

**The Church of Saint Michael**  
**Sunday, November 11, 2018**  
**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:  
 Brian Korgeski, Zachary Glut, Tim Paternostro, Bill Regal,  
 Diane Grzymko, Carolyn Sundheim Nystrom, Karlene Yaple,  
 Dr. Love, Christine Parker, Mechele Dachisen,  
 Marjorie Francomacaro

Weekly Memorials  
 Sacramental 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  
 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44  
 Monday  
 Ti 1:1-9; Lk 17:1-6  
 Tuesday  
 Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Lk 17:7-10  
 Wednesday  
 Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19  
 Thursday  
 Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25  
 Friday  
 2 Jn 4-9; Lk 17:26-37  
 Saturday  
 3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8

**Mass Intentions For The Week**

**Saturday, November 10, 2018**  
 8:00 a.m. Michael Costanzo  
 5:00 p.m. Ronald Costanzo, Toni DiRupo

**Sunday, November 11, 2018**  
 7:00 a.m. Special Intention  
 9:30 a.m. Patricia Buckley, Charlie Catalano  
 11:30 a.m. Robert Poth, Richard Kuncken  
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

**Monday, November 12, 2018**  
 7:00 a.m. Ralph Bozza

**Tuesday, November 13, 2018**  
 8:00 a.m. Albert & Jennie Costanzo

**Wednesday, November 14, 2018**  
 7:00 a.m. John J. Bauer

**Thursday, November 15, 2018**  
 8:00 a.m. Ralph Bozza

**Friday, November 16, 2018**  
 7:00 a.m. Peter Dates

**Saturday, November 17, 2018**  
 8:00 a.m. Ralph Bozza  
 5:00 p.m. Toni DiRupo,  
 In Thanksgiving to Our Lord and  
 Blessed Mother

**Sunday, November 18, 2018**  
 7:00 a.m. Alice & Louis Esposito  
 9:30 a.m. Alois Keller  
 11:30 a.m. Andrew R. Dedinsky  
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

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

Sunday, 11/4/18	\$6,917.00
Repair & Renov	\$2,250.00
All Saints	\$1,350.00
All Souls	\$569.00

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*

*Our Next Healing Mass is  
 Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 7pm*

### HELP THE FOOD PANTRY!

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items: canned vegetables, canned pasta, canned soup, and toilet tissue. Please leave your donations in the bin outside the rectory garage. Thank you, as always, for your generosity!

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**Calendars** for all programs/grade can be found on the Faith Formation/Religious Education page of the website!

### Gr. K-6

- Family Faith weekend of Nov. 17-18. Today is the LAST day to sign your family up for one of the three sessions! You MUST return your RSVP slip, email or call the Faith Formation office to reserve your spot! The Family Faith session *takes the place* of class time on Nov. 18. (so no class in the school Nov. 18) Mass attendance is still required (any mass that weekend).
- All Family Faith sessions will take place in the church hall

### Confirmation Prep

- **SUPERGROUP MEETING:** For Con. I and II candidates; Sun. 11/11, 4-6:45 pm in the church hall; dinner is included ☺
- **SIGNED** Mass sheets due in Faith Formation office 10/29. Please use the mailbox outside of the office front door facing Church St.
- **Con. II:** SPONSOR PAPERWORK is due NO LATER than Oct. 30. If this will be a problem, please contact Mrs. Rogalo, 973-347-0032, ext. 5
- **Confirmation II saint reports:** as per the handout given to you in your folder, you MUST do either a written saint report or a live presentation for a Faith Formation class by Nov. 30. Please contact Mrs. Rogalo if you would like to do the presentation for a K-6 group. Email us at: [faith.formation@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:faith.formation@stmichaelnetcong.org)

### First Reconciliation/First Communion Morning of Reflection:

- For children in Mrs. DeLuca's gr. 2 class and Mrs. Pintos' special sacraments class
- Sat., Dec. 1, 9:30 am-11:30 am. Please arrive at church by 9:20 am. An adult should accompany each child

## Votive Candle Stand Memorial

### For Our Lady of Guadalupe

Would you like to help us purchase a votive candle stand in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe?

The price of a new electronic one is approximately \$4,000.

For \$100 or more you can have a loved one memorialized.

All donations are welcome and will be memorialized as one community.

Please call the Parish Office.

## Youth Ministry

† Friendsgiving Potluck †

Saturday, November 24<sup>th</sup>

2:00pm-4:30pm

Sign up with youth ministry to bring a dish/platter and play a holy but competitive game of football

† Youth Ministry Meetings †

Every Sunday unless posted

12:30-1:30pm in the school

All permission slips/registration forms can be found online

Calendar for other events and service opportunities can be found on the parish website at [stmichaelnetcong.org/youth-ministry](http://stmichaelnetcong.org/youth-ministry)

## **St. Michael's Church Parishioners!**

We cordially invite adults (18 or older) to consider joining St. Michael's Indoor **Soccer and/or Volleyball** Programs. Games would take place once a week across the street in the Parish gymnasium at 7:00 p.m. Game duration 1 – 1 1/2 hrs.



\* Start date: **Pending**

**\*Please fill out and submit your completed form by November 11<sup>th</sup>!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Volleyball \_\_\_\_\_ Soccer \_\_\_\_\_ or both \_\_\_\_\_

Days Avail. Mon \_\_\_\_\_ Tues \_\_\_\_\_ Wed \_\_\_\_\_

Thurs \_\_\_\_\_ Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_

**FREE**  
  
**ZUMBA®**  
 Saturdays from  
**10 to 11am in the Parish Gym**  
**Donations to church welcome**

### ADORATION

*Take refuge often at the feet of Jesus...My dear ones, the Visit to the Blessed Sacrament is an extremely necessary way to conquer the devil. Therefore, go often to visit Jesus and the devil will not come out victorious against you."*

*(St. John Bosco)*

OPEN HOURS Monday 5am,  
 Tuesday 6am partner, 11pm,  
 Friday 1am, 1 pm,  
 Saturday 4am, 11 am partner,  
 9pm, 10pm,  
 Sunday 12am

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

Please remember to turn in your raffle tickets to the office by the Monday before Thanksgiving. Thank you.

### ***2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal Here I Am, Lord!***

With the help of funding from the Bishop's Annual Appeal, Nazareth Village, our diocesan priests retirement residence, has been a home over the years for a number of our priests. These priests reside there while also serving parishes by celebrating Mass. The Appeal also helps in providing financial support for the extraordinary healthcare needs of our priests. Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal is a concrete way to acknowledge our priests decades of faithful service to our Church. Please make a gift to the Annual Appeal today as a way of showing thanks. For your convenience, you can make an online gift or pledge at [www.2018appeal.org](http://www.2018appeal.org).

### THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**First Reading: 1 Kings 17:10-16**

Elijah asked a widow for a cup of water and a piece of bread. She told him she was almost out of flour, and that she and her son would soon starve. Elijah told her not to be afraid, as God had told him the jar of flour would not go empty. So she did as he had asked and prepared bread from the last of her flour. As God had said, her jar did not go empty, and she and her son had plenty to eat.

**Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28**

The high priests entered the sanctuary each year and offered a sacrifice, but not a sacrifice of their own blood. Just as people die once and are judged, Christ was offered up once for the sins of many.

**Gospel: Mark 12:38-44**

Jesus expressed disgust over the hypocrisy of some of the scribes for wanting special treatment from the people. He watched the wealthy put large contributions into the collection box, but explained that what they gave was surplus wealth, and not a real sacrifice. He told them the biggest donation was a small amount from a widow, because she had given up the only money that she had to live on.

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“Jesus sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling His disciples to Himself, He said to them, ‘Amen I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributions to the treasury. For they have contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood.’”

The scriptures feature widows and their gifts. A few drops of oil and a little flour, or two cents. What could these simple elements teach us? Don't be too quick to judge. Consider the state of life, without husbands, with their own felt needs. Yet these simple gifts represented them, their life, perhaps their family too. But the Lord recognized their willingness to give of themselves.

How often when we are asked to support our church do we calculate, complain, and even feel insulted that we are asked to give? Whose church is it? It is mine and the Lord's. What do I have that was not a gift for me? Nothing. Many times when a parent is carrying his shoeless baby when leaving church I ask another person if they have a dollar. Readily they reach to answer my request. We then joke that the people did have shoes. They respond as we should, like today's widows.

From Fr. Henry

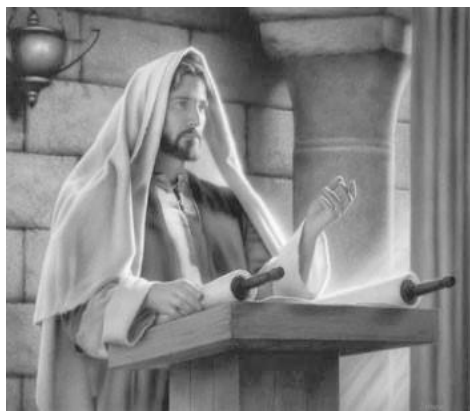
**APRENDE SOBRE TU FE!**

### LA HOMILIA:

Después de haber escuchado todas las lecturas de la Misa viene la Homilía, la cual puede ser dada únicamente por el Obispo, Sacerdote o el Diacono. Esto es debido a que estos ministros ordenados son los maestros de la iglesia.

La homilía es el momento de la enseñanza durante la Misa. De hecho, es el momento más importante de enseñanza en la iglesia. El Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica en el párrafo 135 dice que “la homilía litúrgica debe ocupar un lugar importante en medio de todas las formas de instrucción Cristiana”. La Homilía significa enseñar sobre las Escrituras, y como podríamos aplicarlas en nuestras vidas. El catecismo Explica en el numeral 1349 que la homilía es una “exhortación a aceptar la PALABRA como verdaderamente es, la Palabra de Dios y ponerla en práctica.”

Muchos Papas han escrito y hablado sobre la homilía, especialmente Papa Francisco. El frecuentemente exhorta a los



sacerdotes a asegurarse de que sus homilías no sean “aburridoras” y que pongan más esfuerzo y oración en la preparación de sus homilías. Pero aun así, aunque no le guste el predicador o la prédica, debemos estar siempre atentos y pedirle

al Espíritu Santo que nos ilumine cada vez más a través de las homilías.

*Instrucción general del misal romano© Conferencia Episcopal de Colombia, 2007 y un mimito de explicación de la Misa por Gus Lloyd Catholic Apologetics.*

Bendiciones!  
Padre Henry



¡Clases de Zumba Gratis en el Gym de la parroquia!!!!  
Sábados de 10:00 AM a 11:00 PM  
Donations to church welcome

### Estimados Parroquianos

Invitamos cordialmente a los adultos (mayores de 18 años) a considerar la idea de unirse a nuestro programa St. Michael's Indoor **Soccer and/or Volleyball**. Los juegos se llevaran a cabo una vez a la semana en el Gimnasio frente a la iglesia a las 7:00 pm. Duración del Juego 1-1 1/2 hrs.

\*Fecha de Inicio; **PENDIENTE**

**\*Por favor llenar el formulario de inscripción y hacerlo llegar al Padre Henry en las Oficinas de la parroquia.**

Nombre \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Volleyball \_\_\_ Micro Futbol \_\_\_ Ambos

**Dias Disponibles:**

Lun \_\_\_ Mar \_\_\_ Mier Juev \_\_\_ Vier \_\_\_ Sab \_\_\_

### DONACIONES!!!

En honor a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, continuamos recibiendo sus donaciones para la compra del **Lampadario electrónico** que se pondrá al frente de la imagen de la Virgen de Guadalupe en la entrada principal de Templo.

Toda donación es recibida y será contada como “Donación Comunidad Hispana” escrita en la placa de agradecimientos, pero para aquellos cuya donación alcance los \$100.00 o más, su nombre o el de su familia (como usted desee) será escrito individualmente en la misma placa.

Esperamos de su colaboración y agradezco a todos los que ya han venido haciendo su aporte!

Dios los bendiga.



### EVENTOS PROXIMOS!!!!

- **Formación y Capacitación para Ministros de la Hospitalidad.**

“Si por naturaleza eres una persona servicial, tienes una profunda fe en Cristo, amas la Misa y tu deseo es ayudar a los fieles a alabar a Dios en el culto cuando llegan a la iglesia. Te invito a que hagas parte de nuestro ministerio de Hospitalidad o Bienvenida.

**Inicia:** Domingo 11 de Noviembre por 4 domingos consecutivos.

**Lugar de reuniones:** Trappaso Hall (bajando las escaleras de la Iglesia)

**Hora:** 3:00 pm

¡Recuerda que cuando saludas a las personas que llegan a la iglesia, también evangelizas!