

The Church of Saint Michael
Sunday, November 12, 2017
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please remember in your prayers those who have died.

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:
 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, Beth Courter, Bill Hancock, Bruce Hill,
 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, Samantha Weckter,
 Patrick Devine, Veronica Marks, Isabelle Exile, Elaine Grogan
 Fiorello, James Burns, Lisa Deritter, Helen Newstead

Weekly Memorials
Altar Bread and Wine: Albert & Jennie Costanzo

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

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday
 Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13
Monday
 Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday
 Wis 2:23—3:9; Lk 17:7-10
Wednesday
 Wis 6:1-11; Lk 17:11-19
Thursday
 Wis 7:22b—8:1; Lk 17:20-25
Friday
 Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37
Saturday
 Wis 18:14-16, 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8 or, for the Memorial
 of the Dedication, Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Mt 14:22-33

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, November 11, 2017
 8:00 a.m. Edward Frenenski
 5:00 p.m. Joseph Prezuhy, Benjamin Lato,
 Richard Kuncken

Sunday, November 12, 2017
 7:00 a.m. Jeanette DiRenzo, Katherine Chorun
 8:45 a.m. Richard Palmer
 10:30 a.m. Pat Buckley, Bruce Hompesch
 12:00 p.m. Gus & Josephine Rampone
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, November 13, 2017
 7:00 a.m. Albert & Jennie Costanzo

Tuesday, November 14, 2017
 8:00 a.m. John J. Bauer

Wednesday, November 15, 2017
 7:00 a.m. Katherine Chorun

Thursday, November 16, 2017
 8:00 a.m. Peter Dates

Friday, November 17, 2017
 7:00 a.m. Kyle Mullen

Saturday, November 18, 2017
 8:00 a.m. Arlene Tully
 5:00 p.m. Eleanore Sylvester, Vincent DiBernard

Sunday, November 19, 2017
 7:00 a.m. Jeanette DiRenzo, Eleanor Sylvester
 8:45 a.m. For All Parishioners of St. Michael Church
 10:30 a.m. Rita Phillips
 12:00 p.m. Josephine Ferrer
 1:30 p.m. Teresa Ramirez & Matias Salazar

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

Sunday 11/5/17	\$7,298.00
Repair & Renov	\$2,147.92
All Saints	\$736.00
All Souls	\$545.00

*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, November 28th at 7pm,
Rosary/Chaplet at 6:30pm

From Fr. Michael

Parish Council

Are you interested in serving your parish family in the capacity of being on the Parish Council?

Purpose: To assist the pastor in his leadership role of planning, organizing, initiating, promoting, coordinating and reviewing the evangelization, worship, Faith Formation and service activities within the parish.

Objectives: To assess adequately the needs of the whole parish and its members, and to develop and implement a pastoral plan which will promote the common good of the parish. To foster unity and a sense of community in the parish and to coordinate all parish activities in a manner that will best serve the interests of the parish.

Process: From a list of nominees, six people will be voted in and two people will be appointed.

If you think you might be interested, please email your name to Fr. Mike at Fr.Mike@stmichaelnetcong.org or call the parish office at: 973 347 0032.

Thank you for your desire to serve your parish family.



Town Hall

On Thursday, November 30th at 7:00pm, Saint Michael Parish Community will be hosting its First "Parish Night" in Msgr. Trappaso Hall. On behalf of the parish, I cordially invite you to join us as a people of faith to share our concerns, goals, inspirations and plans for the future of our church. All registered

parishioners are welcome to attend this meeting; the only things that you need to bring with you are an open mind and a charitable heart.

There will be an opportunity to either ask questions in person or you may also just write them down on an index card, which will be read aloud during this meeting. I look forward to hearing from you, the faithful parishioners of Saint Michael Church, about our church and what you think we should be thinking about in the years to come. If you are not able to make this meeting and would like a question read aloud, please feel free to email me at: fr.mike@stmichaelnetcong.org with any questions or comments.

I look forward to hearing your great ideas, enthusiastic spirits and prayerful suggestions.

2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal *In Giving, We Receive*

After decades of service to our parishes, our diocesan priests have the opportunity to live at Nazareth Village in Chester. A number of our priests reside there while also serving parishes by celebrating Mass. Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps support Nazareth Village. Your pledge is a great way to recognize the generous gift of their priestly vocation. Please make a gift to the Annual Appeal today as a way of showing thanks.

Midnight Run to NY Saturday, December 2nd

Items needed – mens white and colored tshirts, mens boxers, womans underwear, socks, sweatshirts, sweatpants, jackets.

Sizes needed for both are
M, L, XL, XXL.

Winter hats, sneakers, boots, backpacks, sleeping bags and blankets.

Please bring items to the parish office
Mon – Thurs 9-3.

Thank you!

From Fr. Henry

The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

(Patron of the Americas) will be celebrated this year on **December 10th at the 1:30 pm Bilingual Mass followed by a reception at Msgr. Trapasso Hall.** This is an opportunity for the whole community of Saint Michael to participate in this beautiful feast of our Lady in our parish.



We thank you for all your support! I hope to see all of you at the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. There will be Mariachis, food and music.

Fr. Henry



**Fr. Henry and Saints
For All Saints Day**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

NEWS

Religious Education calendar reminders:

- **Choir practice: TODAY--**starting at 11:30 (after Family Faith Session) running until 12. Parents, please be on time to pick up your child!
- **Next FAMILY FAITH SESSION: Today!** The session will start with 8:45am mass. Parents—at least one parent is to attend with each family! Please consult the flyer for details.

Confirmation Prep

- **Next sessions:**
 - Con I., 12/3, 4-6pm, Msg. Trapasso hall
 - Con. II, 12/3, 8:30-10:30, RECTORY basement
- **Confirmation II:** any teen who did NOT participate in the Family Faith saint project presentation, your written Saint report us due on Nov. 30. You received an instruction sheet in your folder at the beginning of the year.

First Reconciliation Morning of Reflection:

Sat., Dec. 2, 9:30 am-11:30 am. Please arrive at church by 9:20 am. An adult should accompany each child.

YOUTH MINISTRY

† Thanksgiving potluck and flag football game November 25th †
Come celebrate familial bonds with our youth ministry!

Please contact Shane Suralik and Christina Magrini for team signups
Food sign ups can be found under the youth ministry tab on website

OR speak to Rachel Nadeau, Adam Hernandez, and Molly Clawson 2pm to 8pm

† Youth Ministry meetings every Monday †
7:15pm to 9 pm, meeting in the church

ALL registration forms are available on the parish website under Youth Ministry

For more information, please contact St. Michael's Youth Minister, Sarah Cho at youthministry@stmichaelnetcong.org

ADORATION SIGN UP WEEK

"Perpetual Adoration of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament rests upon the love and devotion of our committed adorers who come to their assigned hour in the chapel every week. The leaders of Perpetual Adoration are committed adorers too, and they take on the added responsibility of making sure there are no hours left unattended. Even in inclement weather, leaders ensure that the Blessed Sacrament is never to be left alone.

To spend an hour of adoration one can silently pray the Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Liturgy of Hours or other devotion.

One can write a letter of gratitude to Jesus and tell Him all the ways we encounter Him. One can pray for intentions or simply sit and contemplate with an open heart the mystery of God's generous love. For your spiritual growth, one may also read selected holy works of Saints and other sacred authors.

It is a privilege to be able to spend time with Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament, a privilege available to us 24 hours of the day, 7 days a week. Think about this. When you go to bed at night, one or more of our precious adorers is keeping watch with Our Lord at every hour and we are all being blessed because of their faithfulness in prayer. Let us also keep in mind that more than anything, Our Blessed Mother wants us to help bring all hearts to the Sacred Heart of Her Son, Jesus." By your committed "yes" you have kept the doors open for all hearts to enter in. For this act of selfless love, you will receive eternal thanks in heaven.

ADORATION OPEN HOURS

Friday	1 am
Friday	11 pm Prayer Partner
Saturday	12 am Prayer Partner
Saturday	4 am
Saturday	3pm
Saturday	6 pm
Saturday	7 pm
Saturday	9 pm

Thank you and God bless you.

Marie Francisco 732-895-7972

Respect Life Mass

The annual Respect Life Mass will be celebrated at our Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson on Saturday, November 18 at 10:00 AM. All are invited and urged to come to our "new" cathedral to celebrate this Mass with Bishop Serratelli. The sanctity and dignity of life in our country is under serious threats, most especially due the acceptance of abortion. Let us all come together as a diocese, fill our cathedral, and pray together in solidarity for a greater respect for life. This Mass is sponsored by the Paterson Federation of the Knights of Columbus for the entire diocese.

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

From the time of the Feast of the Annunciation 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.

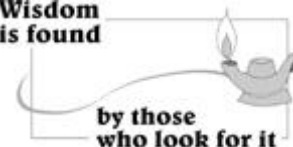
THE FOOD PANTRY NEEDS YOU!!

We are currently in need of the following items: prepared pasta sauce (canned or jars), canned vegetables, canned soup, canned fruit, peanut butter, jelly, rice/rice-a-roni. Please leave donations in the food pantry bin at the rectory garage. Thank you in advance for your continued help.

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

**Wisdom
is found**



**by those
who look for it**