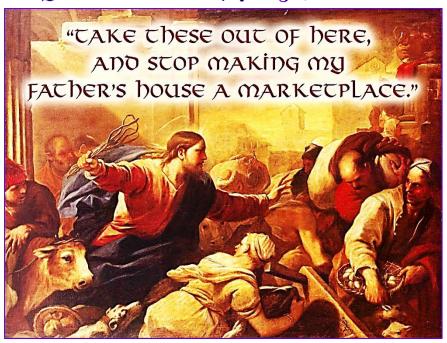
## Cathedral of St. Michael the Archangel

# Third Sunday of Lent

Join us for Holy Mass



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## **CLERGY, STAFF, AND VOLUNTEERS**

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- Rev. Yerick Méndez, Assistant Rector
- Deacon Angel Pérez
- Deacon José Rivera
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- Jacob Broer, Assistant to the Director of Music
- M. Lynn Dubreuil, Director of Religious Education
- Julian Flores, Maintenance Assistant
- Paul E. Evans, Jr., Sexton and Altar Server
- Mary Jeanne Tash, Safety & Security Coordinator
- Wanda Castellano, Administrative Assistant

## All Masses are celebrated in the Cathedral



Weekdays, M-F: 12:10 p.m. Saturday, Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASSES: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 4:00 p.m.

Misa en Español: domingo, 11:45 a.m.

Holy Day: Please see Mass Schedule.

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Confession Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 p.m. or by appointment



Cornerstone laid on the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, September 29, 1860 / First Mass celebrated on Christmas morning, 1861.

## **MARCH 2 - 10, 2024**



Saturday	March 2	4:00 p.m.	†Teresa A. Harris
Sunday	March 3	8:30 a.m.	
Sunday	March 3	10:00 a.m.	†Katie Brown, †Harry Brown, III, and
			†Harry Brown, IV
Domingo	3 de Marzo	11:45 a.m.	†Raymond Arias
Sunday	March 3	4:00 p.m.	†Lizandra Flores
Monday	March 4	12:10 p.m.	†Anna Pereira
Tuesday	March 5	12:10 p.m.	†Max Tryba
Wednesday	March 6	12:10 p.m.	†Catherine T. Hart
Thursday	March 7	10:00 a.m.	Pro-Life Vigil / Vigil for the Unborn
Thursday	March 7	12:10 p.m.	†Robert F. Connelly
Friday	March 8	12:10 p.m.	†Sister Adeline Coulombe, osu
Saturday	March 9	4:00 p.m.	†Teddi J. Brown
Sunday	March 10	8:30 a.m.	†Domenico Dell'Aera
Sunday	March 10	10:00 a.m.	†Sister Judith Kappenman, ssj
Domingo	10 de Marzo	11:45 a.m.	†
Sunday	March 10	4:00 p.m.	†Sandra Dennis



Please pray for our dearly departed brothers and sisters in Christ, marked with the sign of faith.





### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month following the Pro-Life Vigil, before the 12:10 p.m. Mass.
- Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the Holy Spirit.



## Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

Readings for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent, The Gospel According to John, <u>Jn 2:13-25</u>, <u>bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/030324.cfm</u>

#### **WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

**FEB 17-18, 2024, 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT** 

This information was not available prior to publication deadline. It will appear in a future bulletin. **FEB 24-25, 2024, 2**ND **SUNDAY OF LENT** 

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#### **MISSION STATEMENT / MISIÓN**

Guided and protected by our patron Saint Michael the Archangel, the Cathedral parish is a welcoming, diverse community which embodies the mission of Christ who strengthens us by the sacraments.

Guiada y protegida por nuestro patrón San Miguel Arcángel, la parroquia Catedral es una comunidad acogedora y diversa que encarna la misión de Cristo quién nos fortalece a través de los sacramentos.



## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

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Enjoy searching for the hidden word, name or phrase that is comprised of the remaining letters. Last week's hidden message: **TRANSFIGURATION OF JESUS.** 

	JESUS
BELIEVE	POWER OF GOD
ENLIGHTEN	PROCLAIM
FEAST	SCRIPTURE
GOD	SIGNS
HOLY	TEMPLE
HUMAN	TESTIFY
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#### **Lenten Bible Study with Fr. Méndez**

Please join us in the Bishop Marshall Center at 6:30 p.m. for a Lenten Bible Study with Father Méndez on the following **Mondays**: February 26, March 4, March 11, and March 18. [Bilingual (English/Spanish]

#### **Bible Study with Mary Jeanne Tash**

The **Martha and Mary Reflective Bible Study** class will not meet on Wednesday, 21st. Please know that it will resume on Wednesday, February 28th at 1:00 p.m. in the Bishop Marshall Center.

#### **Knights and Ladies of Saint Peter Claver**

**Lenten Luncheon in the Bishop Marshall Center**Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> after the 12:10 p.m. Mass

#### **A Special Gift**

Saint Michael's Cathedral is very grateful for a special gift in memory of Theresa M. Swanson which has been used to purchase a new Balsam Hill lighted Advent Giving Tree. The tree will enhance our sanctuary during the Advent and Christmas seasons for many years to come. We appreciate this gift in loving memory of Theresa.

Please join Catholics for the Unborn for a **PRO-LIFE VIGIL** starting at 10:00 a.m. on the second Thursday of each month at the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel in Springfield. The vigil opens with Exposition, followed by Recitation of the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Adoration, and Benediction at 12:00 p.m. followed by daily Mass at 12:10p.m. For more information email Carolee McGrath at c.mcgrath@diospringfield.org. All are welcome.

The **40 Days for Life** is a semi-annual, ecumenical campaign focused on changing hearts and minds on abortion through three components:

- Prayer and Fasting
- Peaceful Vigil
- Community Outreach

Please check back to "Adopt-a-Day" to cover one day at the vigil site, Planned Parenthood on 3550 Main Street in Springfield. For more information, contact Tim Biggins at (413) 342-0403 or go to <a href="https://www.40daysforlife.com">www.40daysforlife.com</a> or Diane LeDoux at (413) 821-0871



## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

#### International Christian Recording Artist, Ryan Tremblay, in Concert

Mary Mother of Hope Church, 840 Page Blvd. in Springfield Friday, March 1, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the church Free will offering ~ Open to the public ~ No reservations required Contact: John Koski <a href="mailto:ikoski12@hotmail.com">ikoski12@hotmail.com</a> / (413) 374-4416

Saint Jerome Parish in Holyoke will host a **Novena to Saint Patrick** from March 7 through 15.

The weekday Novena Masses will be celebrated at 12:15 p.m. The Saturday Novena Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m., and the Sunday Novena Mass will b0e celebrated at 8:00 a.m.

Bishop William Byrne and eight other Diocesan priests will each celebrate one of the Novena Masses.

All are welcome. For more information, contact the Parish office at (413) 532-6381.

Lenten Mission at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Springfield

#### Opening our Hearts in Eucharistic Revival with Mary and the Saints

March 9th The Retreat Day begins at 9:30 a.m. and ends after the 4:00 p.m. Mass

Retreat Leader: Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle, EWTN TV Host

Admission: \$30.00 (includes refreshments and lunch)

Information and Registration: Rose Lopez (413) 896-4143 or Mary Baxter (413) 272-9018

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In concert with the festivities surrounding the 2024 Holyoke St. Patrick's Parade the Ancient Order of Hibernians, James A. Curran, Division One of Hampden Hampshire Counties invites the public to attend the **Annual Communion Breakfast** on Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m., a **Memorial Mass at St. Jerome Church** followed by breakfast at 9:00 a.m. at the Wyckoff Country Club, 233 Easthampton Road, Holyoke. The Hibernians will honor James P. Kelly, CEO of the Polish National Credit Union with the 2024 Hibernian Christian Charity Award. The Guest speaker will be Erin Duffy Lacy, Irish National Dance Champion and Research Fellow at Harvard Medical School. For reservations by March 8<sup>th</sup> call Atty. John J. Driscoll at 413-537-1573. Tickets: \$25.00 per person (Tables of 10).

#### Join Deacon Robert Farrell for a Lenten Retreat Evening on March 11th

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, 123 William Street in Springfield

Deacon Robert Farrell was ordained to the Permanent Diaconate of the Diocese in May 2011, and serves the faith community of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. He is a trained spiritual director, having received his certification from Fairfield U. in June, 2020, and a member of Spiritual Directors International. All are welcome. There is no fee. Phone: (413) 734-5433

• Reconciliation: 6:15-6:45 p.m. • Liturgy: 7:00-7:45 p.m. • Refreshments in the Center: 8:00-9:00 p.m.

The Parishes of the Springfield Deanery invite you to a **LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE**Thursday, March 14, 2024 at 5:15 p.m.

Sacred Heart Church, 395 Chestnut Street, Springfield, 01104

Join us for Mass at 5:15 p.m. followed by Confessions heard by area priests in various languages.

#### St. Joseph High School Alumni Mass

Msgr. Michael Shershanovich and the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee of St. Joseph Parish, Pittsfield invite all alumni, family and friends of St. Joseph Central High School (1897-2017) to a Mass for all alumni, former faculty and staff, living and deceased, at St. Joseph Church on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m.

#### **The Mysteries of Fatima**

Sunday, April 14th at 2:00 p.m. | FREE EVENT

Holy Family Roman Catholic Parish Hall | 29 Sugarloaf St. | So. Deerfield, MA

Please join Fr. Donald Noiseux, as he talks about the Mysteries of Fatima and shares his extensive knowledge through research and much travel to Portugal. In 1917, the Virgin Mary appeared to three young children at Fatima. Learn about the Miracle of the Sun that 70,000 witnesses saw the three secrets that Our Mother shared with the children and why the last secret wasn't revealed until years later.