

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>**No 7PM Mass until September 12th**</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)</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>

JUNE 20, 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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PAINTING OF CHURCH AND RECTORY

As I am sure many of you have noticed, the church (roof trim, doors and windows) and rectory are in desperate need of maintenance and painting. I have met with contractors and members of the parish finance committee and it was decided that the project would begin this August. Obviously a project of this size will take a few weeks and will be quite expensive. As I mentioned at all Masses last weekend, we will be beginning a capital campaign for this project and other small projects in preparation for our 150th anniversary of our parish in 2023. As we have seen so many of our city churches fall into disrepair and close, it is so important that we do complete this project in a timely manner. I know that I can count on your generous support. In the coming weeks, you will be receiving a letter from me about this upcoming campaign.

OBLIGATION TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS

Aware that the opportunity to participate in Sunday Mass is increasingly available and increasingly safe for our Catholic people, we are joining dioceses in the Boston Province, (Boston, Fall River, Springfield, Manchester, and Portland) in lifting the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Day Mass obligation, effective the weekend of June 19 and 20, 2021. This obligation does not apply to those who are ill; those who have been recently exposed to COVID or any other communicable illness; those who are confined to their homes or to hospitals or other facilities due to illness, infirmity, frailty, or age; and those who are not yet able to be vaccinated, due to age or any health consideration. Parishioners should consult their local pastor if they have questions about the obligation.

PRAYER FOR FATHERS

God our Father, we give You thanks and praise for fathers young and old. We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; may they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice. We pray for our own fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering; may they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow. We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with their fatherly love and advice. We remember fathers, grandfathers and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISHES

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

June 21st - Study Group, 10AM (SJ)

June 22nd - Bible Study, 9:30AM, 7PM (SJ)
- Adoration and Confessions, 6-7PM (SJ)

June 23rd - Confessions, 5-5:30PM (SM)

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

BRICK REPOINTING AT ST. MICHAEL’S

The repointing of the bricks on the Eastern side of the St. Michaels Church building began last week and almost complete. The important maintenance project cost us approximately \$10,000 and we collected about \$3,000. I once again ask your support of this important project. Please put any donations in an envelope marks "BRICKS" and place in the weekly collection basket or mail to the office.

ORGAN FUND RESTORATION

We are very close to reaching our goal of \$17,500 for the next phase of restoration of our organ. We need approximately \$1,000 more before we can begin this necessary project. Thank you for your generosity.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

The Catholic Charities Appeal will end June 30th. Last year, we raised \$12,280 at St. Josephs and \$22,325 at St. Michael’s. To date, **\$10,175** has been raised at St. Joseph’s and **\$9,971** has been raised at St. Michael’s. Thank you for your generous contributions.

RECENTLY MARRIED

Congratulations to Kyle Lopes and Carina Paz who were recently married at St. Michael’s Church. May the Lord grant them a happy and holy marriage! Anyone interested in getting married, or having their civil marriages blessed by the Church, they should see Fr. Jay or call the rectory.

RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Congratulations to Leah Faith Owsney who was recently baptized at St. Joseph’s Parish. With great joy, we welcome himm into the Catholic Church and our parish community. Anyone interested in having their child baptized, should speak with Fr. Jay or call the rectory.

REGISTER TO RECEIVE 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: _____

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS RESUMING

Beginning this weekend, the regular collection will resume as usual with collectors. We are also encouraging parishioners to utilize “*Online Giving*”. We remain grateful for your generous support of the parish.

NO SIGN OF PEACE

The Sign of Peace has been suspended and all are respectfully asked to refrain from any form of the Sign of Peace, and to pray/sing the “Lamb of God”. Thank you for your cooperation.

MASKS AND HOLY COMMUNION

Masks for those who are vaccinated will no longer be required, though people should feel comfortable to do whatever they feel is best. Again, I ask that those wearing a mask take it off before receiving Holy Communion so as to not risk dropping the Sacred Host.

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.

FEAST DONATIONS: POLAND SPRING WATER

Next weekend, we will be collecting **cases of Poland Springs Water**. Thank you again for your generosity.

20 WEEK CLUB WINNER

Congratulations to this week’s 20 Week Club winner: **Vivian Fitzgerald**. All checks will be mailed out at the end of the club.

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

SAINT MICHAEL PARISH FEAST

July 16th, 17th & 18th

FRIDAY, JULY 16TH

Food, Games
and Entertainment
from 5PM-10PM

Featuring Marc Dennis
& DJ ES Productions

SATURDAY, JULY 17TH

Food, Games
and Entertainment
from 5PM-10PM

Featuring Nadia
& DJ ES Productions

SUNDAY, JULY 18TH

Feast Mass at 9:30AM
Feast Procession at 1PM
Food, Games
and Entertainment

from 3-8PM
Featuring Banda Santa Cecilia
& Alta Ego

FEAST SET UP

Set up for the feast has begun. We are in need of many volunteers to prepare our parish feast grounds. Outdoor set-up will take place on Monday and Thursday beginning at 6PM. If you would like more information, please talk to Fr. Jay or contact the Parish Office.

HELP WITH PROCESSION

We are looking for people to walk in our procession, especially children to dress in costume, also our school students, first communion students and men to carry statues. We are in need of about 50 men to help with carrying statues. If you would like to help participate, please speak with Fr. Jay or contact the Parish Office.

PROCESSION COSTUMES

If your child is interested in walking in our annual procession as an angel or saint, please contact Liz Furtado at 508-676-9079 to schedule a fitting of their costume as soon as possible. Thank you.

RAFFLE TICKETS IN CHURCH

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. You will have a chance to win prizes of \$500, \$250 and \$100.

BOOTH SPONSORS

We are looking for sponsors for Entertainment, Kitchen and Malassada, and sponsors for each of our booths, as well as general sponsors. A person's name or company name will be printed on a large side by each of these booths, with size according to donation. Please contact Father Jay or the Parish office for more information.

VOLUNTEERS

During our feast weekend and the weeks leading up to it, there are many opportunities to assist with our parish feast. We will need volunteers for:

Set-up/clean-up: Michael Lubold (774.218.5912) or Jose Ferreira (774.644.2044)

Kitchen Help: Filomena Kuchar (508.962.5507) or Ana Resendes (508.889.0964)

Games: JoAnn Rego (508.642.7791) or Jessica Carvalho (508.493.1910)

Malassadas: Emilia Creador (508.974.2341)

PARISHIONER DONATION DRIVE

Parishioners are invited to help us gather supplies for our parish feast in an easy and unique way. When at the grocery store, consider purchasing the "item of the week", and bring it to Mass with you on that weekend. Items can also be dropped off at the parish office during normal business hours. All items will be used during our feast weekend.

Donation Schedule:

June 26th/27th - **Poland Spring bottles**

July 3rd/4th - Paper Towels/Forks/Spoons

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 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.

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.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

During the summer, the school office will be open Tuesday through Thursday, from 9AM-1PM. Please note that the office will be closed from Tuesday, June 22nd to Thursday, July 8th. If you are in need of any assistance during that time, please contact the Parish Office.



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

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AMAZON SMILE

Want to help make a difference while you shop in the Amazon app, at no extra cost to you? Simply follow the instructions below to select "St. Michael School" as your charity and activate AmazonSmile in the app. They'll donate a portion of your eligible mobile app purchases to us.

How it works:

1. Open the Amazon app on your phone,
2. Select the main menu & tap on "AmazonSmile" within Programs & Features,
3. Select "St. Michael School" as your charity
4. Follow the on-screen instructions to activate AmazonSmile in the mobile app.

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!

PRAYER OF 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,

cast into hell Satan,
and all the evil spirits,
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 19th - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Gilbert Medeiros

Sunday, June 20th - 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM - Robert Moore

10:45AM - Olive Coroa Tyrrell, John Botelho, Arthur Rezendes, Serafim Resendes

Tuesday, June 22nd - St. Paulinus

9:00AM - Gilberto Vieira

Thursday, June 24th - Nativity of St. John the Baptist

9:00AM - David Cordeiro Miranda

Saturday, June 26th

9:00AM - Albert Mullensky

Saturday, June 26th - Vigil Mass

5:15PM - Antonio Medeiros, Gilberto Vieira, Leo Hamel, Fr. George Taraska, Fr. Charles Porada, Olga Hathaway (6th Anniversary), David and Alma Bond, Virginio and Mariana Borges, Stephanie Oliveira Mello, Manuel and Diamantina Vieira

Sunday, June 27th - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM - Francisco Carvalho

10:45AM - Ralph Mello

SANCTUARY LAMPS

St. Joseph's - Olive Coroa Tyrrell

St. Michael's - Antonio Torres

Blessed Sacrament Chapel - Gertrude, Manuel,
Michael & Brian Troia

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. MICHAEL'S

June 12-13, 2021

First Collection: \$3,217.00

Monthly School Collection: \$ 674.00

Next week's Second Collection:

Diocesan Assessment Collection
(Non-Assessable)

CHURCH SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH'S

June 12-13, 2021

First Collection: \$2,358.00

Church Maintenance Collection: \$1,216.00

Next week's Second Collection:

Diocesan Assessment Collection
(Non-Assessable)

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 19th - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - Antonio F. Cabral, Bento & Maria Araujo, Richard Powell, Maria Conceição & Antonio Torres, Alberto Roveredo, Robert Botelho, William Cabral, Jose Diamantina Amaral, Michael & Helen Aguiar, Alvaro & Palmira Luciana Carvalho, Al Carvalho, João & Germana Medeiros, Connie Lavado, Leontina Bizarro, Antonio Ambrosio, Abel Teves, Eugenia Albernaz, Arturo Goncalo, Luis Silva, Maria de Jesus Aguiar, Hermano and Maria do Espirito Santo, Marcolino Teves, John D. Carvalho, Tony, Alfredo, Marciano & Maria Jose Abelha, Dos Anjos & Joao Raimundo, Kevin Chestnut, Gregory Steven Correia, Jr., Moises Camara, Dolores Larsen, Taylor Patricio, John DaSilva, Gus Gonsalves, Joao Carlos & Mariana Arruda & family, Manuel Farias, Joao, Antonio, Jose, Belmira & Jose Fonseca, John DeMedeiros & family, Agostinho Sousa

Sunday, June 20th - 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM - Theodore Bernier

12:00PM - Octavio Raposo

Monday, June 21st - St. Aloysius Gonzaga

9:00AM - João Borges

Wednesday, June 23rd

9:00AM - For our Parish and School Community

Friday, June 25th

9:00AM - Gilberto Vieira

Saturday, June 26th - Vigil Mass

4:00PM - John DaSilva

Sunday, June 27th - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM - Jose S. Mendes, Margarida Resendes, Maddox Almeida, Jose Creador, Manuel and Maria Tavares, Jacinto, Maria dos Anjos, Peter and Melanie Creador, Genoveva Furtado, Isaura Rego, Alfredo Furtado, Antonio & Mario Aguiar, Jose and Diamantina Rego, Natalia Silva, Jeffrey Martins, Manuel Ferreira, Maria Conceicao, Gabriel, Fernando and Manuel Duarte, Manuel and Maria Medeiros, Claudio, Manuel, Zelia, Amelia Furtado, Beatriz and Alvaro Viveiros, Maria do Carmo Patricio, Nashwa Holt, Manny Teves, Jaime Simas, Intentions of Natividade and Albertino Martins, Rosa Moniz, Gabriel Partricio, Robert, Joseph, Bryan, Joeson and Rhodes Creador, Lurdes Duarte, Paula Guiomar

12:00PM - Antonio Ferreira, Moises Barbosa, John D. Carvalho, Jose e Umbrazina Carvalho, Maria de Jesus e Hermano Teves, Maria do Espirito Santo Teves, Abel Teves, Marcolino Teves, Eugenia Albernaz e familia, Frank Cabral, Jose Domingos, Gilberto Vieira, Maria Dias e familia, Eduardo Medeiros

OBRIGAÇÃO DE PARTICIPAR NA MISSA

Cientes de que a oportunidade de participar da missa dominical está cada vez mais disponível e cada vez mais segura para nosso povo católico, estamos nos juntando a dioceses na província de Boston (Boston, Fall River, Springfield, Manchester e Portland) para suspender a dispensa do Domingo e Obrigação da Missa do Dia Santo, com efeitos no fim de semana de 19 e 20 de Junho de 2021. Esta obrigação não se aplica aos doentes; aqueles que foram recentemente expostos a COVID ou qualquer outra doença transmissível; aqueles que estão confinados em suas casas ou em hospitais ou outras instalações devido a doença, enfermidade, fragilidade ou idade; e aqueles que ainda não podem ser vacinados, devido à idade ou qualquer problema de saúde. Os paroquianos devem consultar seu pastor local se tiverem dúvidas sobre a obrigação.

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.

PROJETO DE RENOVAR OS TIJOLOS

A reforma dos tijolos no lado leste do prédio da Igreja de St. Michaels começou na semana passada e está quase concluída. O importante projeto de manutenção nos custou aproximadamente \$10,000 e arrecadamos cerca de \$3,000. Mais uma vez peço seu apoio a este importante projeto. Por favor, coloque as doações em um envelope com a marca "TIJOLOS" e coloque na cesta de coleta semanal ou envie pelo correio para o escritório.

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".

FESTA DE SÃO MIGUEL

16-18 DE JULHO

SEXTA-FEIRA, 16 DE JULHO

Comida, Jogos e Entretenimento entre 5-10PM
Com Marc Dennis
& DJ ES Productions

SABADO, DIA 17 DE JULHO

Comida, Jogos e Entretenimento entre 5-10PM
Com Nadia
& DJ ES Productions

DOMINGO, DIA 18 DE JULHO

Missa às 9:30AM
Procissão às 1PM
Comida, Jogos e Entretenimento entre 5-10PM
Com Banda Santa Cecilia
& Alta Ego

AJUDA DE PAROQUIANOS

Durante o nosso fim de semana de festa e nas semanas que o antecederam, existem muitas oportunidades para ajudar. Precisaremos de voluntários para:

Preparação/limpeza: Michael Lubold (774.218.5912) or Jose Ferreira (774.644.2044)

Ajuda de Cozinha: Filomena Kuchar (508.962.5507) or Ana Resendes (508.889.0964)

Jogos: JoAnn Rego (508.642.7791) or Jessica Carvalho (508.493.1910)

Malassadas: Emilia Creador (508.974.2341)

CONFIGURAÇÃO DE FESTA

A partir de 14 de junho, começaremos a preparar nossa festa paroquial e precisamos de muitos voluntários para preparar nossa festa paroquial, das 6 da tarde até 8 horas da noite. Se desejar mais informações, fale com o Fr. Jay ou contate o Escritório Paroquial.

RIFAS

Os bilhetes de rifa para a festa serão distribuídos após todas as missas nas semanas a seguir e podem ser colocados na cesta de coleta, enviados pelo correio ou devolvidos à paróquia antes da festa. Terá a chance de ganhar prêmios de \$500, \$250 e \$100.