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MASS SCHEDULE Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am

> WEEKDAY MASS Mon.—Fri. 12:10 pm

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

12:10 pm and 6:00 pm

Basilica Open For Visitation Sat.—10:00 am- 1:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Mon.—Fri. 11:00 am—11:45 am See usher for directions.

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

Mon.—Fri. 11:00 am—12:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.—Wed., Fri. 9:00 am—2:00 pm

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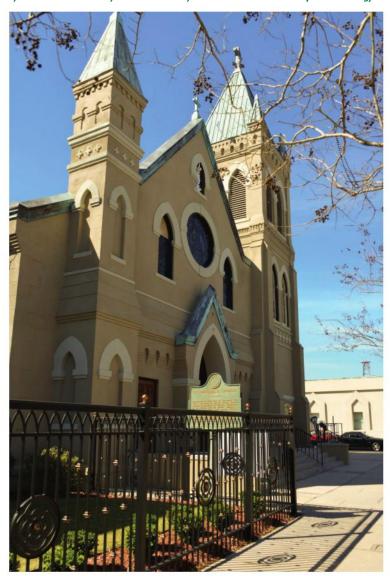
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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 15, 2024



SOCIAL MEDIA













SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

BASILICA OF ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Liturgies & Mass Intentions for the Week of September 15, 2024

9/15 Sun. 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9am For the People of the Basilica

ııam Anthony Torromeo (+)

9/16 Mon. Larry Myrick (+) Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian

9/17 Tue. Carolyn Hinton (+)

9/18 Wed. Angela Maria Rosasco (+)

9/19 Thur. Katie Wulf (+) *St. Januarius*

9/20 Fri. Frank S. Hughes (+)

Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chong Ha-sang

*This Week at the Basilica

9/15 Sun. ♦ Coffee Hour, 10 a.m.

♦ New Parishioner Orientation, 10 a.m. & 12 p.m.

9/16 Mon. A.W.C. Pack Lunches, 8 a.m.

9/18 Wed. \Quad Women's Study Group, 9 a.m.

 \Diamond Catholic Enrichment, 6 p.m.

♦ Choir Practice, 7 p.m.

9/20 Fri. ♦ Holy Hour for Life, 11 a.m.

♦ Bereavement Mass, 12:10 p.m.

9/21 Sat. \(\rightarrow \text{Liturgical Min. Retreat, 9 a.m.} \)

♦ Liturgical Min. Training, 12 p.m.

New Parishioner Orientation

All new parishioners , or those interested in joining the parish, who have not previously attended an orientation are invited to join us following both Masses TODAY, in the rectory to learn more about the parish and your participation in parish life.

CSA 2024

Updated as of September 6, 2024

| Benchmark | ••••• | \$140,000 |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Amount Giv | en | \$104,751 |
| Households | Participating | 151 |

Stewardship of Treasure for September 1, 2024

| In-Church Offering | \$5,954.00 |
|--------------------|------------|
| Online Offering | |
| Total Offertory | \$9,446.42 |

Stewardship of Treasure for September 8, 2024

| In-Church Offering | \$5,128.40 |
|--------------------|------------|
| Online Offering | \$3,259.12 |
| Total Offertory | |

"The Lord will not be outdone in generosity."

FROM FR. JOE

My dear friends, I am excited to welcome Dr. Tom Neal back to our parish this Saturday for our Liturgical ministries retreat. This Saturday, a morning retreat will be offered for those who are serving in our Liturgical ministries (Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Sacristans, Ushers, Greeters, the Altar Guild, the Guardians, and the Choir). I want to encourage all of our parishioners to take some part in volunteering to serve at our Masses. Our Sunday Masses require approximately 15 people cooperating together in various roles, not including the choirs! That's about 40-50 people each weekend if we include the choirs.

The retreat will be all about how these ministries are not just a service to the community or to the parish, but a real and intimate service to Jesus. He is the true priest who presides over our worship and our prayer. Serving in any of our Liturgies (which is a word that comes from the Greek and simply refers to the official "work" of the Church) is a powerful way to connect with Jesus at an even deeper level.

If you are interested in learning more about these ministries or serving in them, please feel free to attend our retreat on Saturday, we would love to have you participate! Even if you choose not to be a part of our Liturgical ministries, it is important to understand your mission in coming to the Mass. The formal volunteers are the ones I have listed above, but every single one of us should approach the Mass as a mission. We can be praying for the people around us, specifically and individually, we can be praying for the ministers and volunteers who do serve in an official capacity, we can pray for the intentions and needs for the Church, the Pope, the Bishop, and those intentions that God has inspired us to bring.

New people and visitors are coming to the Basilica all the time. If you see someone that you do not recognize, introduce yourself! Welcome people to St. Michael's as an ambassador-parishioner. There are probably plenty of people who come every week whose names you don't know...introduce yourself to them too! We can pray for one another much more effectively if we know each other. We all come to church with needs on our hearts, how wonderful it would be if we knew that, not only the priest or the "official Church" was praying for us, but all of our brother and sister parishioners.

St. Michael's desires to be a tight-knit community of faith, this is how that kind of community is formed. While I hope that all of you who are not connected with one of our Liturgical ministries will consider participating, I trust that all of you will open your hearts to knowing one another and praying for one another from the heart. St. James reminds us in our second reading today that, for our faith to be alive and authentic, it must be lived and lived in action. Take action today, get to know your fellow parishioners, welcome and greet our visitors, and by so doing,

share the love and grace of Jesus Christ with everyone you meet!

God bless you all.

Fr. Joe Fowler Rector & Pastor

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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary

Learn More About the Catholic Faith

Do you know someone who is interested in the Catholic Faith? Most people join the Catholic Church as a result of an invitation from a member of the Church. Please contact Deacon Steve Wulf by email deacon@stmichael.ptdiocese.org for more information.

RCIA is designed for anyone interested in learning more about Catholicism and perhaps thinking of joining the Church. It is a process that helps individuals discern whether they are going to be called to full membership. If you were baptized in another Christian denomination, or are a non-baptized adult, this is for you!

Basilica of St. Michael Veronica Guild Bereavement Team

The Bereavement Team is hosting Masses for our deceased loved ones on the 3rd Friday of the month. The names of loved ones who have died will be voiced aloud as we pray for them and the comfort of those who mourn their loss. If you know of someone from the Basilica of St. Michael who has passed away, please notify the office so we can pray for them. The next Bereavement Mass is Friday, September 20, at 12:10 p.m.

Honoring Life Team

Fridays for Life at the Basilica: Join us as we pray the Rosary at 11:30, the last Friday of each month for the protection and honoring of Life. Every Friday, Adoration and Confessions begin at 11 a.m. All are invited and welcome to "Fridays for Life."

Military Outreach Team

If you are or have been in military service, join us for cookouts and other activities for our military parishioners and friends. Make sure you pick up a **Welcome Aboard** letter in the church!

Outreach to the Poor Team

Please consider an offering to the Basilica's poor boxes or online. These funds are used to support local outreach to the poor including Catholic Charities, the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry, the Alfred Washburn Center, the St. Joseph Medical Clinic and the Alpha Center.

Parishioners at Home Team

If you or someone you know would benefit from receiving a phone call, card, or visit from one of the members of our Parishioners@Home team, please contact Mary Kay Bianchi (mkb2375@gmail.com).

Prison Ministry Team

The Prison Ministry Team is trained to provide in-person visits, video visits, letter writing, and spiritual retreats for inmates of local facilities. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Bob Beargie (robertbeargie@yahoo.com).



Knights of Columbus Fall Raffle September 8—22, 2024

The Knights of Columbus, Council 8589, will be selling tickets for their Fall Raffle following each Sunday Mass in front of the Basilica (weather permitting). The cost per ticket is \$10 for a chance to win two \$100 gift cards. Tickets will be sold up until the time of the drawings on Sunday, September 22, following the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Mass.

IN OUR CHARITY WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Kay Andrews, Alexander Buchanan, Kenneth Burke, Margaret Burke, Mike Chuites, Brandon Del Castillo, Bob & Dennis DeVries, Greg Dziadon, Rene & Dion Edwards, Mary Jane Elliott, Scott Epley, Jane Felix, Ron Fromm, Michelle Garton, Diane Catherine Haicak, Havard, Hendrickson, Phyllis Hill, Jessica Hutchinson, Karen Jasper, Matthew Johnson, Jim Lee, Mary Ann Long, Karen Longhurst, Shaylee Lowery, Tom Marsh, Larry May, Charlotte McKinney, Dagen McVoy, Vann McVoy, Laurie Murdock, Martha Nealy, Tom & Donna Notaro, Denise Pfender, Casen Roberts, Morgan Rosser, Virginia Russo, Mercedes See, Lori Shipman, Lurleyne Terry, Kim Thompson, Paul Ungerland, Joyce Vignolo, Pat Watkins.

Please contact Dennis Wren at 850-438-4985 to add or remove someone from the prayer list.

№ BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

9/15—Sandra Chandler, Russ Gillis; 9/18—Maggie Smith; 9/19—Mark Brown, Connie Clark, Emily King; 9/20—Sarah Wanek; 9/21—Jonathan Long.

Parish Appreciation Dinner September 30, 2024, 6 p.m.

Join us in Ave Maria Hall at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart as we express our gratitude for all parish volunteers. Signups are available online through the Basilica's website. The suggested donation is \$5 per person.



The flowers in the church are given by Rex McKinney in loving memory of his Mother, Anita McKinney;

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BASILICA ALTAR FLOWERS

Please consider donating altar flowers in honor of, or in memory of, loved ones. The dates available are Oct. 20 & 27 and Nov. 3 & 17, 2024. Prices are \$45—\$65 per arrangement. Contact Louise Seitz leeitz@panhandle.rr.com or call 850 -780-0410 (No texts, please) to reserve flowers.



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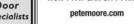




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