



St. Michael

Romanian Byzantine Catholic Church

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Administrator – Rev. Father Remus Orian

Rectory Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm

Cantors and Readers (Cantori ai Bisericii)

Saturday: Diane Moreau, Lynn Matyas, Denise Matyas

Sunday: Ana Muresan, Mark Buga, Marius Misca

October 29th, 2023

22nd Sunday after Pentecost (7th Sunday after Holy Cross)

This Sunday: Tone 5, Ep. Gal 6:11-18, Gospel Luke 8:41-56

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday, October 30, 2023: Office closed - No Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, October 31, 2023: - No Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, November 1, 2023: 8:00 AM: Divine Liturgy for Viola Moldovan by Rev. Sergiu Cornea

Thursday, November 2, 2023: 8:00 AM: Divine Liturgy for Jim Popp by Patricia and David Todus

Friday, November 3, 2023: - No Divine Liturgy

Saturday, November 4, 2023: 4:00 PM: No Divine Liturgy

Sunday, November 5, 2023: 10:00 AM: Divine Liturgy for all the members of St. Michael Church in celebration of our patron feast

CONFESSION: AT ANY TIME BY REQUEST, PLEASE CONTACT FATHER REMUS DIRECTLY at 330-809-2500

Please pray for our sick and others: Violet Buga, Susan Banks, Joseph Popp, Emilia Adriana Russo, Mary Ann Signorelli, Vasile Moga, Florence Moga, Lisa Mickle, Stefana Pupek, Steve Korody, Carol Bristow, and all others who are confined to their homes or are in nursing homes.

***Please let Father Remus know if you have an upcoming surgery, illness, etc. so, we can add your name to our prayer list.

Collection: October 21 & 22, 2023

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| • Weekly Offerings: \$ 1,095.00 | • Candles: \$ 41.00 |
| • Loose: \$ 20.00 | • In memory of James Popp: \$ 25.00 |
| • Building Fund: \$ 300.00 | • Heat/AC: \$ 158.00 |
| • Bake Sale Ingredients: \$ 25.00 | • Cemetery: \$ 5.00 |
| Total: \$1,669.00 | |

Thank you all for your support!

How often do I need to confess?

The Church recommends that Catholics receive the Sacrament of Penance frequently.

Strictly speaking, after they've reached the age of reason, Catholics are obliged to confess their serious sins at least once a year (CIC 989), but the minimum should not be made a maximum.

Catholics should come to confession as soon as possible after they've committed a mortal sin. If they're seeking to grow in holiness, the regular practice of confession at least once a month is commended.

• St. Michael Feast Day Dinner

On November 5th we will celebrate St. Michael Feast Day! The day will begin with the concelebration of the Divine Liturgy at 10:00am. Following the Liturgy, a Romanian dinner will be served in the parish hall. All parishioners (including those who have not attended in a while), family and friends are invited to celebrate this special occasion.

• Holiday Bake Sale

The Holiday chifla & colac sale will be Saturday, November 11, 2023. Pick up at church will be from 12:00pm-4:00 pm. Orders may be placed by calling Debbie Cobb at: Cell/Text: 630-862-7991 or Home: 630-898-5468

Please give your name, phone number, product you are ordering and quantity. Pricing: Chifla \$20.00 Colac Loaf \$10.00.

The deadline for placing orders is **Wednesday, November 1, 2023.**

Due to high demand, please place your orders early.

• St. George Church in Aurora: Garlic Sausage Sale

\$7 lb. (minimum 2 lb. per order) To order call 630-440-9546. Deadline for placing orders is October 30th. Pickup Sunday, Nov. 5 from 2:00 – 5:00pm

• Candles: During the month of **November 2023**, our candles have been graciously donated by Lisa Mickle in memory of Jean Mickle.

We are also in need of donations for future months. The total costs for altar candles, incense, and other liturgy supplies for one month is \$100.

- **Office**

*****To facilitate accurate accounting, please make sure that you use separate checks/cash for the Special Collection, Candles, Heat and A/C, Building Fund, Cemetery, and Saturday and Sunday collection envelopes.**

*****For Holy Baptism,** contact the Parish Office at least **one** month prior to the date requested.

*****For Weddings,** contact the Parish Office at least **six** months prior to the date requested. **No exceptions!**

*****For Funerals,** please contact Fr. Remus **before** making the arrangements with the funeral home.

- **Online donations:** Check out our online offering page! You can also sign up for Online donations to St. Michael's by scanning the QR Code below.



To Tickle Your Funny Bone 😊

What do you call a deacon, a priest, and a bishop asking for food at a restaurant? ... HOLY ORDERS!

November Birthdays
Happy Birthday! La multi ani!

November 22: Claudia Dogaru November 24: Alexandra Naghi

If you would like your birthday in the bulletin, please inform Father, so it will be listed in the future.