

Saturday, September 7th through Sunday, September, 15th

SAT: 4PM Molly Dowd (by Ernie Dowd)
SUN: 8AM Seth Christmas (by his Family)
10:30AM Parishioners of St. Michael Parish and Their Intentions
MON: NO MASS
TUES: 5:15PM Rava Kelly (by Pam Sweeney & Family)
WED: 8:45AM Msgr. Wendall Searles (by Fr. Justin)
THURS: 5:15PM Sr. Marie Monique & the Nuns at the Abbye Notre Dame de Fidélité & Their Intentions (by Kerry Morton)
FRI: 7:30AM The Souls in Purgatory (Fr. Justin)
SAT: 4PM Bertie & Myrtle Sprague, Sr. (by their Family) & The Parishioners of St. Michael Parish and Their Intentions
SUN: 8AM Brett Perry (by Karen Duggan)
10:30AM William Johnson (3rd Anniversary) (by Carol Johnson & Family)

Blessed Virgin Mary Candle is lit this week For Marcel LeClaire, Jr St. Joseph Candle is lit this week Daniel Karlock

Events This Week

Sat. (9/07):
 11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)
 2:30PM — Adult Choir Rehearsal (church)
 2:45-3:30PM — Confessions (church)
Sun. (9/08): Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:10AM-10:10AM— Religious Education
Mon. (9/09): Saint Peter Claver
 11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)
Tues. (9/10):
 8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)
 4:15PM — Rosary at Planned Parenthood (Pliny Park)
 5:15PM — Mass
 6PM — Bible Study (YC)
 6:00PM-8:30PM—Daughters of Isabela Business Meeting (PC)
Wed. (9/11):
 9:30AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)
 10AM — Rosary at Pine Heights
 11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)
 1PM — Rosary at Thompson House
Thurs. (9/12): The Most Holy Name of Mary
 8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)
 10:00AM — Mass at Thompson House
 11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)
 4:45-5:05PM — Rosary
 5:15PM — Mass
 6PM — “I Believe in Love” Women’s Group (YC)
Fri. (9/13): St John Chrysostom, Bishop, Dr
 7:00-7:20AM —Rosary
 7:30AM — Mass
 8AM-7PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)
Sat. (9/14): The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
 11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)
 2:30PM — Adult Choir Rehearsal (church)
 2:45-3:30PM — Confessions (church)
Sun. (9/15): Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:10AM -10:10AM— Religious Education

Weekly Stewardship Report:

Offertory	
This Week	\$5,246.04

Parish Prayer List

Baby Ellis Reed Kasper, Blake, Thomas Bartis, Sean & Amanda Bloch, Millie Bristol, Peter Brown, Michael Carey, Anthony Church, Carol Condon, Claire Couture, Mike Lavender, Matt & Heather R., Hilda Cleary, Rebecca Gale, Patricia Hicks, Rodney Howe, Tony Iannarone, Robert Kelsey, Sr., Mildred Maloskie, Carol (Honey) Malloy-Seymour, Lucy Nero, David Partridge, Carson Rhodes, Joan Richardson, Chip Runge, Bill S., Peter Smyth, Mike Stankiewicz, Nettie Lee Webb, and Parishioners & Their Families in Homes & Hospitals

2019 Bishop’s Annual Appeal Parish Update

Our parish is now at **61%** of our pledge goal. We are grateful to all of those who have been able to participate and encourage others to learn more about your gift at work: bishopsappeal.vt.org.

St. Brigid’s Kitchen Quarterly Report

An increasing number of people are being served by St. Brigid’s Kitchen. The quarter ending on June 30, 2019 showed 6,755 meals served. The programs have provided assistance to 275 children with nutritious food choices. Thank you to everyone for their generous support of the St. Brigid’s programs.

Requiescat in pace:

Martha O’Connor; Rita Coyne; Robert Rounds
“Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.”

The Children’s Choir

The Children’s Choir will be singing on **September 29th** at the 10:30 Mass. The two rehearsals will be on **September 15th** and **September 29th** at 9:15. If your child would like to be a part of the choir, please contact Breton at breton@stmichaelvt.com.

Parish Picnic

This year our Parish Picnic will take place on the Feast Day of our Parish, St. Michael the Archangel, on *Sunday, September 29th*. Please bring a friend.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Put God first in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Sep 14-15, 2019 in Medway, MA & Nov 15-17, 2019 in Isle La Motte, VT. For more information, call John & Diane Forcier at 802-657-3083 or visit them at <https://wwmevtw.org/>.

St. Michael Christmas Bazaar

Save the date: *November 23 & 24, 2019*

Young Adult Retreats

We have two retreat opportunities for young adults: *September 13-14, 2019*, Dumaine Center, Jacksonville, VT. This retreat will be led by religious sisters from The Daughters of St. Paul. *March 21-22, 2020*, St. Anne's Shrine, Isle la Motte, VT. This retreat will be led by the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal. For more information, please visit the Diocesan website.

Adoration

If you are interested in having a weekly time of adoration before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, please contact Pete Nero at 254-4818.

Saint Michael School Super Raffle Tickets Now Available

Saint Michael School families will be selling Super Raffle tickets as part of our largest fundraiser for the year. Each weekend students will be outside before and after mass to sell tickets. **Super Raffle tickets are \$50 each.** Families will be able to accept cash, check, or credit cards for payment. The drawing will be held on October 25th. The raffle prizes are:

Grand Prize \$7,000 2nd Prize \$2,000 3rd Prize \$1,000
4th Prize \$500 5th Prize \$250 6th Prize \$150

Saint Michael School Appeal

As Saint Michael School opens its doors for the 2019/2020 school year, we would like to share our sincerest thanks to you all for your continued support of our students.

This year, we have two high school students whose families have run into some financial difficulty and they are in need of some help. Both students have attended Saint Michael School for years and have been such a blessing to our school and church communities. Would you consider sponsoring one of these students so they may continue their education at Saint Michael School? One full year of Catholic Education at the high school level is \$7,650. One month of tuition would be \$765.00. We are hoping to identify a handful of people who are willing to contribute to a fund for these families. Any amount you are able to donate is greatly appreciated.

If you can help, please contact the school office at (802)254-6320. Your gift will truly make a difference in the life of two of our beloved students.

Volunteers Needed for Religious Education Program

Please prayerfully consider volunteering as a catechist, classroom aide, or particularly a substitute teacher. Help the Parish to build up the Body of Christ. As is often heard in scripture, "*Do Not Be Afraid.*" You do not need to know everything about the Catholic faith to teach it. You need only to have a love of working with children and you'll find that you will learn right along with them. We have grade specific teacher's guides, mentors, trainings, and additional resources to help you. Simply be open to the Holy Spirit and Christ's call to educate our young people. Please call Tina Crocker, at 413-896-8576 for more details.

Registration for Parish Religious Education

Registration forms can also be found at the back of the church or on the Parish website. Completed forms and payment should be returned to the Rectory. The Religious Education program is for students in kindergarten through grade 9, including youth in grades 10, 11 & 12 who have not yet received the sacrament of Confirmation. **Classes begin September 8th** and meet from **9:10-10:10am** on Sundays. Please call Tina Crocker at 413-896-8576 with questions.

Secular Franciscan Order

An information meeting on the Secular Franciscan Order (SFD) starting up at St. Michael Parish. **Mon. 9/16 & Mon. 10/20** St. Brigid's Kitchen- **6:30pm**

Parish Registration & Parish Group Email List

To register with the parish, update your address, or to be added to the parish group email list, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket.

Registration

Change of address

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Please send envelopes: _____

Email: _____