

ST. MICHAEL PARISH

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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

School Principal

Grace Torres

Parish Trustees

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 24, 2024

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

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 -family

5:30pm +Fr. Stanislaw Staniszewski, CM
-kuzynow (cousin)

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 2024

7:00pm +Lucas Stochmal -Josephine

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024

7:00am +Urszula Przydzial on birthday
-Jusinski Family

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2024

7:00pm +Urszula Przydzial -Jola and Waldek
Korytkowski

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024

7:00pm (Eng. & Pol.) MASS OF THE LORD'S
SUPPER

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024

3:00pm (Eng.) GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY

7:00pm (Pol.) GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY

HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024

(NO 8:00 AM MASS)

7:00pm (Eng.) EASTER VIGIL FOR
PARISHIONERS

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024

6:00am (Pol.) FOR PARISHIONERS

8:30am (Eng.) FOR PARISHIONERS

10:00am (Eng.) FOR PARISHIONERS

11:30am (Pol.) FOR PARISHIONERS

NO 5:30PM MASS ON EASTER

COLLECTIONS – March 17, 2024

Offertory: \$4532

Catholic Relief Services:\$1545

Thank you for your generous support!

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 our nephew Steven Hlywa in Heaven on his birthday March 20 from Uncle Whitey and Aunt Chris.


COMMUNION HOSTS INTENTION

In loving memory of Urszula Przydzial on March 26 birthday from husband, children, and family.

SACRAMENTAL WINE INTENTION

Asking God's blessings for restored health for John Z. from Sande.

PRO LIFE ROSES

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- 1. Remembering our father, Daniel Heffernan, on the one year anniversary of his passing with much love from Michael and Marianne Heffernan.*
 - 2. In loving memory of Benjamin Madura from Caroline.*
 - 3. In loving memory of Irene Wasikowski on 2nd anniversary (3/15) from daughter Lucille and family.*

CCD PROGRAM

Gr. 1-8, ...Classes to be held on: Apr. 7 & last class April 21. 8:30-9:45am.

CONFIRMATION CLASS, Gr. 9 meets in the Church Hall from 7:00-8:00 pm on the following dates: April 4 & last class Apr.18.

**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT 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. **This is due to the possibility of a change in the schedule of Masses.** Requests for Sanctuary Lamp intentions, Wine & Hosts and Pro Life Roses will continue as usual and may be sent in for 2025. Chapel Masses for this year are still accepted but not for 2025.

THANK YOU - PIEROGI SALE

To the great team of workers who prepared the pierogi, to those who donated pierogi ingredients, and to all those who bought the pierogi. The proceeds of \$1442 will benefit the roof restoration fund! God bless everyone for their support!

NEWS REGARDING ROOF

Nothing new to report at this time.

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

EVERYONE 18 OR OLDER AND UNDER 59 YEARS OF AGE is bound to fast on Good Friday. Only one full meatless meal 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.

CONFESSION: Monday evening from 6:00 to 6:45 pm prior to the Mass and Novena.

BLESSING OF FOOD: Holy Saturday 9 to noon in the Church Hall.

ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL

PARISH GOAL \$22,000

APPEAL STATISTICS

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|-----------------------|------------|
| Total Pledged: | \$5,761.65 |
| Total Paid: | \$5,513.65 |
| Total Gifts: | 45 |
| Average Gift: | \$128.04 |
| Percent of Goal: | 26.19% |
| Participation Rate: | 6.35% |
| Total Parish Families | 709 |

Every gift, no matter the amount, is important. The Appeal helps the needy and seminarians and other programs.

St. Mary-St. Michael School Fundraiser

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.



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.

...Changing address or phone number?

Please inform the Church Office. Whenever we do a mass mailing, we always get envelopes returned to us as the address has changed. And occasionally we may have to contact a parishioner by phone only to find that number is no longer in service.

Thanks.

MARCH/APRIL/MAY CALENDAR

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

Sun. April 7 – Divine Mercy Sunday, Devotion 3pm

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

Sun., April 21 – **Mother's Day Intention** **Envelopes** may be put into any collection basket.

Sun., April 28 – 2nd collection 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 Communication Campaign.

Sun., May 19 – Divine Mercy Devotion – 3pm.

Sun., May 26 – **Father's Day Envelopes** may be put into any collection basket.

PARISH BULLETINS/ON-LINE MASS

...Our parish bulletins can be found on-line at Facebook and a search for St. Michael Church bulletins on-line.

...Every Saturday evening at 4:30pm our Sunday Vigil Mass can be found live streamed on FACEBOOK.

Fr. McGivney Pilgrimage Center

In collaboration with the US Catholic Eucharistic Revival, the Blessed Michael McGivney Pilgrimage Center presents an exhibit *“True Presence: the Eucharist in History & Art* beginning March 23 to September 8, 2024 at 1 State St., New Haven. Open Wednesdays thru Sundays from 10am to 4pm. Admission and on-site parking are free. For info 203-865-0400.

OPEN HOUSE

The New England Catholic Biblical School invites all to come and visit an in-person or virtual class to see how studying all 73 books of the Bible can change your life. Visit: www.NewEnglandCatholicBibleSchool.com.

PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

A special thank you to those who leave completed baby blankets, afghans, shawls, and yarn on the back porch of the Rectory. The baby blankets are given out to the babies being baptized in our Church and shawls and afghans are given to the Cancer Center at Griffin Hospital as a measure of comfort. We are so grateful to the ladies who donate their time and effort in providing these lovely items.

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, SZÓSTA NIEDZIELA WIELKIEGO POSTU, 24 MARCA 2024

DRUGA SKŁADKA przeznaczona jest na kwiaty i świąteczny wystrój kościoła.

WIELKI TYDZIEŃ.

Szczegółowy plan WIELKIEGO TYGODNIA umieszczony jest na oddzielnej stronie biuletynu. Proszę o zapoznanie się z tym programem.

W PIĄTKI W. POSTU powstrzymujemy się od pokarmów mięsnych. Więcej informacji na ten temat możemy znaleźć 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. Więcej danych zamieścimy w następnych numerach biuletynu. Obecnie trwa aktualizacja 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

2024 SCHEDULE



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

WIELKI PONIEDZIAŁEK, 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

WIELKA ŚRODA, 27 marca 2024,
od godz. 18:00 do godz. 19:00

PLAN NAOŻEŃSTW

WIELKI CZWARTEK, 28 marca 2024

Godz. 19:00 Msza św. Wieczery 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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Memory



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