

The Church of Saint Michael
Sunday, February 24, 2019
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please remember in your prayers those who have died:
Helen T. Grogan, Louis Lesaski

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

Weekly Memorials

Altar Bread & Wine: For All Deceased Parishioners

Weekly Devotions

Wednesday: Rosary Group 7:30 pm

Friday: Divine Mercy 3:00 pm

All are Welcome... All are Invited...

Come... PRAY the ROSARY

Monday though Saturday

7:30AM

Readings for the week

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday

1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

Monday

Sir 1:1-10; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday

Sir 2:1-11; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday

Sir 4:11-19; Mk 9:38-40

Thursday

Sir 5:1-8; Mk 9:41-50

First Friday

Sir 6:5-17; Mk 10:1-12

First Saturday

Sir 17:1-15; Mk 10:13-16

Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday, February 23, 2019

8:00 a.m. Maria Kim

5:00 p.m. Antoinette Lamberto

Sunday, February 24, 2019

7:00 a.m. For the Unborn, Louis & Alice Esposito

9:30 a.m. Michael Stabile, Jimmy & Donald LaBell

11:30 a.m. Ronald Costanzo, Eleanor Falconer

1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, February 25, 2019

7:00 a.m. Marie Kim

Tuesday, February 26, 2019

8:00 a.m. For All Parishioners

7:00 p.m. Healing Intentions

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

7:00 a.m. Andrew R. Dedinsky

Thursday, February 28, 2019

8:00 a.m. Carol Fenton

Friday, March 1, 2019

7:00 a.m. Antoinette Lamberto

Saturday, March 2, 2019

8:00 a.m. For the Unborn

5:00 p.m. Deceased Members of the Fusco Family,
Joseph Anthony Cinotti

Sunday, March 3, 2019

7:00 a.m. Isaura DeCosta, Anthony DiBiase

9:30 a.m. Eleanor Falconer, JoAo Fernandes

11:30 a.m. Ronald Costanzo, 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, 2/17/19 \$5,852.00

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

*Our Next Healing Mass is
Tuesday, February 26th at 7pm*

From Fr. Mike

According to the Code of Canon Law: “A pastor is obliged to make provision that the Word of God is proclaimed in its entirety to those living in the parish; for this reason, he is to take care that the lay members of the Christian faithful are instructed in the truths of the faith, especially by giving a homily on Sundays and holy days of obligation and by offering catechetical instruction. He is to foster works through which the spirit of the Gospel is promoted, even in what pertains to social justice. He is to have particular care for the Catholic education of children and youth. He is to make every effort, even with the collaboration of the Christian faithful, so that the message of the Gospel comes also to those who have ceased the practice of their religion or do not profess the true faith. The pastor is to see that the Most Holy Eucharist is the center of the parish assembly of the faithful. He is to work so that the Christian faithful are nourished through the devout celebration of the Sacraments and, in a special way, that they frequently approach the sacraments of the Most Holy Eucharist and penance. He is also to endeavor that they are led to practice prayer even as families and take part consciously and actively in the sacred liturgy which, under the authority of the diocesan bishop, the pastor must direct in his own parish and is bound to watch over so that no abuses creep in. In order to fulfill his office diligently, a pastor is to strive to know the faithful entrusted to his care. Therefore, he is to visit families, sharing especially in the cares, anxieties and griefs of the faithful, strengthening them in the Lord and prudently correcting them if they are failing in certain areas. With generous love he is to help the sick, particularly those close to death, by refreshing them solicitously with the sacraments and commending their souls to God; with particular diligence he is to seek out the poor, the afflicted, the lonely, those exiled from their country and similarly those weighed down by special difficulties. He is to work so that spouses and parents are supported in fulfilling their proper duties and is to foster growth of Christian life in the family. A pastor is to recognize and promote the proper part which the lay members of the Christian faithful have in the mission of the Church, by fostering their associations for the purposes of religion. He is to cooperate with his own bishop and the presbyterium of the diocese, also working so that the faithful have concern for parochial communion, consider themselves members of the diocese and of the Universal Church and participate in and sustain efforts to promote this same communion (Canons 528ff).

The code goes on to enumerate how the pastor is to administer the Sacraments and how he is “in all juridic affairs” the one who “represents the parish according to the norm of law.” He also is to take care of the financial

and spiritual “goods” of the church. In all of this canonical information, the only real difference between an Administrator and a Pastor is that the Pastor enjoys the protection of the law in his new “office” (the particular term that canon law uses for his official position). This means that having been appointed for a particular period of time (usually 6 years) he may not be moved by the bishop without the pastor’s consent.

Please remember to continue to pray for me as my “job” does not change, nor does the challenges or duties, but, now that this is a more permanent “office” in the Church, I will be able to continue in my vision for Saint Michael for at least six more years as I am committed to working together to make a difference. I want to thank everyone for their warm and sincere wishes, and those who came to gather to celebrate this grace in the life of our parish community in Msgr. Trappasso Hall. God bless Saint Michael Church.

Parish Appreciation Dinner Sunday, March 3rd at 3:30pm In Msgr. Trappasso Hall

*Please call or email Annemarie in the
parish office to RSVP – By Monday, Feb. 25th
office.admin@stmichaelnetcong.org
973-347-0032 x2310*

Thank you!

Midnight Run to NYC

Thank you for all the donations for the Midnight Run on Feb. 17th. Our parish is very kind and generous. Also, thank you to all who helped sort, organize and drive. God Bless You.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sweet Success Fundraiser

Please take one M&M tube,
Enjoy candy and fill with **quarters**
Return to church vestibule by March 10th.

Youth Night Laser Tag

Saturday, March 2, 5-11pm

Email Nicole to sign up

Youth Ministry Meetings

Mondays at 7:00pm

in Youth Ministry mtg. room

All permission slips/registration forms
can be found online. Calendar for other events can be found
on the parish website at stmichaelnetcong.org/youth-ministry
If you have questions, please email Nicole at
youth.ministry@stmichaelnetcong.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education Calendar Reminders

As per the schedule, classes resume this week for:

- Gr. 1-6
- Gr. 8 on 2/25
- Gr. 7 on 3/4

Religious Education Calendars for all programs are available on the website. Go to Faith Formation tab then choose Religious Education.

Confirmation Prep

- Con. I : next session 3/3, regular time and place
- Con. II: next session **2/25**, regular time and place.
- All candidates should be working on accomplishing 4 hours of service for the months of Jan. 1-March 31.

First Communion Parent Meetings:

We ask that at least one parent to attend BOTH sessions

Session I: February 24 (Sun.) at 6:30 pm

Session II: March 17 (Sun.) DURING CLASS TIME, ROOM #12

Important details about First Communion, Jesus Day and other important material that you need to prepare your child will be discussed at these sessions. Please plan to attend! Questions? Contact Mrs. Rogalo (973-347-0032, ext. 2330)

ARISE Groups Starting week of March 4th

The *ARISE Together in Christ* process applies the standard of Christ to all areas of life. It emphasizes people living in good relationships with one another, as they make concrete applications of the Gospel to their life situations. If interested, please email Betty at evangelization@stmichaelnetcong.org

HELP THE FOOD PANTRY

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items: **canned and boxed potatoes, cereal, soup and rice.** Please leave your donations in the bin outside the rectory garage. Thank you, as always, for your generosity!

Wouldn't you like to serve at the altar?

All boys or girls entering the fourth grade or higher who would like to serve at the altar are invited to come forward and do so.

If you are interested in this special ministry of service please call Deacon Joe within the next week so he can arrange to train you. His telephone number is 973-229-6959. Or email at:

Deacon.Joe@stmichaelnetcong.org

Special Lenten Prayer Opportunity Save the Date

On Saturday, April 6, 2019, we will be running a bus trip to the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown, PA. Learn about this very special devotion to Our Lady and it's long history. There will be opportunity for prayer and reflection. Many healings and miracles have been attributed to Mary's intercession through prayers to Our Lady of Czestochowa. We are working on the details and more information will be announced soon. Please consider joining us.

ADORATION

OPEN HOURS

Tuesday 11pm, Wednesday 12am, 3pm, 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



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FREE
ZUMBA®
Saturdays from
10 to 11am
Also Wednesdays at 7pm
In the Parish Gym

¡Clases de Zumba Gratis en el Gym de la parroquia!!!!
Sábados de 10:00 AM a 11:00 AM
Y Miercoles a las 7:00 PM

From Fr. Henry

APRENDE SOBRE TU FE!

La Narración de la institución y la Consagración:

La Como católicos creemos que Jesús instituyó la Sagrada Eucaristía en la Última Cena. Los tres evangelios sinópticos –

Mateo (Mt. 26.26-29), **Marcos** (Mr. 14.22-25) y **Lucas** (Lc. 22.14-20) nos cuentan la historia. San Pablo de igual manera nos hace un recuento de este suceso en 1 Corintios 11:23-26 “El Señor Jesús, la noche que



fue entregado, tomó pan; y habiendo dado gracias, lo partió, y dijo: Tomad, comed; esto es mi cuerpo que por vosotros será entregado; haced esto en memoria de mí. Así mismo tomó también la copa, después de haber cenado, diciendo: Esta copa es el nuevo pacto en mi sangre; haced esto todas las veces que la beban, en memoria mía. Esta narración de la institución es parte de cada plegaria eucarística de la misa. Este es el momento de la **Transubstanciación** en que el simple pan y vino son transformados, lo cual significa que estas dos especies dejan de ser más pan y vino, convirtiéndose en el Cuerpo, la Sangre, Alma y Divinidad de Jesucristo. En Éxodo 12, Dios le pidió a los hijos de Israel celebrar la pascua como una “perpetua institución” Para mantener esta institución viva y presente para todas las

generaciones, ellos contaban a historia una y otra vez. Lo mismo ocurre con los católicos y la nueva pascua, el Misterio Pascual de Cristo. Y así como los judíos creen que están participando de la pascua hasta hoy, nosotros los católicos creemos que estamos siendo parte del sacrificio e Cristo hecho una vez por todos. Por lo tanto en cada misa, continuamos contando la historia... y lo continuaremos haciendo siempre!

*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



La II sesión de “LEVANTATE unámonos en Cristo” tendrá lugar esta Cuaresma. Te animamos a inscribirte para esta temporada y ser parte de las pequeñas comunidades de intercambio de fe que se están formando aquí en nuestra Parroquia. Incluso si no pudiste participar de la primera temporada de LEVANTATE el pasado octubre, no importa. Ven y únete a nosotros durante esta temporada de Cuaresma mientras juntos “Cambiamos nuestros corazones”

**Para registrarte puedes encontrar las hojas de inscripción en la parte de atrás del templo o llamar a la oficina al
973-347-0032 Ext 2350 con el padre Henry**

CENA EN APRECIACIÓN A NUESTROS PARROQUIANOS!

Día 03 de Marzo a las 3:30 PM. en el Msgr. Trappaso Hall. Los miembros del personal parroquial incluyendo Padre Mike y Padre Henry estarán cocinando para ustedes.
Por favor hacer su reservación al 973-347-0032
Ext:2350 (Padre Henry) o 2310 (AnneMarie, Secretaria)



V ENCUENTRO
DISCÍPULOS MISIONEROS: TESTIGOS DEL AMOR DE DIOS

PRESENTACION

Informe sobre el estado del ministerio Hispano y reporte del V Encuentro pospuesto para el día 25 de Febrero, 7:30 pm.

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<https://insidethewalls.org/vestatus>