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of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Bridgeport
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MISSION: We are a diverse community of Roman Catholics dedicated to a life of prayer and service to others. We strive to draw closer to God and to remain in God as we journey together, supporting one another to heaven.

April 5, 2026 – Easter

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH • LITURGY SCHEDULE

MASS

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00am
SATURDAY 9:00am & 5:15pm (Vigil Mass)
SUNDAY 8:00am, 9:45am, 12:00pm & 5:15 pm

CONFESSION

THURSDAY 9:30am-11:00am & 5:30pm-7:00pm
SATURDAY After the 5:15pm Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

THURSDAY 9:30am-7:00pm
SATURDAY 8:00am-9:00am

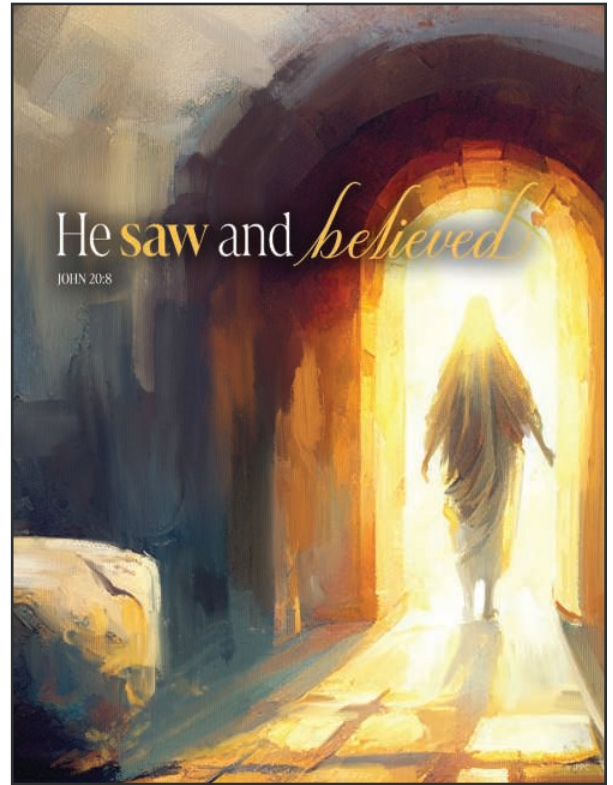
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MASS

SATURDAY 4:00pm (Vigil Mass)
SUNDAY 11:00am

Good news: we have low-gluten hosts!

Please tell the priest, at least ten minutes before the start of mass, that you would like to receive one.



The Parish Office will be closed
on Monday, April 6th.

Parish Office: (203) 869-5421
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SCAM ALERT! Parishioners are receiving **fake email and text messages**, claiming to be from the pastor and requesting the purchase of gift cards. **THESE ARE A SCAM.** Please check the sender's address before responding. If the address doesn't match our parish address (@stmichaelgreenwichct.org) or the diocesan address (@diobpt.org), report the matter to the parish office then block and delete the sender.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Prayers for the Sick will be updated on a monthly basis. Please be so kind to email or call the parish office with names you would like to add or remove.

Tom Schupp	Donna L.	Matias Berthelon
Grace Wohlberg	Laura	John Paul
Eneko Rauch	Jim Z	SanGiovanni
Renato P.	Angie C	Barbara F.
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Rita S.	M.D.	Matthew F.
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Frank Z.	Magtibay	Kelly Berry
Jane G.	George Sinclair	Bill M.
Jim W.	Peter O'Neil	Yvonne Williams
Richard C.	Mark H.	Michael Sabia
Michael	Patrick F	The adult children of
A. M. C.	Michelle P.	Polly & Freddy
Alain C.	Allison Radzin	William E. Jensen
Rita C.	Jasmine Drake	Cindy L.
Rita D.	Stephen	
A. C. Z.	DiCologero	

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 4, 2026-Holy Saturday

St.M	9:00 AM	Morning Prayer (No Mass)	Fr. P
St.T	4:00 PM	No Mass	
	5:15 PM	No Mass	
	8:00 PM	Easter Vigil	Fr. P

Sunday, April 5, 2026 - Easter

St.M	8:00 AM		Fr. R
	9:45 AM		Fr. P
St.T	11:00 AM		Fr. R
	12:00 PM		Fr. P
	5:15 PM	No Mass	

Monday, April 6, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	Wieslaw Rakoczy
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Tuesday, April 7, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	Luigi Cantadino
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Wednesday, April 8, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	S.I. John & Brenda Dwyer
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Thursday, April 9, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	Gibson LeBouf
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Friday, April 10, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	Anita Gallagher
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Saturday, April 11, 2026

St.M	9:00 AM	S.I. Maryann Geary	Fr. R
St.T	4:00 PM	All Parishioners	Fr. P
	5:15 PM	William McAndrews	Fr. R

Sunday, April 12, 2026

St.M	8:00 AM		Fr. P
	9:45 AM	Cary May	Fr. R
St.T	11:00 AM	Michael Pratt	Fr. P
	12:00 PM		Fr. R
	5:15 PM	S.I. William Connolly	Fr. P

P: Fr. Paul R: Fr. Richard M: Fr. Marcotte

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Responsible Stewardship

Due to the publication printing schedule and the weather, we will report the collections for March 29th in the April 12th bulletin.

**Weekly Offertory Goal to Meet
Operating Budget: \$17,500**

SANCTUARY CANDLE



The week of April 5, 2026

St. Michael

St. Timothy



Pastor's Reflection

Mary at Peace with the Risen Lord

What they experienced then: is it not
beyond all secrets sweet,
and all still terrestrial;
when he, a little pale still from the grave,
disburdened came to her:
in all parts resurrected.
Oh, to her first. How they were both then
inexpressibly healing.
Yes, healing, just that. They did not require
to touch at all strongly.
He laid for a bare second,
his soon to become
eternal hand on her woman's shoulder.
And they had started,
quietly as trees in springtime,
immensely together,
this season of their
farthest-reaching communion.

--Rainer Maria Rilke

--Fr. Paul D. Holland, S.J.

Pastor, St. Michael the Archangel Parish

Shawl Ministry

The Shawl Ministry needs new members to knit,
crochet and quilt the prayer shawl given to the sick of the Parish,
friends and family.

Want to help but don't know how to knit? No problem!

We will teach you!

Please call Gerri Russo at 914-672-5849.

Help needed! Baptismal Bibs Ministry

*Do you know
how to sew?*

**We are currently are
looking for someone
to help take over
the Baptismal Bibs
Ministry.**

When we baptize infants, we place upon them a white "bib," a miniature version of the white alb the priest wears, and we say "You have become a new creation, and have been clothed in Christ. See in this white garment the outward sign of your Christian dignity. With your family and friends to help you by word and example, bring that dignity unstained into the everlasting life of heaven."

These white garments are a key symbol in the baptism rite, and we need ministers to help fashion them.

**Please call our office
203-869-5421 for more
information and to
volunteer.**

FORE!

The 2026 Annual St. Michael the Archangel Golf Outing will be held on Monday, June 15th at the Griff Harris GC in Greenwich.

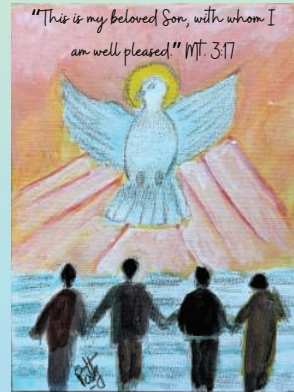
Sign up early to participate as a golfer, sponsor of both! Details including the Golf Entry Form may be found on the parish website. Alternatively, you may contact Mike Nedder at mcnedder@gmail.com or 914-329-1242 for him to email you the form or answer any of your questions.

This is a great annual event which promotes parish fellowship and provides financial support to our parish. We hope to see you there this June!



HEALING MINISTRY

A New Ministry at St. Michael



Begin your healing journey with the Holy Spirit, the great healer who brings freedom and renewal.

By embracing God's Truth, the wounds of the heart are healed and barriers to His love are removed.

With the guidance of Scripture, be immersed in the promises and truth of God's love, grace, and mercy.

Join us for:

- Guided healing exercises
- Deep individual prayer sessions
- Small group prayer sessions

For more information contact:

Paola Roditti

Stmichael.healingministry@gmail.com

St. Michael Women's Association
Invites you to join us for ...

SPRING



NIGHT

Wednesday, April 29th 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Guinan Hall

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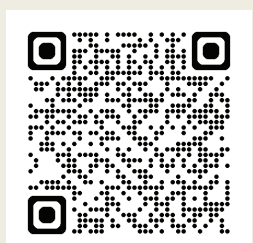
Please rsvp at email address below
(so that we can have a head count)

SMWA.rsvp@gmail.com



The Communications Team encourages you to visit the parish website @ www.stmichaelgreenwich.com or scan the QR code below.

Please visit frequently as the site is intended to be our MAIN and MOST CURRENT media platform for communication to you, our parishioners, AND to those looking for a parish home - pass along and help us grow the flock!





Accompanying Neighbors in Need

After losing his job and his home, Aaron felt overwhelmed and unsure where to turn. Through the compassionate outreach of **Catholic Charities' New Covenant Center in Stamford**, he found hope and someone to walk with him on his journey forward.



Dedicated staff accompanied Aaron as he searched for housing, regained stability, and re-entered the job market. With their guidance and support, he now has a new apartment and renewed hope for the future. His story reflects the life-changing impact of programs that serve those who are unhoused, seeking employment, and ready to rebuild their lives.


Stories like Aaron's are made possible through the **Bishop's Appeal**. Your generosity helps ensure that our neighbors in crisis are met with dignity, compassion, and the love of Christ.

Thank you for supporting **Catholic Charities** and for helping transform lives through the Bishop's Appeal. Make your gift to the Bishop's Appeal today!

Visit: 2026BishopsAppeal.org



2026 BISHOP'S APPEAL - ONE IN CHRIST

St. Michael the Archangel Parish	
2026 Bishop's Appeal as of 3/20/26	
Bishop's Appeal Goal:	\$279,500.00
Total Pledged:	\$174,218 (62%)
Donors to Date:	82 Donors
	To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at 2026BishopsAppeal.org , call (203) 416-1470 or scan with your phone.

Your Lenten Almsgiving

Paul, (the Saint, not me the pastor!), characteristically begins his letters to the churches with a word of gratitude: "I give thanks to my God for all of you" (Rom. 1:8) and he considered the goal of his ministry to increase the amount of thanksgiving directed toward God: "Grace will come more abundantly upon you and great will be the thanksgiving for the glory of God." (2 Cor 4:15). In that light, Paul exhorts the community at Corinth: "*Let each one give what he decided upon personally, and not reluctantly as if obliged. God loves a cheerful giver.*" (2 Cor 9:7.) As one of the three disciplines of Lent, along with prayer and fasting, Almsgiving then becomes intentional, joyful and **consistent**.

I too begin by expressing my gratitude for your generosity to the parish, to the annual Bishop's Appeal, and to the several extra collections like the Thanksgiving drive and the F.I.A.T. projects.

Our basic offertory collections, however, are **DOWN** compared to last year. Winter weather has significantly impacted Sunday mass attendance. We are kept solvent by generous one-time gifts and by our fundraisers, such as the Jubilee Gala and Golf Outing.

And we want to do more than just "stay afloat and keep the lights on." We want to flourish. And so, our parish operating budget and the twenty-five ministries it funds need an **Offertory supported by the entire parish community**.

Please prayerfully consider exercising **consistent stewardship**, even when you are out of town or the weather prevents your attending mass, by registering for **online giving** – see below for details –. Giving \$45 weekly, \$165 monthly or \$2,000 annually will underwrite St. Michael's **many ministries**, and our **one mission**, to give witness and service to the Reign of God, until God's "kingdom come and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

Thank you.

-Fr. Paul D. Holland, S.J.



FAITH FORMATION

A lifelong journey, childhood-teens-adults

"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead." - 1 Peter 1:3



Family Resources...to help grow in our faith



The Digital Pantry

Use this quick reference guide to search for all the digital resources, games, and ministry opportunities offered to you by the Institute for Catholic Formation.

SCAN ME!



<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Games</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Fun ways to learn and explore the Catholic faith.</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Children & Families</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Faith resources for young children and families</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Teens and Families</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Activities for older kids, teens, and the whole family.</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">All Ages</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Faith-based resources that everyone can enjoy.</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Ministry Leaders</p> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0;">Tools and ideas for leading faith formation and ministry.</p>
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Preparing for Mass.

How can I prepare myself for the wonderful gift that is the Eucharist? How can I prepare to worship in my local faith community? It is not just about settling my soul and my schedule, it is about making sure my heart is open, my conscience is clear, and my body is ready to become the body and blood of Christ our Lord.

By working together, we can create powerful liturgical experiences that engage our head, hearts, hands, and voices.

Use the following link to read some suggestions on how the faithful can prepare themselves for Mass.

www.formationreimagined.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Checklist-for-Participants.pdf

We are an *Easter* People and *Alleluia* is our song.



Teen Social

Sunday, April 19
1:00 pm - 4:00pm

Grades 8 - 12

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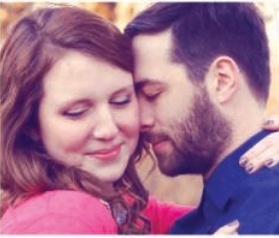
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