

**St. Michael the Archangel Orthodox Church
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Sunday Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. – Weekdays Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

General Confession 1st Sunday of month

Private Confession every Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or upon request

Sunday January 31, 2021

Epistle: Col 3: 12-16

Gospel Matt 25: 14-30

PRAYERS FOR THE HEALTH: Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Pat Federonko, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Gregory Harvilla, Judy Wadysz, Barbara Sapick, Paul Sapick, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Alice Caddy, William Harvey, Daniel Moran, Brian Kurtyka, Ryan Kerrigan, Frances Munaco, Sonia Kurtyka, Nancy Hawkins, John Saba, Susan Telep, Michael Kerrigan, Bradley Webster, and Jestin Spears.

Please continue to pray for those who are afflicted with the Covid 19 virus, as well as those who put their lives on the line administering to the sick, and also for those who serve our communities – police, emergency personnel, firemen, government officials, and those working to provide necessities for us.

BE SAFE - PLEASE CONTINUE TO WEAR YOUR MASK CORRECTLY, sanitize your hands, and safely social distance yourself from others when moving about in church (communion, venerating the cross etc.). Do not let your guard down.

SCHEDULED SERVICES THIS WEEK:

Monday, February 1st, 2020 – Vespers Holy Feast Meeting of the Lord in the Temple 5:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, February 2, 2020 – Divine Liturgy Holy Feast Meeting of the Lord in the Temple 10:00 a.m.
Blessing of Candles**

ANNUAL MEETING: This is the *third and final announcement* of St. Michael's Annual Yearly Meeting, which is scheduled for **Sunday, February 7, 2021**. Everyone, please mark this date on your calendar and come and participate. We need more people involved in the life of the church.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR ANNUAL MEETING – If you would like to run for office on the church council, please call Patric Hermes or Fr. Timothy (Patric Hermes at home or Fr. Timothy at 313-937-2120) or see them in church. To be eligible to hold office on the church council, you must be an Orthodox Christian, a dues-paying member, and a communicant of the church. All officer positions on the church council and one trustee position will be voted on at the annual meeting on *Sunday, February 7, 2021*. There will be a sign up sheet, for offices available, at the candle stand. If you are interested in serving St. Michael's as a Trustee on the Council, please sign up or see Patric Hermes or Father Timothy.

DUES! - A REMINDER, dues for the year 2020 are due. If anyone has not paid their dues in full, please do so before the Annual Meeting on Sunday, February 7, 2021. Dr. Nancy needs to calculate a quorum for the annual meeting, which is based on the percentage of dues-paying members. Therefore, it is important and helpful to pay your dues and SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH NOW,-- if you haven't done so. This also allows you to vote at the Annual Meeting. YOU MAY ALSO START PAYING YOUR DUES FOR THE NEW YEAR of 2021.

The Prayer of Saint Francis of Assisi

Lord make me an instrument of Thy peace; Where there is hatred let me sow love;
Where there is injury; pardon; Where there is error, the truth; Where there is doubt, the faith;
Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light; And where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,

Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, as to console;

To be understood, as to understand; To be loved as to love;

For it is in giving that we receive; It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;

And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.