

**The Church of Saint Michael**  
**Sunday, November 18, 2018**  
**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**



Please remember in your prayers those who have died:  
 Mary A. Togno, Serafina Palmieri, Frederick Merz,  
 Eileen Reges

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, Barbara Poyer, Fred Krause

**Weekly Memorials**  
 Sacramental Bread and 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**

**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday**

Dn 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

**Monday**

Rv 1:1-4, 2:1-5; Lk 18:35-43

**Tuesday**

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Lk 19:1-10

**Wednesday**

Rv 4:1-11; Lk 19:11-28

**Thursday**

Lk 19:11-28; Rv 5:1-10; Lk 19:41-44

**Friday**

Rv 10:8-11; Lk 19:45-48

**Saturday**

Rv 11:4-12; Lk 20:27-40

**Mass Intentions For The Week**

**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

**Monday, November 19, 2018**

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

**Tuesday, November 20, 2018**

8:00 a.m. Ralph Bozza

**Wednesday, November 21, 2018**

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

**Thursday, November 22, 2018 Thanksgiving**

9:00 a.m. Richie DiRenzo  
 10:30 a.m. Mass in Spanish

**Friday, November 23, 2018**

9:00 a.m. Ralph Bozza, Veronica Marks

**Saturday, November 24, 2018**

8:00 a.m. Eugene & Regina Trapp  
 5:00 p.m. Ronald Costanzo, Eleanor Sylvester

**Sunday, November 25, 2018**

7:00 a.m. Thomasina Grogan & Andrew Weaver  
 9:30 a.m. Ralph Bozza  
 11:30 a.m. Michael Costanzo  
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

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

**Sunday, 11/11/18** \$6,528.00

**Misc.** \$270.00

**WeShare Online** \$1,766.00

*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*

Mother Teresa told this story in an address to the National Prayer Breakfast in 1994. "One evening several of our Sisters went out, and we picked up four people from the street. One of them was in a most terrible condition. So I told the other Sisters, "You take care of the other three: I will take care of this one who looks the worst." So I did for the woman everything that my love could do. I cleaned her and put her in bed, and there was such a beautiful smile on her face. She took hold of my hands and said two words in her language, Bengali: "Thank you." Then she died. I could not help but examine my conscience. I asked myself, "What would I say if I were in her place?" My answer was simple. I would have tried to draw a little attention to myself. I would have said, "I am hungry, I am dying, I am in pain." But the woman gave me much more; she gave me grateful love, dying with a grateful smile on her face. It means that even those with nothing can give us the gift of thanks."

As I look back to the years that I have been here in Morris County, there are so many things that I am grateful for, as Mother Theresa referenced. You know that old adage you never know how much you like something until you try it? Well, after leaving the hustle and bustle of a Catholic High School, I never thought I would say I am enjoying myself, however, after living in Netcong for two years, it is the first time that I can remember that I am sleeping soundly and look forward to each morning.

However, the greatest things that I have to be grateful for are in the pews each and every week. I am so grateful for all of you who come to Saint Michael Church, whether it has been for centuries or just a few months. Your great faith and positive spirit is truly contagious. I am truly thankful for having the opportunity to help you grow in your faith in the Lord Jesus by celebrating the Sacraments with you each week. I am also grateful for Fr. Henry and our three deacons, the great staff and auxiliary staff members, with the many ministry heads and volunteers; from Faith Formation to Altar Servers, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Music Ministry, Food Panty, our "Church Cleaners", Knights of Columbus, those who beautify and create a warm atmosphere in Church, and all those who welcome and make community possible.

I know that adjusting to new things is not easy for anyone, but for all of you who have made these past two years the joy-filled months they have been, I am sincerely grateful. Know that each and every one of you with your family and friends will be remembered at the Altar of the Lord on Thanksgiving and during my grace before meals. Thank you one and all for the gift of who you are and how selflessly you share that gift with me.

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

### **Gr. K-6**

- Family Faith sessions take the place of class time today! Please come ONLY to your assigned session! All sessions will take place in the church hall
- No sessions Sunday, Nov. 25

**Jr. High:** Gr. 7 meets 11/19; Gr. 8 meets 11/26; 6:30-8:30 pm, church and church hall

### **Confirmation Prep**

- **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)
- SIGNED Mass sheets due in Faith Formation office 11/25. Please use the mailbox outside of the office front door facing Church St.
- **Next sessions:** Con. I – 12/9 and Con. II – 12/2, regular time and place

### **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

**Catechist In-service session:** Sun, 11/25, 10:30 am, rectory basement

## Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast

Would you like to donate towards  
The Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe?  
Please bring any donations to the parish office.  
Thank you for your generosity.

## HELP THE FOOD PANTRY!

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items for our Christmas Food Drive: toilet tissue, toiletries (soap, shampoo and deodorant), boxed stuffing, cranberry sauce, gravy, canned fruit and cereal. Please leave your donations in the bin outside the rectory garage. Thank you, as always, for your generosity!!

## 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

† Nursing Home †

Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

Permission slips due by November 29<sup>th</sup>! Available online  
Come to celebrate holiday festivities with the residents of  
Mt. Arlington Senior Living by making  
Christmas ornaments~

† **MARCH FOR LIFE** †

Thursday January 17<sup>th</sup>-Friday January 18<sup>th</sup>

Stand for those who cannot stand for themselves

\*\*Counts as an excused absence from school if you have  
discussed with your teachers prior to the trip about  
rescheduling necessary quarterlies, midterms, or  
homework\*\*

\$100 deposit due by December 20<sup>th</sup> with permission slip

Only 9 spots available

First come first serve

† 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 Giving Tree

Will be here on Nov. 24/25!



The Giving Tree will be located in the  
back of the church and the ornament  
tags will be available. We are asking  
that you return the wrapped gift with  
the ornament tag by December 15/16<sup>th</sup>  
God Bless your generosity.

## ADORATION

*Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it is recorded in  
Heaven and retold for all eternity!*

*(St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta)*

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.



**St. Joseph's Bread**

**Will be given out to each family at our  
Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9am.**

## **Gold and Silver Wedding Anniversary Celebration**

**November 4, 2018**

**Diocese of Paterson**

**Congratulations to the couples in our parish....**

*Leonard & Rosanne Palamaro 50 yrs*

*Eric Rilinger & Georgette Schroeder 25 yrs*

*Michael & Christine DeLuca 25 yrs*

*Russell & Marie Raffay 25 yrs*

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

The ability to reach out to people in need through our  
Bishop's Annual Appeal is completely dependent on the  
number of faithful parishioners who participate by making a  
gift. That is why every gift counts! Your support helps  
bring hope to thousands of people who come to our Catholic  
Charities agencies each year. It also supports seminarian  
education, our diocesan priests' residence, extraordinary  
healthcare needs of our priests and our urban elementary  
schools. In addition, parishes receive half of all funds  
received over their parish goals – with a total of over  
\$700,000 being returned to parishes last year alone! Please  
help your neighbors in need and our parish by making a gift  
today! For your convenience, you can make an online gift or  
pledge at [www.2018appeal.org](http://www.2018appeal.org).

## 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 ½ 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 \_\_\_\_\_



From Fr. Henry



## APRENDE SOBRE TU FE!

### PROFESION DE FE- EL CREDO

“Pongamos de pie y ahora profesemos nuestra - Creo en un solo Dios; Padre Todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo

invisible. Creo...” ¿Te suenan familiar estas palabras? Si eres católico, probablemente podrás terminar de recitarlo incluso de memoria. ¿Crees poder hacerlo? Te reto a intentarlo.

Pero... ¿qué significan esas palabras que decimos todos los Domingos en la Misa? Esto es llamado el **Credo Niceno-constantinopolitano** y es una sinopsis de todas las cosas que nosotros como cristianos creemos.

El Credo Niceno original, fue emitido en el año 325 A.C. este fue escrito para aclarar el número de herejías que estaban surgiendo para ese tiempo, especialmente el **Arrianismo**, (Herejía cristiana que tuvo su origen en las ideas de Arrio en el siglo III y que se caracterizaba por negar la naturaleza **Divina**

de Jesús; Pero este no es mismo credo que nosotros hoy en día recitamos en la Misa los Domingos.

El credo que nosotros recitamos actualmente viene del Concilio de Constantinopla en el 381. Los padres del concilio adhirieron al credo Constantinopolitano original un poco más acerca de la persona de Cristo, el Espíritu Santo, la iglesia, el bautismo, la resurrección y la vida eterna.

Por lo tanto, si algún día te has preguntado en que crees como Católico, usted mismo podría darse una respuesta completa en tan solo sesenta segundos. ¿Cómo? Recitando el **Credo Niceno-constantinopolitano**.

**Nota:** La Imagen es alegórica del Primer Concilio de Nicea (325). Sin embargo, se muestra el texto del credo niceno-constantinopolitano del Primer Concilio de Constantinopla (381) con el inicial πιστεύομεν (creemos) sustituido por πιστεύω (creo), como en la liturgia

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

Feliz Domingo.  
Padre Henry

## ¡UNA PEQUEÑA INVITACIÓN A CELEBRAR!!!

Las **pequeñas comunidades de LEVANTE**, los invita a celebrar junto con ellos la alegría de haber culminado de la primera etapa del programa llamado **Levante. Unámonos en Cristo**, el cual han venido desarrollando durante las pasadas seis semanas en nuestra parroquia.

Una oportunidad para reflexionar, celebrar y evaluar esta primera etapa de renovación y evangelización.

Día: **25 de noviembre** Hora **3:00-5:00pm**

Lugar: **Msr. Trappaso Hall** (salón bajando las escaleras de la iglesia)

¡Tendremos comida, presentaciones y un reporte de la primera etapa del proceso!!!!

¡LOS ESPERAMOS!!!!

## 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!*