



# St. Michael's Fridge Notes!



January 4, 2026

**Virtual Services** ~ Virtual services will continue to be offered through our normal Zoom link and will be livestreamed to our Facebook page for those who are unable to join us in person. If you're not feeling well, please stay home and join us virtually. The bulletin and Fridge Notes will be posted on the SERVICES tab of our website. Zoom Dial In: 301-715-8592. Zoom Video Meeting: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/812488699> Password: 5587764

**Mission Statement** ~ Empowered by the Holy Spirit through our Baptism and transformed by Word and Sacrament, we follow Christ to serve the world as ministers of God's redeeming love.

**Annual Meeting** ~ The Vestry has set Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup> as the date for our 2026 Annual Meeting. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. There will be a deluxe brunch provided before the meeting. If the weather on the 25<sup>th</sup> causes us to cancel our in-person worship service, the meeting will be moved to Sunday, February 1.

**Annual Meeting Reports** ~ Please submit all information for the Annual Report via email to Katie by January 17 so she has time to print and assemble everything before the Annual Meeting.

**Winter Weather** ~ The season of questionable driving conditions is upon us! Before you drive to church in bad weather, please check your text messages, email, and the church Facebook page to make sure we haven't switched to a Zoom-only service. Calls will be made to those who don't have electronic communication.

## Important Phone Numbers

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| <b>Senior Warden</b>         | Katie Walworth ~ 517.902.2032 |
| <b>Junior Warden</b>         | Bill Tuxbury ~ 517.673.5883   |
| <b>Treasurer</b>             | Betsy Brooks ~ 517.204.0642   |
| <b>Ministry Support Team</b> | Sandy Benes ~ 517.260.2902    |
|                              | Gail Blum ~ 517.398.2630      |
|                              | Pete Blum ~ 517.425.9563      |
|                              | Cindy Corner ~ 517.403.0479   |
|                              | Archie Handy ~ 517.403.9208   |
|                              | Diana Walworth ~ 517.366.9521 |

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**YouTube Channel:** [www.youtube.com/stmichaelaaa](https://www.youtube.com/stmichaelaaa)

**Facebook:** [facebook.com/Stmichaelaaa](https://facebook.com/Stmichaelaaa)

**Weekly Trumpeter Info:** [kathleenmariew@juno.com](mailto:kathleenmariew@juno.com)

**Mailing Address:** P.O. Box 287, Onsted, MI 49265

**Street Address:** 11646 Old Monroe Pike, Brooklyn, MI 49230

*Please do not send mail or packages to our street address. The post office will not deliver them.*

**Church Phone Number: 517.467.7855 (leave a message)**

**PLEASE...** If you need anything – groceries, medications, help with a project, someone to talk to or pray with or laugh with or cry with – please contact any of the people listed above!

Be kind... Be safe... Be healthy... **You are loved!**

## Prayers of the People

**For the Church and our partners in ministry: The Church** - Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury; Sean Rowe, our Presiding Bishop; Bonnie Anne Perry, our Bishop; Moises Quezada Mota, Bishop of the Diocese of the Dominican Republic (DR); ELCA Bishops; Elizabeth Eaton, Donald P. Kreiss, Julie Schneider-Thomas; our retired bishop, Wendell N. Gibbs, Jr.; our retired community, spouses and companions; our diocesan household: committees, commissions, ministries, agencies, priests, deacons, lay leaders, volunteers and staff persons, St. Luke's, Santiago, DR; Christ Church, Adrian. **Our Partners in Ministry** - Hospice of Lenawee; St. Peter's Free Clinic; Brooklyn Food Pantry; Daily Bread Soup Kitchen; Salvation Army; Alternative for Girls; Catherine Cobb Domestic Violence Shelter; Neighbors of Hope; Associated Charities; Crossroads of MI; Diocesan Campus Ministries; Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD); Opportunity Resource Fund; EDOMI-YAYA; The Church at Crossroads; Housing Help of Lenawee; Share the Warmth; Habitat for Humanity of Lenawee County

**For those in the military:** Cody Harding, Corey Wofford, Sean Baldwin, Patty Walworth, Joe Spracklen, Corey Davies, Owen Davies, Wesley Davies, Noah Cole, Darren Mullins, Jacob Sherman, Ben Primmer, Colin Sudds, Steven Eckardt

**For those in any need:** Lily Bowen, Marilyn Faust, Madelyn Hallett, Delores Albain, Sandy Ost, Stosh Sherman, Kimberlie Sherman, Sherry Pauze, Stan Sherman, Winnie Cook, Ethan Bates, Mike Benes, Rocky Younkin, Elliot Lockhart, Randy Blackmer, Chris Willard, Todd Brewer, Brandon Linskens, Brian Lewis, Eric Petee, Vicki Sente, John Benjamin, Asta Warming, Sherry Clark, Gloria Cowen, Kathy, Doug Anderson, Patrick Richardson, Marge Reed, Larry Reed, Sherry Johncox, Beatrice Simpson, Doug Beasley, Laurie Williams, Barbara (Schimmel) Marcum, Alisha Stoltzfus, Thalia Johnson, Kam Clark, Gordon Gauss, the Palmer Family, Bob Seymour, Richard Mysyk, Tina Lyons, David Modovsky, Malachi, Ken Pickford, Gordon Bousman, Jeff Tarsha, Adam Walker, Patty Blonde, Martin Walworth, Sandy Benes, Archie Handy, Brett Hutchins, Dennis Smoke, Kiri Williams, Suzanne Richardson, Sandy Elsman, Julie Clemes, Janet (Clemes) Rearick, Wyatt Toppe

**For those who have died and those who mourn:** For the life and ministry of Diane Sebeneik and the Archie Handy family; For the life and ministry of Muriel Murchek.

**For those who teach and the opportunity to learn:** Our college students - Nadia Kelham, Madisyn Reed, and Drew Bartos

**For those with birthdays or anniversaries:** January 21 – Kaylee Barber

**Birthday/Anniversary Prayer:** Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may thy peace which passeth understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. (BCP, pg. 830, #51)