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SUNDAY, FEB. 16, 2025



6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Blessed are you who are now hungry,
for you will be satisfied.
Blessed are you who are now weeping,
for you will laugh."
- Lk 6:21

Father Frank's Fire

Today we once again hear the Beatitudes or the blessings. We are probably more familiar with Matthew's version, but this weekend we hear Luke's version. In Matthew's version, Jesus goes up the mountain and begins to teach. In Luke's version, Jesus comes down from the mountain and stands on level ground. Jesus is one with his people.

Each teaching of the Beatitudes is similar, although Luke gives four Beatitudes compared to Matthew's nine. Again, Jesus takes what the world seems to believe is successful and turns it upside down to tell us what God considers a blessing. Blessed are the poor, blessed are those who are hungry, blessed are those who are weeping and blessed are those who are hated and insulted. Now I do not know about you, but these do not seem as blessings to me, but rather the opposite. None of us wants to be poor, hungry, weeping or hated. If these were part of our lives, I would bet that we would feel cursed or punished by God, and not blessed.

We do not have to spend too much time wondering why these are considered blessings for Luke. Luke then gives us the "woes," those not considered to be blessed by God. Woe to you, who are rich, filled, laughing and when others speak highly of you. These are woes because those experiencing them are the ones who are prospering now -- perhaps at the expense of others. These people are comfortable now. We all know that the riches and pleasures of this world are only temporary and will not last, for everything here will turn to dust -- including ourselves.

Luke presents us with a contrast of those who have everything here on earth and those who do not. This passage is to remind us that Jesus turns everything upside down, and we can either be concerned with the present age or set our eyes on the Kingdom of heaven. There is nothing wrong with being wealthy, filled, joyful or highly-regarded. However, an attitude of gratefulness should move our hearts to share the gifts that God has given us with the people who go without.

Please Beware of Scams

The scammers are at it again. I ask all of you to be careful so that you do not fall victim to a fraud. The scam that is going around is similar to previous ones. People have received emails from someone pretending to be me or another religious leader. The scammers are not discriminating based upon religious beliefs. Here is a brief summary of the swindle:

An email is sent asking you to do me a favor. The scammer is clever and will use an email address that could give the illusion it is coming from me, and perhaps even use my picture. **Note: The only legitimate email from anyone at St. Michael is from an address that ends with @saintmike.com or @saintmike.org. If they are not with these addresses, they are fraudulent!**

If you reply to the email, you will receive another one telling you that I am extremely busy and I need to help out a family in need or a sick child. The email will ask you to purchase gift cards and, so that you do not need to be troubled -- just send a picture of the gift card with the code and PIN visible. Once you send that information -- the money is gone and there is no way to get it back. They typically ask for large amounts such as \$300 in Google or iTunes gift cards.

I have heard that the scammers are getting a little bolder. Parishioners are also getting text messages. Again, beware, if you get one of these requests, you can be sure it is not from me.

It is sad that people are willing to prey on the good nature of others. They take advantage of the trusted relationship between a pastor and their congregations. Often times seniors are targeted. I just ask all be careful. If ever in doubt, call the parish office.

In Christ's love,

Fr. Frank



REMEMBER
in your prayers

Please Pray For The Sick

We continue to remember the sick, the infirm, and all those recommended to our prayers; and especially the following, that they may experience the healing and power of Christ:

Irma Almanza, Marie Andrews, Jennifer Bailey, John Baker, Dorothy Basta, John Basta, Bernie Bittner, Kevin Bushnell, Vince Candeler, Patricia Chuchla, Aileen Collura, Colette Connolly, Mary DiFilippo, James Dunne, Francene Fricano, Diane Gneda, Carole Holding, Lisa Johnston, Rose Kessen, Celeste Koszut, Joan Krasneck, Sylvia Krepton, Roger Krzyzowski, Robert Levinthal, Mark Lunn, Kathy Smith Lynn, Fr. Robert Mair, Tom Mallon, Bill Marich, Lizette Masters, Rich McCasland, Patty McQuinn, Donna Micun, Art Morgan, Mary Anne Nievera, Dennis Noga, Fred Pawlak, Alice Prendergast, Debbie Rogers, AJ Rother, Maria Rzonca, Salvatore Zambuto, Sr., Kevin Scanlan, Cara Scanlon, Louise Sullivan, Jennie Vaccarell, Naty Velada, Violet, Tom Waliczek, Mary Pat Walsh, Aleksandra Waresiak, Donna Wilczek, Lawrence Wojcik, Tom Wojcik
and those injured in service to their country.

Please Pray For

Those who have died and their families

**Eileen Cocco, wife of Deacon Tony Cocco
Lorraine S. Cichon
Colleen Ryan, wife of Raymond**



With great sadness, St. Michael Parish mourns the passing of Eileen Cocco, beloved wife of Deacon Tony Cocco

May Eileen and the souls of all the faithful departed Rest in Peace

***Eileen M. Cocco
May 18, 1936 – Feb. 9, 2025***



Bubbles. I love bubbles and experiencing them floating in the air. I am sure that everyone has experienced the joy of blowing bubbles. It is amazing to me that something so simple could bring so much happiness to so many people. It isn't just for kids either! I have even seen teenagers and adults laughing and having fun blowing bubbles and trying to catch them. There is just one problem with the happiness that comes from blowing bubbles; it doesn't last! The minute you reach out and touch one of the bubbles, it pops. Many times, we chase the bubble, but sometimes it's just out of reach, and as soon as it touches the ground, the bubble bursts. I think this is the way it is in the lives of many people today. A lot of people are chasing after happiness but, like bubbles, happiness is always just out of reach. Or just when we think we have it, our bubble may burst. What are some of the things that people are chasing in their search for happiness?

- Money: Many people think that money will bring them happiness. But once you spend it, it's gone.
- Food: Many people seek happiness in food. They eat because they are sad, depressed or bored; they think that food will make them feel better, and it may work for a little while, but usually does not last.
- Entertainment: Many people think laughing and having a good time is the same thing as being happy, but it isn't.
- Popularity: Some people think that being popular will bring them happiness. They will do anything to make other people like them, but popularity doesn't last. It's here today and gone tomorrow. There is no lasting happiness in popularity.

Jesus knew that people often looked for happiness in the wrong places. He even suggested that we might be happier if we were poor, hungry, crying and disliked by others. Why would Jesus suggest such a thing? Because when we are poor, it may be easier for us to trust in God to supply everything we need, instead of depending on our own wealth. When we are hungry for God and His righteousness, we realize that only He can satisfy our hunger. When we are crying, we can trust in God to comfort us and ease our pain. When we think we have no friends, we have a friend in Jesus. Jesus is a friend who will never leave us.

Do you want to find happiness in life? Don't spend your time chasing bubbles that eventually will pop. Look to your Heavenly Father. He is the source of true happiness.

Let's Pray: Dear Father, help us to realize that true happiness comes when You are in our lives. You alone are the source of true happiness. Amen.

COMING UP THIS WEEK AT ST. MICHAEL PARISH

Saturday, Feb. 15

- **Men's Scripture Sharing**-7:00 a.m.—Ministry Room West
- **Feeding The Hungry Food Sorting**-8:45 a.m.—Ministry Rooms
- **Annual Renewal of Wedding Vows**-During 4:30 p.m. Mass—Church
- **Parish Hospitality Hours**-After 4:30 p.m. Mass—MPR

Sunday, Feb. 16

- **Parish Hospitality Hours**-Before and after all Masses—MPR
- **Young Peoples Liturgy of the Word (YPLW)**-during 9:30 a.m. Mass—Church and Chapel
- **Hispanic Young Peoples Liturgy of the Word/Liturgia de la Palabra de los Jóvenes (YPLW)** - durante la Misa de la 1:30 p.m. - Ministry Rooms

Monday, Feb. 17 - President's Day Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, Feb. 18

- **Holy Hour with Divine Mercy Chaplet & Benediction**-3:30 p.m.—Church
- **Senior & Older Adult Activity Ministry**—6:30 p.m.—Commons
- **Evangelization Ministry**—7:00 p.m.—Commons

Wednesday, Feb. 19

- **Bible Study**—7:00 p.m.—Commons
- **Youth Ministry Mission Trip Information Meeting**—7:00 p.m.—Teen Room

Thursday, Feb. 20

- **St. Michael Parents & Tots Playgroup**—9:30 a.m.—Commons
- **Youth Ministry Co-Ed Volleyball**—7:00 p.m.—MPR

Friday, Feb. 21

- **Hispanic Bible Study/Estudio Bíblico Hispano**-7:00 p.m.—Ministry Room East
- **Hispanic Holy Hour/Hora Santa En Español** -7:00 p.m.—Church

Saturday, Feb 22

- **Men's Scripture Sharing**-7:00 a.m.—Ministry Room West
- **Feeding The Hungry Food Sorting**-8:45 a.m.—Ministry Rooms

Sunday, Feb. 23

- **Young Peoples Liturgy of the Word (YPLW)**-during 9:30 a.m. Mass—Church and Chapel
- **Hispanic Young Peoples Liturgy of the Word/Liturgia de la Palabra de los Jóvenes (YPLW)** - durante la Misa de la 1:30 p.m. - Ministry Rooms



Readings for the Week Feb. 16, 2025

- Sunday: Jer 17:5-8; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26
- Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Mk 8:11-13
- Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Mk 8:14-21
- Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Mk 8:22-26
- Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Mk 8:27-33
- Friday: Gn 11:1-9; Mk 8:34-9:1
- Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19
- Next Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38



**Join us for
Eucharistic
Holy Hour
This Tuesday,
Feb. 18
at 3:30 p.m.
in the Church**

Fr. Geoffrey will lead all gathered in Eucharistic Holy Hour. Please join us for this beautiful time to receive God's grace, healing, mercy and comfort.



Wedding Banns

*Pamela Martinez & Ryan Cronin
Feb. 22, 2025*



**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE
CLOSED ON
MONDAY, FEB. 17
FOR PRESIDENTS DAY**

Senior and Older Adult Activity Ministry presents Creating a Vision for a Happy Life

Tuesday, Feb. 18 @ 6:30 p.m. in the Commons

Learn more about the happiness and joy that living with a vision brings, and then create a vision board for yourself. **Please bring to this session one photo of yourself, a posterboard from the dollar store, and magazines and newspapers**

All Seniors and Older Adults are welcome.



Ministerio de actividades para personas mayores y adultos presentes

Creando la Vision Para una Vida Feliz

Martes, Febrero 18 de 6:30 en el Commons

Aprenderan mas acerca de la felicidad y como disfrutar la vida con una vision positiva vamos a crear una Cartulina de Vision para una vida feliz con nuestras propias manos. **Por favor traer a la clase una foto tuya, una cartulina de la tienda del dolar, revistas y periodicos que tengas en casa.**

Todas las personas mayores y adultos son bienvenidos.



Join Us This Weekend for February Hospitality Hours This Saturday & Sunday

In The MPR Following All Masses

ALL ARE WELCOME!

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Mental Health Awareness Ministry **FEBRUARY PRAYER GATHERING** Wednesday, Feb. 26

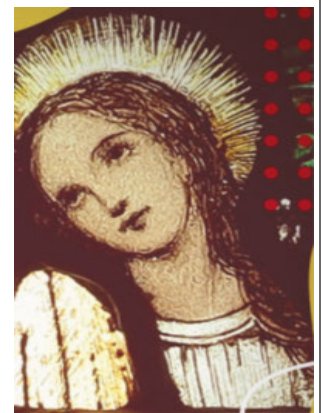
7:00pm in the Chapel
If you or someone you love is struggling and/or living with mental health afflictions, members of our Mental Health Awareness Ministry

are here to accompany you with compassion, prayer and holy listening. We gather in our parish chapel on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome to join us at our next gathering.

For more information, visit

<https://saintmike.com/mental-health-ministry/>.



St. Dymphna

*Patron Saint for
those with Mental Afflictions*

Pray for Us

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Together we bring hope
2025 Annual Catholic Appeal

Please consider supporting this year's Appeal. Your generous contribution will be a source of blessing for many people, for yourself and for your loved ones.



To make a gift by phone: 312.534.7959
To mail: 835 North Rush Street Chicago, IL 60611
To give online: annualcatholicappeal.com





Annual Renewal of Wedding Vows This Saturday, Feb. 15 During the 4:30 p.m. Mass

All married couples
will be invited to
renew their wedding vows



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Archdiocese Women's Committee (AWC)

VOICES OF WOMEN

The Relevance of the Church

Join the Archdiocese Women's Committee (AWC) for one of three Zoom discussions on the relevance of the Church.

Our goal is to hear the voices of 200 or more women. Discussion will address the following:

- How relevant is the Church in the lives of women today?
- What are three essential things a parish must have in order to be relevant (or more relevant) in women's lives?
- How has the practice of your faith changed since the pandemic? In what ways has your parish continued to or failed to nurture you in your new practices?

Advance registration is necessary in order to receive the Zoom link for participation. To register, please scan the QR code or click on your desired session below.



Wednesday, Feb. 19 - 7-8:30 PM - bit.ly/AWCVOW0219

Tuesday, Feb. 25 - 7-8:30 PM - bit.ly/AWCVOW0225

Monday, March 3 - 7-8:30 PM - bit.ly/AWCVOW0303

The Archdiocese Women's Committee is an adjunct committee of the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council. It serves as an advisory committee that works directly with Cardinal Cupich.



What Is God Calling You To Do This Lent?

Consider Praying for People in Need

Lent is right around the corner and St. Michael Parish is excited to once again offer the **St. Michael Prayer Angel Lenten Challenge.** Please join us as a Prayer Angel to spread Jesus' love, hope and healing this Lent through the power of prayer and kindness.

Prayer Angels will pray for a different Prayer Recipient each day during Lent **and** send that person a card in the mail. And as a Prayer Angel, you can nominate someone to be a Prayer Recipient. **Prayer Recipients** are people you know who are going through a difficult time or just need to be lifted up to our Lord each day during Lent.

To Sign Up as a Prayer Angel and nominate a Prayer Recipient, you can:

- Visit <https://saintmike.com/lenten-challenge-form> and complete the form;
- Email Kathy Guarino at kathyguarino1063@gmail.com; or
- Call Kathy at 708-349-0903, ext. 634.

You will receive an email within a few days with more information.

For more information, visit
<https://saintmike.com/prayer-angel-lenten-challenge/>

This program begins on
Ash Wednesday, March 5.
Prayer Angels need to sign up by
Wednesday Feb. 26.

*Thank you so much for sharing
your gifts and love of Jesus this Lent!*



Knights of Columbus Chicago Archdiocesan Chapter



As Catholics, we always want to show our solidarity with our clergy and all religious. One of the nicest ways is to honor them with an appreciation luncheon.

***On Sunday, March 2, 2025 at 1:00 p.m.,
the Chicago Archdiocesan Chapter
of the Knights of Columbus will host
“An Afternoon with his Eminence Blase Cardinal Cupich”***

Many of our active and retired Bishops will be present.

The luncheon will be held at:

**ALLEGRA BANQUETS
5035 RIVER ROAD
SCHILLER PARK, IL 60176**

The luncheon entree will be Chicken Parmigiana and Roast Beef. Cost is \$65 per person. Tables of 10 are available at the reduced price of \$600. Parking is free.

Take this opportunity to invite and pay for a meal out for your priest or deacons.

Reservations should be made by Monday, Feb. 17, 2025

Fraternally,

Joseph E. Moore

Past President/Dinner Chairman

Yes, we would like to attend the “Clergy Appreciation Luncheon” on Sunday, March 2, 2025 at 1:00pm

Please reserve _____ table(s) of 10 at (\$600 per table) or _____ (\$65 Per person) for Council / Assembly # _____
OF TABLES # OF INDIVIDUALS

Name of Contact _____ Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Attach Check or Money Order # _____ payable to *Chicago Archdiocese Chapter*

Mail this form and your Check to: **Jim Killigrew - Treasurer**

1350 Crabtree Dr

Palatine, IL 60067-2901

847-287-7038 E-Mail: jim.killigrew@gmail.com



Youth Ministry Mission Trip Information Meeting

This Wednesday Feb. 19 at 7pm in the Teen Room

Trip Dates: June 1-7, 2025 - The Trip is Open to All Freshman through Seniors

Youth Ministry will be travelling to Charleston, West Virginia, to work for Habitat for Humanity this summer. We will be going Sunday, June 1st to Saturday, June 7th, 2025. An information meeting about the trip is Wednesday, Feb. 19 in the Teen Room at 7:00pm. All Freshmen through Seniors are welcome to attend the week of service. Please contact Youth Minister Rose Koch for more information at rkoch@saintmike.com.

One of the St. Michael Quest Groups made blankets for people in need of a little more love and prayers. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus!



St. Michael celebrated Scout Sunday on Feb. 2nd at the 11:30 a.m. Mass and praised the contributions of children and adults to Scouting.





Are you, or someone you know, widowed?

Whether you've recently been widowed and are still struggling with the loss, or you've been widowed for some time, **JOYFUL AGAIN** is a program is

designed to help you move on with life while still treasuring your past and its precious memories.

Joyful Again is for both men and women of all ages who have been widowed and are still trying to find hope and new joy in life. This unique retreat/workshop will be held at several locations in the next few months and all are welcome!

What: **Joyful Again 2-Day Overnight Retreat/Workshop for Widowed Men & Women**

When: **March 1-2, 2025** - University of St. Mary of the Lake, Mundelein, IL

April 5-6, 2025 - St. Mary's Retreat House, Lemont, IL

June 28-29, 2025 - St. Julie Billiart Parish, Tinley Park, IL (overnight accommodations not available)

For more information on upcoming retreats, visit our website at www.joyfulagain.org; call us at 708-354-7211; or e-mail us at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com.

The Good News from St. Michael School



Congratulations to the St. Michael School Virtue winners for January. The Virtue for January was **Gratitude** and these students were chosen by their teachers for "seeing everything as a gift and being thankful" in all circumstances.

Our First Graders really got into the spirit of gratitude by brainstorming everything for which they are grateful...from puppies to parents to St. Michael School...and then they created a Tree of Gratitude. A big thank you to our First Graders for their creativity and colorful expression, and to Mrs. Weslow and Ms. Blanco, who are bursting with great ideas!



El Espíritu del Padre Frank

Hoy escuchamos nuevamente las Bienaventuranzas o bendiciones. Probablemente estemos más familiarizados con la versión de Mateo, pero este fin de semana escuchamos la versión de Lucas. En la versión de Mateo, Jesús sube a la montaña y comienza a enseñar. En la versión de Lucas, Jesús baja de la montaña y se para en terreno llano. Jesús es uno con su pueblo.

La enseñanza de las Bienaventuranzas es similar, aunque Lucas da cuatro Bienaventuranzas en comparación con las nueve de Mateo. Una vez más, Jesús toma lo que el mundo parece creer que es un éxito y lo pone patas arriba para decirnos lo que Dios considera una bendición. Bienaventurados los pobres, bienaventurados los que tienen hambre, bienaventurados los que lloran y bienaventurados los que son odiados e insultados. Ahora bien, no sé qué piensen ustedes, pero a mí estas no me parecen bendiciones, sino todo lo contrario. Ninguno de nosotros quiere ser pobre, hambriento, lloroso u odiado. Si estas cosas fueran parte de nuestras vidas, apostaría a que nos sentiríamos maldecidos o castigados por Dios y no bendecidos.

No tenemos que dedicar mucho tiempo en preguntarnos por qué Lucas considera estas cosas como bendiciones. Luego, Lucas nos habla del “dolor” de aquellos que no son considerados bendecidos por Dios. ¡Ay de ustedes, los que son ricos, los que están saciados, los que ríen y de quienes otros hablan muy bien de ustedes! Estos son dolores porque quienes los experimentan son los que están prosperando ahora, tal vez a expensas de otros. Estas personas ahora están cómodas. Todos sabemos que las riquezas y los placeres de este mundo son solo temporales y no durarán, porque todo aquí se convertirá en polvo, incluidos nosotros mismos.

Lucas nos presenta un contraste entre quienes lo tienen todo aquí en la tierra y quienes no lo tienen. Este pasaje nos recuerda que Jesús pone todo patas arriba y que podemos preocuparnos por la época presente o poner nuestra mirada en el Reino de los cielos. No hay nada malo en ser rico, estar satisfecho, ser alegre o tener una buena reputación. Sin embargo, una actitud de agradecimiento debe mover nuestro corazón a compartir los dones que Dios nos ha dado con las personas que carecen de ellos.

Tenga Cuidado con las Estafas

Los estafadores están de nuevo en acción. Les pido a todos que tengan cuidado para no ser víctimas de un fraude. La estafa que está circulando es similar a las anteriores. La gente ha recibido correos electrónicos de alguien que se hace pasar por mí o por otro líder religioso. Los estafadores no discriminan en función de las creencias religiosas. A continuación, se incluye un breve resumen de la estafa:

Se le envía un correo electrónico para pedirle que me haga un favor. El estafador es astuto y utilizará una dirección de correo electrónico que podría dar la ilusión de que proviene de mí y tal vez incluso use mi foto. **Nota: El único correo electrónico legítimo de alguien de St. Michael es de una dirección que termina en @saintmike.com o @saintmike.org. Si no tienen estas direcciones, ¡son fraudulentos!**

Si respondes al correo electrónico, recibirás otro en el que te dirán que estoy muy ocupado y que necesito ayudar a una familia necesitada o a un niño enfermo. El correo electrónico te pedirá que compres tarjetas de regalo y, para que no tengas que preocuparte, solo envía una foto de la tarjeta de regalo con el código y el PIN visibles. Una vez que envíes esa información, el dinero se habrá ido y no habrá forma de recuperarlo. Por lo general, piden grandes cantidades, como \$300 en tarjetas de regalo de Google o iTunes.

He oído que los estafadores se están volviendo un poco más atrevidos. Los feligreses también están recibiendo mensajes de texto. Nuevamente, tengan cuidado; si reciben una de estas solicitudes, pueden estar seguros de que no es mía.

Es triste que la gente esté dispuesta a aprovecharse de la buena naturaleza de los demás. Se aprovechan de la relación de confianza entre un pastor y sus congregaciones. A menudo, los adultos mayores son el objetivo. Solo pido a todos que tengan cuidado. Si alguna vez tienen dudas, llamen a la oficina parroquial.

En el Amor de Cristo

P. Frank

Ministerio Hispano St Michaels

Confesiones en Español Febrero

Viernes Febrero 21 a las 6:00 pm

Sabado Febrero 22 a las 3:00 pm

Confesiones para Jóvenes de Confirmación.

Los jovenes del Segundo año de **Confirmación** que recibirán el Sacramento este año deben venir mandatoriamente **las confesiones el día 3 de Marzo a las 6:00 pm.**



Retiro de Cuaresma en Español

Guarde la fecha para el Retiro de Cuaresma - **Sábado, Marzo 8, 2025.** Registracion y mas informacion vendra en las siguientes semanas.

Hora Santa Febrero

Nuestra Hora Santa será el 21 de Febrero a las 7:00PM. Confesiones 6:00 PM. No dejes de venir a pasar un tiempo con Jesus en la Eucaristia. El quien siempre esta esperando por ti.



Como ganar jubileo de la Esperanza 2025?

Ofrece la Indulgencia por ti mismo o por una persona fallecida.

1

Visita una Iglesia de peregrinación conmemorativa del Jubileo 2025. San Michael es una de las Iglesias

2

Confesión sacramental antes o después de visitar el lugar de peregrinación designado.

3

Recibir la Eucaristía en la Misa, antes, durante y después de visitar un lugar de peregrinación

4

Rezar el Credo y Rezar por las intenciones del Papa Francisco (terminar con el Padre nuestro y Avemaria)

5

Hacer una obra de caridad





Masses for the Week — February 15—February 23

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| Saturday 2/15 | 8:30 AM | Deacon Jim Janicek | | |
| | 4:30 PM | Mary Lacken | Mary Carmody | David Cornwell |
| Sunday 2/16 | 7:30 AM | Gerald Refermat | Larry Canterbury | |
| | 9:30 AM | Sr. Marietta Umlor William Harrington | Michael J. Manley Chuck Hopper | Bill Schwanbeck |
| | 11:30 AM | Margaret Lappin | Steve G. Larena | Celso & Emily Efono |
| Spanish → | 1:30 PM | Gente de St. Michael | | |
| Monday 2/17 | 6:30 AM | Faustina Udani Urban | | |
| | 8:00 AM | Irene Marcello-Evans | Linda Raftery | |
| Tuesday 2/18 | 6:30 AM | Sr. Marietta Umlor | Marti Velasco | |
| | 8:00 AM | Charles W. Cummins | Tom Woodlock | |
| Wednesday 2/19 | 6:30 AM | Robert Tesmond, Sr. | Lemuel Gonzalez | |
| | 8:00 AM | Alphonse Toranzo | | |
| Thursday 2/20 | 6:30 AM | People of St. Michael Parish | | |
| | 8:00 AM | Special Intention for Taryn Kearney | | Special Intention for Seamus Fagan |
| | | Special Intention for Kevin Scanlan | | |
| Friday 2/21 | 6:30 AM | Fr. Bill Finnegan | | |
| | 8:00 AM | Nelda Orozco | | |
| Saturday 2/22 | 8:30 AM | Geronimo Manalo, Jr. | | |
| | 4:30 PM | Casey Venhuizen Nora Gardner | Bob Miles Marianne & Fred Pawlak | Special Intention for Mary DiFilippo – 60 th wedding anniversary |
| | | | Kathleen Varnagis | Gerald Refermat |
| Sunday 2/23 | 7:30 AM | Fr. Jerry Kroeger, OP | Colleen Versetto | Dan Swatkowski |
| | 9:30 AM | Robert Foster Gerry Wassong | Donna Kouba | |
| | 11:30 AM | Bridget Coyle | Kaz Scibor | Special Intention for Patricia O'Connell |
| | Spanish → | 1:30 PM | Gente de St. Michael | |

Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Presentation

A secular based presentation regarding a serious topic that can be a reality in a teen's life will be given by a certified social worker from Safe Start of South Suburbia, Tinley Park.

Primary Audience is 7th-12th graders, parents/guardians are welcome to attend




Place: St. Stephen Deacon and Martyr Parish, 17500 South 84th Ave., Tinley Park, 60487
 Date: Thursday, Feb. 20, 2025, Time: 7-8 pm

If your child will attend, a completed parent/guardian consent form is required and can be downloaded using the QR Code. The completed form should be emailed to John Sobol, jsobol@steseton.com or handed in the night of the event. Questions? Contact, John Sobol, youth minister, by email or 708-986-2446.



The St. Michael Parents & Tots Play Group meets weekly on Thursday mornings from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. in the Commons and we welcome parents and children from newborn to 5-years-old for fellowship and play.

We hope you can join us soon!



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