ST. MICHAEL PARISH

75 DERBY AVENUE, DERBY, CONNECTICUT 06418

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

Parish Membership

Through baptism we become God's Sons and Daughters, and brothers and sisters of each other in Christ. We ask that every family in the parish be properly registered and every adult receive a set of envelopes. Registration of new parishioners should be done at the Parish Office as soon as possible. This registration is our only means of certifying anyone as a member of our parish family.



Vincentian Fathers

Rev. Marek Sadowski, CM *Pastor* Rev. Marek Sobczak, CM, *Vicar* Deacon Robert Carter

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Grace Torres

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Ryszard Przydzial & Brian Tarini

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Irene Loman & John Zaprzalka

Ministry of Music / Choir Directors Marc Garofalo & Tatyana Yedigarova

Religious Education
Margaret Mattei, DRE

Masses

SUNDAY VIGIL MASS: Saturday at 4:30 pm

SUNDAY: 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 am (Polish) & 5:30 pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday: Novena with Mass at 7:00 pm (English)

Tuesday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (English)

Wednesday: Novena with Mass at 7:00 pm (Polish)

Thursday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (English)

Friday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (English)

Friday Masses during Lent: 5:30 pm (English) & 7:00 pm (Polish)

Saturday: Morning Mass at 8:00 am (English)

First Friday: 7:00 am Mass (English) followed by the Litany

to Sacred Heart of Jesus; 7:00 pm Mass (Polish)

HOLY DAYS: Consult schedule inside

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

Every Monday at 7:00 pm (Rosary at 6:45 pm)

Sacraments

Baptism: Arrangements for baptism to be made at the Parish Office. Please call for an appointment.

Marriage: Arrangements for marriage are to be made at least 6 months prior to the Wedding date. Please call for an appointment.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): Confession is heard before weekday Mass & on Saturdays at 3:30 pm.

Sick Calls: Please advise the office of any hospitalization and to arrange for the Sacraments for the elderly and sick.

Vocations: Please contact the Pastor at the parish office or the office for Vocations, 1-860-286-7670.

St. Michael Cemetery: A bridge to the Communion of Saints ~ burial and cremation plots are available. Kindly call the Parish Office, 203-734-0005 for information. A parish managed Catholic Cemetery, Silver Hill Rd., Derby.

Parish Office: The parish office is open Mondays from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm, Wednesdays from 9:30 am to noon and Fridays 11:00 am to 2:30 pm.

Please call ahead to be sure staff is in. Closed Tuesdays and Thursdays and weekends.

Parish Office: 203-734-0005 Website: https://saintmichaelsderby.org School: St. Mary - St. Michael: 203-735-6471

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2024

4:30pm +John Glynn on anniversary -John and Laura Zaprzalka

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024

8:30am +Loving memory of son Steven Hlywa -Mom and Dad

10:00am +Bronislawa Strzelec -daughters and families

11:30am +Zygmunt Wadas -daughter & family 5:30pm +Stella Balusek -daughter Carol MONDAY, MARCH 18, 2024

7:00pm +Janina Kuna -Krystyna Bystrowska TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2024

7:00am +Kimberly Anne Siglinger -mother, Carol

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 2024

7:00pm +Urszula Przydzial -Stykowski Family THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2024

7:00am +Deceased of Smierciak, Kuchinski,, Mycek, Andreadis, Brockschlager, Bys, Nunez, & Evaristo Rodiguez Families -Henry Smierciak FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2024

5:30pm (Eng.) +Ralph Richardson, -Sandra Jemioto & family 7:00pm (Pol.) +Urszula Przydzial

-Anna Valko & family

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024

8:00am +Kazimierz Kret -wife & children SATURDAY,MARCH 23, 2024

4:30pm +Living & Deceased members of Polish Falcons

PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

8:30am +Michael Scavone -Arlene

10:00am +George J. Kelly, Jr., George H. Ritz,

Chester J. Zomzinsky, Leocadia A. Zomzinsky, Margaret Pisano, Baby Girl Zomzinsky, and

Dorothy Esposito -Kelly Family

11:30am +Jan Kiwak

5:30pm +Fr. Stanislaw Staniszewski, CM

-kuzynow (cousin)

<u>COLLECTIONS – March 10, 2024</u> Offertory: \$4990 Heating: \$308 (add'l)

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

The Rosary is prayed at 6:40 pm every Monday before the Miraculous Medal Novena & Mass and also on

Wednesdays in Polish at the 7:00 pm Novena and Mass.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION



In loving memory of Stella Balusek from daughter Carol.

COMMUNION HOSTS INTENTION

In loving memory of Steven Hlywa on his March 20 birthday in Heaven from Uncle Anthony and Aunt Christine.

SACRAMENTAL WINE INTENTION

In loving memory of Edward Flood on 61st anniversary (March 20) from daughter.



PRO LIFE ROSES

- 1. God's blessings for Allyson Satkowski Baur on March 19 birthday from husband Avind, son Teddy, Mom, Dad, brother Andrew, Auntie Ellen & Uncle Fonsie, cousin Anna and Gramma.
- 2. In loving memory of Anne Jemioto on St. Patrick's Day. Missing you every day with love from Joey and Terry.

CCD PROGRAM

Gr. 1-8, ...Classes to be held on: March 17, Apr. 7 & 21, May 5 & 19. 8:30-9:45am. CONFIRMATION CLASS, Gr. 9 meets in the Church Hall from 7:00-8:00 pm on the following dates: March 21, April 4 & 18, May 2 & 16.

SPECIAL ANOUNCEMENT REGARDING MASSES FOR 2025

A directive received from the Archdiocese has stated that we **are not** to take Mass Intentions for next year (2025) until later this year. We will keep you updated if this changes. Lists and checks for those who have sent in Mass intention requests for 2025 have been returned. Requests for Sanctuary Lamp Intentions, Wine & Hosts and Pro Life Roses will continue as usual and may be sent in for 2025. Also Chapel Mass requests for 2025 will not be accepted at this time. Ok for 2024

THANK YOU

Deacon Bob and Susan Carter for your help with the Easter Mailing and for your donation, once again, for the Pascale Candle.

NEWS REGARDING ROOF

Nothing new to report. The committee met with one roofing company to obtain updated proposals for the roof replacement, fixing of the steeple and chimney.

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

The 2024 Appeal has begun. Last year our parish participation was only about 18%. This year the Archdiocese has raised our parish goal to \$22,000. Please help us reach our goal! If you do not receive a mailing, you may pick one up at the side entrance. Any and all donations are appreciated.

ST. MICHAEL CEMETERY

If you are interested in purchasing a plot, please contact the parish office for information and cemetery personnel will contact you.

LENTEN REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE

Abstaining from eating meat applies on all the Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.

EVERYONE 18 OR OLDER AND UNDER 59
YEARS OF AGE is bound to fast on Good Friday.
Only one full meatless mean is allowed. Two other meatless meals sufficient to maintain strength may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted on that day. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not apply.

CONFESSIONS: In addition to the regular schedule of confession times, confessions will also be heard every Monday evening from 6:00 to 6:45 pm prior to the Mass and Novena.

MASS AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAYS OF LENT will take place in English 5:30pm and 7:00pm in Polish. PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NO 7:00 AM MASS ON FRIDAYS DURING LENT.

GORZKIE ZALE: will take place after the 11:30am Mass on Sundays.

St. Mary-St. Michael School Fundraisers

The School will be raffaling off a 2024 Kia



Sportage Hybrid EX (does not need to be recharged) on Friday, May 3, 2024. With seating for up to 5 passengers and high fuel economy, this

midsize crossover SUV is the perfect car! Tickets are \$100 (limited number) and are available at the Rectory, the school, and you can enter on-line. The car is valued at over \$33,000.

LENTEN FISH FRY...Saturday March 22 Menu

2 pieces of fish, side order fries, fresh cole slaw, and tartar sauce. Take out only. Pick up times: 4:30pm, 5:30pm, or 6:30pm \$15 per dinner. To place an order call the school at 203-735-6471.

PARISH OFFICE

...Requests for Sanctuary Lamp, Communion Hosts or Sacramental Wine intentions should be received by the office at least two weeks ahead of the Sunday you wish them to appear. This is necessary due to early bulletin deadlines at times.

PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

Our wonderful Prayer Shawl Group recently delivered to the Chaplains and the Cancer Center at Griffin Hospital 6 large afghans, 10 lap robes, amd 2 prayer shawls for their patients. Thanks to all who donated yarn or monetary gifts to buy yarn. So helpful!

BOY SCOUTS TROOP 3 BINGO NIGHT

Sat., March 23, 6:00pm (doors open 5:30pm). 10 games \$30. Door prizes, raffles. Water, soda, snacks available for purchase. Tickets can be purchased at http:tinyurl.com/fc23reja.

MARCH/APRIL/MAY CALENDAR

Parish dues envelopes may be placed into any collection basket. Family dues are \$30 and individual dues are \$15. Paying dues is one way to insure you are listed as a parish member and is important when requesting sponsor forms. If you have never filled out a registration card (dues payments are recorded on the card) we cannot verify that you are a member of this parish.

Palm Sun., March 24 – 2nd collection for Easter Flowers. Please print your intentions clearly as they are published in the bulletin as we remember and honor family members and friends.

Sun., March 31 – Easter Sunday, 2nd collection for your gift to the parish.

Sun., April 14 – 2nd collection for parish school.

Sun., April 21 – Mother's Day Intention Envelopes to be placed on the altar on Mother's Day may be put into any collection basket.

Sun., April 28 – 2nd collection general maintenance. Sun., May 5 – 2nd collection for air conditioning.

Thurs., May 9 – Ascension of the Lord – Holy Day Sun., May 12 – 2nd collection for utilities.

Sun., May 19 – 2nd collection for Catholic Comminication Campaign.

Sun., May 26 - Father's Day Envelopes may be put into any collection basket. Father's Day Intention Envelopes will be placed on the altar at the Father Day Masses.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

This week's second collection for Catholic Relief Services helps many national Catholic organizations to provide aid to victims of disasters, resettlement programs, amd to help promote global justice and more. Your donation collectively with those from parishes everywhere help to support the vital services provided. Thank you for helping.

RICE BOWL CONTAINERS

If you have been saving change for Rice Bowl you may bring the containers to the Church next week. There will be a box to place them in near the side entrance.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

April 11 – May 23 – Virtual

June 7 - June 9 in Upton MA

June 21 – June 23 in Huntington NY

Call for info: 1-860-337-2447

OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE, PIĄTA NIEDZIELA WIELKIEGO POTSTU, 17 MARCA 2024

DRUGA SKŁADKA przeznaczona jest na katolicką pomoc humanitarną.

NABOŻEŃSTWO DO MIŁOSIERDZIA BOŻEGO dzisiaj o godz. 15.00

W PONIEDZIAŁKI Wielkiego Postu spowiedź święta będzie od godz. 18.00 do 18:55.

W PIĄTKI Wielkiego Postu odprawiamy nabożeństwo Drogi Krzyżowej w j. angielskim po Mszy św. o godz. 17.30 i w j. polskim po Mszy św. o godz. 19.00. W piątki W. Postu <u>nie będzie Mszy św.</u> porannych.

W PIĄTKI W. POSTU powstrzymujemy się od pokarmów mięsnych. Więcej informacji na ten temat możemy znależć w ogłoszeniach w j. angielskim.

W NIEDZIELE Wielkiego Postu, po Mszy świętej o godz. 11:30 odpawiamy nabożeństwo; Gorzkie Żale.

WYMIANA DACHU KOŚCIELNEGO. Po długim oczekiwaniu otrzymaliśmy zgodę od Ks. Arcybiskupa na zbiórkę pieniędzy na wymianę dachu kościelnego. Wiecej danych zamieścimy w następnych numerach biuletynu. Obecnie trwa akyualizacja kosztów prac remontowych.

MSZE ŚW. NA 2025 ROK. Zgodnie z zaleceniem Archidiecezji Hartford nie możemy jeszcze przyjmować Mszy św. na 2025 rok.

LEKTORZY, MINISTRANCI I SZAFARZE EUCHARYSTII. Jeśli ktoś pragnąłby zostać lektorem, aby czytać Słowo Boże podczas liturgii lub szafarzem Eucharystii, czy ministrantem to prosimy o kontakt z ks. Proboszczem.

ZAPISY – osoby, uczęszczające do naszego kościoła zachęcamy do zapisania się do parafii oraz do korzystania z systemu kopert na niedzielną składkę.





CONFESSIONS

At St. Michael Church...

Monday, March 25, 6:00 to 7:00 PM

At St. Michael Church...

Tuesday, March 26, 6:30 to 7:00AM

At St. Joseph Church, Ansonia...

Tuesday, March 26, 6:00 to 7:00PM

At St. Michael Church...

Wed., March 27, 6:00 to 7:00 PM

HOLY THURSDAY – March 28

Mass at 7:00 PM in English and Polish *Adoration until 10:00 PM*

GOOD FRIDAY – March 29

3:00 PM - Good Friday Liturgy -English **7:00 PM** - Good Friday Liturgy -Polish **8:15 PM** - Lamentations

HOLY SATURDAY – March 30

9:00 AM - 12 noon – Blessing of food, Church Hall.

7:00 PM - Holy Saturday Liturgy and Mass – English

EASTER SUNDAY – March 31

6:00 AM - Resurrection Mass - Polish

8:30 AM - Mass - English

10:00 AM - Mass - English

11:30 AM – Mass – Polish

NO MASS AT 5:30 PM ON EASTER SUNDAY



WIELKI TYDZIEŃ 2024 PLAN SPOWIEDZI

<u>WIELKI PONIEDZIAŁEK</u>, **25 marca 2024**, od godz. 18:00 do 19:00

WIELKI WTOREK, 26 marca 2024, rano od godz. 6:30 do godz. 7:00

SPOWIEDŹ W PARAFII ŚW. JÓZEFA W ANSONII, od godz. 18:00 do godz. 19:00

<u>WIELKA ŚRODA</u>, 27 marca 2024, od godz. 18:00 do godz. 19:00

PLAN NAOŻEŃSTW

WIELKI CZWARTEK, 28 marca 2024

Godz. 19:00 Msza św. Wieczerzy Pańskiej w j. angielskim i polskim. Adoracja do godz. 22:00

WIELKI PIATEK, 29 marca 2024

Godz. 15:00 Liturgia Męki Pańskiej w j. angielskim Godz. 19:00 Liturgia Męki Pańskiej w j. polskim Godz. 20:15 Gorzkie Żale (trzecia część) i Nowenna do Miłosierdzia Bożego

WIELKA SOBOTA, 30 marca 2024

Od godz. 9:00 do godz. 12:00, święcenie pokarmów i możliwość adoracji przy Bożym Grobie w kościele.

Godz. 19:00 Wigilia Paschalna w j. angielskim

WIELKANOC, 31 marca 2024

Godz. 6:00 Msza św. rezurekcyjna w j. polskim

Godz. 8:30 Msza św. w j. angielskim

Godz. 10:00 Msza św. w j. angielskim

Godz. 11:30 Msza św. w j. polskim i Koronka do

Miłosierdzia Bożego

Nie będzie Mszy św. o godz. 17:30

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