

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) 7:00PM (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>

APRIL 11, 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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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

This Sunday, the church celebrates Divine Mercy Sunday. We recall our Lord's Revelation to St. Faustina and the call to conversion to each of us. Each year, on the first Sunday after Easter, we beg the Lord's mercy and pray for the grace of conversion. There will be small Divine Mercy Sunday booklets in the back of the church to learn more about this great devotion and also to learn more about the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. The chaplet is traditionally prayed each day at 3pm, the hour on which our Lord died on the cross.

POPE ST. PIUS X AWARD

Congratulations to Rylee Klein of St. Joseph's Church and Jacob DoRego of St. Michael's Church who were awarded the Pope St. Pius X Award this year. Rylee and Jacob are both active participants in various parish activities. The award ceremony and prayer service will be held on Tuesday, May 11th at 7PM at St. Mary's Cathedral.

MASS INTENTIONS OPEN SOON

This Mass book for July through December of 2021 will open on Wednesday, April 14th. To schedule Mass intentions, please contact the Parish Office on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday of this 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. Remember, the greatest thing that we can do for someone who has died is to pray for them, and the Mass is the greatest of all prayers.

PENSÕES NOW AVAILABLE

Every year, an opportunity to support the Holy Ghost Feast is available, by providing a donation and receiving meat, sweet bread, bread and wine. A Small Pensão is \$40. A larger Pensão is available, with larger portions, and a gift from our Mordomos, Michael and Shanna Lubold. The Pensão de "Criador" is \$250. Due to the pandemic, the pensões this year will be for pick up only on Friday, May 21st from 5-7PM and Saturday, May 22nd from 8AM-2PM. Please contact Shanna at 774.37.1351, Venilia at 508.677.3223, or the parish office for more information.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES

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

April 13th - Bible Study, 9:30AM, 7PM (SJ)

- Adoration and Confessions,
6-7PM (SJ)

April 14th - Confessions, 5-5:30PM (SM)

- Rel. Ed. Groups 1B & 2A, 6-7PM (SJ)

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

HOLY GHOST FEAST UPDATE

Due to the Pandemic and current restrictions in place, our current Holy Ghost Dominga and Mordomos will continue for an additional year of service for our parish. This year, they will be praying with their families in their homes during their weeks, but the traditional processions and crownings will not take place.

SIGN UP FOR PARISH EMAILS AND TEXTS

Stay connected to our parishes and sign up to receive communications via email and text. Please sign up for our messaging service by texting the code "SMSJFR" to 84576. To join online, visit the following URL: StMichaelStJosephFR.flocknote.com/everyone

FOLLOWING GUIDELINES AT MASS

We ask that you please review our guidelines for opening our churches during the current health situation, and continued to wear your masks and observe social distancing. Please use hand sanitizer upon entrance and exit of church, as well as before and after receiving Holy Communion. Please refrain from any form of the Sign of Peace. Please use only center aisle for Communion.

ST. JOSEPH'S ORGAN FUND

The organ at St. Joseph's Church is preparing for the third phase of repairs. We would like to thank those who generously gave to their project. To date, **\$13,132** of \$17,500.00 has been raised. You may notice that the total of this fund has been reduced due to regular maintenance and tuning of the organ. If you would like to make a contribution to this effort, there are envelopes at the main entrance of the church.

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.

Visit: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/042106670>

CRISIS PREGNANCY CENTER

"A Woman's Concern" is a dedicated team of professionals ready to assist mothers, fathers and families during every stage of pregnancy, offering counseling, screenings and access to medical professionals and assistance. They also provide support to help when dealing with the pain of abortion. If you are in need of someone to talk to about a pregnancy, or in dealing with the pain of abortion, call 508.997.3300.

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. For more information, please see Jean Revil or Fr. Jay.

MY PARISH APP

Our new St. Joseph & St. Michael Parish app is now available 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.

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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.

20 WEEK CLUB

St. Michael and St. Joseph Church 20 Week Club begins Sunday, March 29th and runs for 20 weeks.

Each week, a \$30 winner will be drawn.
Grand prizes at the end of the 20 weeks!

\$60 per entry, many chances to win!

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

NUMBER OF ENTRIES: _____

PAID VIA CHECK OR CASH: _____

Return this form to the Parish Office as soon as possible to be eligible for all the drawings.

ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL



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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.

ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

St. Michael's school is now planning for the 2021-2022 school year. Our pre-school program takes students ages 3 and 4, but space is limited. To schedule a tour, please call the school office today 508.678.0266 or speak directly with Fr. Jay. More information about an Open House will be forthcoming. Financial assistance is available.

DANCE-A-THON FUNDRAISER

Our school will be hosting its first ever Dance-A-Thon on Friday, April 16th. Classes will participate in a school wide dance event, promoting a healthy active lifestyle that encourages growth in character and strength. If you would like to support SMS Dance-a-thon, donations can be made out to St. Michael School - Dance-A-Thon.

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!

Religious Education Program Grades 1-7

Grades 1B & 2A

Wednesday, April 14th - 6-7PM

St. Joseph's Parish Center

Grades 3-7

Remote Class - Week 20

First Holy Communion - St. Michael School

Saturday, May 1st - 11AM

St. Michael Church

First Holy Communion - St. Michael Rel Ed

Saturday, May 8th - 11AM

St. Michael Church

First Holy Communion - St. Joseph Rel Ed

Saturday, May 15th - 11AM

St. Joseph Church

Students must sign in at Mass each week. If the student attends Mass outside of our parishes, please collect a bulletin and have the pastor sign and date the bulletin.

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

Grade 9 Confirmation Rehearsal

Tuesday, April 27th - 7PM

St. Michael's Church

Grade 9 Confirmation

Wednesday, April 28th - 7PM

St. Michael's Church

If you have any questions, please contact the Director of Religious Education, Ana Lucy Mello at analuciamello910@gmail.com

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 10th - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Olive Coroa Tyrrell

Sunday, April 11th - Second Sunday of Easter

7:00AM - Jose C. and Mary Oliveira

10:45AM - For those who died in March, especially Josephine Hamel

Tuesday, April 13th - St. Martin I

9:00AM - John and Gertrude Lawrence

Thursday, April 15th

9:00AM - Matilde Diogo Miranda, David Cordeiro Miranda, Joseph Cordeiro Miranda, Leonardo Miranda

Saturday, April 17th

9:00AM - Jose F. Moniz

Saturday, April 17th - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Antonio V. Amaral

Sunday, April 18th - 3rd Sunday of Easter

7:00AM - For the People of our Parish

10:45AM - Anna and Joseph Machado

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 10th - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - Richard Powell

Sunday, April 11th - Second Sunday of Easter

9:30AM - For those who died in March, especially Maria Barroso, Jose deSousa, Everett Medeiros, Carmina Machado

12:00PM - Pela familia Vieira, e seus defuntos

7:00PM - João daSilva, Jacinto and Angelina Silva, Agostinho and Paixão Silva, Alex Silva, Angela Coimbra and family, in honor of St. Anthony, for all Souls in Purgatory

Monday, April 12th

9:00AM - For all Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, April 14th

8:30AM - For our Parish and School Community

Friday, April 16th

9:00AM - João O. Pavão e familia

Saturday, April 17th - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - Antonio F. Cabral, Jose and Umbrazinha Carvalho and family, Richard Powell, Maria Conceicao and Antonio Torres, William Cabral, Michael and Helen Aguiar, Leontina Bizarro, Antonio Ambrosio, Gregory S. Correia Jr., Abel Teves, John D. Carvalho, Marcolino, Maria de Jesus, Hermano Teves, Silvino Estrela, John DaSilva, Rev. Augustine Tavares, Peter C. Rego, Manuel Camara, Conceicao and Jose Camara, Manuel Farias, Jose, Belmira, Jose, Antonio, Joao, in honor of St. Anthony

Sunday, April 18th - 3rd Sunday of Easter

9:30AM - Jose and Diamantina Rego, Natalia Silva, Jeffrey Martins

12:00PM - Pelos Jovens da paroquia

7:00PM - Abel Teves

SANCTUARY LAMPS

St. Joseph's - Margaret and George Arruda

St. Michael's - Intentions of Isabel and Carlos Duarte

Blessed Sacrament Chapel - Gabriel Sousa, Lucina Medeiros

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH'S

April 3-4, 2021

First Collection: \$3,766.00

Retired and Infirm Priests Collection: \$ 416.00

This week's Second Collection:

Diocesan Assessment Collection
(Non-Assessable)

Next week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Collection
(Non-Assessable)

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

April 3-4, 2021

First Collection: \$4,457.00

Retired and Infirm Priests Collection: \$ 552.00

This week's Second Collection:

Monthly School Collection
(Transferred to School)

Next week's Second Collection:

Church Maintenance Collection
(Non-Assessable)

LIVRO DE INTENÇÕES DE MISSA

O livro de intenções de Missa para a segunda parte de 2021 (de Julho a Dezembro) será aberto na Quarta-Feira, dia 14 de Abril. 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.

COLETAS SEMANAIS

Como as pessoas continuam voltando para a missa a cada semana, as pessoas estão continuamente perguntando sobre a coleta que normalmente ocorre durante o ofertório. Por causa das restrições da Covid, atualmente não temos colecionadores indo de banco em banco para as duas coleções, mas em vez disso temos uma "caixa de coleta" na entrada da igreja bem ao lado da fonte de água benta. Também podem fazer as suas doações online. Continuamos gratos pelo seu apoio generoso à paróquia, especialmente durante esta crise em que não pudemos ter nossos angariadores de fundos regulares que nos ajudam a manter e administrar nossas paróquias.

INFORMAÇÕES DO ESPIRITO SANTO

Devido à pandemia e às restrições atuais, as Domingas e Mordomos do Espírito Santo continuarão por mais um ano de serviço em nossa paróquia. Este ano, eles estarão rezando com suas famílias em suas casas durante as semanas, mas as tradicionais procissões e coroações não acontecerão devido a pandemia.

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. Este ano devido ao pandemia, os pensões são para levantar fora no dia 21 de Maio entre 5-7PM e no dia 22 de Maio, entre . Pensões são \$40 cada. Para mais informações, entre em contato com Shanna no 774.437.1351, Venilia no 508.677.3223, ou entre em contato com o escritório da paróquia.

SEGUINDO DIRETRIZES EM MISSA

Pedimos que reveja nossas diretrizes para abrir nossas igrejas durante a atual situação de saúde, e continue a usar suas máscaras e observar o distanciamento social. Use desinfetante para as mãos na entrada e saída da igreja, bem como antes e depois de receber a Sagrada Comunhão. Abstenha-se de qualquer forma do Sinal da Paz. Por favor, use somente o corredor central para a comunhão.

CLUBE 20 SEMANAS

Juntas, as paróquias de São Miguel e São José terão um Clube de 20 semanas. O clube estará começando no dia 2 de Maio até dia 12 de Setembro com um prêmio semanal de \$30 e um sorteio dos grandes prêmios no final do período. Não precisa ser paroquiano para participar. AS formas para entrar no sorteio estão na entrada da igreja e pode ser enviada pelo correio, ou a caixa da coleta.

DIVINA MISERICÓRDIA

Neste domingo, a igreja celebra o Domingo da Divina Misericórdia. Recordamos a Revelação de Nosso Senhor a Santa Faustina e o apelo à conversão de cada um de nós. Todos os anos, no primeiro domingo após a Páscoa, pedimos a misericórdia do Senhor e oramos pela graça da conversão. Haverá pequenos livrinhos do Domingo da Divina Misericórdia na parte de trás da igreja para aprender mais sobre esta grande devoção e também para aprender mais sobre o Grinaldo da Divina Misericórdia. A coroa é tradicionalmente rezada todos os dias às 3 da tarde, a hora em que nosso Senhor morreu na cruz.

ADORAÇÃO EUCARISTICA

Igreja de S. Miguel Capela
Aberta diariamente - 8AM-8PM

Igreja de S. José
Hora Santa de Adoração e Confissões
6-7PM