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## Mission

A diverse spiritual community in action, dedicated to drawing people to Christ and making church and worship matter. We do this through our liturgical worship and living out our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure.

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Daily Mass: Monday—Friday**  
8:30 am, 12:00 Noon

### Saturday

Mass: 8:30 am  
Confession: 1:00 pm—2:00 pm  
Saturday Vigil Mass—5:30 pm

### Sunday

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am,  
12:00 Noon

## PASTORAL STAFF

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The Bread  
of Life

## Dealing with Adversity



The first reading for this 18th Sunday in ordinary times, Year B (Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15), details how the Israelites responded to the challenges they faced on their way to freedom.

Generally, the journey of growth rarely happens without obstacles, difficulties, and tribulations. Change and growth involve pain which often leads to stress, so much so that, very often, the temptation is to fall back, to give up, and to seek a quick escape route. Usually, complaining and blaming others and things is a common tool of choice rather than taking responsibility and facing the challenges before us.

My friends, life has a way of perfecting what we practice. What we do very often we, also, will get very good at. If we complain and blame people and things about where we are in life, we will, sooner than later, get very good at it. In fact, we will get so good at it that we will find something or somebody to blame for every difficult situation in our lives. The Israelites had complained when they were faced with crossing the Red Sea. Then they complained about being in the desert, about not having bread, meat, water, and about Moses and Aaron. As the complaint increased so did their forgetfulness of all that the Lord had done to set them free from slavery. All they could see was lack and all they could notice was what was not done. Consequently, they could not express any gratitude for blessings received nor the need to trust in the God who was delivering them from slavery into freedom. Complaining kills the spirit of

gratitude, appreciation, and hope.

It is very easy to negate the efforts of others, to forget the good others have done for us, and the blessings we have received from the Lord, and to focus mostly on people's deficiencies, what was not done, and our sense of entitlement. A complainer rarely finds the opportunity to be grateful and to express gratitude. Truth be told, there is so much good and blessings around us, and so much that God and others have done for us. But what we choose to focus on usually determines how we respond to life.

May the good Lord grant us the grace to focus our lives on gratitude and on appreciating the good that God and others have done for us because, the more we see goodness for which we are grateful, the more good things are likely to come our way and abide with us. Moments of difficulties and tribulations are not signs that the good Lord has abandoned us for God does not abandon His people. As Scripture tells us, in today's reading, "I have heard the grumbling of the Israelites. Tell them: In the evening twilight you shall eat flesh, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread, so that you may know that I, the LORD, am your God."

*Msgr. Anselm Nwaorgu*

# Stewardship of Treasure

## 6 Ways To DONATE

<p><b>ONLINE GIVING:</b></p>  <p>Parish Giving -SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING- stmichaelunion.org</p>	<p><b>BANK TRANSFER:</b></p>  <p>stmichaelunion@comcast.net In the Comment section, indicate where your donation should be accounted for, e.g., USAN (with your Group Name), Offertory, Tithe, etc.</p>	<p><b>CONTACT FREE: QR CODE</b></p>  <p>Scanning the code above with your mobile device directs you to the online donation page</p>
<p><b>MAIL IN:</b></p>  <p>1211 Orange Ave, Union, NJ 07083</p>	<p><b>DROP OFF: AT THE PARISH CENTER</b></p>  <p>1211 Orange Ave, Union, NJ 07083</p>	<p><b>DURING OFFERTORY: AT MASS</b></p>  <p>You can use designated envelopes OR use your envelope but indicate where your donation should be accounted for.</p>

### ARE YOU GOING AWAY THIS SUMMER?

Many of our parish families are planning to get away for some summer fun and relaxation in the next few months. We pray that your vacation time will be safe and a source of many happy memories. However, please do not take your parish offering with you. Each summer our parish office struggles to juggle the bills as Sunday offerings decrease significantly. If you find that you tend to forget your envelope more often during the less structured weeks of summer, please consider our electronic giving program. Go to our website, [stmichaelunion.org](http://stmichaelunion.org), to sign up for electronic giving. It's simple! It's safe! And it keeps God at the top of your giving list even when you are away.

### TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS: PREVENTING SCAMS IN OUR PARISH

There is increasing use of many Pastor's names, via email or text message, to try to scam parishioners. They have tried it severally with many pastors in our diocese. Please do not be scammed. You can prevent this by taking a few things in consideration.

- If you receive a text message or email and you don't know your pastor's phone number or email, do not reply to the message sent in his name unless it comes from the Parish Office. **You need to call the Parish and verify the message.**
- If someone texts, emails or calls you in a way that implies urgency, attempting to get you to act quickly before you have time to carefully read and examine the message. Be careful how you respond. Verify first.
- If you receive any text, email, or call pressuring you to send funds via gift cards for whatever reason, by asking you for the code numbers or PINs on the back of the cards so that the card can be redeemed immediately, be careful how you respond. Verify first.
- If you receive any text or email, or call telling you a story about the urgent need of your pastor or someone you don't relate with at that level, that involves a medical emergency, being stranded somewhere, or for travel needs, be careful how you respond. Make sure the phone number or email address is verified.

We just need to be smart and we can beat these attempts at scamming parishioners. It is nearly impossible to locate where the scam is originating from or the number being used. What we can do is to be watchful. Always look at the number and email from which the message is being sent. If it is not a number or email address you are familiar with, your best bet is not to respond or verify before you respond.

*Msr. Anselm*

"Give and gifts will be given to you ... the measure with which you measure will in turn be measured out to you." **Luke 6:38**

### COLLECTION & SOS

	NEEDED WEEKLY	ACTUAL WEEKLY	OVER/UNDER
<b>JULY</b>			
Week 1	\$ 7,307	\$ 6,900	\$ 407
Week 2	\$ 7,307	\$ 8,210	\$ 903
Week 3	\$ 7,307	\$ 8,167	\$ 860
Week 4	\$ 7,307	\$ 8,747	\$1,440
<b>Monthly SOS</b>	<b>\$10,040</b>	<b>\$11,331</b>	<b>\$1,291</b>

### Dear Parishioners,

In order for us to stay in the GREEN, it is important that we meet our weekly budget collections and SOS. Please let us continue to support the weekly Sunday collection so that we can achieve our goals of balancing the budget going forward.

Thank you for your support of the parish and your continued generosity.

*Msr. Anselm*

### 2024 USAN UPDATE

**GOAL \$100,000.00**

**As of 7/24/24 \$ 57,106.00**

**NEED: \$ 42,894.00**

**Facilitators are still needed. Please contact Cynthia & David. Thank you for your support and generosity.**



### ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, UNION, NJ 2024 USAN REDEMPTION CAMPAIGN

Dear parishioners, our Church needs You right now!  
We are \$65,000.00 short of our campaign goal! Please join me in faith as we close this gap. We need donations at these levels.

10 St. Michael's Corner Stones of Faith	\$2,000+ (and above)
10 St. Michael's Builders of Faith	\$1,500+
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May we all find a level for a sacrificial donation. Please indicate your level of giving

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To God be the Glory, Honor, Worship, and Praise! Amen. May you never lack, as you keep this church alive.  
(Use this envelop to mail card, or drop it in the collection basket/office.)

# Mass Intentions & Novenas

## MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY August 3**  
 8:30 am Jose Guzman Almonte  
 5:30 pm Shella Boulin (Living)-Birthday

**SUNDAY August 4**  
 7:30 am Anthony Stayings (Living)-Healing  
 For the Parishioners  
 9:00 am Isirio Torres  
 10:30 am Myrna Gancia (Living)-Thanksgiving  
 12:00 noon Janette M. Gomes  
 Deceased Members of Magalhaes Families

**MONDAY August 5**  
 8:30 am Shela Boulin (Living)-Birthday  
 12:00 noon Pacita Pena (14th Ann.)  
 Benjamin Torres Chaparro

**TUESDAY August 6**  
 8:30 am Antonio Maranon  
 Novena of Masses  
 12:00 noon Fank Attansio

**WEDNESDAY August 7**  
 8:30 am Amoakon Mian  
 Socorro Dagat (Living)-Healing  
 John Vincent Cepe (Living)-Birthday  
 12:00 noon Dorothy Marchitello  
 Grace Badiola (Living)-Thanksgiving  
 Manuel DeOlivera

**THURSDAY August 8**  
 8:30 am Frances Cebulak (11th Ann.)  
 12:00 noon Novena of Masses

**FRIDAY August 9**  
 8:30 am Roger Boetsch  
 Eugene Fabio, Jr.  
 Eugene Fabio, Jr.  
 Wladyslaw Skoczylas

**SATURDAY August 10**  
 8:30 am Michelle Ezpeleta (Living)-Thanksgiving  
 5:30 pm Emmanuel Moreno Cruz (1st Ann.)  
 Antonio Baldassarre  
 Marcelina Reveche Rana

**SUNDAY August 11**  
 7:30 am For the Parishioners  
 9:00 am Maria Cruz Azevedo  
 10:30 am Angelita Figueroa  
 12:00 noon Alejandro Cruz  
 Darnell Connor (1st Ann.)  
 Clara Asoya (Living)-Birthday

### ALTAR OFFERINGS

*The Altar Bread & Altar Wine are offered by Shella Boulin (Living) for her birthday.*

*The Sanctuary Lamp is offered for Lucy Scalgione (living) and family and friends.*



## NOVENA OF MASSES JULY 2024

<b>Jose &amp; Lucille Arnaldo</b>	<b>Phil Matrale</b>
<b>James Ford, Sr.</b>	<b>Jean Ford</b>
<b>Mary &amp; Idolo Russomano</b>	<b>Abe Maksom</b>
<b>Pierre &amp; Rubinetti Families</b>	<b>Fritz Maddy</b>
<b>Frank &amp; Helen Rubinetti</b>	<b>George Rinehart, Jr.</b>
<b>Elenita Roque (Living)</b>	<b>Linda Privat</b>
<b>Julianita J. Ticao</b>	<b>Nora Jover</b>
<b>Julie &amp; Henry Dycewski</b>	<b>Adelina P. Hollado</b>
<b>Lauren Kaczynski</b>	<b>Antonio Maranon</b>
<b>Jeff Pogorzelski (Living)-Healing</b>	
<b>Shella Boulin (Living)-Birthday</b>	
<b>Michellene &amp; Joseph Kmetz</b>	
<b>George Sr., Ruth &amp; Barbara Rinehart</b>	
<b>Manuel Pereira Aarujo &amp; Lucilia Silva Sousa Araujo</b>	
<b>Patsy Scalgione &amp; Deceased Family Members</b>	
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of the Orlando, Landolfi, Siciliano &amp; LaManna Families</b>	
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of Ramos &amp; Morales Families</b>	
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of Santoriello Family</b>	

## PRAYERS OF HEALING FOR

Grace Fortino, Dolores Rust, Lucy Nwauku, Judy Reid, Ana Torres, Rita Homiak, Stephen Berberabe, Norma Tuano, Jeff Pogorzelski, Virginia Attanasio, Mary Leeman, Marie Esposito, Jose M. DeJesus, Andre Graigwell, Nicole Pozeinick, Amy Dombroski, Samantha Lopes, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, Ken Lang, Valarie Carter, Willie Green, Shirley Dobard, Joyce Toth, Maria Ferrara, Alex Pretto, Paulo Goncalves, Frances Machado, Antoinette Agriloo, James Scholz, Michael Nworu, Victoria Nworu, June Musa, Marivic del Rosario, Theresa Ojeawere, Kathy Chavez, John McEvoy, Sofia Teixeira, Carlos Dacruz, Anthony Staynings, Socorro Dagat, Peter & Cathy Fortunato, Anna Lepski, Nicole Ferlo, Therese Ferlo, Dolly Kramer, Junita Ottenstroer, Baby Sophia Alfano, John Dittemer, Pat Wittek, Sal Dovi, Kathy Doherty, Mary Ann Flynn, Roger Swadish, Jaime DeLeon, Angela & Doug Heinzer, Leonard Stfalk, Sophia Zamudio, Anthony Stayning, Aida Polanco, Fr. Chuck McDermott, Remedios Mendoza, Bellevina Alexandre

## DECEASED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Please remember in your prayers our parish, friends and family members who have passed on to the Lord, that they may inherit the promise of everlasting life in heaven.

**Especially  
Emmanuel Egwuonwu**

## Prayer to **ST. MICHAEL**



St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, 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.

## Ministry Happenings

### CYO YOUTH MINISTRY



The CYO / Youth Ministry would like to thank all of its members for an amazing year! Congratulations to all of our seniors who are graduating, and we wish you the best of luck! We wish everyone a safe, healthy and fun summer and we look forward to seeing the rest of our members back in September!

### MILLENNIALS IN CHRIST (MIC)

Our first meeting was amazing. We centered our worship and conversation around God's definition of love. Many of us reported feeling filled with the Holy Spirit and are excited to meet again next month. We invite parishioners from all cultures between the ages of 25-40 to grow in fellowship and faith with us. Millennials with Christ aims to encourage others to be soldiers for Christ in a way that resonates with our generation because we are trying to draw people within our age range into the Catholic Church since so many of our peers have left.

*Jesus replied, "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind." This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important, "Love your neighbor as yourself." The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments."*

*(Matthew 22:37-40, NLT)*

For inquiries: [MillennialsWithChrist@gmail.com](mailto:MillennialsWithChrist@gmail.com)



### WELLNESS MINISTRY

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All who are willing to help our community please go to our website and submit a volunteer application and send an email to the Religious Education Department to [smreligiouseducation@gmail.com](mailto:smreligiouseducation@gmail.com)

The **Religious Education Office** is open Monday through Thursday 9:30AM to 2:30PM (except holidays) or by appointment. We are located in the Parish Center at 1211 Orange Avenue. You can also contact us by phone 908-964-0965 at any time and leave a message or via email at [smccd@comcast.net](mailto:smccd@comcast.net).

### HANDS OF GRACE (HUGS)

**SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE: HUGS MINISTRY is accepting donations of schools supplies. The items needed are:**

Backpacks	Composition books
Folders-2 pockets	Pencils
Crayons	Colored Pencils
Erasers	Glue Sticks
Markers	Ziplock bags-gallon size
Subject notebook	Pencil Cases

You may drop off donations at the church vestibule anytime on the week-end during the month of July.

Thank you for your generosity.



**The HUGS Ministry gratefully acknowledges the generous gift of a substantial donation of infant formula, both powder and liquid states from the Knights of Columbus Council 4504. HUGS appreciates the efforts of Luke Sanglamo and Anthony Spina to support this ministry of mothers and young children.**



## Announcements



Our parish will be taking a cruise around New York City as part of the celebration of St. Michael's Feast Day 2024.

**Cruise Date:** Friday, September 27, 2024  
**Ship Boarding:** 6:30 pm  
**Cruising:** 7:00 pm—9:30 pm  
**Vessel:** Spirit of New Jersey  
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**COST:**  
**Option 1:** \$170 per person includes cruise, dinner, round trip bus from St. Michael's Church to Lincoln Harbor and back. No beer or wine.  
**Option 2:** \$178 per person includes cruise, dinner, drinks (1 glass of wine or bottle of beer), round trip bus from St. Michael's Church to Lincoln Harbor and back.  
**Option 3:** \$150 per person includes cruise and dinner only. No bus transportation nor wine or beer.

Bus boarding at St. Michael's Parking Lot at 5:00 pm sharp.

Tickets are first come first serve basis. Deadline to purchase tickets—August 5th. Only 150 tickets will be sold. No refund will be issued for cancelation after August 5th.

Tickets are now available for sale at the Parish Center and Church vestibule during Sunday Masses. Tickets can also be purchased from Luz Gonzales or Cynthia Grandeza. Please call Parish Office (908) 688-1232 for more information.

### SAVE THE DATE BUS TRIPS

**Monday, October 21, 2024** - Bus trip to **Wind Creek Casino**. Bus leaves parking lot at 9:30 am. Cost is **\$35 with** a \$25 slot play return.

**Tuesday, April 1, 2025**— Join us for the 30th Anniversary show of **Noah at Sight and Sound**. Luncheon buffet will be at the newly built Hershey Farms restaurant. Cost for the trip & lunch is \$170. Reservations are needed but payment will not be required till 2025.



### CHARISMATIC RENEWAL PRAYER GROUP

**COME AND EXPERIENCE THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT PERSONALLY WITH ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group**



**DAY:** Wednesday  
**TIME:** 6 PM-7:30 PM  
**VENUE:** Murphy Room, Phil Matrale Hall (LC)

## CELEBRATING MSGR ANSELM BIRTHDAY July 29, 2024



## MIND AND SPIRIT MINISTRY

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### MONTHLY GROUP SESSIONS THURSDAYS 7PM - 8.30PM

2024

October 10th: Grief & Loss

November 14th: Shame & Inner Criticism

December 12th: Coping with Stress

2025

January 9th: Gratitude & Self-care

February 6th: Managing Anger

March 6th: Relational conflict

April 3rd: Finding Self-forgiveness


May 8th: Living with Anxiety & Fear

June 12th: Personal tribulations

July 10th: Life after Past Experiences

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