

The Week Ahead

Sat / October 12

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Marty Barrack - SI* by *M Barrack*

Monthly Maintenance Collection

Sun / October 13 - 28th Sunday in OT / Fatima Anniversary

9am - Mass: *Joe & Maria Wilson †* by *J Wilson, Jr*

Monthly Maintenance Collection

KC Breakfast after Mass, in the Parish Hall

10:30: CCD

5pm - Rosary, meet at church

Mon / October 14 - St. Callistus I / Columbus Day

9am - Mass: *Margaret Gamboe †* by *Family*

5:30pm - KC Rosary and Meeting

Tue / October 15 - St. Teresa of Jesus

Wed / October 16 - Ss. Hedwig & Margaret Mary Alacoque

12pm - Altar Society Card Party, in the Parish Hall

6pm - Mass: *Roger Smith †* by *J & A Whorl*

6:45pm - RCIA following Mass, in the Parish Library

Thu / October 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch

9am - Mass: *Mike & Kathryn Gagne - SI* by *M & K Gagne*

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

Fri / October 18 - St. Luke

9am - Mass: *Pres. Donald Trump - SI* by *M & M Winston*

Sat / October 19 - Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues & Comp

3-3:45pm - Confessions

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Timothy McHugh †* by *R & M McHugh*

World Mission Sunday Collection

Sun / October 20 - 29th Sunday in OT / World Mission Sunday

9am - Mass: *People of the Parish*

World Mission Sunday Collection

Coffee & Donuts after Mass, in the Parish Hall

10:30: CCD

12pm - Mass (L): *Lillian Leddy †* by *T Leddy*

5pm - Rosary, meet at church

Altar Flowers this week are compliments of:

- Mike and Rhonda Bystry in honor of Anniversary

Tabernacle Roses this week are compliments of:

- Mike and Kathryn Gagne in honor of Anniversary

Coffee & Donuts next week, October 20th, will be served by Joyce Speir & group # 2.

Estate Planning

Please consider making a donation to St. Michael's Church in your Estate Planning or in your Will. *God Bless You!*

October 13, 2019

102nd Anniversary of Fatima

Today marks the 102nd anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima, where Our Lady appeared to three small children in 1917. She identified herself saying, "I am the Lady of the Rosary," and asked the children to pray the rosary daily. Please join us on this special day at 5pm as we join together at church to pray the Rosary.

National Clergy Appreciation Day

October is recognized nationally as Clergy Appreciation Month, and this year, October 13th is Clergy Appreciation Sunday. We are truly blessed to have Father Amal. Let us show our appreciation for Father Amal for all that he does as our shepherd by praying the following prayer for him daily this week:

CLERGY APPRECIATION PRAYER

"O God, by Your grace You have called Fr. Amal to be a priest of the Holy Catholic Church, and You have called us to be the faithful people of St. Michael's Catholic Church. Bless Fr. Amal richly this week and always. Grant that he may always preach the Truth of Your Word and celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass reverently. By Your Spirit, continue to fashion him to be the example of Your Son, and grant that we may faithfully follow that example and show the power of your love to all among whom we live. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Next Weekend's 2nd Collection

Through our support of next weekend's second collection, we all have the opportunity to be part of the Church's missionary work. 91% of the funds received go to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith; the remaining 9% is given to Catholic Near East Welfare Association.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK...

*When you wish good for others,
good things come back to you.
This is the Law of Nature.*



Wishing you a blessed week!



**Join Us THIS Sunday for an
All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast after Mass!**

Adults/\$7; children 6-12/\$3, under age 6/free

Birthdays Next Week:

16-Lorraine Murray

19-Peter DeWitt, Gale Orosz

20-Rose Brandenburg

We wish you many blessings on your birthday!

Mission Course Available Online

October 2019 has been declared "Extraordinary Mission Month" by Pope Francis. To celebrate, an online course in the Mission Theology of the Catholic Church has been created. This seven lesson course is suitable for beginners or those with a background in faith formation. "Mission Theology" will enrich your understanding of the call to serve God and His people. As you take part in the course, you go at your own pace and there are no exams. Upon completion, you receive a Certificate of Completion. For more information visit: www.missio.org/course.

"OneCallNow" Calling System

Thank you for your patience as we get used to this new method of communicating with you, our parishioners. If anyone has any questions, wants us to use a different phone number, or wants to opt-out of calls altogether, just leave a message on the Church Office answering machine and we will be glad to honor your request.

We are still getting calls from parishioners stating, "I missed a call from the church." If you have a missed call, please check to see if there is a message on your answering machine before calling the Office. If you need the message repeated, or if someone else answered the call and tells you they aren't sure what it was about, call the toll free OneCallNow phone number (now permanently in the bulletin in the same box as the Church Office phone number) and follow the prompts. Be sure to call OneCallNow **from the phone number we have listed for you in the system so it will recognize you.** If you are still unsure of what it is saying, or there is no message on your answering machine, please call the Church Office phone, leave us a message, and we will return your call the next day.

**Next PC Meeting, November 4th,
at 6pm in the Church Hall Classroom**

The Pastoral Council Meetings are open to parishioners to attend and listen in on. If you wish to bring up a topic for discussion, let Becky in the Office, or Rollie, know two weeks in advance so you can be put on the agenda.

SHOEBOX CHRISTMAS

Shoe Boxes are now available in the vestibule with packing instructions. The date to return them to our church is **Nov. 22nd**, so time to begin packing! The cost of shipping each box is \$9.00 and should be included in your box (checks made payable to **Samaritan's Purse**). Questions, see Lori Templet, DRE.

Rosary Blanket of Prayer

*Please join the Ladies of the Magnificat in praying the Rosary the **15th** of each month for the Church, New Evangelization, the priesthood and religious vocations, Magnificat, the sanctity of life, marriage & family life, our country and world peace. Bless you! ~ The Magnificat Team*

Open Adoration Hour

Tuesday - 5-6pm

Thursday - 2:30-4pm

Adoration Substitutes Needed

Substitutes are needed as much as those who commit to the same hour each week. If you are unable to commit to a specific hour but are available to fill in now and then, please give Rose, 994-2744, or Anne, 870-847-1985, a call. THANK YOU!

Knights of Columbus Yard Sale

Thank You and Other Info

The Knights of Columbus, Council 6969, wishes to humbly thank all who donated and purchased items for/from the KC Yard Sale a couple of weeks ago. The Knights will use the proceeds of the sale for parish and community needs.

The KCs would also like to remind everyone that they will be accepting donations throughout the year for their annual sale. For pick-up/drop-off information, contact Dean Beardslee, 870-856-3229, or Mike Gagne, 870-751-3419.