

The Church of Saint Michael
March 22, 2020
Fourth Sunday of Lent



Please remember in your prayers those who have died.

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our parish:
David Gowdy, Tim Paternostro, Marlene Kenia, Marthalie Paternostro, Diane Grzymko, Drew Taormina, Jeanne Rattner

Weekly Memorial
Bread & Wine: Margaret Flynn

All are Welcome... All are Invited...
Come... PRAY the ROSARY
Monday through Saturday
7:30AM

Readings for the week

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sunday

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 or
9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday

Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday

Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Thursday

Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47

Friday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday

Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

Next Healing Mass is Tuesday, March 31st at 7pm

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

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 21, 2020

For all who are sick
Rea Family, Louis Castaldi,
Eleanor Sylvester

Sunday, March 22, 2020

Mary Peer, Therese Tardive
Ronald E. Costanzo, Bernard Klinck
Mario Tancredi
Special Intention

Monday, March 23, 2020

For All Parishioners

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

Joseph Anthony Cinotti

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

Special Intention
Regina & Michael Parsolle

Thursday, March 26, 2020

For all souls

Friday, March 27, 2020

For all who are sick

Saturday, March 28, 2020

Helen Newstead
Elwin & Mary Burd, Joseph Fenton &
Jimmy Johnson

Sunday, March 29, 2020

Michael Bortak
Joan Togno, Bernard Klinck
Josephine Rampone, Ronald Provost
Special Intention

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

Sunday 3/15/20	\$4714.00
WeShare	\$1,136.00

ALL CANCELLED

Welcome Home Confessions on Mondays 7-8:30pm
Confeciones promer miercoles del mes de 7 a 8 pm
Lenten Mass each Wednesday of Lent at 12:15pm
Schedule for Stations & Special Events on back page

Faith Formation News

Religious Education: Until further notice, all programs, activities and sessions are suspended.

- Home Teaching work has been sent home for all grade levels. If you did not receive the email with directions, or if you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Rogalo at faith.formation@stmichaelnetcong.org

Forty Cans for Lent

Please join the Knights of Columbus in the Forty Cans for Lent project. Once again, the Knights will collect canned goods and other non perishable food items for our parish food pantry. It's a great corporal work of mercy to perform during Lent. The idea is to donate one item for each of the forty days of Lent as part of your Lenten sacrifice. Donations can be placed by the statue of St. Anthony in the back of the church. Thank you.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Cancelled until further notice...

Sweet Success Fundraiser: Please return the M & M tube filled with quarters and drop it into the container in the church vestibule. Thank you!

Jamaica Mission Trip sign ups

Mar 20: Cancelled - Stations of the Cross

Mar 21: Cancelled - Midnight Run clothes sorting Service

Mar 28: Cancelled - Midnight Run we are in need of men's underwear, and t-shirts, Zip up hoodie sweatshirts and sweat pants sizes L, XL, XXL, socks and gently used sneakers. Ladies socks and underwear sizes M & L, disposable razors, sleeping bags & blankets, hats, gloves, scarves.

April 6: Cancelled - Sweet Success quarter counting service

Youth Ministry Meetings Cancelled

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



2020 Spring Tricky Tray Fundraiser

We are excited to announce our

1st Annual Parish Gift Card Tricky Tray!

When: Sunday, May 17th Doors Open at 3pm

Where: Msgr. Trapasso Hall

Support Needed: We are asking each St. Michael family to donate a \$25-\$50 gift card of their choice to be raffled off at the event. The gift cards should be placed in a sealed envelope with the family name along with "Tricky Tray" printed on the outside. They can be dropped off at the Parish office or placed in the Sunday collection baskets by March 31st, if possible. More information will follow regarding advance sale tickets. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer at the event please contact: Nancy Keller, Laura Sanville, Donna Pedersen, Mona DaCosta or Debbie Hartman.



Walk In Jesus' Footsteps

From November 8 to Nov. 18th, 2020. The Gospels and Parables will come alive as we travel throughout Israel. The price of \$2,950 PPDO includes everything except beverages, tips, church donations and travel insurance. We are booked into 4 star hotels with breakfast, lunch and dinner included. We will visit the site of the Transfiguration, Bethlehem, the Sea of Galilee, Nazareth, the Garden of Gethsemane and many others. For a detailed copy of the itinerary, the information and reservation form, contact Valerie Nichols at valerie.n@stmichaelnetcong.org or call her at home 973-347-9030. Please consider joining us as we walk in Jesus' steps. We have a couple of spots left so don't delay.

ADORATION

"Come see a man who told me everything I have done. Could he possibly be the Christ?" John 4:29

Prayer for third week of Lent

Dear Lord, You are the Living Water that my soul needs. May I meet You in the heat of my day, in the trials of life, and in my shame and guilt. May I encounter Your love, gentleness and acceptance in these moments, and may that Love become the source of my new life in You. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen

AMEN." Open Hours - Sunday 11pm, Monday 12am & 1am, Tuesday 10pm. 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



Join our faith community—and more than 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl from church. During the 40 days of Lent, we will reflect on the challenge of global hunger and how it affects our human family.



Schedule for Lent & Easter

Remaining Schedule

All Are Welcome!

All CANCELLED till further notice

Friday, March 20

7pm English – Stations Lead by Youth Ministry
8pm Spanish

Friday, March 27

8pm - Franciscan Mystery Players

Friday, April 3

7pm English
8pm Spanish

Thursday, April 9

8am Morning Prayer
7pm Holy Thursday Mass Bilingual

Good Friday, April 10

8am Morning Prayer
1pm Living Stations Walk
2:30pm Stations in English
3pm Good Friday Service in English
6:30pm Good Friday Service in Spanish

Holy Saturday, April 11

8am Morning Prayer
7:30pm Easter Vigil Mass Bilingual

Easter Sunday, April 12

7am, 9:30am, 11:30am Mass in English
1:30pm Mass in Spanish