† Masses this week at St. Michael's -Nov.29-Dec. 6, 2026

"What I say to you I say to all: Keep awake." -Mark 13/33-37

First Sunday of Advent -Year B



Saturday, Nov. 28 5:00 pm † Mark Umali -The Family
Sunday, Nov. 29 9:00 am † Shirley Rouw Clark -Forster Family
11:00 am Missa Pro Popula

Mass Intention	Requested by
Monday, November 30 12:05 pm † Seán Mac Diarmada	-Smith Family

6:30 to 8:00 pm Advent Mission in the Church
Sacred waiting in times of change: Birthing Christ in the World Anew.
See posters for details. Mission leader Sister Mary Rowell, CSJ

Tuesday, December 1 12:05 pm Special Intention of Roland Hipol -The Family
6:30 to 8:00 pm Advent Mission in the Church

Wed., December 2 12:05 pm † Souls in Purgatory -BJ Brideau
6:30 to 8:00 pm Advent Mission in the Church

Thurs., December 3 *St. Francis Xavier* **9:00 am † Lena Inglis** -Noreen Adams
(Note Mass time…Clergy are at their annual Christmas Luncheon/Mass)

Friday, December 4 10:00 am Mass at Golden Plough Lodge
12:05 pm † John Joseph Mannix -Smith Family

Saturday, December 5 ***First Saturday Mass & Devotion***
10:00 am † Laurie Lockhart -Sandra & George



Fr. Emmanuel will be offering 'Anointing of the Sick' at this Mass. Please spread the word to those who may wish to receive this Sacrament.

Second Sunday of Advent: Saturday, December 5 5:00 pm † Jordan & Ryan Haber -Pat & Greg LeClair
Sunday, Dec. 6 9:00 am Missa Pro Popula 11:00 am † Anna Brown -Jean Walters

ADORATION Weekdays 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. We invite you to spend some time in quiet prayer with our Lord.

Please keep Fr. Michael's mother, Elizabeth, in your prayers as she passed away last week. May she RIP.

Sacrament of First Reconciliation: *Will be Saturday, December 5 at 11:00 am. Please keep these young children and their families in your prayers as they continue their journey of Faith.*

Installation of CWL Executive: The CWL executive will be installed on Sunday, December 6, at the 11:00 am Mass. All are welcome to join us in this celebration and meet the new executive members.

CWL Christmas Party – A Night of Fun and Fellowship on **Tuesday, December 8, 2026 at 5:00 pm** at Columbus Community Centre. Tickets: $50/person. Deadline for tickets is Nov. 30.

The St. Michael's Council CWL back again our **Valentine's Day** Campaign starting the weekend of November 29-30 and it will continue until the middle of January 2027. This **Valentine's Day** campaign is to help members of our community who are in need – women, men and children – with personal toiletries items. **All donations must be new and unopened in order to be accepted.** See poster on our board for details on items most requested. These items will be placed in individual bags and labelled for either women, men or children and distributed through the Salvation Army and the Northumberland Fareshare Food Bank in February around Valentine's Day. ***We invite members of the parish to join the CWL members in this campaign. There is a box at the back of the church near the CWL bulletin board to accept your donations.***

2027 Beautiful Catholic Calendars will be available after weekend Masses or from Parish Office. Each calendar includes Canadian liturgical Feast Days, sections on the Ten Commandments, Preparation for Confession and other teachings of the Church. **Cost $4.00 each**. Contact Peter Riccio 905-269-1214 for more information. *NOTE: Cash or E-transfer with proceeds going to St. Michael's Church.*

Knights of Columbus Christmas Breakfast Buffet: Come join us for all you can eat!
Sunday, December 13, 9:00 am to 11:00 am at Columbus Community Centre.. Adults $19—Children (5-12) $5. It's all included…no tips/no taxes Quiche, eggs, pancakes, French toast, baked beans, bacon, sausage, fresh fruit, muffins, yogurt, tea/coffee, juice, chocolate milk. Take-out containers available.



St. Vincent de Paul Society Christmas Appeal The St. Vincent de Paul Society is appealing for financial support to fund our activities throughout the coming year. In 2026, we have assisted over 700 people in Cobourg seeking the most basic needs of life. Please consider a donation. Envelopes are available at the back of the church or e-transfers may be submitted to ssvpcobourg@gmail.com. *(For a tax receipt, please include your name and address.)*