† Masses this week at St. Michael's October 9-16, 2022

"Get up...your faith has made you well." -Luke 17.11-19

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year C

Saturday, October 8 5:00 pm † John Lennon Sunday, October 9 9:00 am Missa Pro Popula

-Trish & Gary James

11:00 am Special Intentions of Ken Reid -Fred & Colette Stegmayer

Mass Intention

Requested By

Mon., October 10 12:05 pm † Deceased Members of O'Kane & Forster Family It is fitting for God's people to offer public thanks for all the gifts we have received. The bountiful produce of the earth is a visible sign of the many blessings God wants to shower on us through Christ. Our God also wants us to share the goods of the earth will all people.

Tuesday, October 11 12:05 pm † Jean Farrell

-John & Family

Wed, October 12

12:05 pm † Gino Riccio

-Stella & Family

Thurs., October 13

10:00 am Mass at Extendicare

12:05 pm Special Intentions of Ken & Kathy Reid -Lynne Kjollesdal

Friday, October 14

12:05 pm † Leo Boyle

-Marg & Family

A Community of Life and Celebration On Thursday September 29 a wonderful celebration for the Feast of St. Michael, patron of our parish, was held. During the afternoon we had a "tent-raising". Thanks to Sister Donna for her expertise in this task! The members of the new Faith Formation Committee and the Catholic Women's League prepared everything in readiness for an evening of enjoyment. Many thanks to them all. At 5pm over 100 members of the parish came together for a celebration of a special Mass - that great Sacrament of our life together. A delicious supper was served with a variety of wonderful foods contributed by so many parishioners and during supper feet began tapping to the lively music of the gifted Lakefield (Duketow family) group, "Rhythm and Grace". What a magnificent evening witnessing to one another and to our neighbours of the great joy of the Gospel at the heart of St. Michael's parish! Sincere and deep gratitude to everyone who helped make this event so special - and everyone did indeed contribute with help, prayer, food, music and their presence in ways that made this event such a joy and success. Stay tuned for more to come as we seek to deepen our faith lives, build and enjoy warm community and reach out to others, especially those in need.

St. Michael's Parish is organizing a rosary rally on Saturday October 15, 2022 at noon hour weather permitting outside at the Grotto. If inclement weather then it will be held in the Church. Bring a chair if we are outside if you would like one. This rosary rally will be one of over 800 rallies held across Canada and this year marks their 105th anniversary. So come out and join us young or older everyone is invited. Let's make St. Michael's first Rosary Rally a huge success. Any questions: call David Thomas at 905-372-0065 email <u>dithomas41@hotmail.com</u> or Cyndy Harper at 905-372-4720 email <u>harperc446@hotmail.com</u>



ADORATION

Weekdays 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. We invite you to spend some time in quiet prayer with our Lord.

Office closed Monday, October 10...happy giving thanks day!

Special Campus Ministry Event Did you know that 80% of all Catholics who leave the Church do so by the age of 23? Come discover how our diocese is working to ensure students at Trent University and Fleming College avoid becoming a statistic. Join us for a special presentation and discussion on the impact and opportunities ahead for campus ministry in our area. Saturday, October 15th at 10:00 AM at Our Lady of Mercy, Port Hope Learn more at www.ptbocampusministry.ca/meetandgreet

Rose Sunday: October 15-16

Members of the Knights of Columbus will be handing out rose stickers after all Masses. They will be collecting donations for the Rose Fund which supports the Pro Life activities of the council #1970. Thank you for the support.

All ladies of our parish are invited to our General Meeting on Wednesday October 19th at 1:15 in the Parish Centre. Our very special guest speaker will be Fr. Emmanuel and possibly Fr. Ante. Light refreshments will be served.



Baptism Preparation: For those families looking to baptize their baby/child—the next date for this one hour session is Thursday, October 20, 2022 at 6:15 pm in the Parish Centre. Please register with the office if you plan to attend.

Preparation for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation/Holy Communion Second Lesson October 18 at 6:00 pm in the Sacrament of Confirmation (Grade 7 or older) First Session to begin October 12 Church. See website for all dates.



MAKING TIME AND SPACE FOR GOD All retreats at Villa St. Joseph include quiet prayer time, the use of a personal room and delicious home-cooked meals in our beautiful Lakeside setting. A ministry of the Sisters of St. Joseph. All welcome! October 12, 9.00 am -4.00pm: A Stillness Day - Come away for a day and rest in God. Listen to your heart. Cost To register email villa@csjcanada.ca or call 905 372-2741

ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY NOTICE:

This is a reminder that all pots and stands are to be removed from gravesites by November 3rd.