

MAY 24, 2020

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday –Thursday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm

1 pm to 4:30 pm CLOSED FRIDAY

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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In Newark office every other Monday & Wednesday

CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST

DAILY MASS

Monday 10:00 am at Senior Living Centers

Consult bulletin for locations

Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 am (in the chapel)

Friday, Liturgy of the Word, with Communion

Consult bulletin for changes

WEEKEND MASSES

Sunday: 8:15 & 10:30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Wednesday, 7:00-8:00 pm

Sunday, 9:30-10:15 am or by appointment

HOLY HOUR

Wednesday, 6:00-7:00 pm



My Dear People,

I hope that you have not forgotten who I am since Fr. Tedesche wrote the bulletin article last week. I know how short the attention span of the public is. Since we are not yet able to begin to restart our public liturgical life as Catholics just yet, we can continue to find ways to remain united to God when we cannot be united to him in the primary way- that of attending Mass bodily. Of course, our worship of God at Mass on Sunday has to be nourished by prayer throughout the week, and so this time of 'quarantine' helps us grow in that area, which we may have overlooked, or even taken for granted before.

We are still in the month of May, which is devoted to Our Lady. Now that things are becoming warmer and greener, a point I can't emphasize enough since it is one I am very grateful for, we can easily see why the growth of spring makes us think of Mary and turn to her. The Easter season has officially ended with Ascension Thursday this past week, and now we begin a new movement towards Pentecost. Allow me to take these two things as means for us to have practical tools for prayer.

Several times in bulletin articles I have spoken on the power and importance of praying the rosary. At Fatima, Portugal in 1917, in the most 'public' of private revelations in the history of the Church, witnessed by over 60,000 people, **Our Lady told the three shepherd children that Catholics needed to pray the rosary daily for world peace and for the conversion of sinners.** No private prayer in the Church has been as endorsed and promoted by Popes and religious orders as the holy rosary. We know it is a spiritual weapon of unequalled proportion.

At this time, when we are prevented from receiving Holy Communion and even attending Mass physically, the rosary needs to become one of our principal ways of remaining close to God. In fact, this time may even be God's way of getting us to pray it, if before we were hesitant to do so for any reason whatsoever. Many people find help praying it by following along with a video or program on EWTN where it is said together with others. If this works or helps, good. You may not find it useful for you. Do what will allow you to pray the best. Especially for families, praying the rosary together right now is an excellent place to not let God go out of the picture for your children. Why not start by doing this Sunday morning?

The time between Ascension Thursday and Pentecost Sunday is the primary Novena of the Church, meaning, nine days of prayer. When you read this, Sunday, we will already be into it a little. It is not too late to pray to the Holy Spirit daily in preparation for this great Feast. The best way to do it? As the first Apostles did- in union with Mary.

"Redeem the time" as St Paul says in Ephesians, use it well until things return to normal. The world, our country, and our Church need *your prayers*. Do your part, and you will come out of this strange situation stronger in God, his love, and your Faith. I am praying for all of you daily, especially in my Mass and rosary. ***Come Holy Spirit, come by means of the powerful intercession of Mary Immaculate, your well beloved Spouse.***

Fr Walter

ALL MASSES ARE SUSPENDED

The priests are saying Mass every day, privately, for the Mass intention. They are remembering each and every one of you in their prayers.



Father Tedesche and Father Walter will be having their Sunday homilies recorded every week until we are back to public Masses. You can find them at 10:00 am each Sunday posted on our website and Facebook page.



Eucharistic Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is scheduled as follows:

Sundays at:

St. Michael, Newark ~9 am-Noon

St. Michael, Lyons (SJW) ~9 am-11 am

St. John, Clyde (SJW) ~11am-2 pm

Tuesdays at:

Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity,
Wolcott ~ 6-8 pm

To protect yourself and others, please wear a face mask

Confessions will be heard at St. Michael, Newark & St. John, Clyde Sunday from 11am until 12 noon in the sacristies.

Confessions will also be heard at Wolcott, St. Margaret Mary Tuesday from 7 pm until 8 pm in the crying room.

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#2. Check or Money Order. Check or Money Order should be made payable to St. Michael Church and mailed to 401 S. Main St., Newark, NY 14513. Meme Field: note purpose. (i.e. your envelope number or write Sunday offering if you don't know it)

#4. Parish Website.

1. stmichaelsnewark.org

2. On-Line Giving is now enabled on our parish website.

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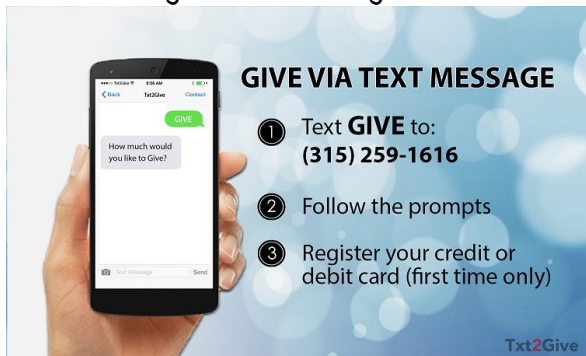


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Look for this logo and click on it to enroll. Then follow the prompts. You will have the option to also set up single or recurring donations until you stop them.

#3. Mobile Giving Via Text Message is Now Available!



ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING

Weekly Offertory

May 10 \$4063.00 Ascension \$572.00

As always, thank you for your support & generosity.

A statement from the Business Office regarding the Security of Txt2Give Online Giving.

Our parish is using "Txt2Give" to manage text gifts for donations. Txt2Give's team has extensive experience developing software that handles electronic payments. Bank-level encryption is used when transmitting credit card data to a secure processor, and sensitive credit card information never enters Txt2Give. It's transmitted directly from the mobile device to the payment processor. Txt2Give is the same platform used by the Diocese of Rochester for CMA gifts. The Diocese vetted this platform with its legal counsel and auditors for security, PCI compliance*, and compatibility with its payment processor before implementing and endorsing it for use in the parishes. If you have questions regarding Txt2Give, please contact our Finance Director, Mary Capone at 585-281-7440.

***PCI compliance standards require merchants and other businesses to handle credit card information in a secure manner that helps reduce the likelihood that cardholders would have sensitive financial account information stolen.**



Heavenly Father,
On this Memorial Day, we pray for
those who courageously laid down
their lives for the cause of freedom.
May the examples of their sacrifice
inspire in us the selfless love
of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.
Bless the families of our fallen troops,
and fill their homes and their lives
with Your strength and peace.
In union with people of goodwill of
every nation, embolden us to answer
the call to work for peace and justice,
and thus, seek an end to
violence and conflict around the globe.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Remember— our fallen heroes.
They are the reason that we are free

MEMORIAL DAY MAY 25



Did you know that St. Michael Church has a Prayer Network?

If you would like to join others in praying for special intentions that people request, you can be added to our email network or our phone network. Please contact June Sherman, by email at june.sherman@dor.org, if you would like your name added to either one. In the email to June, please include your phone number, your email address and which network you would like to be added to.

THE RED CROSS NEEDS DONORS
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2020



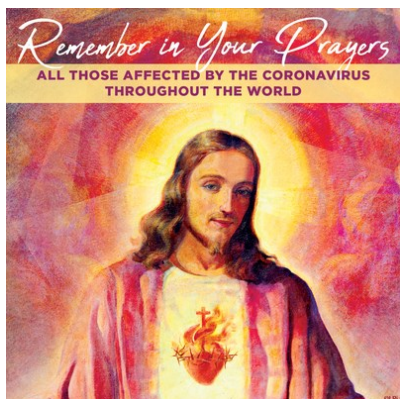
IN THE CHURCH HALL.

1:30 PM-6:30 PM

Extra precautions will be taken for the
safety of each donor.

Save a Life! Make a Difference!

Give blood. Help save lives.



Sí, Intentamos Orar

Recientemente recibí un boletín informativo que un hombre envió a muchos por internet. Al terminar él pidió oración por su familia, su hija enferma, y varias otras cosas. Me parece que es un hombre que cree mucho en el poder de la oración de petición. ¿Cuántos de nosotros vamos a pedir a un desconocido orar por una necesidad personal? ¿Cuántos de nosotros realmente estamos convencidos del poder de la oración y que Dios nos escucha y nos responde? Sí, pide por las necesidades de otras personas y también por sus propias necesidades.

Piense ahora en su día. ¿Cuántas veces durante el día usted se da para físicamente o mentalmente y levanta su mente y corazón a Dios? Puede ser por una oración de alabanza por las maravillas de la naturaleza en este tiempo tan bonito de la primavera. O quizá se encuentra agradeciendo a Dios por la naturaleza, por su salud, su familia, su trabajo, sus amigos, su teléfono... O puede ser que se mostró ira a su esposa(o) o a sus hijos, y dándose cuenta, está arrepentido y pide perdón de Dios [y ojalá de sus hijos, y esposo(a)]. Recién celebramos el día de las madres y pronto celebraremos el día de los padres. Espero que, a la vez que los hijos están agradeciéndoles a ustedes, que ustedes estén dando gloria a Dios por estos hijos suyos.

Oración es un encuentro con Dios, una comunicación con Dios. No siempre necesitamos usar palabras para comunicar nuestro amor, alegría, agradecimiento... a Dios. Podemos estar ante Dios y el interior nuestro salta por la felicidad de conocer a Dios y ver cómo tan grande es, tan constante es, tan lleno de amor es, tan presente en nuestras vidas está, tan compasivo y misericordioso es. Puede ser que mientras está en la Misa comunitaria, se da cuenta de todo lo que tenemos en común a pesar de nuestras diferencias. Y se siente dentro de sí un deseo de dar gracias. Al mirar nuestros padres o hijos... ¡gracias, Señor! Al cantar una canción... oh, Señor, estas no son solamente palabras cantadas, sino de verdad, estas son mi expresión de amor, de arrepentimiento, de agradecimiento. Aceptalas. Acepta a mí diariamente.

También reza con su cónyuge. Aparte un tiempo durante la semana para los dos, a solas. 1. Al comenzar estén presentes el uno para el otro y para Dios, tomen un tiempo para reconciliarse, y después ofrecen una oración de gracias a Dios. 2. Descubren a Dios juntos, puede ser por usar un texto bíblico, quizás de la lectura del día o un salmo o hablar de lo que se sienten en sus mentes y corazones: las dificultades, qué necesitan de Dios y del otro. Ofrecen peticiones sobre esto. 3. Comparten su amor mutuo en el contexto de la oración; pueden incluir un beso, abrazo, decir palabras de apoyo, un gesto de amor. 4. Sirven al otro por reverencia a Cristo; que su servicio e intimidad vivan cada día mientras cocinan, limpian, escuchan, trabajan...

Hermana Kay



Pray the Rosary together! Every Saturday at 9 AM

Leave your prayer requests on the FaceBook page for St. Katharine Drexel Parish or email your prayer requests to Elena who will post them on FaceBook:

elena.cambio@dor.org

We can pray for our intentions together each week, placing our trust in our Blessed Mother.

O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.



**Youth Groups and Sacramental preparation
are canceled until further notice.**



**Information about First Communion preparation
will be coming soon. Please check the bulletins
for updates.**

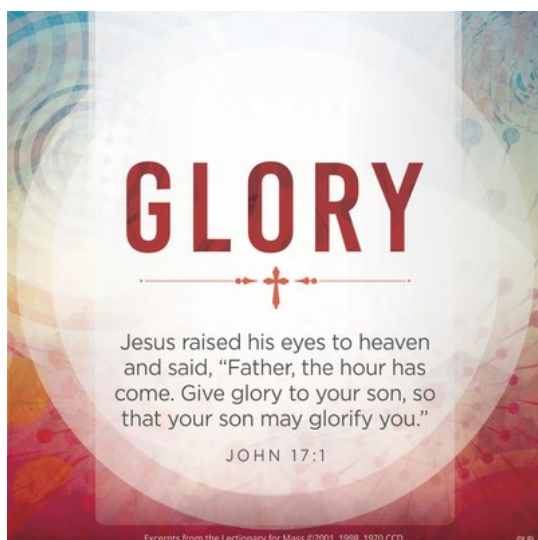
Family Ministry

Gospel Reading John 17:1-11a Jesus prays for his disciples.

In today's Gospel we glimpse Jesus' prayer for his disciples. If we read further in John's Gospel, we find that Jesus prayed for his disciples' protection from the evil one. Jesus also prayed for all those who would have faith in him because of the disciples' teaching. That means that Jesus prayed for us as well, even before his death on the cross. Our faith tells us that Jesus continues to intercede for us at the Father's right hand.

Gather together as a family and think about the tradition of praying for other people. Who do you pray for? What do you ask for in your prayers? In today's Gospel we find an example of Jesus' prayer to the Father. Read together today's Gospel, John 17:1-11a. Think about Jesus' prayer for his disciples. We know that Jesus continues to intercede for us at the Father's right hand. What might Jesus' prayer be for you and your family? Conclude by praying together in thanks for the great love that Jesus shows you.

Pray together the Lord's Prayer.



To comply with government health regulations, Bishop Mattano has suspended all public Masses until further notice. The Parish Offices will not be physically accessible. However, our staff is still working, and all messages and emails will be promptly answered. St. Michael's Church in Newark and St. John's Church in Clyde will be open every day to personal prayer. Our parishes' bulletins are still being published and are available online and at the entrance of St. Michael's in Newark, St. John's in Clyde and St. Mary Magdalene's in Wolcott. By appointment, our priests are available for confessions and for pastoral visits in cases of necessity, especially regarding the anointing of the sick and the last sacraments. For more information, please visit any of our parishes' webpages or Facebook pages:

St. Michael, Newark

Phone: 315-331-6753

Webpage: www.stmichaelsnewark.org

Facebook page: St. Michael Church, Newark NY

St. Joseph the Worker

Phone: 315-902-4130

Webpage: www.sainthoetheworker.org

Facebook page: St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Wayne County, New York

The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

Phone: 315-902-4130

Webpage: www.ccblessdtrinity.org

Facebook page: Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

If you know anyone or if you are seeking assistance for food, gas or utilities, please call our office number, 315-331-6753 and when prompted dial extension 104. Leave a brief message with your first and last name and phone number-repeat this information twice. Your call will be returned, as voicemails will be checked throughout the day.

We Are Here For You!

The Newark Food Cupboard at 301 E. Miller St., Newark, is open Monday-Friday from 10 till noon. They are there to help you if you are in need of food.

HELP is needed at the Free Lunch Program at the Newark Emmanuel United Methodist Church. It has grown from helping 30 people to 100. They are in need of 25-50 sandwiches, any kind, Tuesday-Friday. If you are able to provide sandwiches, please drop them off using the ramp entrance. The address is 301 E. Miller Street, Newark. Please contact Rev. Della Ludwig by phone or text 315-597-3494 or by email revdelludwig@gmail.com for more information. *Together we will get through this.*

Newark Free Lunch Program needs you!

To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven

"... a time to be born..."

"...a time to love..."

"... a time to be healed..."

Please pray for the sick of our Parish.

Steven Sapp, Leigh Ann Henry, Nate Barnes, Claire Childs, Kim Zielinski, Michael Kowaleski, Gretchen Switzer Bouwens, Mary Santoro, Cathy Wilhelm, David Murphy, Darlene Fletcher, Marie Wemesfelder, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo, Jean Condit, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Mary Gilligan, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst, Jared & Jacob Gajan, Gloria Viola, Betty Howlett, Michael George & Pearl Johnson

And please pray for our Parish friends. *Scott Weber, Richard Schweitz, Jr., Michael DePauw, Bonnie Crane, Tracy Diaz-Cruz, Barb Gallant, Ann Maliborski, Sherry Caughell, Tom DeYoung & Michael Bauer, Jr*

"... a time to die..."

Robert McHale, brother-in-law of Rita McHale

"... and a time for peace."

In our world and for all people, military and civilian, who are in the midst of war. ***Ecclesiastes 3:11***



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