### JUNE 21, 2020 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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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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CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST <u>DAILY MASS</u> (upper church) Monday 10:00 am at Senior Living Centers Suspended until further notice Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 am, Tuesday 6 pm Friday, Liturgy of the Word, with Communion Suspended until further notice <u>WEEKEND MASSES</u> Sunday: 8:15 & 10:30 am

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



My dear brothers and sisters, probably by now you have heard the sad news that Fr. Walter will be leaving us. This news comes at a time that is hard for all of us: a world-wide pandemic, economic

hardship, countless cancellations, an entire Easter Season swallowed up by the lockdown, and three months of no Mass and limited access to the sacraments. In particular, both Fr. Walter and I regret the loss of a full quarter year of a fuller contact with our church family.

I am very thankful for the time we have had with Fr. Walter. I am grateful for his effective ministry as preacher and confessor and for all the one on one ministry he has given us through teaching, counseling, sick calls, and administering the sacraments. He has touched many lives. When we took on this cluster of churches, I was often asked how we were handling it all. Time and time again I said the best part about my new assignment was that I had a fellow priest and a partner to live and work with. Both of us feel that we ministered together in a complementary and synergistic fashion. We always loved to discuss over dinner all the good things God was able to do through our united priestly teamwork.

However, in Christian faith, we believe and understand what St. Paul teaches us in his epistle to the Romans, that "all things work together for the good for those who love God..." (Rom 8:28) God is so wise and powerful that He can take even the misfortunes of life and weave them into the tapestry of his good plan for us. Despite our trials and hardships, we are buoyed up with hope. God is in control! When facing difficulties, I often think of the prayer, Anima Christi, the first few lines of which are: "Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water flowing from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me..." In particular I repeat to myself and meditate upon the line, "Passion of Christ, strengthen me." Holding before the eyes of my mind Our Savior's sufferings, I say in my heart, "Jesus, if you can endure this for me, what can I not endure for you?" It is meditating on the Passion above all that gives me strength to do God's will no matter how hard life gets. I hope this simple but powerful prayer helps you like it helps me.

On a positive note, we are glad that Fr. Walter will move on to his new home at St. John of Rochester and help out Fr. Peter Clifford to do good things there. Our prayers go with him. I am also excited that we are getting another young priest, Fr. Mike Merritt. In fact, Fr. Merritt is the youngest priest in our diocese, having walked this earth for a whole 31 years! When Bishop Matano makes placement decisions at this time of the year, one of the ways he tries to take care of the communities entrusted to him is by paying extra attention to his new priests and their assignments. For our communities to be spiritually healthy, we need spiritually healthy priests. The first few years of a priest's ministry are often critical years that determine whether the rest of his ministry will flourish or flounder. Fr. Merritt's three-year term in Seneca Falls recently came to an end, and he was looking for a new home. I trust the Bishop's judgment that it will be good for Fr. Merritt to be here with us-with me as his pastor and you as his people. And I am confident he will be good for us too. Fr. Merritt is known for being a very friendly and optimistic man, and I think he will bring us a lot of life. I look forward to working with him to help restore to us all a sense of peace and wholeness after so much hardship. Fr. Merritt's first week with us will be the first week of July.

One more positive note—isn't it great to be able to shout a belated Easter 'Alleluia' for Sunday Masses restored this Father's Day weekend? God bless you all!

Your Pastor, Fr. David Tedesche Fr. Dave Tedesche

This is the day the **Lord** has made, Let us **Rejoice** and be glad.

We are happy to be together again! We have missed you all! Below is our Mass schedule. We are limited to around 120 people at each Mass, with social distancing. You are not obligated to go to Sunday Mass at this time. The Bishop encourages people to go to daily Mass to help with the overflow of Sunday Masses. Please do not sit where there is tape across a pew. Also, please remember to practice these few guidelines, below, when coming to Mass. These are for the safety of you and others.

- $\Rightarrow$  If you don't feel well, please stay home.
- $\Rightarrow$  Please where a mask.
- $\Rightarrow$  Wash your hands with sanitizer when you enter into the church.
- $\Rightarrow$  Please remain 6 feet apart from each other. Please sit in open pews.



#### The church will be cleaned after each Mass for everyone's protection.

DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, June 21 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ Juan Miranda—Miranda family 10:30 am ~ Al Loson—Loson family	HAPPY Father's DAY!
Monday, June 22 Weekday	Masses still suspended at Nursing Homes	
Tuesday, June 23 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Dana Ciamprone—Friends 6:00 pm ~ Gloria Paddock—NHS Chix of 66	
Wednesday, June 24 The Nativity of St. John the Baptist	8:00 am ~ Dr. & Mrs. V.J. Palmeri—Betty Colasurdo	1:30—6:30 pm ~ Blood Drive in the church Hall
Thursday, June 25 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Mamie Brown—legecy	5 pm ~ Finance meeting in the church hall
Friday, June 26 Weekday	No Communion Service at this time	(Nelcome
Saturday, June 27 Weekday	No Mass	home
Sunday, June 28 Thirteenth Sunday In	8:15 am ~ Nancy Horch—Mary Ann Gnau 10:30 am ~ Robert Burns—Pryzbyc family	Second collection for Peter's Pence

Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Actual YTD 5/3120	Budget YTD	YTD Overage shortage
Total Collections	\$307,519.00	\$329,104.00	\$21,585.00
Total Operating Income	\$366,129.00	\$384,610.00	\$18,481.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$270,000.00	\$386,247.00	\$17,247.00
Deficit/Surplus	\$3871.00	\$1637.00	XXXXXXXXX

Next Sunday, June 28 we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit *www.usccb.org/peters-pence* 

#### ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING Weekly Offertory June 7 \$3507.00

As always, thank you for your support & generosity.

Collection envelopes can be placed in the baskets at the two entrances. The main entrance and the side entrance where the handicap lift is.



#### THE RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2020 IN THE CHURCH HALL. 1:30 PM-6:30 PM Please donate blood in memory of Bob Goodman. Extra precautions will be taken for the safety of each donor. Save a Life! Make a Difference!

Give blood. Help save lives.

We're in this together.

Catholic Relief Services is counting on our Rice Bowl alms to help brothers and sisters in-need around the world, especially in these challenging times. Now that we are reopening for church, please bring your Rice Bowl alms to church, if you have not already done so. Please convert the coins and dollars from your box into a check payable to St. Michael Church with a note on the check, CRS Rice Bowl. This will just speed up the process of getting the funds collected to the Catholic Relief Services. Thank your for your many sacrifices during Lent

Thank you for your many sacrifices during Lent. Through your alms given to Catholic Relief Services, we become a blessing for others. What we gave up for Lent will change lives!

What Makes a Dad

God took the strength of a mountain, The majesty of a tree, The warmth of a summer sun, The Calm of a quiet sea, The generous soul of nature, The comforting arm of night, The wisdom of the ages, The power of the eagle's flight, The joy of a morning in spring, The faith of a mustard seed, The patience of eternity, The depth of a family need, Then God combined these qualities, When there was nothing more to add, He knew His masterpiece was complete,



And so, He called it ... Dad - Anonymous

#### Un Reto a los Padres de Familia

¡Tanta influencia tienen los padres en las vidas de sus hijos! La influencia no es solamente en la niñez y la juventud de sus hijos, pero extiende por toda la vida de sus hijos. Los niños adquieren los valores y actitudes de sus padres. Las intereses y actividades de los padres cuando están acompañados por sus hijos muchas veces son adquiridos por los hijos. Mi padre le gustó béisbol, y él jugaba con nosotros en el patio de la casa. También íbamos a algunos juegos de los Rochester Red Wings. Por eso, hasta hoy me gusta ese deporte.

Puede ser que un hijo ha dicho a su padre: "¡Quiero ser como tú, papá!" Wow, si has escuchado eso de su hijo, quizás has empezado a pensar en el tipo de ejemplo que estás dando a sus hijos. ¿Realmente quieres que ellos sean como tú? Examínate en cómo estás viviendo los aspectos de tu vida: físico, espiritual, familiar, laboral, económico y social.

**Cuidado de su salud**: no fumas, no tomas mucho alcohol, no comes demasiado, te acuestas temprano para tener 7 o 8 horas de sueño, haces ejercicio (y con sus hijos)...

**Vida espiritual**: oración es parte de tu vida diaria, asistes a la Misa dominical, oran en familia, ayudas a sus hijos orar, asistes devociones especiales en la iglesia, lees la biblia y las lecturas de cada día, participas en un grupo bíblico...

**Vida familiar:** te quedas en casa después de un día de trabajo, escuchas a su hijo cuando te cuenta lo que pasó en su día, juegas y pasas tiempo con los hijos, como familia rezas ante de comer, bendices a los hijos ante de salir, salen de vez en cuando como familia para hacer algo juntos...

**Vida laboral:** buscas trabajo, das un día honesto de trabajo, no quejas sobre su trabajo, explicas la importancia del trabajo a los hijos, no permites que su única conversación en casa sea el trabajo, compartes las alegrías de tu trabajo...

**Posición económico**: hablas a los hijos sobre el buen uso del dinero, ayudas a ellos entender el valor del dinero, explicas el por qué a ellos de que no es posible comprar todo lo que ven en la tele o lo que otros niños tienen, explicas a ellos la importancia de trabajar para ganar dinero, animas a ellos tomar su responsabilidad en los quehaceres de la casa...

**Vida social**: ustedes como familia de vez en cuando se encuentran con otras familias para pasar el tiempo, participas en fiestas como familia, haces cosas con tus amigos de vez en cuando, animas a los hijos hacer cosas con sus amigos, permites a sus hijos ir a la casa de sus amigos, pones confianza en su hijo...

Espero que cada padre de familia sea un buen modelo a seguir y un buen maestro que enseña a sus hijos cómo vivir. Hay que saber cuándo no debe seguir llevando su hijo en brazo y cuándo le enseña a caminar con dirección y propósito. Tu hijo va conduciéndose por la vida guiado por las huellas que tú, padre, dejas

para él, pero él agrega sus propios pasos y ritmos en la vida. El hijo necesita conocer lo material y lo espiritual, lo visible y lo invisible, el mundo real y el mundo divino y todo eso reflejado en el ser, la actitud y el comportamiento de su padre. Hay que hacer todo esto con el amor. ¡Feliz Día del Padre!

Gracias, Dios, por los buenos padres que tenemos. *Hermana Kay* 





Todavía No Tenemos Una Fecha Para la Primera Comunión.

#### 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 Matthew 10:26-33 Jesus assures the Twelve that God Cares about them.

It is not only individuals who need reassurance about God's love and protection. Communities need this reassurance as well, including the community of the family. Children rely on the confidence of their parents for this assurance. Parents can help the entire family's growth in trust and confidence in God by witnessing ways in which daily family needs are entrusted to God's care.

As the family gathers, distribute pieces of paper to each person. Tell them to write or draw ways in which they believe that God's help is needed for each person and for the family as a whole. Each slip of paper Can then be collected in a basket.

Invite one member of the family to read aloud today's Gospel, Matthew 10:26-33. Recall together how well God knows your family and thank God for this wonderful grace. Conclude by praying together for each of the needs identified on the slips of paper. After each need is read, pray together, "God, we trust you because you know us so well." Conclude by praying the <u>Glory Be to the Father</u>.

This practice might become a regular part of your family's prayer. Set the basket in a place of prayer and encourage family members to add other needs throughout the week. Perhaps your family Can pray for these things together during a

family meal.



Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

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\*Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge. Even all the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." - Mt 10:29-31



# Congratulations to the class of 2020

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## 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..."

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Steven Mac Bride, son of Ada Lasken ... 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* 

#### CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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As of 6/15/20 195 donors have given \$33,406.65 making us short \$11,444.35 of our goal of \$44,851.00. Thank you for your support.

For those who have not yet given to the CMA or who would like to give again, our deadline is May 31st! To simplify things for the staff, please write your check out to St. Michael's Parish and send it to the office instead of the Diocese. It is very important that you mark your check's memo line with the phrase, "CMA deficit 2020".

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 revdlludwig@gmail.com for more information. Together we will get through this.