

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

| <u>ADORATION</u> | <u>HOLY MASS</u> | | <u>CONFESSIONS</u> |
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| <p><u>St. Michael's</u></p> <p>Wednesdays 9:00AM-5:30PM Benediction 5:30PM</p> <p><u>St. Joseph's</u></p> <p>Tuesdays 6-7PM Benediction 6:45PM</p> | <p><u>St. Joseph's</u></p> <p><u>Daily Mass (9am)</u> Tuesday Thursday Saturday</p> <p><u>Weekends</u> Saturday 5:15PM Sunday 7:00AM 10:45AM</p> | <p><u>St. Michael's</u></p> <p><u>Daily Mass</u> Monday (Port) 9AM Wednesday (Eng) 8:30AM Friday (Port) 9AM</p> <p><u>Weekends</u> Saturday 4:00PM (Eng.) Sunday 9:30AM (Eng.) 12:00PM (Port.) No 7:00PM during summer.</p> | <p><u>St. Michael's</u> Wednesday 5-5:30PM Saturday 3-3:45PM</p> <p><u>St. Joseph's</u> Tuesday 6-6:45PM Saturday 9:30-10:30AM</p> <p>Any time by appointment.</p> |

JULY 28, 2019

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]

Mrs. Shanna M. Lubold, Director of Pastoral Services [stjosephsfallriver@gmail.com]

Mrs. Lisa Ouellette, Director of Religious Education [louellette@smsfr.dfrcs.org]

Mrs. Ana Lucy Mello, Confirmation Coordinator [analuciamello910@gmail.com]

Mrs. Pamela Leary, Principal [pleary@smsfr.dfrcs.org]

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

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please join me in welcoming our new parishioners, Joelle Botelho and her daughter Sage Mathiew, Blake Estrela, and Kiana Estrela and her daughter Mila Ponte to St. Joseph's Parish. If you would like to register for our parishes, please contact the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

In September we will begin our Faith Formation classes for Grades 1-7 and our Confirmation program for students in grade 8 and 9. If you know of families with children, please help us in getting them information about registration and the start of classes. Please see the Faith Formation section of this bulletin.

FLOORS CLEANED AUGUST 19TH-24TH

There will be **NO** daily Mass, Confessions, Adoration or Funerals from Monday, August 19th through Saturday, August 24th as our floors will be stripped, washed and waxed at both St. Michael's and St. Joseph's churches. All previously scheduled Mass intentions will be rescheduled. We apologize for the inconvenience. Please contact the parish office for more information. This will not affect weekend Masses.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES

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

- July 29th — Study Group with Deacon Paul, 10AM (SJ)
- July 30th — Adoration and Confessions 6-7PM (SJ)
— Bible Study, 9:30AM, 7:00PM (SJ)
- July 24th — Adoration, 9AM-5:30PM (SM)
- August 2nd — St. Michael's Feast, 6PM-Midnight
- August 3rd — St. Michael's Feast Mass, 5PM
— St. Michael's Feast, 6PM-Midnight
- August 4th — Procession, 2:30PM
— St. Michael's Feast, Immediately following—10PM

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY

On Thursday, August 15th, we celebrate the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. The collection is for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The Mass schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, August 14th

7PM—St. Michael's (Portuguese)
Followed by Candlelight Procession

Tuesday, August 15th

9AM—St. Joseph's

ST. MICHAEL'S FEAST

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2ND

Food at 4PM

Games and Entertainment from 7PM-Midnight

featuring

*Irmãos Justinos and
Starlight*

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD

Feast Mass at 5PM (No 4PM Mass)

Followed by procession with the statue of St. Michael

With the St. Cecilia Band and the Mosteirense Band

Food available from 12 Noon—Midnight

Games and Entertainment from 7PM-Midnight

featuring

*St. Cecilia Band and Mosteirense Band
and Marc Dennis with his band Atlantis*

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4TH

Procession at 2:30PM featuring six marching bands

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament following procession

Food available from 12 Noon—10PM

Games and Entertainment to follow until 10PM

featuring

*Jesse Caldeirão,
Tony Borges and
Band Euro*

ARCHANGEL CLUB

Congratulations to Week Ten winner **Zachary Rogers**. All weekly prizes will be awarded at the banquet.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you or someone you know are in need, the St. Vincent de Paul Society exists to help those who are in need. Please contact the parish office for assistance at 508.672.6713.

PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE AND INSTAGRAM

Did you know that both of our parish has a Facebook page? If you are on Facebook and have not already done so, Please visit and “Like” our page to stay up to date with different events going on in the parish and around the diocese, as well as see pictures from past events. There are also articles and videos posted regularly about our Catholic Faith and how we live it out in our daily lives. Search for “St. Joseph’s Church” and “St. Michael’s Church and School.” On Instagram, you can find us at “saint_michael_school”.

ADULTS WHO NEED SACRAMENTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which an adult becomes a full member of the Catholic Church. If you, or someone you know, would like to explore the possibility of joining the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, and Confirmation, please contact the Director of Adult Faith Formation, Jean Revil at jrevil@comcast.net to register for classes or to seek more information.

OFFICE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS

The office will be closed on Fridays during the summer months, beginning the first Friday of July through August 30th. If you have an emergency, please call the parish office and leave a message. We will reach out to you as soon as possible.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness
and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,
and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts,
by the power of God,
thrust into hell Satan,
and all the evil spirits,
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

O God, in your ineffable providence you were
pleased to choose Blessed Joseph to be the
spouse of your most holy Mother; grant, we
beg you, that we may be worthy to have him
for our intercessor in heaven whom on earth
we venerate as our Protector: You who live and
reign forever and ever.

Amen.

BLESSING OF MARRIAGES (CONVALIDATIONS) AND ANNULMENTS

Baptized Catholics are to marry in a Church or chapel with a priest or deacon officiating. Without a proper dispensation from the bishop, Catholics who are married by non-Catholic ministers (such as a Justice of the Peace) or not married in a Church are not considered by the Church as validly joined in a sacramental marriage. The same holds true for divorced Catholics who remarry without first obtaining an annulment from their first marriage. Those who find themselves in such situations are considered to be in a state of grave sin, and should refrain from receiving Holy Communion until the situation is resolved. As these cases are becoming more and more common it presents many issues, including when someone in such a situation wishes to be a godparent for a baptism or confirmation, and does not qualify. The Church, in her mercy, seeks to reconcile all situations and provides the means necessary to do so, whether the annulment process for those who are divorced, or the convalidation (blessing) of those civilly married. For those who find themselves in such a situation, and wish to remedy the situation, please speak directly with Fr. Jay.

SAINT MICHAEL'S FEAST

FEAST MASS SCHEDULE

Due to the St. Michael's Feast, our Mass times will change. Saturday, there will be no 4PM Mass, and our Feast Mass will be in Portuguese at 5PM. There will be no 12PM Mass in Portuguese on Sunday, August 4th.

BAZAAR PRIZES

Our Parish Feast committee is asking for your help with our bazaar. If you have gifts to contribute, please drop them off before or after mass, with Lydia Gonsalves, or at the parish office.

PROCESSION COSTUMES

If your child is interested in walking in our annual procession as an angel or saint, please contact Theresa Tavares at 508-678-2490 to schedule a fitting of their costume as soon as possible. Thank you.

HELP WITH PROCESSION

As customary, all groups in the parish are invited to march in the procession, including the Feast Committee, the Holy Ghost Committee, the Holy Rosary Committee, the School teachers and students, the First Communion children, the Parish Choirs, the Youth Group and altar servers. We are in need of men to carry statues. If you would like to help carry a statue, please speak with Michael Aguiar at 508.981.4898. Please see your group leader for more information or contact the parish office.

FEAST SET UP

Every evening, men and women of our parish are asked to join us as we prepare our grounds for our parish feast. Work begins at 4PM each evening, just show up in the parish hall. If you would like more information, please call Michael Aguiar at 508.981.4898.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Raffle tickets for the feast will be distributed after all Masses this weekend, and can be placed in collection basket, mailed in or be returned to the parish office before the feast.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

Our Annual Feast Mass is Portuguese, and our Portuguese choir will meet for rehearsal on Wednesday July 31st at 7:30PM. Anyone who would like to join the choir may do so.

SAINT MICHAEL SCHOOL



ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

We are now accepting registrations for grades Pre-K through 8th grade. Please contact the school office today to schedule a visit, at 508.678.0266 or speak directly with Mrs. Leary or Fr. Jay. Financial assistance is available.

FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE

The Foundation for Advancing Catholic Education (FACE) assists families with the cost of tuition for Catholic education. Please see Fr. Jay for more information.

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!

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

You may have noticed in the back of our church, a plastic Box Top collection box. Certain grocery goods, such as cereal, butter, baking supplies and more have "Box Tops" on them. Please cut them out and return them to this box to make a donation to St. Michael's School.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The office will remain open through the summer beginning June 18th on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9AM-12PM. If you need immediate assistance, please contact the parish office.

SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL VIA AMAZON

Enter the link below in a web browser and you will be brought to the —Welcome to Amazon Smile page. Be sure to put St. Michael School, Fall River, MA. Or type the link below in your browser, and they will donate a percentage for qualified purchases to be donated to St. Michael School. <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/042106670>

Religious Education Program Grades 1-7

Religious Education has ended for the year. Families are reminded to continue attending Mass each Sunday. Registration for the new year will be in September.

New Family Registrations

Wednesday, September 11th—6:00PM
St. Joseph's Parish Center

Returning Students Registrations

Wednesday, September 18th—6:00PM
St. Joseph's Parish Center

First Day of Class

Wednesday, September 18th—6:15-7:35PM
St. Joseph's Parish Center

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

All students to continue attending Youth Group events and earning Service Hours through the summer break, as well as attend Mass every week.

9th Grade Registration

Sunday, September 8th—5:30PM
St. Michael's Hall

8th Grade Registration

Sunday, September 15th—5:30PM
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.

The advertisement features a hand holding a white smartphone. The screen shows the 'myParish' app interface with various icons for services like Mass, Sacraments, and News. Above the phone, there are icons for a calendar, a book, a document, a hand, a cross, a clock, and a hand holding a book. Text on the right says 'Text APP to 88202' and 'Select St. Joseph's & St. Michael's parish'. Below that, it says 'Catholic Life Every Day with Your Parish App'. At the bottom right is the 'myParish' logo and the website 'myparishapp.com'.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 27th—Vigil Mass

5:15PM—Bob Tyrrell

Sunday, July 28th—17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM—Nancy Strickland

10:45AM—Mandy Aguiar, 3rd Anniversary

Tuesday, July 30th—St. Peter Chrysologus

9:00AM—Maria G. Cunha and Joana

Thursday, August 1st—St. Alphonsus Liguori

9:00AM—For the People of our Parish

Saturday, August 3rd—St. Faustus

9:00AM—Michael Raposo

Saturday, August 3rd—Vigil Mass

5:15PM—Joseph Rodrigues

Sunday, August 4th—18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00PM—Marie C. Perry

10:45AM—Morris Sutton

SANCTUARY CANDLE

In Memory of
Mandy Aguiar

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is now available for parishioners with WeShare, an easy and convenient way to save time and support the church. Donating is simple, safe, and completely secure. To enroll in Online Giving, please visit stjosephschurchfr.weshareonline.org for St. Joseph's or smpfr.weshareonline.org for St. Michael's. If you have any questions or concerns about the program or would like help setting up your account, call the parish office.

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH'S

July 20-21, 2019

First Collection: \$2,332.00

Church Maintenance Collection: \$ 944.00

Next week's Second Collection:
Diocesan Assessment Collection
(Non-Assessable)

Next week's Second Collection:
Peter's Pence
(Transferred to Diocese)

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 27th—Vigil Mass

4:00PM—Eva and Gilbert Mello and family, Antonio F. Cabral, Lourdes and Gloria Reis, Abel Teves, Arturo Gonçalo, Hermano Teves, Maria de Jesus Aguiar, Espirito Santo Martins, Marcolino Teves, John D. Carvalho, Frank Albernaz and family, Leontina Bizarro, Antonio Ambrosio, Antone Farias, Alvaro and Palmira Luciana Carvalho, Al Carvalho, in honor of St. Catherine

Sunday, July 28th—17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM—Taylor Patricio

12:00PM—Moises Barbosa

Monday, July 29th—St. Martha

9:00AM—Abel Matias, as Almas do Purgatório

Wednesday, July 31st—St. Ignatius of Loyola

8:30AM—For our Parish and School Community

Friday, August 2nd—St. Eusebius of Vercelli

9:00AM—Renato e Dos Anjos Tavares

Saturday, August 3rd—Vigil Mass

4:00PM—NO MASS

5:00PM—Missa da Festa: Pelo Povo da Paróquia

Sunday, August 4th—18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM—Maria dos Anjos and Jose Bernardo and

family, Margarida Resendes, Julio and Francelina Moniz and family, Manuel, Maria, Claudio, Manuel, Zelia, Daniel Leite, Iberia, Gabriela, Amelia Furtado, and family, Delta Moniz, Gina Almeida, Mariano R. Moniz, Luis Rego, Taylor Patricio, Leonardo, Jose, Arthur Arruda, Susan Arruda Levesque, Intentions of Ana Maria Cabral, All Souls in Purgatory

12:00PM—NO MASS

SANCTUARY LAMP

Em Memoria de
Manuel Pereira DaPonte

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

July 20-21, 2019

First Collection: \$2,655.00

Church Maintenance Collection: \$1,004.00

This week's Second Collection:
Feast of St. Michael
(Assessable)

Next week's Second Collection:
Peter's Pence
(Transferred to Diocese)

FESTA DE SÃO MIGUEL

Por favor, guarda a data da festa anual da Paróquia de São Miguel, a ser realizada nos dias 2, 3 e 4 de Agosto. A missa anual da festa acontecerá no Sábado, dia 3 de Agosto às 5 horas e a procissão no Domingo, 4 de Agosto, às 2:30PM. A festa terá entretenimento, comida e jogos.

PRÊMIOS PARA O BAZAR

A Comissão da Festa da nossa paróquia pede a sua ajuda para o bazar. Se tem ofertas a contribuir, por favor traga antes ou depois de cada Missa, com Lydia Gonsalves ou deixe no escritório paroquial.

VESTES DE PROCISSÃO DE SÃO MIGUEL

Se tem uma criança interessada de caminhar na nossa procissão anual como anjo ou santo, por favor contate Teresa Tavares no 508-678-2490 o mais rapidamente possível para escolher e provar sua veste.

PROCISSÃO

Como é costume, todos os grupos da paróquia são convidados a participar na procissão, incluindo a comissão da festa, a comissão do Espírito Santo, a Irmandade do Santo Rosário, os professores e os alunos da escola, as crianças da Primeira Comunhão, os Coros paroquiais, o grupo de jovens e os acolitos. Por favor, consulte o seu líder de grupo para mais informações ou entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia.

PREPARAÇÃO PARA A FESTA

Todas as noites, todos paroquianos são convidados a se juntar a nós enquanto preparamos para a nossa festa paroquial. Começamos a trabalhar depois das 4 da tarde. Se quiser mais informações, ligue para Michael Aguiar em 508.981.4898.

ENSAIOS DE CORO PAROQUIAL

Vai haver ensaios do nosso coro paroquial Quarta-Feira, dia 31 de Julho às 7:30 da noite. Todos são convidados para ensair os canticos para a nossa festa.

MISSA DA ASSUNÇÃO

Quarta-Feira, 14 de Agosto

Igreja de São Miguel

7:00PM—Portuguese

Com procissão das velas

Terça-Feira, 15 de Agosto

Igreja de São José

9:00AM

ENVELOPES

Se não recebeu seus envelopes para o período atual, estamos cientes de um problema com a impressora. Por favor, use um envelope simples com o seu nome e, se sabe, o seu número de membro. Por favor, entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia para ter certeza de ter os envelopes de novo. Se recebe envelopes, mas não usá-los, ligue para o escritório da paróquia para cancelar futuras correspondências.

NÃO HAVERÁ MISSA ÀS 7 NO VERÃO

Durante os meses de verão, NÃO haverá Missa às 7 horas da noite na Igreja de São Miguel até dia 8 de Setembro.

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.

ESCRITÓRIO FECHADO

O escritório estará fechado às Sextas-Feiras durante os meses de verão, começando na primeira Sexta-Feira de Julho até o fim de Agosto. Se tiver uma emergência, ligue para o escritório da paróquia e deixe uma mensagem.

IGREJA FECHADA 19-24 DE AGOSTO

Não haverá missas, confissões, adorações ou funerais diários de Segunda-Feira, dia 19 de Agosto até Sábado, dia 24 de Agosto, enquanto nossos pisos serão limpos nas igrejas de São Miguel e São José. Todas as intenções de Missa previamente agendadas serão reprogramadas. Pedimos desculpas pela inconveniência. Por favor, entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia para mais informações.