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St. Michael Catholic Church

Sunday Mass - 8 am

Communion Service - Wednesday at 5 pm

followed by Adoration until 6:30 pm

Confessions -

Second Wednesday of the month after Mass

Fourth Sunday of the month after Mass

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 30, 2022

Zacchaeus met love incarnate in Jesus. He knew there was something special about him, and he had to see Jesus for himself. Realizing and knowing God's unconditional, penetrating love is a game-changer. Sinners don't repulse Jesus, he wants to eat with them! We can often find ourselves conflicted about how God sees us. We want to believe that He loves us, but other tapes playing in our heads convince us that this cannot be true. We carry our sins around like heavy sacks weighing on our shoulders. We are crippled.

God's divine blessing lives in each of our souls. It is our essential goodness, a free gift given to us by God. The beginnings of salvation's blessings are discovered when we begin to understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We become more focused and courageous, eager to gather up all of the fragments of our lives and become whole. Zacchaeus, after meeting Jesus, finally knew who he was. He saw his sins and his potential for goodness as a blest child of God. When we allow God to meet us and touch us in such a profound way, we find what our selfishness has lost. We are on the road to salvation.

God bless,

Fr. Cory Rohlfing

Welcome to all those visiting us today. We invite everyone to continue to celebrate Mass with us at St. Michael's. Please let the parish office know if we can be of assistance to you.

CONTRIBUTIONS

October 23, 2022

Adult Envelopes: \$ 890.00
Loose Plate: \$ 80.00

Saints of the week

November 3 - St. Martin de Porres
November 4 - St. Charles Borromeo

Divine Mercy Mass schedule:

Sunday - 8 am, 10 am,
 12 pm (Spanish), 5 PM
Monday - 5:30 pm
Tuesday - 8:30 am
Wednesday - 8:30 am IC
 10:30 am IC
Thursday - 8:30 am
Friday - 8:30 am
Saturday - 8:30 am, 4 pm

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

November 6

Reader: Georgia Quamme
Ushers: Bruce & Laura Chmelik
Servers: To be determined

November 13

Reader: Bruce Chmelik
Ushers: Tom Coffman & Jason Hoaglund
Servers: To be determined

November money counters:
 Pam Hegseth & Brydie LaCanne

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

November 1 - All Saints' Day Holy Day of Obligation
 Mass 7:00 pm
November 4 - Holy Hour of Reparation 6:00-7:00 am
November 6 - Adoration 9:00 am
November 9 - Confessions 5:30 pm
November 11 - Holy Hour of Reparation
 6:00-7:00 am
November 13 - Breakfast: A-C-G-L

We pray for all our parishioners, families and friends who are in need of physical or spiritual healing, especially, Anne Haynes, Bryce Young, Don Graunke, Marian Spindler, Reymundo Ramirez, Thomas Eilen, Shelly DeMars, John and Deb Truman, and Dave Schmitz.

We pray for those in the Armed forces, especially Sergio Jr & Angela Rodriguez, Zury Hoaglund, and Zane Hoaglund.

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

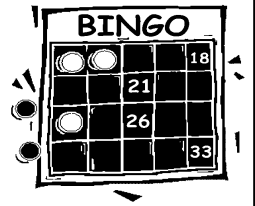
Book of Deceased

There is a book on the table in the atrium to write names of deceased relatives and friends you would like us to pray for during the month of November. The book will be placed near the altar on All Souls' Day and we will pray for the souls listed during the month of November.

Please also feel free to call or email the parish office with those names you would like in the book.

Bingo Party - November 19th at 7 PM!

Join us for our annual turkey bingo party on November 19th! Prizes of turkeys, hams, and cash; raffle drawing; bottle raffle; door prizes; lunch served!



Donations are needed for the turkeys and hams, pop, water, bottles for the bottle raffle, door prizes, and bars. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board in the atrium.

We will again be having a basket silent auction at the November bingo party and at the Mardi Gras bingo party. Please consider donating a basket. Baskets can be brought to the parish office at any time.

There are also sign-up sheets for the many volunteer workers we need to make the Bingo party such a success. Please take a look and see if there is an area that you could help at the evening of the bingo party. Thank you for your dedication to this important fundraiser!

Red Cross is currently looking for a contact person to help run the blood drives held at St. Michael's Church. Blood drives are usually every other month. The contact person will also be in charge of making sure the tables/chairs in the hall are removed and replaced, clean up of the building, securing the building, and potentially find volunteers to help work the drive. Contact the parish office if you are interested.

Adoration will be offered to all on the first Sunday of the month after Mass. Please join us for a special time of prayer.

Solemnity of All Saints Holy Day of Obligation Tuesday, November 1

Mass will be at St. Michael's at 7:00 pm.

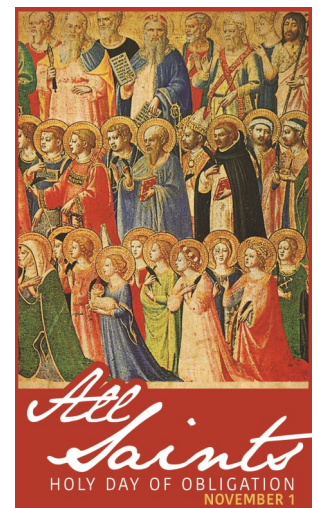
Divine Mercy Mass schedule:

8:30 am at Immaculate Conception

10:30 am at Immaculate Conception

6:00 pm at DMCC

7:30 pm (Spanish) at DMCC





Adoration will be on Wednesday evening following the Communion Service. Please come and spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament.

Memorial Mass: Everyone is invited to join us at Divine Mercy, Faribault, for our annual Memorial Mass as we remember and celebrate our loved ones who have gone to their eternal home. All are welcome to us on Wednesday, November 2nd at 7 p.m.

Community Events/News

• Holden Lutheran Church All Saints Dinner is Sunday, November 6 from 12-2 pm and 4:30-6:30 pm To go meals only. To reserve your meal call Holden Church at 507-789-6677 or email: holdendinner@gmail.com by Friday, November 4. Menu: meatballs and gravy, Pulsa, scalloped potatoes, carrots, cranberry relish, lefse, fruit soup, rommegrot, and almond cookies. Cost is \$20/meal. Delivery available upon request. Cash or check only.

• Faribault Bethlehem Academy Fall Open House November 7, 5:30-7:30pm - Visit with BA faculty, staff, administration, students and parents to find out how our authentically Catholic, Dominican prep high school can help your scholar be who God meant them to be! Offering student transportation outside Faribault. Pre-register online at <https://tinyurl.com/BA-Fall-Open-House>; walk-ins welcome. More information, including student Cardinal visit days starting October 26, our online applications opening November 1, and daily family tours on the Enrollment tab at www.bacards.org.

Celebrating

ALL SAINTS' DAY & ALL SOULS' DAY

