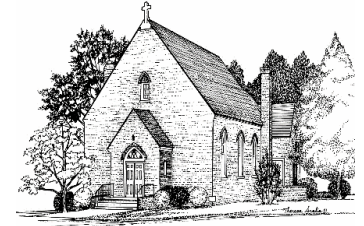




ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH MISSION OF ST. DOMINIC

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27th Sunday of Ordinary Time October 4, 2020

Dear friends:

With the help of all our parish dinner committee members, volunteers, bakers, benefactors and faithful customers, the St. Michael and St. Dominic Parish Dinner was a great success!

We owe a BIG thank you to our committee members including CC Meinhardt, Tracey Weir, Colenthia Malloy, Dottie Crecelius, Irene Goldsmith, Debbie Cooke, Yvette Parker and Linda Cogburn for the many sacrifices they made to make the Parish Dinner possible. Thank you also to our volunteers (too many to name here), to those who made baked goods and to everyone who supported us this year. May God reward you all!

Of course, what we missed the most this year was the opportunity to sit with your families and visit while you all enjoyed our new CRAB CAKES. We are calling those the St. Michael Crab Cakes. And this is why...

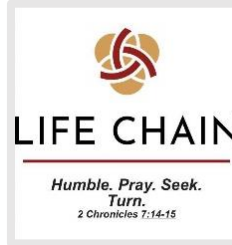
The State of Maryland expects us to thin our forest at St. Michael. And that begins by getting the tree stand marked for harvest. In order to do that, we must know precisely where the property lines are. Well, getting the property corners marked is WAY more expensive than you want to know. So, I called a forester named **Rudy Baliko** who came three times, found almost all the property markers, marked the boundary and then refused to charge me anything! "But," he said, "You have to come to our Parish Dinner in Valley Lee." Deal!

So, I made the drive down to St. George's Catholic Church in Valley Lee for their parish dinner and discovered a gem of a dinner. Rudy met me outside and ushered me to the front door before going away to attend to his volunteer chores.

They do their dinner in true family style – you sit at big round tables with whoever else walked in the door before or after you. And then they bring you plates of food like at grandma's. Piles of homecooked delights arrive one after the other on serving platters. And then there are the crab cakes.... they are SO good and they just keep coming – all you can eat.

A few months later, Rudy discovered he had cancer and died. Remembering Rudy and the crab cakes with great fondness, I decided we needed to have them. With the help of a mole, we got their recipe and CC Meinhardt experimented with it until after several taste tests, a new delicious crab cake emerged! Maybe they should be named after Rudy.

May Rudy rest in peace, Fr. Martin Flum



Life Chain- TODAY! 2 PM

We will be joining **St. Francis De Sales in Benedict for the Life Chain!** It is taking place **TODAY**, Sunday, October 4th, from 2-3:30 PM at the intersection of Route 231 and Benedict Avenue. If you have a pro-life sign, be sure to bring it!

Look for parking at St. Francis De Sales: *7185 Benedict Ave, Benedict, MD 20612*

We will form a line along Route 231, each person holding a pro-life sign. **Feel free to bring a chair, if needed!** As we publicly witness to the dignity of human life, we will also pray for mothers and fathers, for the safety of their babies in the womb, and that our country may restore legal protection to the right to life.

Let's stand up together for human life!

And the Winners Are...

Hand Painted Stained Glass Raffle:

Hal & Louise Rich

50/50 Raffle:

Amelia Gray

Fr. Flum Homemade Dinner:

WINGS Young Adults



Generously gifted by the anonymous auction winner!

Thanks to everyone who participated!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	10/03/20	5:00 PM	Rev. Thomas Morrow
Sunday	10/04/20	8:00 AM	Joseph Sobnosky IV
Sunday	10/04/20	10:00 AM	Parishioners
Sunday	10/04/20	11:30 AM	William Stewart +
Monday	10/05/20	7:00 AM	Alene Martin +
Tuesday	10/06/20	8:00 AM	Ann Proctor +
Wednesday	10/07/20	7:00 AM	Deacon Timothy Enright +
Thursday	10/08/20	8:00 AM	Ann Proctor +
Friday	10/09/20	7:00 AM	Deacon Stephen McKimmie
Saturday	10/10/20	8:00 AM	Rev. Thomas Morrow

*The Parish Office will be closed on
Monday, October 12th,
in honor of the great Catholic explorer,
Christopher Columbus.*

Annual 2019-20 Financial Report for St. Michael Parish and St. Dominic Mission

Combined Statement of Activities

Revenue	
Offertory Collection	
St. Michael	\$ 208,277
St. Dominic	\$ 48,467
Holy Day Collections	\$ 6,649
Christmas & Easter Collections	\$ 9,327
Building Fund St. Michael's	\$ 14,432
Building Fund St. Dominic's	\$ 1,215

Total Collections	\$ 288,367
Other Revenue	
Contributions and Donations	\$ 65,803
Poor Box/Votive offerings	\$ 2,238
Hall Rental Income	\$ 3,750
Fundraising Income- Parish Dinner, VBS	\$ 15,907
Sacramental offerings – Mass, Baptisms, etc.	\$ 11,789
Miscellaneous	\$ 4,300

Other Revenue Total	\$ 103,787
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Total Revenue	\$ 392,154
Expense	
Salaries	\$ 108,969
Benefits	\$ 70,653
Parish Life and Worship	\$ 12,324
Rectory and Parish Office	\$ 1,644
Religious Education	\$ 3,346
Social Concerns	\$ 750
Administration	\$ 15,868
Physical Plant	\$ 15,846
Utilities	\$ 20,033
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 12,348
Other Parish Expenses	
Fundraising Expense	\$ 5,981
Offertory Assessments	\$ 29,706
Education Assessments	\$ 24,515
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Total Expenses	\$ 321,983

Net Income before Capital Improvements	\$ 70,171
Capital Improvements	(\$ 178,623)
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Net Loss after Capital Improvements	(\$ 108,452)*

Combined Statement of Financial Position

Assets	
Cash	\$ 122,397
Land	\$ 311,153
Buildings and Improvements	\$ 2,080,315
Furnishings and equipment	\$ 255,967

Total Assets	\$2,769,832
Liabilities	
PPP Loan Payable	\$ 31,600
Accounts payable	\$ 3,729
Offertory assessment payable	\$ 3,313
Education assessment payable	\$ 2,665
Insurance Proceeds	\$ 8,650

Total Liabilities	\$ 49,957
Net Assets	
Fund balance	\$ 2,895,336
Changes to Net Assets	\$ 110,171

Total Net Assets	\$ 3,005,507

Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 3,055,464

September 2020 Parish Dinner Results

Dinner Sales	\$ 8,672
50/50 Raffle proceeds	\$ 1,535
Painted Glass Raffle	\$ 760
Meal Auction	\$ 1,500
Crab cake sales	\$ 283
Bake Sale	\$ 1,482
Donations	\$ 5,379
Total Proceeds	\$19,611
Total Expenses	\$ 4,685
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Total Funds Raised	\$14, 926

*These figures represent how the Sunday Collection and our other fundraising efforts compare with the ongoing expenses of running the Parish and Mission. We are showing a net loss for the year because we invested heavily in the physical plant (see *Capital Improvements* figure above) i.e. replacing the roof at St. Dominic, refurbishing the windows, replacing the Heating and Air Conditioning system and installing new flooring in St. Michael Hall, and repainting the exterior, replacing two heating oil tanks and renewing the entranceway of St. Michael Church. **Due to the large expenditures, we received \$40,000 in financial support from the Archdiocese.**