

The Church of St. Michael  
 September 29, 2019  
 Twenty-sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time



Please remember in your prayers those who have died:  
 Joseph Larceri, Michael Fenimore

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:  
 Tim Paternostro, Abigail Paternostro, Bill Regal, Diane  
 Grzymko, Doug Ernst, Zach Glut, Catherine Lackey,  
 Maggie Michaud, Diana Palumbo, Keith Pasquariello,  
 Nancy Regal, Carmella Susco

Weekly Memorial

Altar Bread & Wine: Andrew Weaver

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

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Sunday  
 Am 6:1a, 4-7; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31  
 Monday  
 Zec 8:1-8; Lk 9:46-50  
 Tuesday  
 Zec 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56  
 Wednesday  
 Neh 2:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10  
 Thursday  
 Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Lk 10:1-12  
 First Friday  
 Bar 1:15-22; Lk 10:13-16  
 First Saturday  
 Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 28, 2019

8:00 a.m. Estelle Triano  
 5:00 p.m. Rea Family, Bob & Theresa Russo  
 Italy Pilgrimage Travelers

Sunday, September 29, 2019

7:00 a.m. Thomasina Grogan,  
 Louis & Alice Esposito  
 9:30 a.m. Intention of Aziz Family,  
 Italy Pilgrimage Travelers  
 11:30 a.m. Nicholas Zanneti, Manda Dugonjic  
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

Monday, September 30, 2019

7:00 a.m. Richie DiRenzo & Jean DiBiase  
 Bernadine Turner

Tuesday, October 1, 2019

8:00 a.m. Dates & White Families

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

7:00 a.m. Gloria Bauer

Thursday, October 3, 2019

8:00 a.m. Barbara Boyle

Friday, October 4, 2019

7:00 a.m. Rev. Robert M. Diachek

Saturday, October 5, 2019

8:00 a.m. Josephine Anderson  
 5:00 p.m. Rocco & Concetta Madonna,  
 Anthony & Josephine Preziosi

Sunday, October 6, 2019

7:00 a.m. Deceased Members of  
 Netcong Fire Dept. and surrounding area  
 9:30 a.m. Gayle Jackson  
 11:30 a.m. Ronald Costanzo  
 1:30 p.m. Special Intention

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

Sunday, 9/22/19	\$6,698.00
WeShare 9/22/19	\$1,096.00
Beacon	\$ 709.00

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

Next Healing Mass is Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

## From Fr. Mike

### Thank you to Seminarian Carlos!

He has been reassigned to another parish. We want to wish him many blessings and thank him for all he has done for our parish. Please join us after all the Sunday Masses in Msgr. Trapasso Hall to wish him well and celebrate our Parish Feast Day. Join us for some Coffee And...

### Parish Feast Day

Our Parish Feast Day is upon us. Let us call upon our Patron Saint for the protection and flourishing of our Parish. What does this protection look like? I have mentioned in the past that Fort Knox is an impenetrable fortress with the highest security measures housing billions of dollars' worth of gold reserves. But the technical term for the building is the U.S. Bullion Depository and Fort Knox is the greater Army base that it is located next to. So even if a person were to pass the motion sensors, the seven-foot-thick walls, the biometric sensors, and the armed security, they could call upon 10,000 soldiers, 500 tanks and 100 attack helicopters at a moment notice. It is the same with us. At a moment notice we can call upon St. Michael and his legions of angels to come "defend us in battle."

I believe that asking for his intercession on our Parish Feast Day will not only help our Parish but will help us individually to fall deeper in love with Mary and Jesus. It will benefit us as a Parish to become more unified and help us to become the disciples that we are called to be. I also ask you to pray for the whole parish, including the parishioners who are not as actively involved in their faith or the life of the parish, as well as for those who have yet to join our family of faith. Happy Parish Feast Day!



## ARISE Groups

Small groups are forming in our parish and will begin the week of October 21<sup>st</sup>.

If new to the program call or email  
[evangelization@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:evangelization@stmichaelnetcong.org)  
973-347-0032 x2310 English or x2350 Spanish.

## 2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal Diocese of Paterson



While there are many ways to donate to the Annual Appeal, there is one option unique to people who are 70 ½ or over and have an IRA. If you are in this category, the IRS requires you to take a required minimum distribution from your IRA each year. As a result, this distribution is added to your taxable income and increases the amount of taxes owed to the government. However, instead of taking your required minimum distribution, you can instruct your IRA investment manager to donate this distribution to a charity such as the Bishop's Annual Appeal and this automatically omits this amount from your adjusted gross income. This tax benefit can be realized by all qualifying individuals, whether you take the standard deduction or itemize your deductions. This can be a significant benefit to you and a great way to support the work of the Bishop's Annual Appeal. For more information, call the Bishop's Annual Appeal office at 973-777-8818, ext. 218. If you are considering making a charitable donation using your IRA required minimum distribution, please be sure to first discuss this with your financial or tax advisor to make sure it is right for you.

## Faith Formation News

### TO ALL FAITH FORMATION FAMILIES:

We are going to be using email to send letters, calendars and other important information. Please make sure you add these two email addresses to your address book:

[Faith.formation@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:Faith.formation@stmichaelnetcong.org)

[Faithformation.office@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:Faithformation.office@stmichaelnetcong.org)

Calendars for all programs can be found on the website: go to Faith Formation, then Religious Education ; see sidebar for links

### Confirmation II:

- Completed Service forms for the months of July, Aug, Sept. (4 hrs total PLUS make up work if required) due Sept. 30.

### Faith Formation / Religious Education Sessions begin:

† Confirmation I (freshmen): Sunday 9/29, 9:30 am-11:25 am, Youth room (former convent basement)

**Registration for classes:** if you have not registered your child, please call the office and we will give you instructions about late registration: 973-347-0032, ext. 2320.

There is a parent meeting for any family with children in grades K-8 that are new to the Faith Formation Program this year. Please come to the church hall at 7 pm on Wed., Oct. 2. Parents have received a letter with details.

## Youth Ministry

### Yankee Candle Fundraiser

September 14-30 Go to <https://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com/store.htm> choose what candles or other merchandise you would like, and **MAKE SURE TO USE THE CODE #999993370** at check out. The items you order will be shipped directly to your house! This fundraiser will be put towards our NCYC trip! Thank you.

**September 30, 2019, Monday** - Flag Football  
Meet at Turkey Brook Park in Mt. Olive at 7:00pm for a friendly game of flag football (no touch/tackle). We need to have a headcount for this, so that there are enough players! Weather Permitting. Bring permission slip.  
**Clear container totes needed for the Midnight Run** - to store/hold clothes - please contact Nicole for sizes. Thank you to those of you who have donated.

### 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](http://stmichaelnetcong.org/youth-ministry).  
If you have questions, please email Nicole at [youth.ministry@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:youth.ministry@stmichaelnetcong.org)



SAVE THE DATE  
**Fellowship Luncheon**  
**For Adorers and Parishioners**  
Sunday, November 10, 2019  
3-6pm in Msgr. Trapasso Hall  
\$5 free will offering at door  
More info to come.....

### HELP THE FOOD PANTRY

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


### ADORATION

**OPEN HOUR: Saturday 6pm.**  
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



### **Pet Blessing**

Saturday, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> at 10am  
Upper Parking Lot  
Friendly pets are welcome  
All dogs must be on a leash

**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



### VIGESIMOSEXTO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Domingo

Am 6:1a, 4-7; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

Lunes

Zec 8:1-8; Lk 9:46-50

Martes

Zec 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56

Miércoles

Neh 2:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10

Jueves

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Lk 10:1-12

Primer Viernes

Bar 1:15-22; Lk 10:13-16

Primer Sábado

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24

### Vigésimo Sexto Domingo en Tiempo Ordinario 29 de septiembre de 2019

**“Tú, hombre de Dios, practica la justicia, la piedad, la fe, el amor, la constancia, la bondad. Pelea el buen combate de la fe, conquista la Vida eterna, a la que has sido llamado y en vista de la cual hiciste una magnífica profesión de fe, en presencia de numerosos testigos. Yo te ordeno que observes lo que está prescrito, manteniéndote sin mancha e irreprochable.”**

Cada domingo, al ponernos de pie y profesar nuestra fe en el credo, renovamos nuestro compromiso, junto con todos los que veneran con nosotros. De esta forma no sólo recitamos lo que creemos, sino que nos asimos de nuevo al don de la vida eterna.

En muchas de sus cartas, San Pablo ofrece una letanía de virtudes a buscar, frutos que manifestar, y los elementos presentes en nuestra vida familiar cristiana. Ya sea el himno de caridad en la carta enviada a los corintios, los frutos del espíritu a los gálatas, o los bloques de construcción a los colosenses, se nos dan las piedras de fundación para una vida cristiana sólida. La lista que se le ofrece a Timoteo hoy es para ser agregada a tantas otras.

## CLASES DE INGLES GRATIS

Estaremos ofreciendo ESL Classes para nuestros PARROQUIANOS que quieran mejorar sus habilidades en el Inglés tales como la escucha, escritura, lectura y conversación.) Las clases serán una vez por semana (Martes) de 6:00pm a 7:00pm por un periodo de 8 semanas consecutivas. Se requiere el cumplimiento de todas las clases para obtener la certificación.

Clases inician el 8 de Octubre!!

Las clases serán limitadas para las 10 PRIMERAS

PERSONAS que se registren con Padre Henry via correo electrónico [fr.henry@stmichaelnetcong.org](mailto:fr.henry@stmichaelnetcong.org)

Fecha límite para registraciones: 23 de Septiembre.

No pierdas esta gran oportunidad!!



### VIGESIMOSEXTO DOMINGO EN TIEMPO ORDINARIO

#### Primera Lectura: Amós 6:1a, 4-7

Amós denuncia la actitud egoísta de aquellos que se rodean de lujos sin consideración por otros. Advierte que ya que ellos no tuvieron interés en la sociedad en la que vivían, serán los primeros en ser exilados.

#### Segunda Lectura: 1 Timoteo 6:11-16

Pablo le dice a Timoteo que busque integridad, fé y amor. Pablo lo insta a alcanzar vida eterna manteniendo la fé en Jesús y en Dios hasta que Jesús regrese.

#### Evangelio: San Lucas 16:19-31

Jesús cuenta de un hombre rico que se daba un festín a diario, mientras un pordiosero llamado Lázaro se moría de hambre afuera. Cuando ambos murieron, Lázaro fue llevado a Abraham, y el hombre rico sufrió tormentos. Cuando pidió misericordia, Abraham le recordó que Lázaro había vivido en tormento, mientras el rico vivió en lujo egoísta. El hombre pidió que enviara a Lázaro a sus hermanos para advertirles. Pero Abraham dijo que si no habían escuchado a Moisés o a los profetas, ellos ignorarían la advertencia de uno que se había levantado de entre los muertos.