

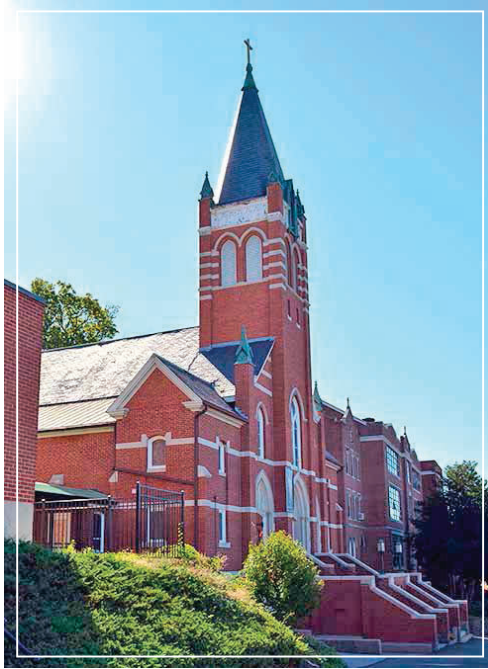
ST. MICHAEL PARISH

75 DERBY AVENUE • DERBY, CONNECTICUT 06418

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

Parish Membership

Through baptism we become God's Sons and Daughters, and brothers and sisters of each other in Christ. We ask that every family in the parish be properly registered and every adult receive a set of envelopes. Registration of new parishioners should be done at the Parish Office as soon as possible. This registration is our only means of certifying anyone as a member of our parish family.



Vincentian Fathers
Rev. Marek Sadowski, CM *Pastor*
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Deacon Robert Carter

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Toni Ann LaMattina

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Marc Garofalo & Ewa Banka

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Daria Kraszewska, DRE

Masses

SUNDAY VIGIL MASS: Saturday at 4:30 pm

SUNDAY: 9:00 am, 11:00 am (*Polish*) & 5:30 pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday: Novena with Mass at 7:00 pm (*English*)

Tuesday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (*English*)

Wednesday: Novena with Mass at 7:00 pm (*Polish*)

Thursday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (*English*)

Friday: Morning Mass at 7:00 am (*English*)

Friday Masses during Lent: 5:30 pm (*English*) & 7:00 pm (*Polish*)

Saturday: Morning Mass at 8:00 am (*English*)

First Friday: 7:00 am Mass (*English*) followed by the Litany to Sacred Heart of Jesus; 7:00 pm Mass (*Polish*)

HOLY DAYS: Consult schedule inside

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

Every Monday at 7:00 pm (*Rosary at 6:45 pm*)

Sacraments

Baptism: Arrangements for baptism to be made at the Parish Office. Please call for an appointment.

Marriage: Arrangements for marriage are to be made at least 6 months prior to the Wedding date. Please call for an appointment.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): Confession is heard before weekday Mass & on Saturdays at 3:30 pm.

Sick Calls: Please advise the office of any hospitalization and to arrange for the Sacraments for the elderly and sick.

Vocations: Please contact the Pastor at the parish office or the office for Vocations, 1-860-286-7670.

St. Michael Cemetery: A bridge to the Communion of Saints ~ burial and cremation plots are available. Kindly call the Parish Office, 203-734-0005 for information. A parish managed Catholic Cemetery, Silver Hill Rd., Derby.

Parish Office: The parish office is open Mondays from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm, Wednesdays from 9:30 am to noon and Fridays 11:00 am to 2:30 pm.

Please call ahead to be sure staff is in. Closed Tuesdays and Thursdays and weekends.

Parish Office: 203-734-0005

Website: <https://saintmichaelsderby.org>

School: St. Mary - St. Michael: 203-735-6471

SAT., SUNDAY VIGIL, SEPT. 27, 2026

4:30 pm +Joe Virzi - family

SUNDAY, SEPT. 27, 2026

9:00 am +Joseph E. Sojka, Sr. (25th anniversary in heaven) – wife Janette & children

11:00 am (Pol.) +Mieczyslaw & Franciszek Serafin- son Jerzy & family

5:30 pm +Pawel Mrozik – Josephine Beattie

MONDAY, SEPT. 28, 2026

7:00 pm +Michele Linane – Irene Loman

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29, 2026

7:00 am + Blessings for college studies for grandchildren Cheyenne, Michael & Andrew – Carol Siglinger

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30, 2026

7:00 pm (Pol.) +Maria i Dana i Jadwiga i Grazyna – Zofia i Eugeniusz Popiolek

THURSDAY, OCT. 1, 2026

7:00 am Carol, Craig & Keith Siglinger - family

FRIDAY, OCT. 2, 2026

7:00 am +Czeslaw Wojcik – Stanley & Kazimiera Jaworski

7:00 pm (Pol.) +Maria Krzeminska – Elzbieta i Czeslaw Zygodlo

SATURDAY, OCT. 3, 2026

8:00 am +David Jesionka - family

SAT., SUNDAY VIGIL, OCT. 4, 2026

4:30 pm +Dr. Dominik Wiktor (birthday) - family

SUNDAY, OCT. 4, 2026

9:00 am +Barbara Kraszewska – Maria Kuna

11:00 am (Pol.) +Mieczyslaw Krzywdzinski – Stanislaw i Zygmunt Wojteczko

5:30 pm +Jan Piekielniak – Irene Bogdan Jaje & family

COLLECTIONS

Sunday Sept. 21– Offertory \$3,098.00;

2nd Collection (Maintenance) \$2,176.00;

Online Giving – \$359.30

Thank you so much for your generosity in the collections. God Bless! Bóg Zapłaci!

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA



The Rosary is prayed at 6:40 pm every Monday before the Miraculous Medal Novena and Mass and also on Wednesdays in Polish at the 7:00 pm Novena and Mass.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

In loving memory of Monte and Terry Kasch from family

COMMUNION HOSTS INTENTION

In loving memory of Anthony Ziomek on his birthday in heaven Sept. 30 from son Anthony and family

SACRAMENTAL WINE INTENTION

In loving memory of Jan Kiwak from wife, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren

PRO-LIFE ROSES

1. In memory of Thomas Ziomek from Neil and Barbara
2. In loving memory of John P. Madura from Neil, Barbara and family
3. Anniversary blessings 10/2 for Noke & Steve Kopchik from Neil, Barbara & family
4. Happy Birthday Blessings for Anne Stankye from Barbara and Neil Dorso
5. In loving memory of Benjamin Madura from Caroline
6. Remembering 9/11 – United in faith, never to be forgotten, forever in our hearts, remember, pray, honor all – Mrs. Fredericks
7. Praying that people will always honor and respect the holy name of Jesus Christ from Mary Jane
8. In loving memory of Maryann Stochmal from husband



ST. MICHAEL'S ON-LINE GIVING IS HERE!!!! Position your camera on the QR Code Or go to the St. Michael's Website (Do not use the Yahoo

Browser) <https://saintmichaelsderby.org/>

SEPT./OCT. CALENDAR

Sun. Sept. 27 – CLOSING OF 40 HOURS at end of 5:30 pm Mass.

Sun. Sept. 27 – 2nd Collection – HOPES -- Catholic Elementary and High Schools

Thursday Oct. 1 – Bingo - SMSM SCHOOL

Sun. Oct 4 – 2nd Collection – Heating

Monday October 5 through Friday October 9

Priests' Retreat Days.

No Masses and No Novenas.

Sun. Oct. 11 – 2nd Collection – All Souls Novena

Sun. Oct. 18 – 2nd Collection – World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday helps Pope Leo support the 1,130 missions under his care



FROM THE OFFICE

2027 SUNDAY ENVELOPES

... The boxes of Sunday envelopes will soon be prepared for distribution. Box

numbers will remain the same. If you used your envelopes this year, you will be issued a box automatically. If you have not used envelopes in the past and would like a box, or if you have used envelopes but no longer want them, please call the office by Oct. 1.

...Bulletin notices and Pro-Life Roses must be in the office two weeks before you want them in the bulletin to make sure your announcement is in the bulletin.

...Please call to confirm a volunteer is in before coming to visit the office.

...If you want to request a Mass, and that day is unavailable, please consider the Sanctuary Lamp, the Communion Hosts and/or the Sacramental Wine intentions.

ANNUAL FORTY HOURS DEVOTION

The annual 40 Hour Eucharistic Devotion is this weekend. The Church will be open for extended hours, allowing opportunity for prayer and spiritual renewal.

SCHEDULE:

Friday, Sept. 25:

Exposition after 7 am Mass until noon

Saturday, Sept. 26:

Exposition after 8 am Mass until noon

Sunday, Sept. 27:

Exposition after 11 am Mass until 5 pm

We observe this Devotion for 40 hours because the number "40" has sacred significance. It rained for 40 days and 40 nights after Noah built his ark. The Jews wandered in the desert for 40 years after leaving Egypt. There was 40 days between Jesus' birth and his presentation in the temple. Jesus spent 40 days in prayer while being tempted by Satan before he began His public ministry. There was 40 hours between Jesus' death and his resurrection and 40 days between Jesus' resurrection and his ascension. The Forty Hours Devotion allows us to grow in love for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, while strengthening our protection from evil and temptation, allowing us time to amend for our own sins and for the souls in purgatory and giving us an escape from political, material or spiritual temptations.

ROOF FUND DONATIONS

Current Total-- \$562,373.15

-- Roof & Tower --\$513,650.00

-- Inside Damage -- \$48,723.15

The costs to repair and replace the roof cost \$513,650.00. The cost to repair the damage to the

inside of the church was approximately \$50,000.00. Thank you for continuing to send in donations. Please make checks payable to St. Michael's and note that it is for the roof project in the memo section.



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Oct. 18 – 9:00 am – Holy Rosary

LAUGHTER IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL



A father was reading Bible stories to his young son. He read, "The man named Lot was warned to take his wife and flee out of the city, but his wife looked back and was turned into a pillar of salt."

His son asked, "What happened to the flea?"

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40 GODZINNE NABOŻENSTWO

W najbliższy piątek rozpoczęliśmy roczne Nabożeństwo Eucharystyczne. Wspaniała okazja do adoracji Najświętszego Sakramentu w każdym z trzech dni! Zakończenie w niedzielę podczas mszy świętej o 5:30 po południu.

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POLSKA SZKOŁA SOBOTNIA ZAPRASZA

uczniów, którzy chcą rozpocząć lub kontynuować naukę języka polskiego, historii i geografii. Oferujemy dużo imprez szkolnych, atrakcyjne zajęcia, a wszystko w klimacie polskiej kultury i tradycji. ****Początek zajęć:****

Więcej informacji na naszym Facebooku oraz na stronie: ****www.pssderby.org****

Kontakt: Dyr. Alina Zawojski – 203-278-3512

Wicedyr: Barbara Wojcieszak – 203-414-9902

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Gospel Today

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Matthew 21:28-32

The older son in the parable first told his father no, I will not work, but had a change of heart and went to work in the vineyard. When we make poor choices, and have a change of heart, God forgives us and lets us try again.

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“I will not,” he answered, but later he changed his mind and went.”

- Matthew 21:29

BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words... left, right, up, down or diagonally.

Parable

Two

Sons

Father

Said

Work

Vineyard

Today

Changed

Mind

Try

Again

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Agreed

Jesus

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Repented

Kingdom

First

Righteousness

Forgive

Choices

Heart

God

Believe

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