

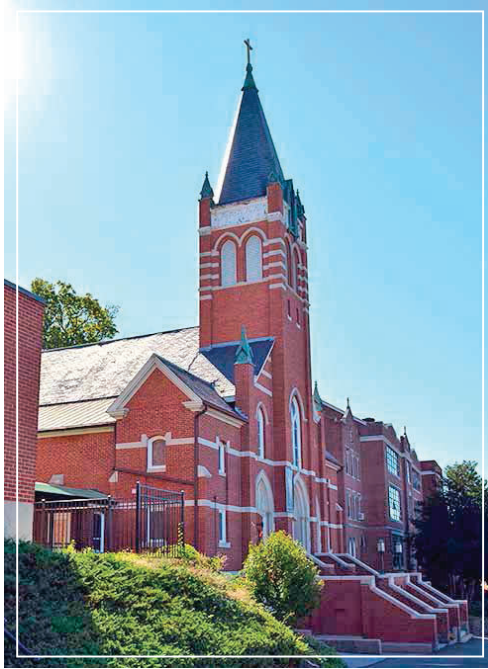
ST. MICHAEL PARISH

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*
Rev. Marek Sobczak, CM, *Vicar*
Deacon Robert Carter

School Principal
Toni Ann LaMattina

Parish Trustees
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Parish Financial Council
Irene Loman & John Zaprzalka

Ministry of Music / Choir Directors
Marc Garofalo & Ewa Banka

Religious Education
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, OCT. 11, 2026

4:30 pm +Victoria & Andrew Bondos & children Joseph, Stanley, Henry, John, Julia , Bertha, Janet, Helen – from the Family

SUNDAY, OCT. 11, 2026

9:00 am +Louise Canaveri on birthday – daughters and families

11:00 am (Pol.) +Adam Leszczak – Guzzo Family and Blicharz Family

5:30 pm +Pawel Mrozik – Barbara Damjanovichy

MONDAY, OCT. 12, 2026

7:00 pm +Anna & Charleds Matula – Matula Family

TUESDAY, OCT. 13, 2026

7:00am +Kim Siglinger, Anna Matula, Frances Slovak & Annette Matula – Carol Siglinger

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 14, 2026

7:00 pm (Pol.) +Marian & Zofia Przydzial – Ryszard & Zofia Przydzial

THURSDAY, OCT. 15, 2026

7:00 am +Eleonora i Jozef Sawicki – daughter & family

FRIDAY, OCT. 16, 2026

7:00 am +Mieczyslaw & Adam Psonka – Stanley & Kazimiera Jaworski

SATURDAY, OCT. 17 , 2026

8:00 am +Joseph Kenney, Sr. - family

SAT., SUNDAY VIGIL, OCT. 18, 2026

4:30 pm +Robert Carter, Sr. – Deacon Bob & Susan Carter

SUNDAY, OCT. 18, 2026

9:00 am +Deceased members of Karol Stochmal family – Margaret Mattei

11:00 am (Pol.) +Daniel Popielek – Jadwiga i Andrzej Mankus

5:30 pm +Helen Madura – daughters & family

COLLECTIONS

Sunday Oct. 4– Offertory \$3,646.00

2nd Collection (Heating) - \$2,227.00

Online Giving – \$160.30

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

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 Louise Canaveri from family

COMMUNION HOSTS INTENTION

In loving memory of Peter Tracz from family

SACRAMENTAL WINE INTENTION

God's blessings for Avind and Allyson Bauer on 4th wedding anniversary from the whole family.

PRO-LIFE ROSES

1. Remembering 9/11 – United in faith, never to be forgotten, forever in our hearts, remember, pray, honor all – Mrs. Fredericks
2. In loving memory of Chester Gorzelany on 22 years in heaven on 10/15 from wife Betty, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

OCT. CALENDAR

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

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

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

Sun. Oct 25 – No Second Collection

Sun. Nov. 1 – 2nd Collection – Cemetery

Sun. Nov. 1 – All Saints Day

Sun. Nov. 1 – 5:30 pm – Annual Mass for the Deceased

*The Pilgrim Relic of
ST. ANDRE BESSETTE*

Coming to Ansonia

Oct. 17 – 3:00 pm Assumption Church

Oct. 18 – 9:00 am – Holy Rosary Church

FROM THE OFFICE



Bulletin notices and Pro-Life Roses must be in the office two weeks before you want them in the bulletin

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.

Office Hours:

Mondays and Fridays – 11am – 2:30 pm

Tuesdays and Thursdays – closed

Wednesdays – 9:30 am – 12 noon

Recent Accident

There is no vehicular access to the front of the Church or to the front of the rectory because of the damage recently caused by a trailer truck running into the wall on Route 34 in front of the Church. You can still walk to the front of the buildings. The City of Derby is working with insurance to repair the damage.

SPECIAL THANKS

Thank you to Europol Deli for donating the chicken soup for the 40 Hour devotion. It was so very good and we are so very grateful.

ANNUAL CEMETERY SERVICE

The Cemetery Service will take place on Sunday, November 1 at 12:30 pm. In the event of inclement weather, the service will be cancelled. There will be prayers to honor our beloved deceased. All are welcome.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED

During the 5:30 pm Mass on Sunday November 1, we will remember the deceased members of our parish and of St. Joseph's Parish who have passed away between October 2025 and September of this year. Letters of invitation have already gone out. If you believe your loved one should be included and you have not received an invitation, please call the office. The Edward F. Adzima Funeral Home is providing light refreshment in the Church Hall after the Mass.



ROOF FUND DONATIONS

The roof cost us \$513,650.00
THAT IS PAID IN FULL!!

The interior repairs cost
another \$50,000.00
THAT IS PAID IN FULL!!!

The rectory roof cost \$36,970.00. We only need \$2,448.15 to pay off that project.

Thank you all for your donations, your gifts, your fundraisers, your pledges, your support, and your prayers

CCD CLASS SCHEDULE

THE FOLLOWING IS THE SCHEDULE
OF ALL REMAINING CCD CLASSES.

Grades 1- 7 Class Schedule

Grades 1-7 meet on Sundays at 9:00 am for Mass followed by religious education from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. (Any student attending 11:00 Mass, may leave CCD early)

Grades 8-9 Class Schedule

Grades 8-9 meet on Thursdays at 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Church Hall

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LAUGHTER IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL



*A carpenter, a gardener and an
electrician argue whose profession
is the oldest. The carpenter says:
"when Noah built his ark before
the flood, he made it out of wood,
so carpentry is the oldest." The*

*gardener says: "well, when Adam and Eve
were in the garden, someone had already
planted the garden, so gardening is the oldest."
The electrician smirks and says: "fellas, when
God said 'let there be light,' we already had the
cables laid down."*

OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE **XXVIII NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA** **11 PAŹDZIERNIKA 2026**

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parafialnym w niedzielę 1 listopada. Początek
procesji o godz. 12.30.

LEKTORZY I SZAFARZE EUCHARYSTII.

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

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

Wicedyr: Barbara Wojcieszak – 203-414-9902

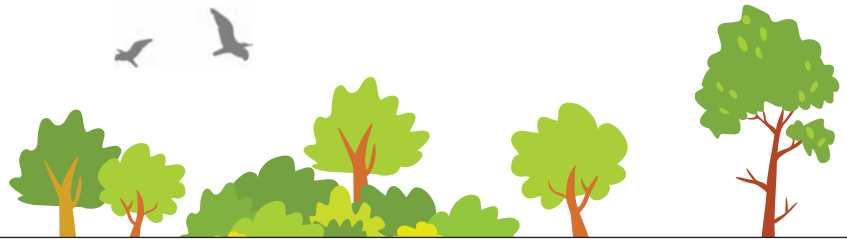


28th Sunday in Ordinary Time | Matthew 22:1-14

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Matthew 22:14

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Join Heaven	A	C	C	E	P	T	E	I	M	F	S	S	D
Wedding Feast	N	O	M	M	U	S	V	G	O	L	E	E	E
Servants Summon	Q	I	A	A	L	L	A	H	D	J	R	W	R
Guests Prepared	U	N	R	S	T	S	E	U	G	O	V	K	A
Banquet Everything	E	V	E	R	Y	T	H	I	N	G	A	F	P
Jesus Accept	T	I	A	D	O	Y	E	G	I	A	N	E	E
Ready Invitation	J	T	D	E	L	L	I	F	K	T	T	A	R
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Strangers Filled	S	T	R	A	N	G	E	R	S	E	E	T	H
Hall Unfit	U	I	G	M	A	E	L	B	A	R	A	P	T
Man Rejected	S	O	S	D	E	T	C	E	J	E	R	S	A
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