



# St. Michael Catholic Church

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 17, 2019

## 33<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You will be hated by all  
because of my name, but not  
a hair on your head will be  
destroyed.” - Lk 21:16-18

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### Mass Schedule:

Saturday Evening Vigil 5:00 pm  
Sunday Morning Spanish 8:00 am  
Sunday Morning English 10:30 am  
Sunday Evening English 5:00 pm

### Weekday Mass:

Wednesday 6:00 pm Monday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 am.

### Reconciliation:

Wednesday 5:00 pm  
Saturday 3:30 pm

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday 9:45 am to 6:00 pm  
Friday 9:45 am to 9:00 pm

### St. Michael Staff & Contacts

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**Weddings:** Please call the office a minimum of six months prior to your requested wedding date so that the Marriage Preparation planning can be completed.  
**Melissa Landowski** our wedding coordinator will assist.

**Annulment:** Lisa Tuckett and Carmen Flores Please call the office.

**Funerals:** Please call the office.

**Ministry to Homebound** —Please call the office.

**Grupo de Oración:** Consuelo Gonzalez—Please call the office.

## Weekly Calendar

### Monday— 11/18

- Mass 9:00 am
- Adoration 10:00am—6:00 pm

### Tuesday— 11/19

### Wednesday— 11/20

- Confessions 5:00pm
- Mass 6:00 pm
- Youth Ministry 7:00pm
- Rosary Prayer Group 7:00 pm
- Knights of Columbus 7:30 pm

### Thursday— 11/21

- Mass 9:00 am
- Pastoral Council 6:30 pm

### Friday — 11/22

- Mass 9:00 am
- Adoration 10:00 am-6:00pm
- Bible Study 10:00 am
- Grupo De Oracion 7:00 pm

### Saturday— 11/23

- Confessions 3:30 pm
- Mass 5:00 pm

### Sunday— 11/24

- Mass 8:00 am
- RCIA 9:00am
- Mass 10:30 am
- Mass 5:00 pm

## Upcoming Events

**Mass of Thanksgiving—Thursday November 28th 9:00am**—Join us for Mass and give thanks for all that we have. Food donations accepted for the Snohomish Food bank. Monetary collections will support St. Vincent DePaul.

**Knights of Columbus Winter Clothing Drive—November 23,24 and 30 December 1**

**Season of Advent Begins— Sunday December 1st**

**Family Faith Formation— Sunday, December 1, - 2:30 pm—4:30 pm**  
This is religious education for all children elementary age, K-6.

**Parish Office closed—Wednesday December 11th.**

**Advent Penance Service—Friday December 19th—7:00pm**

**School Auction—March 7—5:30 Large Hall**

## Annual Auction

Don't be late! Save the Date! - Join us for the 13th Annual St. Michael School Auction. **"Down the Rabbit Hole".**

**When: March 7th, 2020**

**Tickets—\$75.00**

**Dinner & Signature Drink included**

## Turkey Trot Results

Thank you to all of our generous donors, students, staff, and cheerleaders for an amazing Turkey Trot! With your support we were able to surpass our goal and raise over \$10,000 for the school! Special thanks to the Snohomish Running Club for the use of their start gate, and to Mike & Cheri Liberato for keeping everyone going with music!



## St. Michael School Students participating in the Turkey Trot

(special thanks to Snohomish Running Club for the finish line)

**Society of St. Vincent DePaul Pres.—Nick & Karen Sanders - 425-238-7647**



## Building Project Update

There is a small check list of items that need to be completed before we can use the elevator. Hopefully by the time you are reading this bulletin, the elevator will be in working order. Thank you for your continued patience. It will be great to have a working elevator very soon.

## Dinner for Eight

Would you like to meet more of your fellow parishioners? Feel more a part of the St. Michael's community? Do you like good conversation and delicious food? If so, then Dinners for Eight is for you! For more information or to sign-up contact Ann Koepke at 206-919-7933 or [annkoepke@gmail.com](mailto:annkoepke@gmail.com). We look forward to getting to know you!

## Winter Clothing Drive

On November 23 and 24 our Knights and other volunteers will be available at all of the Masses to receive your donations of warm coats and other cold weather clothing, sleeping bags and blankets for distribution by the St Vincent de Paul Society and the Everett Gospel Mission.

You may also bring items on November 30 and December 1.

Last year you donated 280 items for distribution. Please open your closets and your hearts once more, and help to bring some warmth, hope and love to families in need. Thank you!

## Olive Wood Carvings from the Holy Land

**Mark your calendars—November 30/December 1st.**

We are having olive wood carvings available to purchase after all masses this weekend. The proceeds are to support Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land since it is the major source of income for them there. More than 75 families in Bethlehem Hand carved these items. They are very beautiful and unique items. (Nativities, Crucifixes, Rosaries, Statues.) The Christian population has dropped from 22% to less than 2% in the past two decades. And this is a way to support them to stay there.

**Knights of Columbus—St. Michael Council #9664, Grand Knight: Jim Sekulich—jimsekulich@msn.com**





## A message from Fr. Michael

Dear Parishioners,

We are in the season where the signs of life around us have been fading. The crops and the fields have changed colors and been harvested, the trees are losing their leaves, and we are reminded that all things come to an end.

In this season, we are reminded of death, which is perhaps why we begin the month of November with the celebration of All Saints and All Souls.

With that in mind, I continue to encourage all of you to pray during this month in a particular way for your family and friends who have passed on. Say a rosary with your family for your grandparents or your parents or siblings who are deceased. Consider visiting a cemetery and bringing your kids to say a prayer for someone buried there, especially those you know. When you come to Mass, tell the Lord that you want to offer that Mass and Communion for the soul of someone in Purgatory.

In this way, while nature may be reminding us of death, we remember that in God there is always life.

And while the plants around us may be dying, there are certainly lots of signs of life around here!

Whether it be the Thanksgiving Dinner that so many of you helped with last Sunday, the Quarter Craze event that the school gave us on Friday, or the parent's retreat in Spanish this weekend that many of our faith formation volunteers have been working on, we are keeping busy in the parish!

Thank you to everyone who helped and volunteered at these events!

You might notice that I am gone from the parish this weekend. I'm visiting my sister and brother-in-law in Dallas, and two of my friends/classmates/brother priests in Fort Worth, Texas. I'll be back this week though. I will be looking forward to seeing you all next weekend! In the meantime, have a good week!

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Michael

## Fr. Michael Recommends

**Formed.org.** Get books and movies electronically for free! Like a Catholic Netflix! Visit— [stmichaelsnohomish.formed.org](http://stmichaelsnohomish.formed.org) (you can use your phone, Kindle, iPad, etc.)

## The Most Holy Rosary

There are many opportunities to join us in the Chapel for the rosary. Everyone is invited to share in this Holy devotion.

- \* Before the 10:30am Mass (10:00am)
- \* First Saturday of each month 5:00am (Men)
- \* Second Saturday of each month 5:00am (Women)
- \* Rosary Prayer Group—Every Wednesday 7:00pm (Library)  
(Rosary for Life (First Wednesday of each Month))
- \* Rosary for Our Lady of Juquila—Thursday evenings 7:00pm

**PLEASE REMEMBER ST. MICHAEL CHURCH & SCHOOL  
IN YOUR WILL AND ESTATE PLANNING**

## ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH WEEKEND COLLECTIONS NOVEMBER 10, 2019

82 Sunday Envelopes	\$5515
Sunday Loose	3,739
30 Electronic Giving	<u>2,465</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,719</b>

**Weekly Budget \$11,788**

Thank you for helping us support the needs of our Parish community!

## Reaching Out—Changing Lives

(Capital Campaign Building Project 11/11/19)

**Donations + Interest earned: \$1,315,793**

Total updated projected project costs: \$2,659,000

**Thank you for your continued support & prayers!**  
There are "green" Capital Campaign envelopes available in the narthex.

## Turkey Dinner Thank You!

Thank you to all those who helped with the 50th Annual turkey dinner this past weekend. Special thanks to Tom and Joanne Howell and Jim and Merrie Sekulich for chairing the event for the past few years! Thank you!

## Thanksgiving Day Collections

The Mass collection on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00am will be for the benefit of St. Vincent de Paul. Donations of food for the Snohomish Food Bank are also welcome.

## Marriage Preparation for the Civilly Married

**Message from Bishop Elizondo:**

**Marriage Preparation for the civilly married who seek a sacramental marriage**

We recognize that civilly married couples could benefit from a preparation that is tailored to their pastoral needs. For this reason, we would like to recommend two events which may be especially helpful:

**One-day Marriage Preparation Workshop for the Civilly Married: March 28, 2020** at the Chancery in Seattle. I will be speaking and celebrating Mass at this special one-day workshop offered in Spanish and English. This will focus on sacramental marriage preparation for couples who are civilly married. Couples can RSVP <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScz3Ri7hnJ7KIHG6UAipgzu-Yr09sUAt0HktaBSx1cVRPujA/viewform>.

**Marriage Encounter Retreat in Spanish on November 22-24, 2019.** Marriage Encounter weekends are a wonderful opportunity for civilly and sacramental married couples, to grow closer by better understanding the Sacrament of Marriage. Civilly married couples who attend this retreat will receive a Certificate of Preparation for Marriage indicating they are ready to receive the Sacrament.