

The Church of Saint Michael
Sunday, August 6, 2017
The Transfiguration of The Lord



Please remember in your prayers those who have died.

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:
 Colleen Looby, Peter Stchur, Irma Vidal, Tim Paternostro,
 Bill Regal, Michelle Demeo, Diana Palumbo, Rose DeSantis,
 Edmond DeSantis Jr., Susan DeSantis, Domenick DeFeo, Fr.
 Leo Carey, Pat Leone, Vince Riccio, Beth Courter, Bill
 Hancock, Bruce Hill, Philip Dalbec, Diane Grzymko, Pauline
 Milone, Chet Verdi Sr., Chet Verdi Jr., Jim Rogalo, Doug Ernst,
 Deborah Kelly, Marie Simmons, Marjorie Hancock, Jordyn G.,
 Karlene Yaple, Jeanne Rattner, Carolyn Sundheim Nystrom,
 Mike Loretta, Eleanor Sylvester, Samantha Weckter,
 Sprague Shope

Weekly Memorials
Sanctuary Lamp: Mary Brodo

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

The Transfiguration of the Lord
Sunday
 Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9
Monday
 Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
Tuesday
 Nm 12:1-13; Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday
 Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday
 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Friday
 Dt 4:32-40; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday
 Dt 6:4-13; Mt 17:14-20

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, August 5, 2017

8:00 a.m. Jerry Cetrula, Joseph Fenton
 5:00 p.m. Louis Castaldi, Rocco & Concetta Madonna

Sunday, August 6, 2017

7:00 a.m. Protection of Babies in the Womb
 8:45 a.m. Ernesto Cedro
 10:30 a.m. 50th Wedding Anniversary –
 Robert & Hortense Civiletti,
 Pat Buckley, Frank Galante
 12:00 p.m. John Sherman
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, August 7, 2017

7:00 a.m. For All Parishioners of St. Michael Church

Tuesday, August 8, 2017

8:00 a.m. Maryann Weldon

Wednesday, August 9, 2017

7:00 a.m. Jack Norgard, Frances & Matthew Soccio

Thursday, August 10, 2017

8:00 a.m. Philip Dalbec

Friday, August 11, 2017

7:00 a.m. For All Souls

Saturday, August 12, 2017

8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Assumption Society
 5:00 p.m. James Taormina

Sunday, August 13, 2017

7:00 a.m. Richie DiRenzo, Jeanette DiRenzo
 8:45 a.m. Colleen Kearney
 10:30 a.m. Josephine Rampone
 12:00 p.m. Daniel Blide
 1:30 p.m. Teresa Ramirez & Matias Salazar

TITHING – GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING
ST. MICHAEL’S HAS BEEN A TITHING PARISH
SINCE 1988.

Mass attendance last weekend -

Sunday 7/30/17 \$6,001.36

Candles/CD’s \$40.00

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

Please consider helping a little bit more if you can.

Please pray for our Diaconate Candidates –
Russ Raffay and John Meyer

Next Healing Mass
Tuesday, September 26th at 7pm,
Rosary/Chaplet at 6:30pm

Eat at Adams Restaurant!

Just mention that you are with St. Michael's Church when you are at the register and we will receive 10% of every order. Thank you...

RCIA

If there is anyone who is in need of the Sacraments of Initiation –
Baptism, Communion or Confirmation.

Our program will begin in September and class will be on Tuesdays at 7pm. Please sign up in the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Registration Information for 2017-18 Gr. K-Con.II

WE ARE STILL ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS!



○ Children new to the program (Gr. K-8) a copy of baptismal certificate and for transfers, completion letter from prior parish Religious Ed program must be submitted with registration form.

ALL FAMILIES MUST FILL OUT A **NEW CENSUS FORM THIS YEAR** (as of Jan 2017). IF YOU DO NOT FILL OUT A CENSUS FORM (on line or paper copy), YOUR REGISTRATION WILL **NOT BE ACCEPTED**. Please go to and follow the link on the Home page to access the census



The same Eternal Father who takes care of you today will look out for you tomorrow and always.
Saint Francis de Sales

HELP IS NEEDED!

We need catechists (teachers) for Confirmation, Jr. High and Sunday Grade 4

Without Catechists, who will teach our children about our beautiful Catholic faith? Perhaps it is your witness that could lead a young person (or several!) to a closer relationship with Jesus---God often asks us to do His will by leaving our self-imposed comfort levels!

If you have been reading this notice weekly, perhaps the Holy Spirit is prompting you to find out more....

Please contact Debbie (973-347-1465) for details.

NOTE: we will be using a 'team teaching' approach for Confirmation prep. Junior High has a modified team teaching framework.

Confirmation II (those entering second year): Do not fall behind on monthly service. If you need to catch up, please contact us at the office for possible summer projects.

- PLEASE RETURN THE YELLOW REGISTRATION FORM THAT WAS MAILED TO YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. We will contact ONLY those who are

registered (ie. Have returned the yellow form) with information about the coming year.

- If you did not get a form please contact the RE office right away!



We would like to thank all those who donated items for our VBS. Your generosity helped make this past week a success.

A BIG **THANK YOU** to all our wonderful volunteers who gave so willingly of their time and talent to present our 16th annual VBS – **Maker Fun Factory** where children learned that they were created by God and built for a purpose! In particular we'd like to thank the following:

Our Crew Leaders: Rich Berger, Dane Pinelli, Andrew McCleary, Andrew Jones, Zach Finizio, D'Angelo Castellana, Zoe Rizzo, Nathan Pizelli, Andrew Nowel, Elise Quirk, Maggie Clawson, Rachel Buck, Kellie Godfrey, Stephanie Cubberly, Christina Magrini, Sophia Nadeau, Sophia Sanchez, Julia Esposito, Erin Yanavok, Carissa Suralik, Ciara Mulroy, Colleen Yanavok, Catherine Deluca, Rebekah Jones, Olivia Sanchez, Jacqui Schmitt and Kaleigh Winegar

Our Station Leaders: Melaina Migliorino, MaryAnn Migliorino, Brianne Giuliano, Christine Nowel, Hannah Gallichio, Katherine Rizzo, Evan Rizzo, Rachel Nadeau, Adam Hernandez, Amanda Cubberly, Molly Clawson, Autumn Dachisen, David Magrini, Loretta Nowel, Jim Nowel, Jean O'Connor

Our Set Designers: Julianne Sanchez, John Rogalo, Debbie Rogalo

Our VBS Directors: Karen Cubberly, MaryAnn Migliorino, Christine Nowel

This year our 'campers' learned the importance of being created by God and built for a purpose because...

God made you.
God is for you.
God is always with you.
God will always love you.
God made you for a reason!

WOW, GOD!

Respect Life Committee



If anyone would like to join us, please call Andrina at 973-609-4012. 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

Now at the time of the Feast of the Annunciation it is also the time for us to begin our Spiritual Adoption through December. 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.

St. Michael Pilgrimage

Father Mike will lead our parishioners on a two day Pilgrimage starting on Friday, October 20, 2017 that will include stops at The National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton and the National Shrine Grotto of our Lady of Lourdes in Maryland. We will then travel to our hotel outside of Washington, D.C. On October 21, 2017, we will join the rest of the diocese at the Basilica in Washington, D.C. for a special Mass at 2 pm. Prior to Mass, there will be time for a tour, to walk the grounds and visit the gift shop.

Transportation via deluxe motor coach and overnight accommodations at the AAA approved Springfield Suites Hotel are included in the price. Please consider joining us for this awesome travel and worship opportunity.

All travel arrangements are being made by Liberty Travel's Group Reservation Department. Go to the parish website and click on the Pilgrimage link for information and sign up page. Sign up online or call Rosemarie Douglas at Liberty Travel in Rockaway. Her phone number is 973-343-0353. All this and additional information is on our Pilgrimage web page. Please consider joining us and don't delay, as space is limited to 35 people. You can still sign up.

ADORATION NOTICE

POWER OF ADORATION

Day and night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because of his Infinite love for you!

"Behold I will be with you always even to the end of the world," because "I have loved you with an everlasting love, and constant is my affection for you." (Mt 28:20; Jer 31:3)

Our open hours are posted below. Ideally we would like to fill these hours first but all hours of the day or night are available. Please prayerfully consider signing up for an hour that is convenient for you and help us to reach our goal of at least two adorers for every hour. Hourly coordinators and substitutes are also needed.

Open Adoration Hours

Monday	2 am
Monday	10 am
Tuesday	11 pm
Thursday	5 am
Friday	1 pm
Saturday	12 pm
Saturday	9 pm

Thank you and God bless you.

Marie Francisco 732-895-7972

URGENT - Perpetual adoration here at St.

Michael's is successful because of the dedication of the many adorers committing to an hour a week.

Although we would like all of our hours covered, the middle of the night hours are sometimes challenging. Please consider praying about and signing up for one of these hours. You can be assured of many, many blessings. Thank you.

Community Information

Please Help St. Hubert's Animal Shelter

Zachary Finizio, a St. Mary's Prep 7th Grader and one of our altar servers is running a collection drive for St. Hubert's Animal Centers for his Junior Beta Club Service Project. This collection drive will run from July 5 to August 31. Donations can be dropped off in the blue bin in the back of the church. High priority items are blankets, towels and sheets. A list of other items are on the top of the bin. If you need any information please email Zachary at dfinizio@hotmail.com

Thank you in advance for your support.

Boy with terminal illness has a birthday wish

Jacob is a 14 year old boy who has a special wish.... Before his birthday in August – he would love to reach a goal of 100,000 birthday cards!

Please send to:

Jacob Priestly

P.O. Box 855

Queen Creek, AZ 85142

Lakefront house with full basement, 2 bdrms, 1 bath, kitchen with dining area and living room. Parking for 2 cars. Patio in back with lake views

Responsible for utilities and oil

Asking \$1700 monthly

call [973-347-6972](tel:973-347-6972) ask for Dolores

For Rent, 1 bedroom, 1st floor, Netcong – please call 973-347-1710.

Transportation needed

A parishioner who is legally blind need transportation to doctor appointments. Call Diane 973-527-3136.

