



“For if this endeavor or this activity is of human origin, it will destroy itself. But if it comes from God, you will not be able to destroy it; you may even find yourselves fighting against God.”

Acts 5:38b-39b

#### **Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Saturday Vigil - 4pm**

**Sunday - 8 am & 10:30 am**

Copper Basin K-8 School  
28682 N. Main Street  
San Tan Valley, AZ 85143

#### **Daily Mass Schedule**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Friday & Saturday - 8:30am  
at the Parish Office/Rectory

*Confessions before Mass or upon request*

#### **Mailing Address**

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#### **Parish Office**

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Florence, AZ 85132  
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Fax: (520)723-7116  
[www.stmichaels77.org](http://www.stmichaels77.org)

#### **Parish Office Hours**

9:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday  
& Friday

# Saint Michael the Archangel Parish

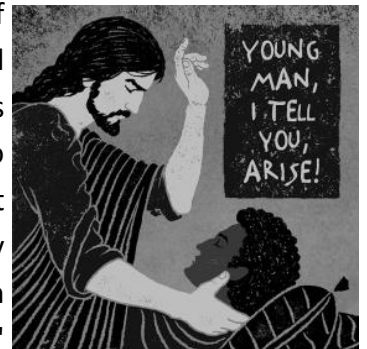
## Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### June 5, 2016

*Rev. Fr. Dale A. Branson*

### **TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Unless Professor Einstein's theory of relativity can be translated into any useful kind of time-travel, most of our clues about life in the early church will have to come from ancient letters and ancient prayer texts. A prayer text from a dusty library may yield, for example, an understanding of what "presbyters"



actually did. We have such a prayer from the early third century from the hand of Hippolytus of Rome. While our modern prayers derive a great deal from his, some of the practices of the ancient church have fallen away. In his day, bishops were chosen by the people, and the other bishops merely consented. Presbyters, by contrast, seem to have been chosen by the bishops. This makes sense, since it allowed the bishops to hand-pick their most trusted advisers.

It seems that bishops were at first reluctant to share their presiding at the Eucharist with presbyters. In fact, by the time of the fourth-century church's growth spurt in Rome, the bishop sent deacons out with fragments of the host from his Eucharist to drop into the chalices of the presbyters at the outlying eucharistic celebrations. We still have a vestige of this fermentum in the Mass today, a reminder of the early bishops' desire to give a powerful sign of the unity of all celebrations of the Eucharist with their ministry, and a clue to their reluctance to delegate a sacramental ministry to the presbyters.

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*Welcome*

**Are you new to  
St. Michael the Archangel Church?**

**We welcome you** and we ask that you please take a few moments to register. Registration forms are located at the Greeters Table or can now be found and submitted online. Visit our website and click on the link, **Parish Registration Form**, found at the bottom of the home page and follow the instructions.

## Sacramental Policies

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

At the 8:30am Mass on the first Friday of each month.

### BAPTISM

Parents will need to provide a copy of the child's birth certificate and participate in a class. Baptismal Classes are held on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 11 am in the Church office. Parents must call the church office to register for the class. Godparents must be practicing Catholics who are confirmed and married in the Church, if married.

### CONFESSION

Confessions are offered one-half hour before all Masses, or anytime upon request.

### CONFIRMATION

Confirmation will be given students in 8<sup>th</sup> grade or above. They must have completed the 8<sup>th</sup> grade religious education class and optimally the 7<sup>th</sup> as well. Sponsors must be practicing Catholics who are already confirmed and married in the Church, if married. Parents should not be sponsors for their own children. For information on Confirmation preparation for adults please contact the pastor.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion will be offered to children in Grade 2. Children must attend CCD regularly throughout Grade 2 in order to receive the Sacrament in May of that year. Students will also be prepared for the Sacrament of Reconciliation in Grade 2.

### MARRIAGE

Both parties are expected to participate in the preparation program. Parties must notify the pastor at least one year prior to their proposed marriage date. Please meet with the pastor for a fuller explanation and to make arrangements.

## MASS ATTENDANCE

482 people attended mass May 28th & 29th

May 2015 Avg Attendance - 547

May 2016 Avg Attendance - 631

## Readings for the Week

**Monday:** 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Ps 121:1bc-8; Mt 5:1-12

**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8;  
Mt 5:13-16

**Wednesday:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39; Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab,  
8, 11; Mt 5:17-19

**Thursday:** 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Ps 65:10-13; Mt 5:20-26

**Friday:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14;  
Mt 5:27-32

**Saturday:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 16:1b-2a,  
5, 7-10; Mt 5:33-37

**Sunday:** 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11;  
Gal 2:16, 19-21; Lk 7:36 -- 8:3 [7:36-50]

## Mass Intentions

**June 5th** 8:00 am Pro Populo

**June 8th** 8:30 am Keith Flygare †

**June 12th** 10:30 am Pro Populo

**June 15th** 8:30 am Jeanne Seymour

**June 18th** 4:00 pm Pro Populo

**June 25th** 4:00 pm John Bombolino †

**July 1st** 8:30 am Phoenix Nguyen

**July 3rd** 8:00 am The Ramirez Family

10:00 am Pro Populo

**July 9th** 4:00 pm Pro Populo

Pro Populo - Latin: "for the people"

Deceased †

**Contact the Parish Office to place a Mass Intention**

## ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL MINISTRIES & COMMITTEES

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### PASTOR

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### PRAYER CHAIN

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### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Diana Albert, Sue Baitinger, Bob Butchko,  
Virginia Bombolino, Ann Kolb, Reajean  
Porter, Bert Pampanin, Sandra Ramirez,  
Craig Rudko, Jenny Rudko, Darrell  
Stonerook, Mary Teese & Polly Von Esse

*Pastoral Council meetings are held on the  
2nd Tuesday of each month & all are  
welcome to attend.*

## TOUR THE HOLY LAND

Join Deacon Mike and Mimi Leverington on a 10 day pilgrimage tour to the Holy Land. The dates of the tour are February 6, 2017 to February 15, 2017. The tour is through *The Catholic Tour*, and includes round trip air fare from New York to Tel Aviv for \$2,199.00 per person. Details can be found on their website, [www.thecatholictour.com](http://www.thecatholictour.com). If you would like to sign up, or if you have questions about the trip please contact Deacon Mike or Mimi at (719)205-6198.



## Prayer Requests

Do you know someone in need of prayer? Or would you like to pray for those in need? Please Contact

Virginia Bombolino  
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Prayer  
Chain



*You changed my  
mourning into dancing;  
O LORD, my God,  
forever will I give you thanks.*

*-- Psalm 30:12, 13*

## List of Items Needed for the Parish Center

*If you, singly or in a group, would like to donate any of these items, please contact Father Branson for more information, 520.723.6570.*

- Ciboria (4) \$250 each
- Tabernacle Stand (1) \$650

### Items Already Donated

- Ciboria (1) \$250 each
- Sanctuary Chairs (4) \$200 each
- Crucifix (1) \$900
- EMHC Chalices (6) \$250 each
- Priest Chalice \$450
- Gift Table (1) \$400
- Altar Cloth Sets, (4) \$200 each
- American Flag (1)
- Vatican Flag (1)

*Thank  
you*

## YOU CAN HELP YOUR MARRIAGE

Retrouvaille simply means 'rediscovery'. The program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Thousands headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending a Retrouvaille Weekend.

Register today for the next program beginning with a weekend on August 5th thru 7th.

For confidential information: **Call** Art or Valerie at 800-470-2230 or **Email:** [valartrosa@gmail.com](mailto:valartrosa@gmail.com)

**Website:** <http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com>

