

# ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

**THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER**

**11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**



## St. Bernadine of Siena on the Immaculate Heart

"What man, unless secure in a divine oracle, may presume to speak with impure, indeed with polluted lips, anything little or great about the true Parent of God and of man, whom the Father before all ages predestined a perpetual Virgin, whom the Son chose as his most worthy Mother, whom the Holy Ghost prepared as the dwelling place of every grace? With what words shall I, a lowly man, give expression to the highest sentiments of the virginal Heart uttered by the holiest mouth, for which the tongues of all the Angels do not suffice? For the Lord saith: A good man bringeth forth good things from the good treasure of his heart; and this word can also be a treasure. Among pure mortals who can be conceived of as better than she who was worthy to be the Mother of God, who for nine months had as a guest in her heart and in her womb God

Himself? What better treasure than the divine love itself, which was burning in the Heart of the Virgin as in a furnace?

And so, from this Heart as from a furnace of divine ardor the Blessed Virgin brought forth good works, that is, words of the most ardent charity. For as from a vessel full of the richest and best wine only good wine can be poured; or as from a furnace of intense heat only a burning fire is emitted; so indeed from the Mother of Christ no word can go forth except of the greatest and most intense divine love and ardor. It is also the mark of a wise woman and matron to speak few words, but words that are effective and full of meaning; and so seven times, as it were, seven words of such wonderful meaning and virtue are read as having been uttered by the Most Blessed Mother of Christ, that mystically it may be shown she was full of the sevenfold grace. To the Angel twice only did she speak; to Elizabeth also twice; with her Son likewise twice, once in the temple, and a second time at the marriage feast; and once to the attendants. And on all those occasions she always said very little; with this one exception that she spake at length in the praise of God and in thanksgiving, namely, when she said: My soul doth magnify the Lord. But here she did not speak with man, but with God. Those seven words were spoken in a wonderful degree and order according to the seven courses and acts of love; as if they were seven flames from the furnace of her Heart."

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### LITURGY SCHEDULE AUGUST 21 - AUGUST 27

**SUNDAY:** 11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
8:00 AM LOW MASS  
10:15 AM HIGH MASS

**MONDAY:** IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY  
COMM: STS TIMOTHY & COMPS.  
7:45 AM LOW MASS

**TUESDAY:** ST. PHILLIP BENIZI, C  
7:45 AM LOW MASS

**WEDNESDAY:** ST. BARTHOLOMEW, AM  
7:45 AM LOW MASS

**THURSDAY:** ST. LOUIS IX, KC  
7:45 AM LOW MASS

**FRIDAY:** FERIA: ST. ZEPHYRINUS, PM  
5:00 PM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR  
6:00 PM LOW MASS

**SATURDAY:** ST. JOSEPH CALASANCE, C  
8:00 AM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR  
9:00 AM LOW MASS

#### CONFESSIONS

**SUNDAY:** 7:15 AM AND 9:30 AM  
**MON-THURS:** 7:25AM - 7:40AM  
**FRIDAY:** 5:10 PM - 5:40 PM  
**SATURDAY:** 8:10 AM - 8:40 AM  
OR BY APPOINTMENT

## Announcements and Upcoming Events



Immaculate Heart of Mary

**Lectio VI From the Roman Breviary for the Feast of the Immaculate Heart**

"The liturgical worship, through which due honor is given to the Immaculate Heart of the Virgin Mary, and for which many holy men and women have prepared the way, the Apostolic See itself first approved in the beginning of the nineteenth century, when Pope Pius VII instituted the feast of the Most Pure Heart of the Virgin Mary, to be piously and reverently celebrated by all the dioceses and religious families who had asked for it. Afterwards Pope Pius IX added an Office and a proper Mass to it. But an ardent desire and longing, which had arisen in the seventeenth century, grew day by day, that namely, the same Feast, given greater solemnity, might be spread to the entire Church. In 1942, Pope Pius XII, graciously acceding to this wish, and during the terrible war then ravaging almost the entire world, pitying the infinite hardships of men, and because of his devotion and confidence in our heavenly Mother, in solemn supplication earnestly entrusted the entire human race to her most generous Heart, and in honor of the same Immaculate Heart he ordered a Feast to be kept forever with its proper Office and Mass."

### Labor Day

Labor day this year falls on Monday, September 5. Please note that in addition to the 7:45 AM mass that morning there will be a 9:00 AM mass as well.

### Burgers For Sale

We have a surplus of delicious sirloin hamburgers from the parish picnic still frozen in sleeves of 18-20 burgers (96 oz)

We are asking \$25 per sleeve which is the cost that we spent on them. **And while supplies last, with every sleeve bought we'll include 1 package of 16 buns.**

**Payments can be placed in the basket with your weekly tithes in the collection.**

### Congratulations to:

**Josh and Molly Unas  
who were married at St. Michael's  
on Saturday, August 20th!  
In your charity would you say an  
"Ave" for the happy couple.**

### Miracle Word Search

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MIRACLE	HEALING	DEAF
DUMB	BLINDNESS	PARALYSIS
CHRIST	TRANSFIGURATION	WONDER
ALMIGHTY	HEART	ARISE
WALK	EPHPHETA	TALITHACUMI
EYES	EARS	LEPER
LOAVES	FISH	STORM

*"And taking him  
aside from the crowd,  
He put His fingers into  
the man's ears, and  
spitting, He sighed,  
and said to him,  
Ephpheta, that is, Be  
opened. And his ears  
were at once opened,  
and the bond of his  
tongue was loosed,  
and he began to  
speak correctly. "*

MARK 7:33-35

### MASS INTENTIONS AUGUST 21 - AUGUST 27

Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:15 AM

Pro Populo

+Bishop John Dougherty

rb: Noll Family

Monday: 7:45 AM

+Michael Teoli

rb: Teoli Family

Tuesday: 7:45 AM

Agnes Slocum

rb Van Beek Family

Wednesday: 7:45 AM

Purity of Heart for Pres. Biden

rb: A Penitent Sinner

Thursday: 7:45 AM

Lori Patutka

rb: Joseph Patutka

Friday: 6:00 PM

Paul Patutka

rb: Joseph Patutka

Saturday: 9:00 AM

+Clara Fortney

rb: Vince and Jenn Cilia