3:45pm - Confessions

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Betty Huscher - Sl* by *M & R Huscher*

Black and Indian Missions Collection

Anointing of the Sick after Mass, in the Church

### Sun / January 27 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *People of the Parish*

Black and Indian Missions Collection

Anointing of the Sick after Mass, in the Church

Coffee & Donuts after Mass, in the Parish Hall

10:30am - CCD Classes

### Altar Flowers this week are compliments of:

- Mary Winston in memory of Parents on Anniv. †

### Tabernacle Roses this week are compliments of:

- Isabelle Wiest in Thanksgiving on her Birthday

Coffee & Donuts next week, January 27<sup>th</sup>, will be served by Lila Hickert & group # 1.

### Birthdays Next Week:

22-Isabelle Wiest

23-Dennis Burton, JoAnn Helfert

24-Clayton Orr

25-Robert Paluck

27-Daniel Sandefer

## Prayer for Our Nation

*Gracious and loving God, we come to You in humble prayer for the United States of America. Bless our nation's leaders, give them the wisdom and strength to serve the American people and lead our country in ways that are pleasing to You. Instill in them knowledge and understanding to enact laws that protect the Sanctity of Life ~ from the unborn to the elderly, and promote the good of all people. Bless the people of the United States. Make us aware of our responsibility as citizens to uphold the principles of life, liberty, justice, and equality for all. We ask this in your name, Amen.*

Tuesday, Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup>, marks the 46th Anniversary of the Roe v Wade decision which legalized the killing of innocent unborn babies in our nation.

## Next Weekend's Second Collection

Our 2<sup>nd</sup> collection next weekend is for Black and Indian Missions. Your contribution helps support the Catholic American Indian communities as well as African American schools and evangelization programs. Your generosity is appreciated.

## Parish Council Elections

### Nomination of New Members

*St. Michael's is in need of three new Parish Council members. Please consider serving. Information and nomination forms are available in the vestibule, as well as a ballot box for your nomination forms. P.C. Elections will be held the weekend of February 9/10.*

### **THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK...**

**“Holiness doesn't mean doing extraordinary things, but doing ordinary things with love and faith.”**

*- Pope Francis*



*Wishing you a happy week!*



## Eternal Rest

*Our sincere condolences to the Graves and Orosz families in the recent death of their husband and father, Harold "Dean" Graves. Services for Dean will be held Monday (see schedule on reverse). May Dean now rest in Eternal Peace. †*

### ATTENTION LADIES, SAVE THIS DATE!!

It will soon be time for our next Magnificat Luncheon at St. Michael's on Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will be celebrating the 20th Anniversary Year of our founding as a Chapter. We have another exciting speaker and inspiring time planned. Look for your invitation and more details soon but for now mark your calendar! For more information: Sharon Vander Zyl 870-847-3095

### News from Subiaco Academy

Subiaco Academy will host three Spring Shadow Days in 2019 - February 1<sup>st</sup>, March 8<sup>th</sup>, and April 5<sup>th</sup>. Shadow days are open to students and parents interested in their college prep program. Students and parents are also welcome to spend the night for a more complete experience. For more information, or to make a reservation, please call the Admissions Office, 479-934-1034; or email the Admissions Office at: [admissions@subi.org](mailto:admissions@subi.org); or visit our website: [www.SubiacoAcademy.us](http://www.SubiacoAcademy.us) to learn more.

**"A Nation That Kills Its Own Children Is A Nation Without Hope." ~ St. John Paul II, Pope**

### Have you registered with the Parish?

First of all, welcome to St. Michael's! We would like to be able to communicate with you by way of mail or email in case there is a change in the schedule or to inform you of an upcoming event. Also, when you register, we provide Offering Envelopes so those who wish can be added to the list for an end of year tax statement. Registration forms are on the table in the foyer. Once filled out, please return the form to the Church Office. Office hours are M-F, 9:30am to 12Noon. If this is not a convenient time, you may put it in the collection basket at Mass, or slide it under the Office door.

### 2019 Altar Flower and Rose Charts

The 2019 Altar Flower & Tabernacle Rose Charts are up on the bulletin board by the Sacristy. Sign-up now and pay later. Flower Arrangements are \$45 each; Tabernacle Roses are \$15/pair. Check may be slipped under Office door.

## 2018 Contribution Statements

If you use offering envelopes and would like a 2018 Contribution Statement, please call the Church Office to be put on the statement list. Statements will be mailed Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to start using church envelopes so you can get a statement next year, stop by the Church Office ASAP so we can get you signed-up. Thanks - Becky

**"It is a poverty to decide that a child must die so that you may live as you wish."**

*~ Bl. Mother Teresa*

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is like Spring-time. It's a weekend of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is - apply now! The next WWME weekend at the Subiaco Coury House is February 15-17. Space is limited. Apply online at [www.arkansaswwme.org/apply](http://www.arkansaswwme.org/apply); or send an email to: [apply@arkansaswwme.org](mailto:apply@arkansaswwme.org).

### A Lifeline for Troubled Marriages

**Do you know of a marriage in trouble?** Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. For more information about the next Retrouvaille Weekend, February 22-24, contact registration team: Mike and Carole Glancy @ 1-800-470-2230, or visit our website: [HelpOurMarriage.com](http://HelpOurMarriage.com).

### Open Adoration Hours

**Monday: 4-5pm; 5-6pm**

**Thursday: 11am-12pm**

**Friday: 6-7pm; 8:30-10pm**

*If interested in any of the above, or in being a substitute, please call Rose, 870-994-2744, or Anne, 870-847-1985.*