

November 10, 2019

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke 20:27-38

“He is not God of the dead, but of the living.”

The best teachers provide information and teach us to ask the right questions. Facts should lead to the questions, “Who, what, why, when, how and why not?” In today’s gospel Jesus is confronted by a group of Sadducees who did not believe in eternal life. They use a common Jewish tactic by positing facts and posing a question intended to trap Jesus. He responds with another Jewish custom, positing another possibility. He responds with a rebuke to the Sadducees and a clear statement about eternal life. For those who understand and live the command that God gave to the Israelites, “Love God with our whole heart, soul, mind and strength, and your neighbor as yourself” there will be life after our earthly sojourn “for those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age.” The Sadducees understood that Jesus meant they would not be “deemed worthy” if they failed to love God and their neighbor as themselves. Do we understand that? Will we be deemed worthy?

**\*\* Please take note, parking on the grass is NOT ALLOWED  
\*\* Parents please take note, Children are NOT ALLOWED in the hall during mass or to be in the classrooms after CCD Classes.**

**Knights of Columbus Fried Turkey (14-16lbs).**  
The cost is \$35.00 per bird. Payment may be made in advance or by 1:00 PM Sunday November 24th 2019. No orders will be taken and all orders not paid by that time & date will be cancelled. Signup in the Parish Hall after all Masses starting today until Sunday November 24th 2019. **Signup early** to get the pickup time you need. Please see the Knight with the Turkey Picture in the Parish Hall.

**Silver Angels will meet TBD on Nov 8, 2019.**

**Next meeting of Father Gerald Calhoun Assembly is Dec 8, 2019 at 5:00 PM in Princeton KY.**

**Next Fellowship Bingo is Nov 16th at 10 AM.**

**Martha’s Ministry will follow at 12:30—2:30 PM.**

**Next meeting of Knights of Columbus Father Emil Kapaun Council is Nov 18, 2019 at 6:45 PM.**

**Next Parish Council Meeting is November 21, 2019 at 6:00 PM.**

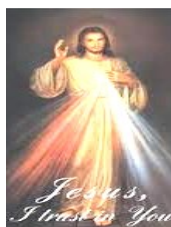
**The Parish Hall Is rented on the following Saturdays in Nov 2, 16, & 23. There is no fellowship on those dates.**

**Applications are now available for Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets Emma Hockaday is the P.O.C. Applications available in the vestibule of the church.**

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**Weekend Mass Schedule :**

Sat 5:00PM Sun 8:30 & 11:30AM

**Weekdays**

Mon, Thur., Fri 9:00 AM Wed. 6:00 PM Tues. No Mass

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# St. Michael the Archangel CATHOLIC CHURCH



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PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

*St. Michael the Archangel*

*defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*

Celebration of the Sacraments

**Baptism-** takes place every 3rd Sunday, during or outside of Mass. Contact Fr. Julian or Deacons Jack, Tom, or Wayne to set a meeting to prepare for the Sacrament and set a date. Baptism for older youth and adults occurs at the Easter Vigil.

**Confession-** Saturdays, 4:30 pm, before or after any Mass or by appointment with Fr. Julian. Communal services during Advent and Lent.

**First Reconciliation-** is celebrated during Advent.

**First Eucharist-** is celebrated during May each year with children in the second grade or older.

**Confirmation-** for youth is conferred by the Bishop. Adults receive the Sacrament at the Easter Vigil or before Marriage by Fr. Julian.

**Holy Orders-** Contact Fr. Julian or Deacons Jack or Tom if you are interested in the vocations of Priesthood, Diaconate or Religious.

**Marriage-** Contact Fr. Julian or Deacons Jack or Tom for any Marriage and Annulment need.

**Anointing of the Sick-** Anyone who is seriously ill or going to surgery should request anointing by contacting Fr. Julian.

Opportunities for Life Hotline

Call (800) 822-5824 for help for those experiencing an untimely pregnancy.

Nationwide Mass Times

Automated Church Lookup: (1858) 207-6277 or log on to [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org)

**SINCERE WELCOME TO ALL FRIENDS VISITING US TODAY**

*To register with the parish, please stop at the Office after Mass to fill out the form.*

**Mass Intentions \$5  
Sanctuary Candle \$10**

Please put your donation in an envelope and indicate († if deceased). Please give your name, phone and the date wanted in the collection basket. If the exact time and date you requested is not available, the closest available Mass time and date will be assigned. Envelopes for Mass Intentions are in the foyer on the table.

**\*\*Bulletin Deadline - Wednesday  
Email Bob Whelan at r\_a\_whelan@hotmail.com**

**WEBSITE**

St. Michael's new Website is now available at [www.stmichaelokgrove.church](http://www.stmichaelokgrove.church) Please check it out for more information. Web page POC is Jessica Carroll. She can be reached at fisherj21@yahoo.com or text to 701-371-4690 for web page input

**Blessed Mother Bookstore  
Open: Sunday 9:30 - 11:30 am**

*Come by and check us out.*

**Readings for this week 11/11/11/10**

<b>Monday:</b>	WIS	1:1-7
	PS	139:1B-10
	LK	17:1-6
<b>Tuesday:</b>	WIS	2:23-3:9
	PS	34:2-3, 16-19
	LK	17:7-10
<b>Wednesday:</b>	WIS	6:1-11
	PS	82:3-4, 6-7
	LK	17:11-19
<b>Thursday:</b>	WIS	7:22B-8:1
	PS	119:89-91, 130, 135, 175
	LK	17:20-25
<b>Friday:</b>	WIS	13:1-9
	PS	19:2-5B
	LK	17:26-37
<b>Saturday:</b>	WIS	18:14-16
	PS	105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43
	LK	18:1-8
<b>Sunday:</b>	MAL	3:19-20A
	PS	98:5-9
	2 THES	3:7-12

**Thirty-Second Sunday Ordinary Time YRC**

First reading (2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14) This tells us the story of the martyrdom of a mother and her seven sons. They drew their strength from their faith in the resurrection of the just. In the second reading (2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5), Paul prays for the Thessalonians and all of us that we remain steadfast in the pursuit of goodness.

In today's Gospel (Luke 20:27-38) Jesus deals with a question posed by the Sadducees about the existence of an afterlife.

**Theme: The Hope Of The Resurrection And Eternal Life**

Each Sunday we end the Creed with these words: "We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen!" Belief in the afterlife is one of the most important of our beliefs as Christians. Without it, our lives on earth are a journey to nowhere. With it, our lives on earth are a journey to the promised land of eternal life.

Hope is a vital part of life. What bread does for the body, hope does for the spirit. We spend a great deal of our lives waiting, hoping, and longing for one thing or another. But, we know that this world can never fulfill our deepest hopes and desires. Only God can do that. Here lies the difference between life on earth and life hereafter.

The Sadducees, who do not believe in the doctrine of the resurrection, came to Jesus with what they thought was a case that would make the doctrine of the resurrection look really ridiculous. They posed the example of a woman who had successively and lawfully married seven brothers according to Levite law. (Deuteronomy 25:5-10). If this woman and the seven brothers rose from the dead, whose wife would she be? Jesus answered in Luke 20: 34-36. He explained to them that marriage was instituted as the means of propagating the human race on this earth. It was a divine institution for those worthy of resurrection. It will be different in the life hereafter.

Those who will be raised to the new and eternal life will not marry because the purpose and the need for marriage will no longer exist. The number of God's citizens in heaven will be complete. The resurrected bodies will be from our earthly ones. (1 Corinthians 15:42-44) And so in this sense, the risen bodies will be like the angels. We shall be different but still recognizable to each other. "There will be no more suffering from pain or sickness or weakness of any sort." "For the world of the past has gone." (Revelation 21-4)

Jesus also clearly affirmed that those risen from the dead are no longer liable to death, leaving aside the other greater joys of heaven, such as the beautiful vision, the close association with Christ our Savior in His risen humanity, and the meeting of our Blessed Mother with all the saints including our relatives and friends. What a source of happiness and joy will it be for us to know that we can never die again.

Many Christians, even good pious Christians, fear death and try to keep the very thought of it far from their minds. To a certain degree it is understandable in the case of the believer or the Christian or believer whose conscience is not at peace with God. Let us remove fears of death by removing our sins and by putting ourselves right with God. The normal pious Christian should see death as what it is, and end of ones probation and the door to his eternal reward. It is not normal for a student to dread his or her graduation day. Death, for the God-fearing honest and faithful Christian is graduation day. Therefore, no Christian should be afraid of it.

Of course, part of the fear which death instills in us comes from the fear of the judgement which accompanies it. If we think every now and then that our own death is around the corner, we will turn to the God of mercy, our loving Father, and ask for His forgiveness. He never refuses pardon to those, who with a sincere heart ask for it. Remember the example of one of the thieves on the cross (Luke 22:42) "Jesus remember me when you come into your kingdom." Jesus replied "Today you will be with Me in paradise." (Luke 22:43)

Let each one of us look into his or her own conscience this morning. Let us ask ourselves how we would fare if death should visit or knock at our door tonight. If there are sins on our conscience, which we would not want there when facing our just judge, we still have time to approach our merciful Father. The Christian, who does this daily or even weekly, will not worry when death calls. He or she can rest assured that it is the beginning of the time of everlasting life planned for him or her by God before time began.

So let all our lives take their voyage to you, O Lord. For you have made us for yourself and our hearts will never rest until they rest in you. Only those who have flown home to you have flow at all. Amen!

Happy Sunday,  
Father Julian  
Pastor



**\*\*We will purge our sick list at the end of March. Please let us know who needs to be on it by placing the name in the collection basket.**



Dear Lord, please wrap your arms around those who are hurting today, and let them feel how much You love them.

Al Acuna  
Jean Banasiak  
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Shirley Brown  
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**Please Pray for our Sick:**

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**Gifts for God**

Regular Collection:	\$
Mass Intentions	\$10.00
Votive Candle	\$
CCD Registration	\$60.00
Parish Maintenance	\$2524.00
Christmas Flowers	\$25.00
Belk's Charity Youth	
All Saints Day	\$445.00
Hall Rental	\$
World Mission Sunday	\$
All Saints	\$
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>

**November Second Collections**

Nov 10 Archdiocese for military services  
Nov 24 Campaign for Human Development

If you are moving please take a moment to stop by the office to let us know or put a note with your name and forwarding address in the collection plate. Please don't leave without a copy of your sacramental documents.

**Every First Friday of the Month is**

Anointing of the Sick and Adoration

**3rd Saturday of the Month Activities**

**5 Cent Bingo  
10:00am-Noon**

**Martha's Ministry (after Bingo)  
12:30PM until 2:30pm**

**Need a place to hold an event or a family gathering with friends, then why not rent the Parish Hall by contacting Dave Tilley at 931-237-5013**



**Faith Formation Registration:**

Registration Fee: \$20 per child  
Register Grades Pre-K thru 12<sup>th</sup>  
First Day of Class - Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>  
Class Time: 10:00 am to 11:00 am  
Contact: Deacon Wayne, Bernadette Crisostomo, or Lisa Reed.

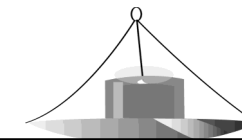
**Bulletin Board**

Have you stopped and checked out all that is going on here at St. Michael the Archangel! It is updated weekly by Lori Snodgrass. If you need anything added she can be reached at 931-919-2794.

**\*\*Clothing Ministry\*\***

We are now accepting winter clothing. Clothing may be left in the Fellowship Hall Atrium. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry. This is another program through Martha's Ministry.

**Sanctuary Candle Intention  
November 10, 2019  
Parishioners of St Michael**



**Intentions this Week:**

<b>Sunday, 11/10</b>	
MASS	8:30AM
Mass Intention:	All
Veterans Living and Deceased	
MASS	11:30AM
Mass Intention:	Veterans Living and Deceased
<b>Monday, 11/11</b>	
MASS	9:00AM
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St Michaels
<b>Tuesday, 11/12</b>	NO MASS
<b>Wednesday, 11/13</b>	
MASS	6:00PM
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St Michaels
RCIA	7:00PM
Choir Practice	7:00PM
<b>Thursday, 11/14</b>	
MASS	9:00AM
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St Michaels
<b>Friday, 11/15</b>	
MASS	9:00AM
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St Michaels
<b>Saturday, 11/16</b>	
Confessions	4:30PM
Mass	5:00PM
Mass Intention:	Ralph and Todd Jurisin
<b>Sunday, 11/17</b>	
MASS	8:30AM
Mass Intention:	Tuyetdo Phero†
MASS	11:30AM
Mass Intention:	Parishioners of St Michaels