

The Church of Saint Michael
Sunday, January 20, 2019
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please remember in your prayers those who have died.

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:
 Tim Paternostro, Abigail Paternostro, Bill Regal, Diane Grzymko, Carolyn Sundheim Nystrom, Nancy Janoski, Doug Ernst

Weekly Memorials
Altar Bread & Wine: Salvatore Sclafani

Weekly Devotions

Wednesday: Rosary Group 7:30 pm
 Friday: Divine Mercy 3:00 pm

Readings for the week

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday
 Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11
Monday
 Heb 5:1-10; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday
 Heb 6:10-20; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday
 Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday
 Heb 7:25—8:6; Mk 3:7-12
Friday
 Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18
Saturday
 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Mk 3:20-21

Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday, January 19, 2019

8:00 a.m. Patricia Wise
 5:00 p.m. Eleanor Sylvester,
 Joseph Anthony Cinotti

Sunday, January 20, 2019

7:00 a.m. Michael Bortak & Anthony Arbolino
 Richie DiRenzo
 9:30 a.m. Jim McIntyre, Isura DaCosta
 11:30 a.m. Ronald Costanzo, Intention for the Unborn
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, January 21, 2019

7:00 a.m. Carmen Luizza

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

8:00 a.m. Richard Boralsky

Wednesday, January 23, 2019

7:00 a.m. For All Parishioners

Thursday, January 24, 2019

8:00 a.m. For All Deceased Parishioners

Friday, January 25, 2019

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

Saturday, January 26, 2019

8:00 a.m. For The Unborn
 5:00 p.m. Santina & Vincenzo Fratangelo,
 Louis Castaldi

Sunday, January 27, 2019

7:00 a.m. Robert J. Poth, Vince Riccio
 9:30 a.m. John Grogan, Michael Stabile
 11:30 a.m. Michael Stossi
 1:30 p.m. Matthew & Frances Soccio

TITHING – GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING
 ST. MICHAEL’S HAS BEEN A TITHING PARISH
 SINCE 1988.
 Sunday, 1/13/19 \$6,576.00

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

*Our Next Healing Mass is
 Tuesday, January 29th at 7pm*

From Fr. Mike

Sunday, March 3rd, at 3:30 pm will mark our first Parish Appreciation Dinner. The parish invites you to come enjoy great food, good music and fellowship all for FREE in Msgr. Trappasso Hall. This will be a great opportunity for myself, Fr. Henry, deacons, and the pastoral staff to give back to the parish for all that you do each and every year.

I recently read that there are seven times you should say "Thank You!"

When you are receiving a compliment; rather than making excuses, just accept the compliment with gratitude When you are running late; say "Thank you for your patience"

When you are comforting someone; say "Thank you for sharing that with me."

When you are receiving helpful feedback; say "Thank you for expecting more of me; thank you for sharing your thoughts."

When you are receiving unfair criticism; Rather than say "Well, clearly I wrote this for beginners. Not everything I write was written with you in mind; just say "Thank you for sharing your opinion.

When someone gives you unsolicited advice; Rather than saying "Oh really. Do you have a video of yourself doing it so I can see it done correctly?" try "Thank you for your help!"

When you are not sure if you should thank someone; Should I send a thank you? Should I tip him, just do it and say "Thank you."

This will be an opportunity to say "Thank you" for all that you have done, still do and will, of course continue to do in the future. When I came here over two years ago, I never thought I could ever call Netcong my home. However, after these past 25 months, I can finally call 4 Church St. my home, my office and "our church!" For all of these, I want to say "Thank you!"

Please come and join us for this epic event to celebrate our parish family before Lent. I, as well as the rest of the Pastoral Staff, will personally make a dish and I look forward to being on the line to personally serve you the food that I made.

*Please call or email Annemarie in the parish office to RSVP - limit 130 people
office.admin@stmichaelnetcong.org
973-347-0032 x2310*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

As per the calendar: no sessions today for Gr. K-6 and Special Sacraments

Jr. High:

- Gr. 8 parent meeting 1/21, 7:30 pm, youth ministry meeting room

Confirmation Prep

- Con. II: **1/20** regular time and place
- Religious Education Calendars** for all programs are available on the website. Go to Faith Formation tab then choose Religious Education.



Catechist in-services

- 1/20 after 9:30 am Mass in rectory basement
- 1/24 at 7 pm in the Youth Ministry meeting room (rectory office basement); Guest speaker Deacon Stu
- Catechist Appreciation lunch: please RSVP by 1/21!

St. Michael Outreach Pantry **HELP THE FOOD PANTRY!**

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items: cans and jars of pasta sauce and canned fruit. Please leave your donations in the bin outside the rectory garage.

Thank you, as always, for your generosity!

Midnight Run to NYC

Our next Midnight Run to feed and cloth the homeless will be on February 16th. We are in need of new, gently used and clean jackets, pants, sweatshirts, t-shirts, hats, gloves, underwear and socks. (all in large and above for men – medium and large for woman) Toiletries; travel toothpaste, toothbrushes and travel soap, granola bars and juice boxes. We are also in need of sleeping bags, blankets and backpacks.

If you are interested in driving, please contact the parish office. (we limit to 5 cars and appx. 17 people)

Please call 973-347-0032 to make arrangements to drop off donations.

ADORATION

"Jesus said "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you."

(John 14:27) The outward peace we can experience in Adoration (the quiet and the stillness) reaches much deeper. It leads to an inner peace that affects all areas of our lives. It doesn't mean everything in our life will be perfect and without suffering, but Christ's peace means that we know that the storms of life can't shake us."

OPEN HOURS

Tuesday 11pm, Wednesday 12am, Friday 1am, Saturday 4am, 10am partner, 3pm, 6pm, 9pm, 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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS **FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP**

All Boys and Girls, ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship on Sunday, January 27, 2019 from Noon – 2 p.m. at the St. Michael's Gym. Please bring proof of your age. Questions, please call (973)760-5569.

Make a Difference in Our Parish and Community –

Join the Knights of Columbus here at St. Michael's Church. Please see Deacon Stu Murphy or call Greg Keller (973) 760-5569. You may also join on-line at

www.kofc.org/joinus



Creating a spiritual blessing: Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Please join your fellow parishioners for breakfast on Sunday, February 3rd after the morning Masses AND help us make baby blankets to donate to our community. The blankets will be donated to babies who are baptized at Saint Michael, babies who are sick at local area hospitals and other local charities such as Birth Haven.

The blankets are made of fleece fabric and do NOT involve any sewing. A full blanket can be made in less than an hour. Even if you only have a few minutes, you can help make one! All materials will be provided and there is no cost. Volunteers are needed to cut material and tie the knots - that's it!

Please join us in helping our youngest community members and their families. Contact Mrs. Fett at 862-266-3545 with questions or to sign up to help.

FREE

ZUMBA®
Saturdays from
10 to 11am
At the Parish Gym

APRENDE SOBRE TU FE!

El Ofertorio:

La segunda parte de la misa, la liturgia de la Eucaristía, comienza con el ofertorio. Este es el tiempo cuando ejercitamos nuestro “musclo de la generosidad.” Hay diferentes formas ahora de participar en el ofertorio. Algunas personas ponen efectivo en las canastas de la colecta, otros hacen un cheque a nombre de la parroquia, aquellos que están registrados como miembros de la parroquia utilizan los sobres de la colecta que se le envían a sus casas, mientras que otros lo hacen por medio del pago electrónico con WeShare el cual es una aplicación fácil de usar para hacer sus donaciones en línea a través de la pagina web. Muchas parroquias utilizan este método ahora para una mayor conveniencia.

Cual quiera se la forma que quieras usar, debemos siempre escuchar las palabras de Apóstol San Pablo haciendo eco en nuestros oídos que “Dios ama un dador alegre” (2 Cor 9:6-15) Damos generosamente en gratitud a Dios, quien es tan amoroso y generoso con nosotros. Nuestra ofrenda en la misa ayudara con las necesidades de la parroquia y el soporte de aquellos en necesidad.

Después que es terminada la colecta ofrecemos nuestras ofrendas del pan y el vino al altar. Esto trae a la mente aquella antigua escena del libro del Génesis en el capítulo 14, donde el Sacerdote-

Rey Melquisedec hacia ofrendas de pan y vino. El catecismo de la iglesia Católica en el párrafo 1350 dice: “La presentación de las ofrendas en el altar toma gesto de Mequisedec y confía los dones del Creador en las Manos de Cristo que en su sacrificio lleva a la Perfección todos los intentos humanos de ofrecer sacrificios.



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

Un bendecido Domingo para todos!
Padre Henry

Segundo Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario
20 de enero de 2019

“Se celebraron unas bodas en Caná de Galilea, y la madre de Jesús estaba allí. Jesús también fue invitado con sus discípulos... la madre de Jesús le dijo: ‘No tienen vino’. Su madre dijo a los sirvientes: ‘Hagan todo lo que él les diga’... y sus discípulos creyeron en él.”

Es fácil recordar el primer milagro tal como nos lo cuenta San Juan. Como en cada boda, hubo una invitación y se hicieron presentes. Para evitar una crisis, María intervino. Causó que un momento difícil se convirtiera en un milagro, indicando a los sirvientes qué hacer. Usando lo que había disponible, agua y tinajas, permitieron que Jesús transformara la situación. El resultado fue el descubrimiento de una nueva fe de aquellos que acompañaron a Jesús a las bodas.

Nosotros también estamos invitados a estar con Jesús en el banquete eucarístico. Jesús nos dirige “Hagan esto en memoria mía” y nuestra propia fe se fortalece y renueva por Su presencia. María conoce las crisis de nuestra vida, de nuestra familia, injusticia, enfermedad. Sin embargo, las palabras de María en las escrituras son las últimas que leemos. Ella también nos dice ‘hagan todo lo que él les diga’. Su presencia e intervención o intercesión por causa nuestra sigue teniendo relevancia; ‘ruega por nosotros ahora y en la hora de nuestra muerte. Amén.’



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