

ST. MICHAEL & ST. JOSEPH PARISHES



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 Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00AM-3:00PM Friday 9:00AM-12:00PM

<u>ADORATION</u>	<u>HOLY MASS</u>		<u>CONFESSION</u>
<p><u>St. Michael's</u></p> <p>Daily Adoration Chapel Open 8AM-8PM</p> <p><u>St. Joseph's</u></p> <p>Tuesdays 6:00-7:00PM 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 (Eng) 9AM Wednesday (Eng) 8:30AM Friday (Port) 9AM</p> <p><u>Weekends</u> Saturday 4:00PM (Eng) Sunday 9:30AM (Eng) 12PM (Port) 7PM (Eng)</p>	<p><u>St. Michael's</u></p> <p>Wednesdays 5-5:30PM Saturday 3-3:30PM</p> <p><u>St. Joseph's</u></p> <p>Tuesdays 6-6:45PM Saturday 9:30-10:30AM</p> <p>Any time by appointment.</p>

OCTOBER 3, 2021

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

PARISH STAFF

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Mr. Daniel Marshall, Music Director [dmarshall@musician.org]

RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Congratulations to Austin Isidoro who was recently baptized at St. Joseph's parish. With great joy, we welcome him into the Catholic Church and our parish community. Anyone interested in having their child baptized, should speak with Fr. Jay or call the office.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

If you or someone you know is homebound, ill or unable to attend Mass, and would like to receive Holy Communion, please call the parish office to schedule a home visit. Remember to keep those of our parishioners that are ill or homebound in your prayers.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES

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

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| October 4th | - Study Group, 10AM
- Confirmation Gr. 8, 6:30PM (SM) |
| October 5th | - Bible Study, 9:30AM & 7PM (SJ)
- Adoration/Confessions, 6-7PM (SJ)
- CYO Registration, 6:30PM (SM) |
| October 6th | - Confessions, 5-5:30PM (SM)
- Rel. Ed., Grades 1-7, 6:15PM (SJ) |
| October 9th | - Soup Kitchen, 4:30PM |
| October 10th | - Second Sunday Social, (SJ)
after all Masses |

MASS INTENTIONS OPEN THIS WEEK

This Mass book for January through June of 2022 will open on October 6th. To schedule Mass intentions, please contact the Parish Office on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday of that week.

WHAT ARE MASS INTENTIONS?

At each Mass, during the Prayer of the Faithful, we hear that prayers are requested at this Mass for... This is referred to as a "Mass Intention." This means that this Mass is being offered for the repose of the soul of someone who has died, or for the special intentions of someone who is still living but requesting prayers for a particular intention. If you would like a Mass offered for someone that you have lost, particularly on the anniversary of their death or birthday, please call the parish office to schedule that Mass.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome new parishioners David Rego to St. Joseph's Church and Nicole Miranda and Zachary Auriemma to St. Michael's Church. If you would like to register at our parishes, please contact the parish office.

CHURCH CLOSED OCTOBER 18-22

Our churches will both be closed from Monday, October 18th through Friday, October 22nd due to annual floor maintenance. There will be no daily Mass, funerals, Adoration or confessions. Thank you for your understanding.

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONTH OF MARY AND ROSARY

October is a month dedicated to devotion to our Blessed Mother Mary. Traditionally during this month, we make an effort to pray the rosary each day. It is a great way to reflect upon the mysteries of our Lord's life as seen through the eyes of our Lady. I encourage all parishioners to pray the rosary together as a family, remembering that the family that prays together stays together. May our Blessed Mother intercede for our parishes, leading back to the faith and worthy reception of the sacraments.

PIES AND COOKIES SALE

St. Michael School has begun its annual Pies and Cookies sale. The sale will continue through October 8th and all pies and cookies will be delivered before Thanksgiving. If you would like to place an order, please contact the family of a student you know or our school office. We appreciate your support.

BOY SCOUTS

The local Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts Packs will be meeting at St. Joseph's School Hall, Thursday, October 7th from 6-7PM. There are Packs for children ages 5-10 (grades K-5) and ages 11-18 (grades 6-12). For more information, email bsatroup15fr@gmail.com

YOUTH GROUP KICK OFF

Our High School Youth Group (grades 8-12) will meet Friday, October 22nd at 7PM at St. Michael's Hall for a night of fun, games and pizza. For more information, contact the parish office.

REGISTER TO RECEIVE EMAILS

Each Friday, Fr. Jay sends an email to parishioners with articles, videos and parish news. Sign up below to receive these emails. Stay connected to our parishes and sign up to receive communications via email. Please sign up for our messaging service by texting the code "SMSJFR" to 84576 or by returning the form below by mail to the parish office, or in the weekly collection basket. To join online, visit the following URL:

StMichaelStJosephFR.flocknote.com/everyone

NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____

CHOIR HAS RESUMED

St. Joseph's adult choir, which sings for our 10:45AM has resumed and rehearsals are on Tuesdays from 6:15-7:30PM. For more information, contact our Music Director, Daniel Marshall at dmarshall@muscian.org. Sign up directly at <https://bit.ly/3mcllSe>

BISHOP CONNOLLY OPEN HOUSE

Bishop Connolly High School will host two OPEN HOUSE 2021 events for prospective families this fall: Sunday, October 17 from 1 to 3 p.m., and Thursday, November 4 from 5 to 8 p.m. BCHS is an AP Capstone Diploma School that prepares every student for college success--meet our faculty and students to learn more! For event details or to apply online, visit BishopConnolly.com.

BIBLES, ROSARIES AND RELIGIOUS ITEMS

Every family should have a bible in their home. If you don't and would like one, we have some available in the parish office for only \$20, available in both English and Portuguese. There are various other religious items available as well, including St. Michael Rosary ring key chains.

LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD

The Massachusetts State Legislature is considering passing two troubling bills this session which would legalize Physician Assisted Suicide. The bills, House 2381 and Senate 1384 are identical and titled "An Act relative to end of life options." Call or email your legislators, let them know you are a voter and say NO to Physician Assisted Suicide. For more information, log on to www.macatholic.org for more information.

CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

All children in grades 3-8 are invited to register for CYO Basketball on Tuesday, Oct. 5th at 6:30PM at St. Michael's Hall. The registration fee is \$50. Games are

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Michael's Church

Daily Adoration Chapel -

Daily from 8AM-8PM

St. Joseph's Church

Eucharistic Holy Hour with Confessions

Tuesday - 6-7PM

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

In preparation for our 150th Anniversary at St. Joseph's, we have begun some restoration work on the exterior of both our church and our parish office building. As explained in the letter by Fr. Jay, we will be having a capital campaign to raise \$250,000 over the next two years. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our past and prepare for the future. It is also a wonderful opportunity to memorialize our loved ones. A memorial plaque will be dedicated at the end of the campaign to honor all major benefactors. Memorial plaques will be made for donations of: \$25,000, \$10,000, \$5,000, and \$1,000.

Total raised \$34,075.

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. If you have any questions or concerns about the program, contact the parish office. To enroll in Online Giving, please visit:

St. Joseph's: stjosephschurchfr.weshareonline.org

St. Michael's: smpfr.weshareonline.org

SOUP KITCHEN AND VOLUNTEERS

Our Soup Kitchen will resume on Saturday, October 9th serving a hot meal to those in need at 5PM. If you would like to volunteer at our soup kitchen, please contact the parish office to fill out CORI paperwork for the Diocesan Office of Safe Environment.

SECOND SUNDAY SOCIAL

On the Second Sunday of each month, refreshments are offered in St. Joseph's parish hall to build community among parishioners. Stop by after the Sunday Morning Masses for pastry and coffee and fellowship. Join us October 10th after 7AM and 10:45AM Masses in the parish hall.

ANNUAL PROCESSION FOR PEACE

The Annual Procession for Peace will begin at the area of St. Anne's Church/Kennedy Park at 5:30PM, departing around 6PM and arriving at St. Mary's Cathedral at 7PM. Mass will begin at 7PM.

SUNDAY MASS AT 7PM

Our Sunday evening 7PM Mass has resumed.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

ADULTS WHO NEED BAPTISM/CONFIRMATION

RCIA is for any adult over the age of 18 who desires Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation, or for an adult who may have been baptized but did not receive the Sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation. These classes will be open to all parishioners seeking a deep formation of faith. For more information, please contact Director of Adult Faith Formation at jreвил@comcast.net

KNOW YOUR FAITH

Join Deacon Paul every Monday morning at 10AM at St. Joseph's School. Through the use of DVDs, videos, commentary and questions for reflection and discussion, we'll learn how to become the saints we were created to be.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION SERIES

Beginning this Fall, Jean Revil, Director of Adult Faith Formation will be presenting on a number of topics to help our parishioners grow in their knowledge of the Catholic Faith. I encourage you to attend these nights and learn more about your faith. Each session will be held at St. Joseph's parish hall beginning at 6:30pm.



Adult Faith Formation Series

Presented by Jean Revil
Director of Adult Faith Formation
Wednesdays at 6:30PM
St. Joseph School

October 20th - Called to be Saints

December 1st - Parents as Teachers
of the Faith

January 12th - Science and Religion

February 9th - The Eucharist - True Presence

March 9th - The Gift of Reconciliation

April 27th - Why a Church?

ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL



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Instagram: [saint_michael_school](https://www.instagram.com/saint_michael_school)

ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

St. Michael's school has now begun its 2021-2022 school year. Our pre-school program takes students ages 3 and 4, and there are limited spots available. To schedule a tour, please call the school office today 508.678.0266 or speak directly with Fr. Jay.

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.

SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP - MARY WICK

As we prepare for the upcoming school year at St. Michael's, and in light of the fact that we have not had many of our regular parish fundraisers, I want to take the opportunity to humbly ask your assistance in making a donation to our scholarship fund (in Memory of Mrs. Mary Wick) that allows the parish to provide financial assistance to families who want their children in our parish school. You can put an envelope in the collection box entitled "Scholarship" or give it directly to Fr. Jay. Please speak with Fr. Jay if you have any questions. We very much appreciate your support! Thank you!

Religious Education News

Grades 1-7, Class

Wednesday, October 6th - 6:15-7:35PM

St. Joseph's School

Grades 1-7, Class

Wednesday, October 13th - 6:15-7:35PM

St. Joseph's School

Confirmation Grade 8 Class

Monday, October 4th - 6:30PM-8:30PM

Confirmation Grade 9 Class

Monday, October 18th - 6:30-8:30PM

St. Michael's Hall

For more information about Religious Education Grades 1-7, contact Lisa Ouellette at 508.567.3638.

For more information about our Confirmation program, please contact Ana Lucy Mello at 508.494.3916.

If you have not yet registered your child for Religious Education, please do so by contacting the Religious Education Coordinator as soon as possible.

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Websites:

www.smpfr.org

www.stjosephschurchfr.com

Fr. Jay's Blog:

fatherjaymello.wordpress.com

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 2nd - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Bob Tyrrell, 3rd Anniversary

Sunday, October 3 - 27th Sunday Ordinary Time

7:00AM - Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Frias

10:45AM - For those who died in September, especially Richard Proulx Gabriel Andrade and David Thiboutot

Tuesday, October 5th - Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos

9:00AM - George Lavoie

Thursday, October 7th - Our Lady of the Rosary

9:00AM - Antonio Ferreira

Saturday, October 9th - St. Denis

9:00AM - Richard Mullensky

Saturday, October 9th - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Gilberto Vieira

Sunday, October 10th - 28 Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM - Robert Moore, 4th Anniversary

10:45AM - Gloria DeMello

SANCTUARY LAMPS

St. Joseph's - Bob Tyrrell

St. Michael's - Joao Oliveira Pavao

Blessed Sacrament Chapel - Deborah Maciel

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

September 25-26, 2021

First Collection: \$4,056.00

Cardinal Medeiros Residence: \$ 758.00

Next week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Collection
(Non-Assessable)

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH'S

September 25-26, 2021

First Collection: \$3,269.00

Cardinal Medeiros Residence: \$ 476.00

Next week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Collection
(Non-Assessable)

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 2nd - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - Maria Roveredo, Richard Powell, Maria Conceição and Antonio Torres, Gus Gonsalves and family, Moises Camara, Jaime Pereira and family, Belmira Carreiro, Manuel Pereira and family, Robert Botelho, Lydia Gonsalves, Maria Sousa, John W. Gardener, Theodore Bernier, Lisa Marie Vultão

Sunday, October 3rd - 27 Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM - For those who died in September, especially Dulce Valentim, Jean Covell, Carlos M. Viveiros and Virginia Rego

12:00PM - Nelson Mateus, Jose Domingos Cabral, Frank Cabral e familia, Maria Moniz, João e Maria Hermenegildo e familia, Eugenia Albernaz, Frank Albernaz, Marcelino, Maria, Daniel Furtado, Marcelina Costa, Manuel Pavao, Olivia Garcia, Albertina Cabral e familia, John Da Silva, Agostinho, Maria de Paixão, João Augusto, and Antonio Tavares, Beatriz Oliveira, Jose Pacheco, Gil Maiato, Jose Gouveia, Manuel e Maria Tavares, Jose Creador, Maria Moniz, Manuel Pavao, Olivia Garcia, Albertina Cabral e familia, Joao e Maria Hermenegildo e familia, Joao Oliveira, Intenções de Manuel e Herminia Tavares, e Lorena Oliveira

7:00PM - Louis Cabral

Monday, October 4 - St. Francis of Assisi

9:00AM - Joao Borges

Wednesday, October 6th - St. Bruno

8:30AM - For the Parish and School Community

Friday, October 8th

9:00AM - Pela Alma mais Affita

Saturday, October 9th - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - Jose and Diamantina Amaral

Sunday, October 10 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM - Lurdes Duarte, Rosa Moniz, Maria de Gloria Reis, Taylor Reis, Genoveva & Alfredo Furtado, Isaura DoRego, Angelo M. Furtado, Jose and Diamantina DoRego, Natalia Silva, Jeffrey Martins, Maddox Almeida, Margarida Resendes, Maria and Manuel H. Barbosa, Joao Andrade, Francisco Carlos, Everett & Carol Ann Medeiros, Antonio & Constantino Medeiros, Francisco Carvalho, Jose Creador, Manuel and Maria dos Anjos Tavares, Jacinto and Maria dos Anjos Creador, Pedro & Melanie Creador

12:00PM - Eugenia Albernaz, Frank Albernaz, John D. Carvalho, intenções da familia

7:00PM - Peter C. Rego

SAGRADA COMUNHÃO E MASCARAS

Mascaras para os vacinados não serão mais necessários, embora as pessoas devam se sentir confortáveis para fazer o que acharem melhor. Mais uma vez, peço que quem usa máscara a tire antes de receber a Sagrada Comunhão, para não correr o risco de deixar cair a Hóstia Sagrada. Agora temos permissão para usar nossos hinários / missaletes para as leituras e música e, portanto, não teremos mais ajudas de adoração online. Água benta foi colocada de volta nas fontes e todos são convidados a retornar à prática normal de se abençoar ao entrar e sair da igreja.

SINAL DE PAZ

O Sinal da Paz foi suspenso e todos são respeitosamente solicitados a temer qualquer forma do Sinal da Paz e a rezar / cantar o “Cordeiro de Deus”.

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.

MATRICULAS PARA A ESCOLA

Ainda há lugar para matricular a sua criança na escola paroquial. O espaço é limitado e são preenchido por ordem de chegada. Se deseja que seu filho seja registrado na Escola de São Miguel, ligue para a secretaria da escola o mais rápido possível, pois as vagas são preenchidas rapidamente.

MISSA DE DOMINGO ÀS 7PM

Nossa missa das 7 horas da noite no Domingo recomeçou.

BISHOP CONNOLLY CASA ABERTA

No Bishop Connolly High School haverá dois eventos “OPEN HOUSE” 2021 para famílias neste outono: Domingo, 17 de Outubro, da 1 hora da tarde às 3 da tarde, e Quinta-Feira, 4 de Novembro, das 5 até às 8 da noite. BCHS é uma Escola de Diploma AP Capstone que prepara todos os alunos para o sucesso - conheça nosso corpo docente e alunos para aprender mais! Para detalhes do evento ou para se inscrever online, visite BishopConnolly.com.

IGREJA FECHADA

Nossas igrejas estarão fechadas de Segunda-Feira, 18 de Outubro a Sexta-Feira, 22 de Outubro devido à manutenção do piso e da igreja. Caso tenha sido solicitada a missa para esta semana, contacte o escritório para reagendar as suas intenções. Obrigado pela sua compreensão.

ADULTOS QUE PRECISAM DE SACRAMENTOS

O Rito de Iniciação Cristã de Adultos (RCIA) é o processo pelo qual um adulto se torna um membro pleno da Igreja Católica. Se você, ou alguém que conhece, gostaria de explorar a possibilidade de se unir à Igreja Católica através dos Sacramentos do Batismo, Primeira Comunhão e Confirmação, entre em contato com a Diretora de Formação de Fé para Adultos, Jean Revil em jrevil@comcast.net para se registrar para as aulas ou para buscar mais informações.

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 vídeos 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

LIVRO DE INTENÇÕES DE MISSA

O livro de intenções de Missa para a primeira parte de 2022 (de Janeiro a Junho) abre no dia 6 de Outubro. Entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia para pedir Missas e reservar as Lâmpadas do Santuário e a Capela.

QUAIS SÃO INTENÇÕES DE MISSAS?

Em cada Missa, durante a Oração dos Fiéis, ou-vimos que as preces são solicitadas nesta Missa para ... Isto é referido como uma "Intenção de Missa". Isso significa que esta Missa está sendo oferecida para o repouso da alma de alguém que morreu, ou para as intenções especiais de alguém que ainda está vivendo, mas solicitando orações por uma intenção particular. Se gostaria de uma missa oferecida por alguém que perdeu, particularmente no aniversário da sua morte ou aniversário, por favor, ligue para o escritório paroquial para marcar a Missa. Lembre-se, a melhor coisa que podemos fazer por alguém que morreu é oração por eles, e a missa é a maior de todas as orações.