



Saint Michael Catholic Church

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Greetings to the Parishioners & Friends of St. Michael Parish Community,

As we approach the spring and summer seasons, we know from experience that with religious education classes completed and vacations being planned, that our church attendance and our offertory income goes way below the weekly goal of \$3,000.

One way we found to compensate for the shortfall was the institution of "Sponsor a Day" by which you could offer \$150 to cover most of the expenses of the parish operation for one day. The parishioner's response has been wonderful and acknowledged in weekly bulletins. With much facility related maintenance deferred over the years, we have decided to renew the "Sponsor a Day" program and ask for your support.

Yours in Christ,

Rev Ixon Chateau, Pastor

Sponsor A Day



\$150

A day will cover the costs of our parish utilities for a year.

\$150...

That's the approximate number of dollars it takes EACH DAY to pay heat, electricity, telephone, water, and other expenses for our

- Church
- Priests' Room & Board

That's \$54,750 this year.

\$150...

One hundred fifty dollars from each of **365 households** will help cover the cost of these utilities for a whole year, 365 days, this year.

Please sponsor a day and help support Saint Michael Parish this year.

I/ we would like to sponsor one or more days @ \$150 each day – Total: \$ _____ Or a donation of \$ _____

Name _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ Tel. _____

Payment method by: () CHECKS made payable to Saint Michael Parish

Or use the On-Line Giving icon at www.stjosephholbrook.org choosing Saint Michael - Sponsor a Day as the fund.

Please print name as you would like printed in the bulletin: Family name or In memory of

This year, in 2026 - \$150 for each day of the year will help cover the daily operating costs in our church and parish center supporting:

- Sunday & weekday Masses throughout the year.
- Our Sacramental preparation programs.
- Faith Formation religious education classes.
- Baptizing our children, marrying our couples, and burying our deceased loved ones.
- Meetings and activities of our parish groups, ministries, programs, and other events held at our parish.