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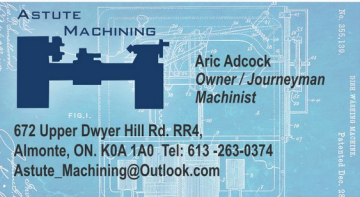
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The Parishes of St. Peter Celestine, Pakenham and St. Michael's, Corkery

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August 31, 2025

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****Summer*** Office Hours: Tues, Wed, Thurs: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

St. Peter Celestine Parish

Mass times: Wednesday 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: Upon request

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: every
Wednesday & Friday in the sacristy at 8:00
a.m.– 8:45 a.m. Adoration: every First Sunday
8:15 a.m – 8:45 a.m. Holy Hours on Friday
for the reparation of sins, for the healing of
victims & for the sanctification of clergy.

St. Peter Celestine Parish Council

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St. Michael's Parish

Mass times: Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
Thursday 9:30 a.m.
Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 3:30 p.m.- 4:15 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: every Tuesday at 6:30
p.m. – 7:15 p.m. and every Thursday at 8:30 a.m.–9:15 a.m.
Adoration: every Saturday at 9 a.m. – noon, except 1st Saturday.
Every 1st Friday: 7p.m. – 8 a.m (Sat). Holy Hours on Tuesday for
the reparation of sins, for the healing of victims & for the
sanctification of clergy.

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September - Dedicated to "Our Lady of Sorrows"

"And thy own soul a sword shall pierce, that, out of many hearts thoughts may be revealed".

As we honour the Blessed Mother's Sorrowful Heart, it is important to understand that a "sorrowful" heart is not the same as a "sad" heart. Sadness results from a form of self-pity, or an unhealthy attachment to something we may have lost. Sorrow, on the other hand, is one of the beatitudes, and therefore one of the holiest qualities we can possess.

"Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted"

Ponder, during this month, the holy and Sorrowful Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary. (Feast September 15th) Understand the depth of her love through prayer. Ask God to inspire you to imitate her more fully, embracing selfless love so as to share in the perfect love shared between this immaculate mother and her Divine Son.

Prayer: *Most Immaculate and Sorrowful Heart of Mary, I thank you for the unending depth of compassion you had for those who sinned against your Son and for loving me with that same love. As you grieve with a holy sorrow over my own sins, please pray for me, that I will more fully understand your compassion. As I do, I pray that I will be able to more fully imitate and participate in that love, flowing from your pure and perfect Sorrowful Heart. Our Lady of Sorrows, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.*

The Chaplet of our Lady of Sorrows is a devotion that honours the seven sorrows of Mary.

<https://www.catholic365.com/article/21861/the-7-sorrows-of-mary-chaplet-everything-you-need-to-know.html>

Cemetery Services

- **St Michael's** will be held September 14th after the 11 am mass.

St. Paddy's Day dance is almost here!!

Don't forget to get your tickets. We still need items for the Dessert Auction. Thank you for volunteering



Wisdom of the Saints

"The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day."

----St Gianna Molla----

MASS INTENTIONS - ST. MICHAEL'S				
Sat	Aug 30	4:30 PM	- Repose of the soul of Ryan Speck - Holy Souls in Purgatory	Steve Darou *****
Sun	Aug 31	11:00 AM	Pro Populo	
Tue	Sep 2	7:30 PM	- For the deceased members of the Yanchus and Small Families - For Joseph Rechner - Respose of the souls of Elizabeth, Patricia & Robert Hawkins - Holy souls in purgatory	Yanchus Family The Rechners Bernie & Leslie Juneau *****
Thu	Sep 4	9:30 AM	The McCauley & O'Donnell Families	C O'Donnell
Sat	Sep 6	8:00 AM 4:30 PM	- The deceased members of the Tate Family - Joanne Mullin & deceased family members - Holy Souls in Purgatory	Marty & Terry Tate Ray Mullin *****
Sun	Sep 7	11:00 AM	Repose of the souls of Rita Snedden & Eleanor Kennedy	Ellen Quinn
Tue	Sep 9	7:30 PM	Repose of the soul of Sandra Leon	*****
Thu	Sep 11	9:30 AM	The intentions of Bishop G. Bergie	*****
MASS INTENTIONS - ST. PETER CELESTINE				
Sun	Aug 31	9:00 AM	The intentions of Melissa, Ashley & Rebecca	Leona Henry
Wed	Sep 3	9:00 AM	For the repose of the soul of Grantham Visser	*****
Fri	Sep 5	9:00 AM	Birthday blessings and thanksgiving on my 95 th birthday	*****
Sun	Sep 7	9:00 AM	Pro Populo	
Wed	Sep 10	9:00 AM	The repose of the soul of Kathleen Guthrie	*****
Fri	Aug 22	9:00 AM	The repose of the soul of Karen Townley	Leona Henry

Mass Intentions: We kindly ask that you submit no more than 3 requests at a time and submit payment within the month of request.

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION (formerly Catechesis of the Good Shepherd)

The Children's Faith Formation program (CFF) is grounded in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, *'a time-tested approach to faith formation of children. It feeds the deepest needs of children, allowing each one to get to know God personally. In a retreat-like atmosphere and using special materials designed just for them, children hear the Word proclaimed and grow in their relationship with God.'* ([CGSAC](#) website)

The Children's Faith Formation level 1 program (3-5-year-olds) for the 2025-26 year will be starting up this October. The program is administered through Holy Spirit Parish. The atrium, that special place where children and catechists gather, is located at St. Joseph House on Holy Spirit Parish property. For the 2025-26 program year, parents may choose one of two sessions: Wednesday afternoons or Thursday mornings.

This year we have a need for help in the atrium. We are seeking volunteers willing to assist in a CFF session each week. Time allotment for each session is about 2.5 hours per week. This includes set-up and clean-up time. Please consider accompanying young children in their beautiful journey to the Lord. Training will be provided.

For more information about assisting in the CFF program or to register your child, email the parish CFF Coordinator, Kim Baudouin at holyspiritcff@gmail.com.



CONFIRMATION

Through Confirmation, we are strengthened with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit in order to live as disciples of Jesus Christ, to build up the Church, and defend the faith by word and deed.

If your child is baptized and will be 11 years of age before December 31st 2025, he/she may prepare to be Confirmed. The process for and the Celebration of Confirmation is a Church/School Community initiative and a family affair involving both parent and child.

Parents, if you wish that your child be Confirmed in 2026, we ask that you and your child, attend ONE of the following Information Seminar at:

St Michael's Corkery Parish

Thursday , September 25, 2025 @ 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

OR

Saturday, September 27, 2025 @ 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

At this meeting the preparation process, resources, and expectations for your family will be fully explained. This process is intended for children 11 to 15 years of age.

Questions?

Please email:

Linda O'Hare:

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