

# Cathedral of St. Michael the Archangel

## 21<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Join us for Holy Mass



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

- Bishop William Draper Byrne
- Very Reverend Gary M. Dailey, Rector
- Rev. Yerick Méndez, Parochial Vicar
- Rev. Sinh Trinh, Parochial Vicar
- Deacon Angel Pérez
- Deacon José Rivera
- Dolly Garzón, Ministerio Pastoral
- M. Lynn Dubreuil, Director of Religious Ed.
- Cynthia Roberson, Sacristan
- Ashley Duplessis, Director of Music
- Jacob Broer, Assistant to the Director of Music
- 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 our Mass Schedule.



### **Sacrament of Reconciliation / Confession**

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 p.m. or by appointment



# Mass Schedule



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

## AUG 24 – SEPT 1, 2024



## MASS INTENTION / MASS OR SERVICE

Saturday	August 24	4:00 p.m.	†Deceased Members of the Ladizki & Malone Families
Sunday	August 25	8:30 a.m.	†Rev. Michael W. Twardzik
Sunday	August 25	10:00 a.m.	Birthday Blessings for Alivia Gelinas
Domingo	25 de Agosto	11:45 a.m.	†Genaro Rodríguez e †Idalia Rosario
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>August 25</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Installation Mass for Fr. Gary Dailey 23<sup>rd</sup> Rector the St. Michael's Cathedral</b>
			†Paul Malatesta (1 <sup>st</sup> Ann.)
			†Anna Pereira
Monday	August 26	12:10 p.m.	The Spiritual Intentions of Lawrence Ibekilo
Tuesday	August 27	12:10 p.m.	†Rev. Michael W. Twardzik
Wednesday	August 28	12:10 p.m.	A Special Birthday Blessing
Thursday	August 29	12:10 p.m.	†Eugene Arabik
Friday	August 30	12:10 p.m.	
Saturday	August 31	4:00 p.m.	
Sunday	September 1	8:30 a.m.	In Thanksgiving for Improved Health for Hunter & Liz
Sunday	September 1	10:00 a.m.	†Anastasia Morales
Domingo	1 de Septiembre	11:45 a.m.	
Sunday	September 1	4:00 p.m.	<b>The People of St. Michael's Cathedral</b>

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

†Luz N. Echevarria

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### 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.



**Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.**

Readings for the 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, The Gospel According to John, **Jn 6:60-69**, [bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/082524.cfm](http://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/082524.cfm)

### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

**AUG 17 – 18, 2024, 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

All Five Weekend Masses (\$2,804.00); Fuel (\$77.00); Ascension (\$50.00 ADDL.) Assumption (\$327.00 ADDL.)

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS TOTAL:** (\$35.00 ADDL.)

### 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.

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### Religious Education Classes at St. Michael's Cathedral Academic Year 2024-2025

Religious Education Classes for grades pre-k through High School (grade 12) for the 2024-2025 academic year will resume on Sunday, September 8th. All students must be registered before the first day of classes. Please visit the Bishop Marshall Center after the 10:00 a.m. Mass and after the 11:45 a.m. Mass on the following registration dates noted below. Please bring a copy of your child's/children's Baptismal Certificate(s) if you have not already done so.

#### **UPCOMING REGISTRATION DATES:**

- **AUGUST 25<sup>th</sup>**, and ● **SEPTEMBER 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Please register in advance on any of the Sundays noted above.**

#### **First Day of Class:**

- Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> – Grades: Pre-K through Middle School
- Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> – Grades: High School

St. Michael's Cathedral **Prayer Shawl Ministry** invites all knitters and crocheters to join us on **Wednesday, September 4th** from 1:00-2:30p.m. in the Rectory to create prayer shawls for those going through difficult times. Bring your own yarn. We have patterns if needed. You do not have to be a member of St. Michael's to participate. We meet on the first Wednesday of the month from September-May. If you cannot attend in person, consider doing one at home. Please contact the parish office to register. Include your name, email address and cell phone number. We are a small, friendly group.

Please join us!

### **Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel**

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Our **Daytime Reflective Bible Study** this year is "the Sermon on the Mount" according to Matthew starting on **Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>**, 1:00-2:30 p.m. in the Bishop Marshall Center. *The New American Bible Revised* is the bible of choice for this group.

Group Leader: Mary Jeanne Tash.

**This group is limited to 12 persons.**

Please register in the parish office or via email by Friday, September 6<sup>th</sup>.

Please include your name, cell phone number and email address.

### **SENIOR RETREAT WITH FR. GARY DAILEY**

As the year of the Eucharist comes to a close, please join us for a retreat day with Fr. Gary Dailey entitled "THE EUCHARIST: Understanding and Living the Mystery" on **Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>** from 8:00a.m. - 3:00p.m. at Jericho's Celebration Center, 537 Northampton St., Holyoke. The program begins at 9:00 a.m. with confessions, adoration, lunch at Hamel's, and Mass.

**Retreat Cost:** \$25.00 (includes lunch).

To register please send your check made out to **Disciples of Mary** and mail to Disciples of Mary, 537 Northampton St. in Holyoke, MA 01040.

#### **CONTACT:**

(413) 452-0511 / [disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org](mailto:disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org).

The **Annual Diocesan Rosary Congress** will take place **October 5-11** at Our Lady of Mercy Oratory at the National Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge. The event will include seven days and seven nights of perpetual adoration and recitation of the rosary. The congress opens at 9:00 a.m. on Oct. 5 with a live-streamed Mass at the National Shrine. Adoration will begin at 10:00 a.m. in Our Lady of Mercy Oratory and will continue 24/7 through Oct. 11. For more information, or to sign up visit [adorationpro.org/rosarycongress](http://adorationpro.org/rosarycongress) or call (413) 298-2515 or email [springfieldrosary@gmail.com](mailto:springfieldrosary@gmail.com).



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## "Strides for Serenity" 5K!

The Michael J. Dias Foundation, in partnership with Northstar Recovery Center, invites you to participate in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Strides for Serenity 5K, supporting addiction recovery efforts.

- **Date:** September 21, 2024
- **Time:** Registration at 9:00 AM; Race begins at 10:00 AM
- **Location:** Ashley Reservoir, Holyoke, MA
- **Cost:** \$30 before September 20, 2024; \$35 after
- **Register:** [www.pledgereg.com/strides-for-serenity](http://www.pledgereg.com/strides-for-serenity)
- **Visit:** [www.mdiasfoundation.org/fundraising-events-calendar/strides-for-serenity-5k](http://www.mdiasfoundation.org/fundraising-events-calendar/strides-for-serenity-5k)

### Hibernians of Hampden/Hampshire Counties News:

Halfway to St. Patrick's Day- The Public is invited to an evening of celebration and fun featuring Dee Reilly at the Glendale Ridge Vineyard 155 Glendale Rd Southampton, Mass.; Admission is free; Tuesday September 17 th 5-7pm; Food and wine for Purchase (Cash Only); Rain or Shine; Sponsored by the Hibernian Community, Lastly, Everyone is encouraged to bring non-perishable food items for Kate's Kitchen. Annual Par 3 Golf Tournament- Sponsored by the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians-The public is invited to attend and participate on Saturday September 21, 2024 at Holyoke Country Club, 2 Country Club Rd., Holyoke, Mass.; Golfer Registration 9am, Tee off 10am, Lunch 12pm; Golf and Lunch \$60; \$25 Lunch only; call Nora McMahon at 413-218-2092; Lastly, A collection of needed items will be taken up for the residents of the Holyoke Veterans' Home (go to aoh-holyoke.com for a list of needed items). Annual Food and Clothing Drive for Providence Ministries-The Hibernians and the Polish National Credit Union are sponsoring a Food and Clothing Drive September 1- Dec. 1 2024; Drop off location at the Polish National Credit Union, 270 Westfield Rd., Holyoke; please consider bringing non-perishable food items and gently used clothing; sleeping bags and blankets needed; make a donation and ask to sign up to enter a raffle for 100.00 and/or raffle basket. Be a Voice for Ireland and join the Hibernians, Call Joe O'Connor at 413-627-7148 or Paula Paoli at 413-210-6031.

**The Catholic Woman's Club of Springfield** invites everyone to our first meeting of the new season, Monday September 9, 2024 at 12:45p.m. in the Bishop Marshall Center, Elliot Street, Springfield, Ma. Cindy Kernicki, promises a pleasant way to start the year. She is eager to share her knowledge about the care of jewelry she has gained during her years with Hannoush jewelers. Join us.

**R.S.V.P. by August 31, 2024**

**To join the club, please call Rachel Burkott 737-6963 or Kathryn Seward 736-1649**

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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:

**JESUS IS THE BREAD OF LIFE.**

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