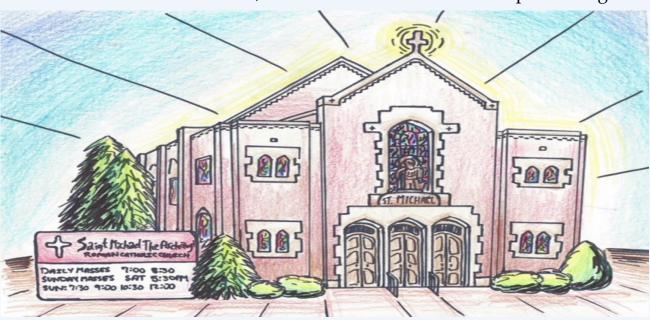
St. Michael's Parish Community

We are Stewards of God's Gifts, Time and Treasure To Build Up The Kingdom



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TELEPHONES:

Rectory/Parish Center: 908-688-1232 Rectory/Parish Center fax: 908-810-1076

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PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Anselm I. Nwaorgu, *Pastor* Rev. Camilo Lopez, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Charles B. McDermott , *Pastor Emeritus* Deacon Michael Cavallo, *Permanent Deacon*

Mrs. Marilynn Dragone,

Coordinator of Religious Education

Mr. Philip Matrale,

Pastoral Associate for Youth Ministry

Mr. Peter Petrecca, *Music Director* Mrs. Rebekah Scicolone, *Principal*

MASS

Sundays: 5:30PM(Saturday Evening) 7:30, 9:00, 10:30AM, 12:00 Noon

Daily: Monday thru Friday 7:00, 8:30AM, 12:00 Noon

Saturday: 8:30AM

November 11, 2018 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 1:00-2:00PM

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Notify a priest of all who are hospitalized or home bound. Emergencies at any time.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Parish initiates new members on the 2nd Sunday of the month, at 1:30PM, by arrangement. Instruction is on the Friday evening prior to the baptism, at 7:30PM.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Preparations for Christian Marriage begin one year prior to planned date of the wedding. Couples should contact one of the priests.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Contact the Vocations Office of the Archdiocese of Newark at 973-313-6190 or at NewPriestNJ@gmail.com.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Adults interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church and Catholics who are in need of the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist are welcome to inquire by calling the Parish Center.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

St. Michael's School: An environment for growth in faith, values and knowledge, pre K-8. For further information, call the School Office.

Religious Education: a program of religious instruction, grades 1-8. For further information please call the Religious Education Office.

YOUTH MINISTRY

A comprehensive youth program for all teens from 9th to 12th grade. Our program promotes growth in Catholic values and morals, provides opportunities for Christian service and offers positive social activities. For further information call the Youth Ministry Office.

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Michael the Archangel Parish, a diverse, spiritual community in action, is dedicated to drawing people to Christ, to growing disciples, and to making church and worship matter. We do this (1) through our liturgical worship as we remember and celebrate in memory of Him; (2) through the proclamation of the Good News, as we believe and profess the message of Jesus Christ not only from the pulpit, but also in the way we live our lives; (3) through living out our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure in the service of the needs of our church, the needs of one another, and the needs of those who seek divine help through our doors.

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday November 105:30 PM Claire Kelly Gillick

SundayNovember 117:30 AMSerapio Dagat

9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Knights of

Knights of Columbus 4504

10:30 AM For the Parishioners 12:00 Noon Estelita Catabay

Monday November 12
7:00 AM Agnes Briones
8:30 AM Philip Montalto
12:00 Noon Bienvenida Concepcion

TuesdayNovember 137:00 AMAll Souls

8:30 AM Orlando Guiang, Sr. 12:00 Noon Taciana Agbayani

Wednesday November 14

7:00 AM Deceased Members of the Magbanua Family

8:30 AM Angelina Fortino (33rd Ann.)

12:00 Noon Eleazar Fernando

ThursdayNovember 157:00 AMViola Ericksen8:30 AMRosa Miceli12:00 NoonEvelyn Lime

Friday November 16

7:00 AM Maria Tavares (81st Birthday)

8:30 AM All Souls 12:00 Noon John McCann

SaturdayNovember 178:30 AMHelen Phillips5:30 PMNedda Di Fabrizio

SundayNovember 187:30 AMFor the Parishioners9:00 AMAlejandro T. Cruz10:30 AMGeorge Rinehart12:00 NoonCarmelo Valentino

ALTAR OFFERINGS

The Altar Bread, Altar Wine and the Sanctuary Lamp are offered for St. Michael's Parishioners.

No matter how many times we say we trust in the Lord, we often live as if we are in charge of our lives and dependent only on our own talents. We are reminded today that not only are we called to live in utter surrender and dependent on our Lord, but we are to give from our very poverty to those who are in need. We must trust God will provide for us as we empty ourselves to care for the poor and the oppressed. It is a risky way to live but it is the life of faith and trust to which we are called.

1 Kgs 17:10-16 The jar of flour shall not go empty.
Ps 146 The Lord keeps faith forever and protects the oppressed.
Heb 9:24-28 Now once, for all, he has appeared for the ages.
Mk 12:38-44 She contributed from her poverty.

The **2019 MASS BOOK** is now **OPEN**. Please come and reserve your 2019 Masses and the Altar Offerings.

Daily Masses — \$10.00

Novena of Masses—\$10.00

Altar Bread—\$25.00

Altar Wine-\$15.00

Sanctuary Lamp—\$10.00

Please use your <u>ALL SAINTS</u> and <u>ALL SOULS</u> envelopes to list all your deceased members for Masses. You can drop off the envelopes at the Parish Center or drop off at Church during Mass.

SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS ANNUAL APPEAL

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2018 Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal. St. Michael's is <u>64%</u> towards our goal of <u>\$48,395</u>. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the Church. Please help support the many programs and ministries that assist so many in our community.

Our parish also benefits by receiving a rebate from the appeal if it exceeds its goal. If we exceed the goal, we will use the rebate towards the new air-conditioning system.

DECEASED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Please remember in your prayers all those who have died especially *Mario M. Lopez*.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SundayNovember 119:00-10:15 AMRCIA, Murphy Room

No Religious Education

1:30 PM Baptism, Church

Monday November 12
8:00 AM Rosary, Church
3:30-4:30 PM Religious Education, LC

7:00 PM Zumba, LC

Tuesday November 13
8:00 AM Rosary, Church
7:00-8:15 PM Religious Education

7:00-8:30 PM CYO, LC Wednesday November 14
8:00 AM Rosary, Church

7:00 PM Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Adoration, Church

ThursdayNovember 158:00 AMRosary, Church7:30 PMChoir Practice, ChurchFridayNovember 16

8:00 AM CYO Retreat

Saturday

1:30 PM

November 17

Zumba

9:00 AM Living with the Gospel Morning

Reflections, LC

Rosary, Church

9:30-10:30 AM

CYO Retreat

SundayNovember 189:00-10:15 AMRCIA, Murphy Room10:15-11:30Religious Education

Young Adults Group Meeting, Murphy Room

Murphy Room

4:00 PM CYO Retreat & Homecoming & Reception, Church & LC

The St. Michael's Parish Community would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to the <u>Kayumanggi</u> Chorale, The Bayanihan



Singers and St. Michael's Church Choir for their selfless gift of talent, time and service at our recent MUSIC FESTIVAL to benefit St. Michael's Church. A special thank you to the organizers, volunteers, ticket sellers, donors and to everyone who supported this event. It was truly a great concert. Everyone enjoyed the music, had fun and a wonderful time. Remain blessed..



12 CHANCES TO WIN UP TO \$12,000 IN 12 WEEKS!

St. Michael's Calendar Raffle

- ♦ Win up to \$12,000 in 12 drawings.
- \$1,000 every week for 12 consecutive weeks.
- ♦ Winning ticket goes back into the drawing pool.
- ♦ Number of tickets to be sold is 300.
- ♦ Cost is \$120 per ticket for 12 chances.
- Orawing date is every Sunday from 12/16/18-3/3/19
- Orawing will take place in the Lower Church at 1:30 PM
- ♦ Winner does not need to be present
- Proceeds will go to the restoration of the Church's air conditioner

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

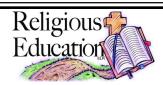
Give and gifts will be given to you...the measure with which you measure will in turn be measured out to you. Luke 6:38

	Week of	Yr. to Date
	11/4/2018	7/1/-11/4/2018
Collections	\$ 7,015	\$ 130,425
Online Collections	\$ 842	\$ 9,459
SOS	\$ 7,281	\$ 45,960
Online SOS	\$ 160	\$ 5,503
Total	\$ 15,298	\$ 191,347
Budget	\$ 11,061	\$ 190,018
Difference	\$ 4,237	\$ 1,329

Thank you for your continued generosity!

"SOS COLLECTION"

On the first weekend of each month, the first collection is the "SOS" collection. This collection is dedicated especially for our utility bills. *The next SOS collection the weekend of December 1 & 2, 2018*. SOS donations are appreciated at all times. Thank you.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE HOURS

Hours for the Religious Education Office are Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Other hours are available by appointment. Contact Coordinator: Marilynn Dragone at (908) 964-0965. We can also be reached via e-mail at smccd@comcast.net.

SUNDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS:

There are no religious education classes on Sunday, November 10^{th} .

SR. ANN'S FOOD PANTRY IS IN NEED OF FOOD!!!

Please consider donating some canned or nonperishable food items so we can help feed those in need. Food may be dropped off at the church or at the Parish Center. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE!!!

Join us on Saturday, December 1st as Fr. Tom Iwanowski discusses the liturgical year.

The retreat will be held in the lower Church immediately following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.



Swinging on a Sunday for a Good Cause at the Union Knights of Columbus

On Sunday November 18, 2018 the Union Knights of Columbus will hold a fund raiser to benefit Brother Knight and Insurance General Agent Rich Fuentes. Recently Rich was diagnosed with ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease) and the Union Knights are putting on an event for all to come out and benefit Rich and his family as they battle ALS. The event runs from 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM with the Sinatra stylings of Eric DeLauro and Dancers from the Arthur Murray Dance of Cranford, NJ. Besides music and dancing there will be horsd'oeuvers, cash bar and basket raffles. Donation is \$25 per person and includes one drink.

Rich has been a member of the Union Knights of Columbus for over 25 years and was our Insurance Field Agent for most of them before becoming our Insurance General Agent. Rich has always been there for the Union Knights from serving as Membership Director to running many programs including the Family Picnic for many years.

Tickets are available by calling (908) 967-9060 or emailing <u>swingnsundayfor-rich@gmail.com</u>

Please come out and help us help Rich and his family and have a great time



<u>CYO/Youth Ministry News</u> cyounion@aol.com



Our Teen Retreat "MASTERPIECE!" will be held this weekend November 16-18. All information regarding departure and arrival times as well as what to bring has been sent home to all Parents. All teens attending the retreat must be at our meeting this Tuesday as we go over all important information. Please keep all of us in your prayers for a successful weekend in Christ!

Our Homecoming will be held Sunday the 18^{th} at 4pm in St. Michael's Church. All parents, families and friends are invited to attend.

If you are interested in being an actor or a reader in our CYO Christmas Presentation: The Festival of Lights, please let Phil know as soon as possible. There are a limited number of spots so don't delay.

December will be busy as we have service projects at the Nursing Home, with the disabled children, at the quadriplegic Center as well as for homeless children. All dates, times and information will be available at CYO!

ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL NEWS

You are invited to a Flapjack Fundraiser breakfast to support

the St. Michael's School 8th Graders.

Applebee's Location: 1721 Morris Ave., Union, NJ

Ticket: \$13.00

Date: Saturday, November 17, 2018

Time: 8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Contact: 908-906-5087 cclaurente@yahoo.com

Fundraiser for 8th Grade Class of 2019

Place: Stage House Tavern, 1099 Route 22, East Mountainside Cost: \$10 ticket, one free drink (Date: Saturday, December 1,

Time: 5:00PM—1:00 AM

ST. MICHAEL'S SENIOR NEWS

Upcoming Events:

November 14th – Thanksgiving Luncheon at Mario's Restaurant *

December 3rd - Connie Pizarro, Oasis Senior Advisors **December 12th**th - Christmas Luncheon Suburban Golf Club *

*(Bus transportation will be provided for both luncheons)

Time	Nov. 10-11 32 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Nov. 17-18 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30pm	1. Alyssa De la Cruz 2. Alexis Artiga 3. Blanca Salas 4. Ana Ruiz	Angel Rodriguez Jonathan Rodriguez Morgan Labranche Salome Oropeza
7:30am	1. Ugochi Adibemma 2. Ifeanyi Adibemma 3. Jarlene Estopia	1. Chika Adibemma 2. Uzonna Adibemma 3. Austin Nosike
9:00am	 Megan Felix Julian Felix Jewelz Massicot Justin N. Gawel Joshua Laube 	 Desi Garcia Jean Felix Alisha James Aidan Perez Nathan De Guzman
10:30am	1. Joshua Estoque 2. Ryanne Ramah 3. Lorenz Tangub	 Johnnuel Magno Nwando Melie Samuel Ilagan Michael Durugo
12:00 noon	1. Lance Fernandez 2. Jerome Fernandez 3. Jianna Fernandez	Cinika Ozurumba Charles Ozurumba Gabriel Castano Aimee Cabatu-Panlilio

SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick especially Fr. Lawrence Murphy, Joanne Kalkus, Terry & Tony Russo, Marianne Hunt O'Malley, Joanne Milana Doman & Joseph Doman, Rakoczy Family, Peggy

Gehrig, Rosa Mugavero, Kathleen Sarno, Lucy Scalgione, Mary Ann Flynn, Joyce Toth, Pamela D'Amico, Maria Espiritu, Martha Owens, Brian Phillips, Lucille Arnaldo, Fr. Jim Worth, Aname Orillaneda Richard Shemanski, Barbara Lombardi, Mario F. Lopez, Manuel Crudo, Josephine Steinberg, Julia Astsalk, Joanne Willmore, Frances Machado, Flossie Abrigo, Roselle Roux, Amanda D'Amato, Richard Abrigo, Barbara Fehr, Alton Famarin. Michael Scalgione, Jean Claude, Robert & Carol Nichnadowcz, Augusta Mahon, Claubette Kalla-



been. Carol Czapla & Stephen Czapla, Louis Houmis, Clarence Roberts, Joseph Cantalupo & Francisco Cruz, Jr.

Anyone who would like someone to be put on the sick list, please contact the parish center. The names will be left on for one month, unless notified otherwise.

COMMUNION CALLS TO THE HOMEBOUND

If anyone is homebound either permanently or temporarily and would like to receive communion, please call the parish center and we will arrange to have someone bring com-

munion to you at a time convenient for you. If you would like to discuss in further detail contact Deacon Michael at 908-377-9713.



THANK YOU TO THE MULTI-CULTURAL MINISTRY

The Multi-Cultural Ministry has generously donated the warmer for the newly renovated Lower Church kitchen. The Lower Church has undergone an exciting transformation during the past year including painting, refinishing woodwork, new flooring and the new kitchen. The donation of the warmer is a great improvement to the kitchen. The parish of St. Michael's is very grateful for the donation.

The Multi-Cultural Ministry ongoing support of St. Michael's Parish is recognized and greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity and May God Bless the members of your ministry and their families.

ACCOUNTING STEWARDS NEEDED

These ministers are entrusted with counting the Church's weekly collections, prepare deposit slips and deposit the money into the bank. There are four counting teams that are responsible for counting the collections for three months of the year. Training will be provided. If you are interested in joining the Accounting Stewards Ministry speak to Msgr. Anselm or call the Parish Center Office at 908-688-1232 ext. 100. Thank you.



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Simply go to **smile.amazon.com** from the web browser on your computer or mobile device. Select "**St. Michael's Church, Union, NJ**" to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. **Amazon Smile** will remember your selection, and then every eligible purchase you make at **smile.amazon.com** will result in a donation.

<u>DECEASED PARISHIONERS</u> NOVEMBER 2017—NOVEMBER 2018

Minnie Belfiore Alicia Regan Ricardo Verea Frank J. Hannon Joseph Gabriel Carmine Tedesco Dennis Bonelli Kelly Ann Renda Henry Sisbarro Eloisa Rivera Mary Ann P. Mench **Margaret Byrnes** Lorenzina Russo Louis Morillo Dorothy Halpin **Jovce Belfiore Margaret DeCarolis** William Garry Theodosia Kaska Minnie Vitale Joyce Arrighi Walter Foster, Jr. Michelina Guida William P. Harvey Barbara Fluor Sophia Lipira Michael C. Stefanyak Carmella Capone Frances Regazzo Pauline Waer William Grady, Jr. Adela Gurezeski Adelaida Palao Lillian Carusone Raul Diaz Marilvn Steitz Manuel Torres Suzanna Mauro Atancio Ramiro Edward R. Stonack Joanne M. Willmore Josephine Giorgi Pataleona Magbanua Eugene Panabe Amelia Roden Anne De Flores Dorothy Ghiretti Cathleen Gruchacz David Tettamanti. Sr. Marcelino Tan **Medford Penk** Florencia Ramos Arthur Wagner Anthony J. Tango George F. Lloyd, Jr. Samuel Joseph **Thomas Hornig** Cynthia Ludovico

Henry Ronald Weismantel

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

ATTENTION

ALL FULL PAGE SPONSOR FOR THE 90TH AD JOURNAL

Please pick up your copy of 90th Anniversary Journal at the Parish Center this week.

Thank you,

PARISH GIVING

Electronic Giving Now Available!

St. Michaels Parish has enlisted Parish Giving to provide its members with the opportunity to use Electronic Funds Transfer as an alternative method for giving.

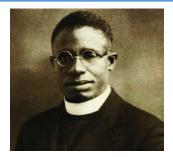
Parish Giving is being offered to you free of charge. On this giving site, you will be able to select from the various opportunities to contribute to our parish and other initiatives. Following is an overview of some of the features:

- ♦ Ability to make one-time contributions
- ♦ Ability to make recurring contributions
- Ability to contribute to multiple organizations
- ♦ Ability to select your billing date
- Ability to use Credit Cards and earn rewards points/ mileage
- ♦ Ability to use Bank Transfers
- Ability to access end of year contribution reports

Online giving funds are transferred directly to the church bank account without the need of counting and deposits by church stewards.

For more information, visit our website at *stmichaelunion.org.*

Once again, Welcome to St. Michael's Parish Giving.



<u>SAVE THE DATE</u>: Feast of Blessed Cyprian Michael Iwene Tansi, Saturday, December 1, 2018 at 5:30 PM Mass. Fellowship at the Lower Church after Mass.

ATTENTION ALL LECTORS

Please pick up your new Sunday Missals with your name on it at the sacristy. Thank you.