

The Church of Saint Michael
 Sunday July 1, 2018
 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please remember in your prayers those who have died.
 Margaret Everett

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:
 Brian Korgeski, Zachary Glut, Tim Paternostro, Bill Regal,
 Diane Grzymko, Carolyn Sundheim Nystrom

Weekly Memorials
 Bread & Wine:
 For All Deceased Parishioners

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

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday

Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Monday

Am 2:6-10, 13-16; Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday

Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29

Wednesday

Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday

Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8

First Friday

Am 8:4-6, 9-12; Mt 9:9-13

First Saturday

Am 9:11-15; Mt 9:14-17

Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday, June 30, 2018

8:00 a.m. For All Parishioners
 5:00 p.m. Patricia Buckley, Emelio Rea Jr.

Sunday, July 1, 2018

7:00 a.m. Anthony Arbolino
 9:30 a.m. Gerald Underhill, Norma Selva
 11:30 a.m. James Murray
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, July 2, 2018

7:00 a.m. Leo Vagias

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

8:00 a.m. Marie Rea

Wednesday, July 4, 2018

9:00 a.m. For All Parishioners

Thursday, July 5, 2018

8:00 a.m. Betty DiBernard

Friday, July 6, 2018

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

Saturday, July 7, 2018

8:00 a.m. For the Unborn
 5:00 p.m. Emelio Rea Jr., Joseph Vendola

Sunday, July 8, 2018

7:00 a.m. William Ruf
 9:30 a.m. Mary Dias
 11:30 a.m. Ronald Costanzo, Norma Selva
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

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

Sunday, 6/24/18 \$6,445.24

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*

*Our Next Healing Mass is
 Tuesday, September 25th at 7pm*

As we celebrate Independence Day, we give thanks for the vision of our Founding Fathers of our country. This is also an opportunity to pray for the current leadership of our country and also future leaders. My personal prayer is that the citizens of our country truly embrace the beauty of God's blessings in our lives and seek to preserve them especially the incredible gift of freedom.

As Christians, we need to keep this day in proper perspective. St. Paul reminds us "Our citizenship is in heaven" (Philippians 3:20). Although America is our home in this world, our true and lasting home is with God in heaven. Christians throughout the world celebrate a freedom far more important than the one we gained from English rule on July 4, 1776. Our real "Independence day" came on Easter Sunday many centuries before, where by His resurrection, Jesus gained our freedom from sin and death. Our citizenship in America will one day come to an end. Our citizenship in Heaven will last forever and that celebration will go on for eternity.

A Prayer for Independence Day:

Father of all nations and ages,
we recall the day when our country claimed its place
among the family of nations.

For what has been achieved we give thanks;
for the work that still remains we ask your help.
Grant that under your providence our country may
share your blessings

with all the peoples of the earth.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Happy Independence Day!!



CATECHISTS NEEDED: if you are interested in becoming a catechist (or you would like more information about what is involved) for gr. 1-6, Gr. 7 or Confirmation, please contact Debbie Rogalo at 973-347-0032, ext. 2330. We have several openings and we welcome all who may be interested in joining the Catechetical ministry at St. Michael. Spring/summer is the perfect time for training!

Faith formation/Religious Education 2018-19

For forms, questions, an explanation of the program, etc., please call the Faith Formation Office at 973-347-0032 ext. 2320

Confirmation Prep:

Con. I service forms: Forms for the 3rd quarter April, May, June due June 30
Signed Mass sheets for June can be put in mailbox outside of front door of convent after Mass this weekend please!



**St. Michael Parish
Vacation Bible School 2018
(For children who are entering gr. K-5)**

July 30-Aug. 3

Join us for

SHIPWRECKED

~ Rescued by Jesus! ~

- † Registration forms available on the website (Under Faith Formation tab), by calling the St. Michael Faith Formation Office, or you can pick up the form in church vestibule.
- † **Please return the forms soon as spots are limited.**
- † **NO CHILD WILL BE TURNED AWAY FROM VBS FOR AN INABILITY TO PAY THE FEE/DONATION.** If you know of a potential camper in financial need, please contact us!
- † **Questions?** Contact our VBS leader Linda Vasquez at vbs@stmichaelnetcong.org



VBS GIVING ISLAND

IF YOU TOOK A GIVING ISLAND BOTTLE, PLEASE RETURN THE ITEM BY NEXT WEEK! We would like to have all donations by that time so we can plan for our VBS week! Thank you so much for your generosity!!!
PS. If you took a tag and can't find the item anywhere, please contact Debbie at the Faith Formation office (973-347-0032)

YOUTH MINISTRY

† Water Tubing †

Youth Ministry is going water tubing down the Delaware on **July 28th**
Est. \$30.00 per person

(more specific with group head count)

All incoming freshmen-seniors are welcome!

We need numbers for travel purposes so please contact Sarah through email or phone if interested

Permission slips available online
9:00am-2:00pm

ADORATION

"Our Lord hears our prayers anywhere, but He has revealed to His servants that those who visit Him in the Eucharist will obtain a more abundant measure of grace." *St. Alphonsus Ligouri*

OPEN HOURS

Tuesday 11 p.m., Thursday 3 p.m. (partner)

Friday 1 a.m., 1 p.m., 5 a.m.

Saturday 9 p.m., 10 p.m., Sunday 12 a.m.

Please prayerfully consider filling an open hour.

If you cannot make your hour – please find coverage or call your division leader. Thank you!

Marie Francisco 732-895-7972

Andrea Trapper 973-347-7031

Take me out to the Ballgame!

The Knights of Columbus recently purchased a supply of vouchers for tickets to the *Somerset Patriots* baseball games in Bridgewater. These vouchers can be purchased for a mere \$6.50 each and can be used for any of their home games. Why not take the family out for some fun at the ballpark or get a group of friends and neighbors to enjoy a game together! Many of the games have added attractions such as post-game fireworks as well as other special features. You can check the team's website www.somersetpatriots.com for the game and special event schedules. To purchase the vouchers or if you have any questions please call Bob DiBernard at 908-887-0510.

St. Michael Outreach Pantry

We are in need of the following items:
Canned and instand potatoes and
canned soup. Thank you for your
continued generosity.



THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

This reading relates how death of the spirit entered the world by the envy of the devil, but those not in his possession will not experience it.

Second Reading: II Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Paul exhorts the Corinthians to contribute to the poor of the Jerusalem church in accordance with their means. He explains that if people help each other, they will one day be helped when they are needy.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

“Do not be afraid, only have faith.” Jesus’ power over sickness and death requires absolute trust and absence of fear.

DÉCIMOTERCER DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Domingo

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Primer Viernes

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From Fr. Henry

DÉCIMOTERCER DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Primera Lectura: Sabiduría 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Esta lectura relata como la muerte del espíritu entró en el mundo por la envidia del diablo. Pero aquellos que no están en su posesión no la experimentarán.

Segunda Lectura: 2 Corintios 8:7, 9, 13-15

Pablo exhorta a los corintios a contribuir para los pobres de la iglesia de Jerusalén de acuerdo a sus posibilidades. Explica que los que ayudan a otros, serán ayudados cuando lo necesiten.

Evangelio: San Marcos 5:21-43

“No tengas miedo, cree solamente”. El poder de Jesús sobre la enfermedad y la muerte requiere confianza absoluta y ausencia de miedo.



Cualquier persona interesada en registrarse para Educación religiosa / Formación de fe Grados. K - 8 para el próximo año - ver el boletín o sitio web para más detalles.

Las inscripciones para VBS ya están abiertas. Por favor, hagan correr la voz acerca de nuestro campamento que tendrá lugar del 30 de julio al 3 de agosto, para niños que ingresan a los grados K - 5.