

St. Michael Parish Pilgrimage

To the Chapel of Divine Mercy

Generate of the Fathers of Mercy, Auburn, KY

July 9, 2016, 10am to 6pm



What's a Pilgrimage?

A physical journey to help us remember our spiritual journey as a pilgrim people on this earth toward heaven. *"May pilgrimage be an impetus to conversion: by crossing the threshold of the Holy Door, we will find the strength to embrace God's mercy and dedicate ourselves to being merciful with others as the Father has been with us."* ~ Papal Bull for the Year of Mercy

How will we get there?

Depending on the number of people interested we could charter a bus, borrow a mini-bus or carpool.

How do I sign up?

Put your name on the bulletin board or text Patti today!

What are we going to do?

10am—Depart from St. Michael's

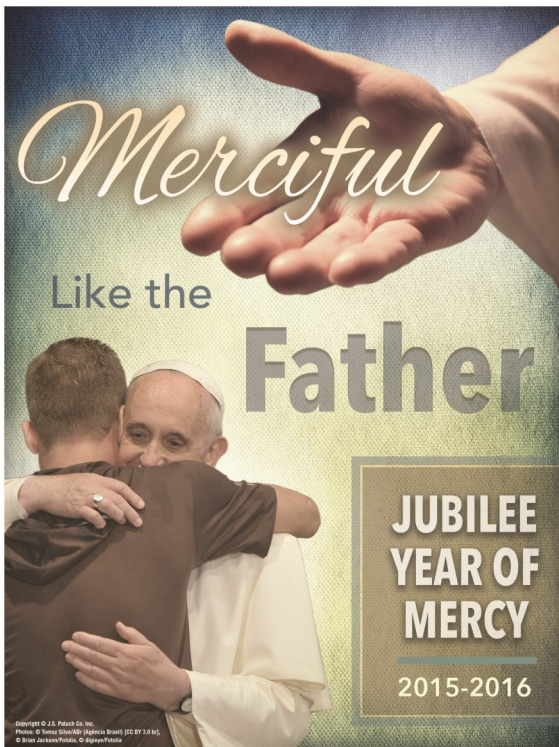
11:30am—Eat lunch in Russellville, KY

1pm—Arrive, Tour the grounds & chapel

2pm—Walk through the Door of Mercy, have confessions, personal prayer time, walk the grounds

3pm—Celebrate Mass together

4pm-6pm—Travel back to St. Michael's



How do I get an Indulgence?

A plenary indulgence may be gained once daily by each member of the faithful who, renouncing any personal attachment to sin, even venial sin, and desiring to obtain the indulgence, makes a pilgrimage to any of the 6 pilgrimage sites during the Jubilee Year and fulfills the following conditions:

- makes a sacramental confession while on pilgrimage or within a few days before or after;
- participates at Mass and receives Holy Communion, preferably on the same day of the pilgrimage;
- offers one Our Father and one Hail Mary or any other prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father;
- while on pilgrimage, devoutly assists at a liturgical celebration or other pious exercise (e.g. stations of the cross, rosary), or spends time in pious meditation ending with the Lord's Prayer, the Apostles' or the Nicene Creed, and prayers to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

"It becomes indulgence on the part of the Father who, through the Bride of Christ, his Church, reaches the pardoned sinner and frees him from every residue left by the consequences of sin, enabling him to act with charity, to grow in love rather than to fall back into sin."

~ Papal Bull for Year of Mercy