## 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]

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]

### 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 Michaels's (SM) and St. Joseph's (SJ)

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

August 5th — Study Group with Deacon Paul,

10AM (SJ)

August 6th — Adoration and Confessions

6-7PM (SJ)

— Bible Study, 9:30AM, 7:00PM (SJ)

August 7th — Adoration,

9AM-5:30PM (SM)

### 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

### 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.

## 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

Thursday, August 15th 9AM—St. Joseph's

## ST. MICHAEL'S FEAST



## 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 Mary Correia. 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.

### REMEMBERING YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL

An investment in the future of St. Joseph's Parish and St. Michael's Parish goes beyond the walls of our church; it has a life-changing impact on our parish's families and the community we serve, and helps keep the spirit of Christ's message alive for future generations. You can uphold our mission and help us thrive for years to come by remembering St. Joseph's or St. Michael's in your estate plans. Please see Fr. Jay to learn more.

### **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.

### PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE AND INSTAGRAM

Did you know that both of our parish has a Face-book 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".

## 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.

## **ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

#### BIBLE STUDY

Our Bible Study, led by Director of Adult Faith Formation, Jean Revil, will take place on Tuesdays, at 9:30AM and 7PM at St. Joseph's school, focusing on the following week's readings.

### **MY PARISH APP**

Our new St. Joseph & St. Michael Parish app is now avail-able to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and the ability to quickly reply to or share messages via Facebook or Twitter. Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for myparish, or by texting the word APP to 88202 from your smart phone. Download the App, and select —St. Joseph and St. Michael Parish App from the list of available parishes.

### **GETTING MORE OUT OF FAITH**

Deacon Paul leads a study group for those searching to get more out of their faith. Through Scripture stories, commentary, and questions for reflection and discussion, we'll learn how to receive the freedom and the new life Jesus died to give us. These sessions take place every Monday at 10AM. Any questions please contact Deacon Paul.

#### LIGHTHOUSE MEDIA

You will notice at the main entrance of the Church a display class with CDs from Lighthouse Media. These are inspiration and education CDs from well known Catholic Speakers to help each of us learn more about and grow in our faith. Each CD is only \$3. These are great for listening in the car on the way to work, or to give as a small gift to someone who might need some encouragement in their faith.

## **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

There is a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joseph's every Tuesday night from 6-7pm, confessions are available at this time. Please consider stop-ping by to make a visit to our Lord, present to us in the Most Holy Eucharist. Adoration is also available at St. Michael's Church on Wednesdays from 9:00am until Benediction at 5:30pm.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

God's mercy is one of His greatest gifts to us. If you would like to "go to confession," the schedule is as follows. Tuesday from 6-7PM at St. Joseph's Church, Wednesday from 5-5:30PM at St. Michael's Church, Saturday from 9:30-10:30AM at St. Joseph's Church and 3-3:45PM at St. Michael's Church.

## SAINT MICHAEL SCHOOL



### ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

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



## **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, August 3rd—Vigil Mass

<u>5:15PM</u>—Joseph Rodrigues

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

7:00PM—Marie C. Perry

10:45AM—Morris Sutton

Tuesday, August 6th—Transfiguration of the Lord

9:00AM—Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Silva

Thursday, August 8th—St. Dominic

9:00AM—Eduardo J. Costa

Saturday, August 10th—St. Lawrence

9:00AM—For the People of our Parish

Saturday, August 10th—Vigil Mass

5:15PM—Manuel H. Barbosa

Sunday, August 11th—19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM—John Perry

<u>10:45AM</u>—In Memory of those who died in July, especially Virginia Rebello

### **SANCTUARY CANDLE**

In Memory of
A Special Intention

### **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 com-pletely 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 27-28, 2019

First Collection: \$2,009.00 Diocesan Assessment Collection: \$933.00

Next week's Second Collection:

Peter's Pence

(Transferred to Diocese)

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Peter's Pence

(Transferred to Diocese)

### **Mass Intentions**

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

<u>12:00PM</u>—NO MASS

Monday, August 5th—

9:00AM—Hermano Alves e familia

Wednesday, August 7th—St. Sixtus

8:30AM—For our Parish and School Community

Friday, August 9th—St. Teresa Benedicta

9:00AM—Silvana Barreira e familia

Saturday, August 10th—Vigil Mass

4:00PM—Eva and Gilbert Mello and family

Sunday, August 11th—19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30AM—In memory of those who died in July, especially Octavio A. Raposo and Fr. Luciano Pereira 12:00PM—Jose Cabral Revoredo, Mariano Sousa, Gabriel Sousa

## **SANCTUARY LAMP**

Em Memoria de Julio e Francelina Moniz E familia

## **CHAPEL LAMP**

Em Memoria de Todos os defuntos Da Paróquia de São Miguel

### CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

July 27-28, 2019

First Collection: \$3,318.00 Feast of St. Michael: \$1,421.00

This week's Second Collection:

Peter's Pence

(Transferred to Diocese)

Next week's Second Collection:

Peter's Pence

(Transferred to Diocese)

### **SOPA AOS POBRES**

O próximo jantar das sopas para os pobres será realizado no Sábado, 18 de Agosto 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.

## "BOX TOPS" PARA EDUCAÇÃO

Podem ter notado na entrada da nossa igreja, uma caixa plastica com a placa dos "Box Tops". Certos produtos de mercearia, tais como cereais, manteiga, suprimentos e muito mais têm "Box Tops" sobre eles. Por favor, corte-os para fora e devolvê-los nesta caixa para fazer uma doação para St. Michael's School.

### **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 es-critório ou depois das missas. Para ser padrinho é necessário ser um paroquiano registrado e ser con-firmado, assistir à missa regularmente, ter um casamento válido (pela igreja) e viver uma vida moralmente boa.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

## MISSA DA ASSUNÇÃO

Quarta-Feira, 14 de Agosto Igreja de São Miguel 7:00PM—Portuguese Com procissão das velas

**Quinta-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.

## 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 Sabado, 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.