SAINT MICHAEL & SAINT JOSEPH PARISHES







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Parish Office at St. Joseph's Rectory, 1335 North Main St., Fall River Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00AM-3:00PM Friday 9:00AM-12:00PM

ADORATION

St. Michael's

Wednesdays 9:00AM-5:30PM Benediction 5:30PM

St. Joseph's

Tuesdays 6-7PM Benediction 6:45PM

HOLY MASS

St. Joseph's

Daily Mass (9am)

Tuesday Thursday Saturday

Weekends

Saturday 5:15PM Sunday 7:00AM 10:45AM

St. Michael's

Daily Mass

Monday (Port) 9AM Wednesday (Eng) 8:30AM Friday (Port) 9AM

Weekends Saturday 4:00PM (Eng.) Sunday 9:30AM (Eng.) 12:00PM (Port.)

No 7:00PM during summer.

CONFESSIONS

St. Michael's

Wednesday 5-5:30PM Saturday 3-3:45PM

St. Joseph's

Tuesday 6-6:45PM Saturday 9:30-10:30AM

Any time by appointment.

WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL'S AND ST. JOSEPH'S

St. Michael's and St. Joseph's in the North End of the city of Fall River are two parishes that have come together to share our resources to effectively accomplish our common mission—to preach, teach and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ, for His glory and the salvation of souls. If you are visiting or are new to our parish, please introduce yourself to our Pastor, Fr. Jay. Please know how welcome you are here. God bless you.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Jay Mello, Pastor [fatherjaymello@gmail.com] Deacon Paul Levesque [paul.levesque@comcast.net]

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Ms. Jean Revil, Director of Adult Faith Formation [jrevil@comcast.net]

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please join me in welcoming our new parishioners, Paul and Marilyn Simons to St. Michael's Church. If you would like to register for our parishes, please contact the parish office.

THANK YOU!

Carol and I would like to thank everyone for the warm welcome that you have given us. We are very happy to be at St. Joseph and St. Michael's parishes. We look forward to working with all of you in the future.—Deacon Paul

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events at Saint Michaels's (SM) and St. Joseph's (SJ)

January 27th — Catholic Schools Week Opening Mass, 9:30AM (SM)

— St. Michael School Open House, 10:30AM-2:30PM

— Confirmation Class Grade 8, 4:30-6:45PM (SM)

January 29th — Adoration, 6-7PM (SJ)

— Bible Study, 9:30AM and 7PM (SJ)

January 30th — Adoration, 9AM-5:30PM

— Rel. Ed. Grades 1-7, 6:15-7:35PM (SJ)

February 1st — First Friday Devotions

Adoration and Connfesion, 5-6PM

Mass, 6PM (SJ)

February 2nd — Wine Tasting, 6PM (SMS)

SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

There will be an Open House at St. Michael's School on Sunday, January 27th from 10:30AM-2:30PM. Please pass along this information to families with young children that you may know and might be interested in our parish school. We appreciate everyone's effort to spread the word about our parish school, especially among families in our own parish. There is financial aid available.

SCHOOL WINE TASTING FUNDRAISER

Tickets are now available for the 8th Annual Saint Michael School wine tasting, held on February 2nd, 2019 from 6PM-Midnight. Tickets are \$30 and include admission, beer, wine and spirits samplings from over a dozen vendors, delicious food by local favorites Avó's Feast, Açores Bakery, entertainment and more. There will be a silent auction, raffles and fun.

RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Congratulations to Adeline Elora Collins-Pollino who was recently baptized at St. Michael's Parish. With great joy, we welcome her into the Catholic Church and our parish community. Anyone interested in having their child baptized, should speak with Fr. Jay or call the rectory.

SECOND SUNDAY SOCIAL THIS WEEKEND

On Sunday, February 10th, St. Joseph's will have our monthly Second Sunday Social after all Masses. All are invited to join us for coffee and pastries, as we enjoy time with our fellow parishioners.

PENSÕES NOW AVAILABLE

Every year, an opportunity to support the Holy Ghost Feast is available, by providing a donation and receiving a delivery to your home of meat, sweet bread, bread and wine. A Small Pensão is \$35. A larger Pensão is available, with large portions, tickets to a dinner and a gift from our Mordomos, Duarte and Venilia Camara. The Pensão de "Criador" is \$250. Please contact Venilia at 508.677.3223, or the parish office.

ST. MICHAEL'S SOUP KITCHEN

On February 16th, our parishes work together to provide for those who are less fortunate in our community. In addition to a hot meal, food and clothing is also given out. If you are interested in helping, show up between 2-6pm at the St. Michael's hall on the third Saturday of each month.

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

Our parishes are participating in a Baby Bottle Campaign to support A Woman's Concern – Learn Your Options. Individuals and families will have the opportunity to respond to the issue of Life. We will be handing out Baby Bottles or a donation envelope for you to take home, fill with cash, checks, and change and bring them back to the church. Our financial support will help to make the services available free of cost to those who are in need of support and guidance in the fight for life! If you decide to give a donation by check, please make the check out to A Woman's Concern. Please return all bottles by Sunday, February 10th.

JR. YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

<u>Fun Night</u>—There will be a Jr. Youth Group Fun Night on Friday, February 8th, at 6:30PM at St. Michael's Hall. All youth in grades 5-7 are invited.

YOUTH GROUP UPCOMING EVENTS

Adoration—On Tuesday, January 29th, all youth are invited to join in pray at St. Joseph's church from 6-7PM for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Gathering—There will be a Youth Group gathering on Monday, February 11th, at 6:30PM at St. Joseph's Hall. All youth age 13-18 are invited.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is a beauti-ful devotion to the redemptive love of our Lord that is celebrated on the First Friday of each month. The Saint who is most often associated with this devotion is St. Margaret Mary Alacoque [1647-1690] who popularized the devotion after receiving a vision of the Sacred Heart. The First Friday's Men's Group of Fall River have been hav-ing their gatherings at St. Joseph's for some time, but I want to open this to all parishioners and encourage this devotion as a way of growing in our love for the Lord. On Friday, February 1st, we will have Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions from 5-6pm and then Holy Mass at 6pm. This will continue on the First Friday of each Month. Please make an effort to attend.

"THE BEAUTY OF RECONCILIATION"

The next topic in our Adult Faith Formation Series is "Making Things Right – the Beauty of the Sacrament of Reconciliation" on Wednesday, February 13th at 6:30PM at St. Joseph's Parish Hall. Jean Revil, Director of Adult Faith Formation will be presenting on this and a number of topics to helps our parishioners grow in their knowledge of the Catholic Faith. I encourage you to attend these nights and learn more about your faith. This is required for the parents of all second graders.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Bishop has announced that the date for this spring's adult Confirmation will be Thursday, May 9th. Classes will begin on Sunday, March 24th, at 9:30 am at St. Joseph's Religious Education Center, followed by 10:45 Mass at St. Joseph's. Any adult (over age 18) who has already been baptized and received First Communion but has not yet been Confirmed is welcome to attend these classes to prepare for Confirmation. The dates of the classes will be March 24th, and 28th, April 7th, 14th, and 28th, and May 5th. If you have any questions, please contact Jean Revil at <code>jrevil@comcast.net</code>.

MONDAY MORNING STUDY GROUP

Announcing a new opportunity to grow in your faith! On Monday March 4th, Deacon Paul will begin a Monday Morning Study Group. We will be meeting every Monday in St. Joseph School from 10:00 am until 11:30 am. During this time we'll explore many different aspects of our Catholic faith through the use of books, DVDs, and other various forms of media along with group discussions. This is a wonderful opportunity for all of us to grow in our faith as we journey together along the path to sainthood. All are invited.

There's a Place for YOUR Child in Catholic Schools



Have you considered Catholic education for your child, but are not sure if it is affordable?

FACE provides **needs-based scholarships** for K – 8 students who attend one of the Catholic schools in the Diocese of Fall River.

Please apply at **www.factstuitionaid.com** to see if you qualify for a scholarship! The application fee is only \$15.

For more information about the various scholarships, please visit www.face-dfr.org or call (508) 675-1311 ext. 6551.



FOUNDATION TO ADVANCE CATHOLIC EDUCATION

SAINT MICHAEL SCHOOL



OPEN HOUSE—THIS SUNDAY!!!

There will be an Open House at St. Michael's School on Sunday, January 27th from 10:30AM-2:30PM. Please pass along this information to families with young children that you may know and might be interested in our parish school. We appreciate everyone's effort to spread the word about our school as we make an effort to increase enrollment, especially among families in our own parish.

MRS. MARY WICK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Mrs. Mary Wick was a dedicated parishioner involved in many different things at St. Michael's parish, including teaching in our parish school for many years. It was Mary's wish that a scholarship be started in her name to assist families with the cost of tuition. If you would like to remember and honor Mary in this way, please make checks payable to the "Mrs. Mary Wick Scholarship." Donations can be mailed in the parish, placed in the collection basket or given directly to Fr. Jay. Let us all remember Mary and all the good she has done!

WINE TASTING—NEXT SATURDAY

Please save the date for our 8th Annual Wine Tasting, to be held on Saturday, February 2nd, 2019. Tickets are now available at the Parish and School offices. If you or someone you know has a business that would like to support St. Michaels with an item for our silent auction or an advertisement in our program booklet, please contact the parish office.



Religious Education Program Grades 1-7

NO Religious Ed. Class—Catechist Prep Wednesday, January 30th St. Joseph's School

Religious Ed. Class—6:15PM-7:35PM **Wednesday, February 6th** St. Joseph's School

Religious Ed. Class—6:15PM-7:35PM Wednesday, February 13th St. Joseph's School

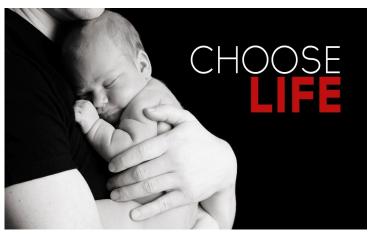
If you have any questions, please contact the Director of Religious Education, Lisa Ouellette at louellette@smsfr.dfrcs.org or 508.567.3638.

Confirmation Program Grades 8-9

Confirmation Class—Grade 8
Sunday, January 27th—4:30-6:45PM
St. Michael's Hall

Confirmation Class—Grade 9
Sunday, February 10th—4:30-6:45PM
St. Michael's Hall

If you have any questions, please contact the Director of Religious Education, Ana Mello at analuciamello@gmail.com or 508.494.3916.



If you are in need of someone to talk to about a crisis pregnancy, or in dealing with the pain of

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 26th—Vigil Mass

5:15PM—Loretta G. Monteiro

Sunday, January 27th—3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM—Antonio DaCosta

10:45AM—Abel Matias, All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, January 29th—St. Blath

9:00AM—Anna Natale

Thursday, January 31st—St. John Bosco

9:00AM—Intentions of Father Jay Mello and all Priests

Saturday, February 2nd—Presentation of the Lord

9:00AM—Matilde Diogo Miranda, Leonardo and David Miranda

Saturday, February 2nd—Vigil Mass

5:15PM—Jean E. Mullensky

Sunday, February 3rd—4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM—Al Oliveira

10:45AM—Memorial Mass for those who passed in January especially Irene Martin, Stephen J. Clynes Jr., and Jennifer K. Henley

SANCTUARY LAMP

For the Intentions of
The People of our Parish



Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 26th—Vigil Mass

4:00PM—Intention of Antonio and Maria Oliveira

Sunday, January 27th—3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30AM—Jose Sales Mendes, Manuel Silva, Jacinto and Angelina DaSilva, Antonio Viveiros, Almerinda and Bernadette Viveiros, Jose Creador and family, Jose F. Moniz and family, Kimberly Dias, Jose and Diamantina DoRego, Natalia Silva, Jeffrey Martins, Margarida

Resendes, Julio and Francelina Moniz and family, Maria Leonor Viveiros Camara, Luther Aldean Carter, Francisco Medeiros

12:00PM—Jose Cabral Revoredo and family

7:00PM—For the People of our Parish

Monday, January 28th—St. Thomas Aquinas

9:00AM—Em Acção de Graças

Wednesday, January 30th—St. Hippolytus

8:30AM—For our Parish and School Community

Friday, February 1st—St. Brigid of Ireland

9:00AM—Pelas Almas Mais Abandonadas

Saturday, February 2nd—Vigil Mass

4:00PM—Manuel Matos Frias

Sunday, February 3rd—4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM—Jose Creador and family

12:00PM—Elvira e Manuel Pacheco e familia, Serafim Medeiros e familia, Francisco Medeiros, Daniel Pontes e familia, Micalina e Manuel Pavao e familia, Kyle Pontes, Joao Manuel Borges, Ana Cabral, Michael Borges, Intenções de Delfina Borges e Matilde Pontes 7:00PM—For the People of our Parish

SANCTUARY LAMP

Em Memoria de Jose F. Moniz e familia

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH'S

January 19-20, 2019

First Collection: \$1,476.00

Catholic Communication Campaign: \$ 398.00

This week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Fund (Non-Assessable)

Next week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Fund

(Non-Assessable)

Thank you for your generous support of our parish.

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

January 19-20, 2019

First Collection: \$3,332.00 Catholic Communication Campaign: \$773.00

This week's Second Collection: Church Maintenance Fund (Non-Assessable)

Next week's Second Collection: Church Maintenance Fund (Non-Assessable)

Thank you for your generous support of our parish.

PENSÕES A VENDA

Uma oportunidade para apoiar a festa do Espírito Santo é comprando uma pensão. Isto inclui uma entrega a sua casa de carne, massa, pão e vinho acompanhado com o Espírito Santo. Pensões são \$35 cada. Para mais informações, entre em contato com Venilia no 508.677.3223, ou entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia.

GARRAFAS DE BEBE

Nossas paróquias estão participando de uma campanha de mamadeira para apoiar a preocupação de uma mulher - aprenda suas opções. Indivíduos e famílias terão a oportunidade de responder à questão da Vida. Estaremos distribuindo mamadeiras ou um envelope de doação para levar para casa, preencher com dinheiro, cheques e trocos e trazê-los de volta para a igreja. Nosso apoio financeiro ajudará a disponibilizar os serviços gratuitamente para aqueles que precisam de apoio e orientação na luta pela vida! Se decidir fazer uma doação em cheque, por favor, faça o cheque para "A Woman's Concern." Por favor, devolva todas as garrafas até domingo, 10 de Fevereiro.

MAU TEMPO

À medida que entramos na estação do inverno e mau tempo, informe-se sobre a Missa diária. Quando a escola é cancelada, não há Missa. Todas as intenções de Missa serão reprogramadas. As Missas de fim de semana não serão canceladas a menos que tais condições severas justifiquem uma proibição de condução. Por favor, use prudência e segurança!

BOLSA DE ESTUDO EM NOME DE SRA. WICK

A Sra. Mary Wick era uma dedicada paroquiano envolvida em muitas coisas diferentes na Paróquia de S. Miguel, incluindo o ensino em nossa escola paroquial por muitos anos. Era desejo de Mary que uma bolsa de estudos fosse iniciada em seu nome para ajudar as famílias com o custo das propinas. Se gostaria de lembrar e honrar a Mary desta forma, por favor, fazer um cheque a "Mrs. Mary Wick Scholarship." Doações podem ser enviadas na paróquia, colocadas na cesta de coleta ou entregues diretamente ao Padre Jay. Vamos todos nos lembrar da Mary e de todo o bem que ela fez!

ADORAÇÃO EUCARÍSTICA

Lembrar que a Adoração tem lugar todas as Quartas—Feiras a seguir à missa das 8:30 e a Benção às 5:30 da tarde. Há também uma hora de Adoração Eucarística em S. José todas as Terças-Feiras à tarde das 6 às 7, confissões disponiveis. Por favor considere fazer uma visita a Nosso Senhor presente na Santa Eucaristia.

COMUNHÃO AOS ENFERMOS

Se você ou alguém que conhece está enfermo, doente ou impedido de atender Missa, e gostaria de receber a Comunhão, por favor ligue para o escritório paroquial para marcar uma visita ao seu lar.

DOAÇÕES PARA A ESCOLA

Se gostaria de fazer uma pequena doação para a escola de São Miguel, estão aceitando ofertas para as aulas, especialmente suprimentos sanitárias (lenços de nariz, Clorox toalhetes, desinfetante de mão, toalhas de papel, "baby wipes") para o próximo ano. Por favor, traga a sua doação diretamente para a escola ou no átrio da igreja depois da Missa.

CERTIFICADOS PARA PADRINHOS

É uma grande honra quando somos convidados a ser padrinhos do Batismo ou Confirmação. Para obter um certificado, contate o Padre Jay no escritório ou depois das missas. Para ser padrinho é necessário ser um paroquiano registrado e ser confirmado, assistir à missa regularmente, ter um casamento válido (pela igreja) e viver uma vida moralmente boa.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Sabe que a nossa paróquia tem uma página no Facebook? Se está no Facebook e não o tenha feito, por favor, visite e "Like" a página para manter-se atualizado com diferentes acontecimentos na paróquia e ao redor da Diocese, e também ver as fotos de passados tempos. Há também artigos e videos compartilhados regularmente sobre a nossa fé Católica e como vivê-la em nossa vida diária. O nome Facebook da paróquia é: www.facebook.com/stmichaelschurch

REGISTRO PARA A PARÓQUIA

Se atende Missa regularmente na nossa paróquia ou quer ser registado como paroquiano, fale com Padre Jay depois de qualquer Missa ou contate o escritório paroquial. É necessário termos o número de paroquianos certo para o planeamente pastoral. Também é importante para enviação do correio ou comunicação do escritório paroquial. É importantíssimo está registrado numa paróquia quando for convidado para ser padrinho de Batismo ou Confirmação, sem isto, não terá certificado de padrinho.

SOPA AOS POBRES

O próximo jantar das sopas para os pobres será realizado no Sábado, 19 de Janeiro no salão da igreja. Ajuda é necessária entre as 2PM-6PM. Por favor, considere oferecer o seu tempo para ajudar aqueles que são menos afortunados.