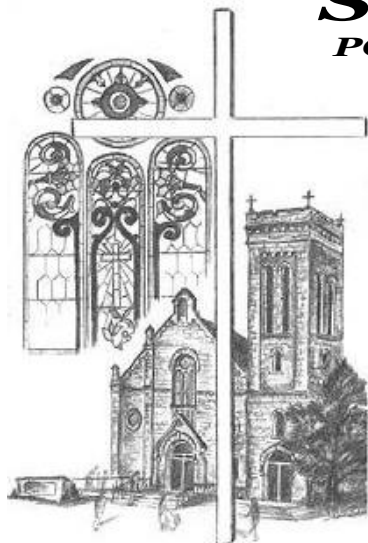


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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The St. Michael's Parish exists to continue the mission of Jesus through our baptism. He has become the center of our life and our community. As a parish family, we live to express our love of God and neighbor through worship and ministry.

AUGUST 14, 2022 – 20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Sun. 14** 9:00 a.m. Mass for + Sr. Rosalyn Juenemann
- Mon. 15** 6:30 p.m. Holy Day Mass for Ladies of St. Michael's
- Tues. 16** No Service
6:30 p.m. Maintenance Commission Meeting
- Wed. 17** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- Thurs. 18** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
6:30 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting
- Fri. 19** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
8:30 a.m. Adult Class
- Sun. 21** 9:00 a.m. Mass for +James and +Mary Lee Campbell
10:00 a.m. Coffee, Juice & Rolls & More

Live Streaming Mass: 9:00 a.m. Mass is Live Streamed on Facebook each Sunday at:
<https://www.facebook.com/stmichaelschapman/>

Prayer for the Beginning of the School Year!

God of wisdom and might, we praise you for the wonders of our being, for mind, body and spirit. Be with our children as they begin a new school year. Bless them, their parents and their teachers and staff. Give them strength and grace as their bodies grow; wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their spirits. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Seminarian Collection TODAY!

Today is the annual collection held in every parish across the diocese to support the tuition, books, board, and summer ministry expenses of the current seminarians, as well as recruitment of future seminarians. There may be nine seminarians for the 2022-2023 school year. The average annual cost to educate one seminarian is \$50,000. **FYI:** Make checks payable to St. Michael's. The loose plate today will go to this cause. For those who have collection envelopes, an envelope is provided.

Next Sunday, August 21st!

Next Sunday, August 21st, along with the last "Summer" coffee, juice and rolls, in the foyer of the parish center there will be:

- ❖ **Religious Ed registration:** the information on file needs to be verified by parents.
- ❖ **Sign-up** to help with Confirmation celebration breakfast/brunch (Sept. 18) and to help at the bazaar (Oct. 2). Everyone's help is needed!
- ❖ **Cemetery and Funeral information** will be available. Terry Root will visit with anyone interested about St. Patrick's Cemetery. Also, information about funeral planning will be available.

Faith Magazine, from the Diocese of Salina, is focused on Confirmation—a timely topic with Confirmation here September 18. You should have received it in the mail this week.

Liturgical Ministers for Holy Day Mass: A lector and servers are needed for the holy day Mass on Monday, August 15th. Please let Marita know if you can help.

Interested in Becoming a Catholic? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the program for you! Classes will begin in the Fall. This is a time of prayer, instruction, questions/answers and discernment. Visit with Marita for information.

On-Line Giving is being considered as an additional option for donating to the parish. Collection envelopes will still be available or writing a check. If you are interested in the On-Line Giving option, let Marita know by Thursday, August 18th.

Labor Day Activities

Ladies of St. Michael's will have their Labor Day Bake Sale. In addition, Shannon Erickson, daughter of Mary Jo Madsen, will be making sno cones! **ALL women** of the parish are asked to provide baked goods for the sale. **Help at the booth** is needed. A sign-up sheet is on the Memorial Bookstand.

Knights of Columbus will sell soda and water and have a raffle for a hog and patriotic flag. Tickets are available from the Knights. The drawing will be at 4:00 p.m. on Labor Day. You do not need to be present.

Quilt Raffle and **Bazaar Meal Tickets** will be available for purchase at the Ladies of St. Michael's booth. The quilt will be on display.

Liturgical Ministers – August 21st!

EMC	Janice Carroll
Lector	Jenny Whitehair
Servers	Ray Whitehair, Wesley Whitehair
Greeters	Daniel & Abby Anderes Family
Collection	Tim, Courtney & Victoria M, Bill C
Gifts	Joel & April Calovich Family
Music	Sr. Carolyn, Joleen & Marita

Gifts to the Parish Last Week

Loose plate	\$306.00
Envelopes	\$3,650.36
Children	\$16.00
Mission Co-op	\$20.00
Parish Projects	\$275.00

Stewardship Sightings!

- ✓ Dave Anderson and Terry Root for rebuilding the cabinet at the cemetery that houses the map.
- ✓ Dave Anderson for loading and hauling the branches that had piled up and for Mary helping secure the load.
- ✓ Greg McLaughlin for taking on the duties as sacristan with Ken Simenson's transfer to St. Andrew's.
- ✓ Joe & Loretta Fisher for changing the batteries in the 7 smoke alarms in the parish house.
- ✓ All who helped clear out the CYO Room for the carpet to be cleaned and the Knights for moving the furniture back into the room.

Opportunities for Adults!

In an effort to offer the adults of the parish ways to improve their knowledge of the Catholic faith, to experience different ways of praying, to open up the scriptures, etc., while increasing participation, two options are being offered by the parish and one by the diocese:

- **Adult Formation** on Sunday mornings during Religious Education (10:00-11:00 a.m.). Chris Tassin will lead this group. This is a time when parents (as well as adults without children in Religious Ed) can attend as their schedule allows. The plan is to preview a variety of program options for a few weeks and then those adults attending will choose. Each lesson of the programs being previewed, for the most part, stand alone. This way you can attend when it works with your schedule.
- **Adult Class** on Friday mornings after Communion Service (8:30-9:30 a.m.). Janice Carroll will lead this group. This is ideal for "retired" adults and those in the workforce with that day and time open.
- **Pastoral Ministry Formation** has two classes offered over Zoom. All you need is a computer with a microphone and camera! The classes are: *Theology and Methods of Ministry* on Saturdays from 8:15-noon Sept. 10, 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5 and *Loss, Grief and Belief* on Tuesdays from 6:00-9:30 p.m. Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25. There is a charge for these classes. A brochure is posted on the bulletin board with more information.