

## The Church of Saint Michael

Sunday, May 15, 2016

Pentecost Sunday



### Please remember in your prayers those who have died:

Anthony Esposito, George Wustefeld, Ronald Shult

### Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:

Rose DeSantis, Edmond DeSantis Jr., Emma Jane Fenimore, Rosemarie DiRupo, David Pope, Jennie Sommer, Brian Bergeson, Eileen Bergeson, Jaydon Franklin, Paula DiElsi, Evelyn and Vivian Dumpert, Pat Leone, Simon Harvey, Robert Newton, Robert White, Phil Grella, Vincent D'Alessandro, Diana Palumbo, Patricia Heady, Elaine Dietz, Michele Demeo, Thomas Togno, James Maurino, Roland Berard, Margherite DiBernard, Peter Stchur, David Conk lin, Daniel Barra Sr., Charles and Philp Dalbec

### Weekly Devotions

Monday:..... Charismatic Prayer Group 7:00 pm  
Wednesday:..... Rosary Group 7:30 pm  
Friday:..... Divine Mercy 3:00 pm  
Saturday: .....Rosary (after 8 am Mass) 8:30 am

### Readings for the week

#### Pentecost Sunday

##### Sunday

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5;

Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9; Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b; Ez 37:1-14;

Jl 3:1-5; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17;

Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

##### Monday

Jas 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29

##### Tuesday

Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37

##### Wednesday

Jas 4:13-17; Mk 9:38-40

##### Thursday

Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:41-50

##### Friday

Jas 5:9-12; Mk 10:1-12

##### Saturday

Jas 5:13-20; Mk 10:13-16

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday, May 14, 2016

8:00 a.m. Special Intention

5:00 p.m. Joseph Vendola, George Wustefeld

7:00 p.m. Maria Enith Gonzalez Ocampo,  
Teresa Ramirez & Matias Salazar

### Sunday, May 15, 2016 Pentecost

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

8:45 a.m. Deceased Members of  
Anna & Paul Romano Family

10:30 a.m. Nancy Patri, Charles O'Brien

12:00 p.m. Elio Puccini

5:00 p.m. Special Intention

### Monday, May 16, 2016

7:00 a.m. Michael C. Gallo, James & Lena DiRenzo

### Tuesday, May 17, 2016

8:00 a.m. Mark Corey

### Wednesday, May 18, 2016

7:00 a.m. Blessings for Christopher and his family

### Thursday, May 19, 2016

8:00 a.m. Julia E. Puco

### Friday, May 20, 2016

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

### Saturday, May 21, 2016

8:00 a.m. Anthony Esposito

5:00 p.m. Maria Tancredi, Grace Montemarano

7:00 p.m. Adavid Mryorga

### Sunday, May 22, 2016

7:00 a.m. Richie DiRenzo

8:45 a.m. Margaret Flynn

10:30 a.m. Right to Life, Gloria McGeary

12:00 p.m. Terry Petrovich

5:00 p.m. Special Intention

### TITHING – GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

ST. MICHAEL'S HAS BEEN A TITHING PARISH SINCE 1988.

**Sunday 5/8/16 \$8,054.00**

**Online April \$3,524.00 (monthly total)**

**Repair & Renovation \$2,476.50**

**Online R&R April \$ 265.00**

**Ascension Thursday \$ 851.00**

*To run our parish properly we need \$9,651.*

*Please consider helping a little bit more if you can.*

## From Fr. Adam

The month of May is devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Jesus from the Cross gave us Mary as our Mother. Mary loves us so much. She is appearing all the time somewhere in the world and she reminds us that we should turn our hearts to Her Son, Jesus.

During her apparitions, one important thing that Mary asks us to do is to pray the rosary daily for the peace of the world and for the salvation of the souls. During this beautiful month of May, I encourage you to pray more to Mary. When you wake up every day offer your day to her, pray the rosary during the day at least one decade, offer her all your worries and she will intercede to God for all the graces you may need in your life. St. Luis De Montfort said: “God the Father made an assemblage of all the waters and He named it the sea (mare). He made an assemblage of all His graces and he called it Mary (Maria). This great God has a most rich treasury in which He has laid up all that He has of beauty and splendour, or rarity and preciousness, including even His own Son: and this immense treasury is none other than Mary, whom the saints have named the Treasure of the Lord, out of whose plenitude all men are made rich.”

— Louis de Montfort, True Devotion to Mary: With Preparation for Total Consecration

Saint John Paul II consecrated His life to Mary and she took care of him all his life. Let us say with Saint John Paul II, “Totus Tuus Mary”, “We are your children, Mary”. Let us give her our lives and, as a good Mother, she will take care of all our needs and will lead us to Her Beloved Son, Jesus.

### ***Holy Father’s Intentions for May***

#### **Universal: Respect for Women**

That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

#### **Evangelization: Holy Rosary**

That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

**-Healing Mass** Tuesday, May 31st at 7pm,

Rosary/Chaplet at 6:30pm

**-Youth/Family Mass** Sunday, June 5th at 7pm.

## From Seminarian Carlos

### **At the moment of Holy Communion**

Holy Communion is the real presence of Jesus with us, it means that in each Holy Mass comes the Holy Spirit by the priest. The real Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. We as Catholics **have to respect that**. We have to understand that in there is a Real Presence of our redeemer. We as a Catholic community of St. Michael have to teach our children with our example. For instance, **we have to say aloud “Amen”** when we receive the Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

Please look at the video on our website and share it with your friends, it will be really great for all our community. This video has subtitles in many languages and you can choose the best for yourself. This video will teach you the best way to receive Holy Communion, and it will also explain to you why we say **“Amen!”**.

Here is the link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qdGkTdv4Dt4>

**Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. (John 6, 56).**

*Thank you!*

*God Bless you.*

*Seminarian Carlos David Penagos*

**ParishPay**  
*Making it Easier to Give™*

Please take a peek at our new online giving program. It is **so easy and simple!** You set up your own account and can make changes when needed. Check out the flyer in the bulletin or the information on the website under the DONATE tab!

### **Prayer Group Meeting**

The regular St. Michael prayer meeting will resume on Monday evening at 7PM the 23rd of May.



All children are invited to participate in our parish **May Crowning of the Blessed Mother**, 5/22, 8:45 am Mass. Please gather in the back of church at 8:30 am; bring a flower from your garden! Special invitation to First Communicants—please participate and wear your First Communion clothes!

**If you did not register your teen for Confirmation prep (teens who will be in gr. 9 next fall)** please contact Mrs. Rogalo at the Religious Education office. Interview dates are being set up at this time!

**Confirmation I:** Next set of service forms is due JUNE 10. Registration for Confirmation II will take place at the parent meeting scheduled for June 1 (letter will be mailed home.)

**Confirmation II:**

- **Reconciliation Service:** for all candidates and sponsors; parents are also invited, May 15, 6:30 for teens, church basement; 7:30 for everyone else, church
- Mandatory rehearsals: 5/20 for candidates, 7-8:15 pm, church and 5/23, 7-8:15 pm for candidates and Sponsors or parent stand-in.

**Registration Information for 2016-17**

Registration is currently closed. Please contact Mrs. Rogalo if you would like information about late registration. (973-347-1465)



VBS Registration IS OPEN! There will be forms available in the vestibule after Masses and on the website (under Faith Formation tab)

**CREW LEADERS** – There is a **MANDATORY** training for **ALL** crew leaders (both veteran and new). You can choose either Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup> **OR** Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> from 7pm-8pm. You **MUST** attend one of the trainings or **YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED** to help with VBS! Questions? – email Karen Cubberly at [cubberlyteach@yahoo.com](mailto:cubberlyteach@yahoo.com).

**Youth Ministry News**  
Deacon Stu 973-347-1396

**Mission Trip Flower Sale Thank You!**  
*Thank you for your support throughout the years and for your continued support.*

**Protecting God's Children Training**  
St. Michael's will be hosting a training class on **June 11th at 9:30am**. Please email or call Soraya to register. [pgc.stmichaelnetcong@gmail.com](mailto:pgc.stmichaelnetcong@gmail.com) or 973-202-1909

**Youth Ministry**  
**Mission Trip in July!**  
**Join us..... a few spots left....**  
If you would like to join us on our Mission Trip this summer, please contact Deacon Stu at 973-347-1396.

**Congratulations Betty!**  
Congratulations to Betty Pinsonault of our parish. Betty has been chosen to receive the Vivere Christus Award on May 15th at St. Philip's Church in Clifton. We want to thank Betty for all that she does for our parish.

**ADORATION NOTICE**

Many people look for love, but cannot find it.  
Many people long to be loved, and think they are not.  
Many people live waiting to hear someone say, "I love you," but never hear it.  
So many people blinded in their hearts  
and in their souls because they cannot see how my Son, Jesus,  
cried out to all people from the cross. "I love you,"  
and they cannot see He is speaking to them. *(Message given from Our Lady 1-1-98 from Through the Eyes of Jesus Trilogy)*

**OPEN HOURS**

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>3 AM</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>7 PM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>12 AM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>2 AM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>8 AM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>1 PM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>2 PM</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>11 AM</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>3 PM</b>
<b>(CO-ADORER NEEDED)</b>	
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>4 AM</b>

Thank you and God bless you. Chris Warner 973-527-3839

## **Diocesan Food Drive**

Bishop Serratelli has authorized a diocesan-wide food collection to help the poor in our diocesan counties of Morris, Passaic and Sussex. The collection will be taken here at Saint Michael's on the weekend of **May 28-29** for the Feast of Corpus Christi. We have been asked to collect **toothpaste and mouthwash**. Please place your donations in the bin in the rear of the church near Saint Anthony. Thank you for your generosity.

## **LECTOR OPPORTUNITIES**

Would you like to become more involved in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass? As a lector you can. This service to our Lord is spiritually uplifting, will deepen your faith and requires little time. Your *yes* is especially needed now, with two lectors moving in the near future and another going to college. Please call [973] 248 - 5265 (John Matits) or [973] 347 - 9030 (Valerie Nichols) for information. Thank you and God bless you.

## **Gluten Free Hosts Available**

If you would like a gluten free host, please let a priest or deacon know ahead of time. Thank you.

## **Men's Discussion Group**

You are invited to attend the Men's Discussion Group on **Saturday 21 May**, after the 8 AM Mass and the Rosary, in the Church basement [or Rectory basement if the former is not available]. May is Mary's month, and so, our topic will be Mary. **R & R** [Religion and Refreshments] will continue as in the past. All are welcome. Please contact John Matits at [973] 248 - 5265 or [jmjr99@hotmail.com](mailto:jmjr99@hotmail.com) if you have any questions. Thank you and God bless you.

## **Respect Life Committee**



If anyone would like to join us, please call Andrina at 973-609-4012. We need your help and your ideas...

The Respect Life Meeting will be held the first Saturday of the month at 11:30am in the rectory basement. Holy Hour will be the third Tuesday of the month at 7pm in church.

(Crisis Pregnancy Hotline – 800-848-5683)

***-Please join us at Planned Parenthood in Newton for one hour of prayer – First Saturday of each month at 10am. All are welcome. We need to end these atrocities against life.***

## **Spiritual Adoption**

*Please spiritually adopt a baby in danger of abortion. The sign up book gives the baby a name and we ask that you pray for them each day for the entire pregnancy. Take a prayer card because your prayers can save a life. The book is near the statue of Our Blessed Mother. God Bless you.*

***The Respect Life Committee***

## **Community Info**

### **Holy Land Trip**

Come and join Fr. Vidal R. Gonzales, Jr.

St. Jude Church, Hopatcong, NJ

973-398-6377

November 14-23, 2016

\$3,390.00

**Full time live in aide needed** – room and board, salary provided. Please call Rita 201-723-7694

**Netcong – 1 bedroom apartment**, 2nd floor

Please call 201-207-3006

### **Bayley-Ellard Reunion**

Class of 1966 is having their 50th reunion on Oct. 1, 2016 at the Westin Governor Morris in Morristown, NJ. Please call Hortense for info 973-347-6236.

