

# Saint Michael The Archangel Parish

March 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Administrator, Rev. Dale A. Branson

## Parish Office

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[www.stmichaels77.org](http://www.stmichaels77.org)

## Parish Office Hours

Monday 9:30am – 1pm  
Tuesday 9:30am – 4pm  
Wednesday 9:30am – 4pm  
Thursday *Closed*  
Friday 9:30am – 4pm



## Weekend Mass Schedule

*Saturday Vigil - 4pm*  
*Sunday - 8 am & 10:30 am*

Weekend Mass is held at  
Copper Basin K-8 School  
28682 N. Main Street  
San Tan Valley, AZ 85143

## Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday  
8:30am

*Daily Mass is held at the Parish Office/Rectorry*  
*Confessions before Mass or upon request*

### *A note from Father Branson*

My dear Parishioners,  
As I mentioned at Mass the past weekend, we are now officially incorporated as per the Diocese of Tucson.

We were incorporated under the Arizona Corporation Committee on November 17, 2011. I was assigned on the 14th, so guess that makes me the founding something or other. What all this means can be likened to a franchisee. We are a separate corporation, however we agree to use the personnel of the Diocese of Tucson for insurance, for investments, for accounting and other financial help, etc. We also, now have a Board of Directors:

Fr. Dale Branson – President & CEO  
Msgr. Al Schifano – Vice-President  
Riki “Lisa” Fowler – Secretary  
Thomas Davidson – Treasurer  
Bishop Kicanis – Member

The Treasurer and Secretary are elected officers and have 3 and 2 year terms respectively. As the time nears we will find out the procedures for election or re-election as it were. If you have any questions about the parish incorporation, please don't hesitate to ask me.

God bless you,  
*Fr. Branson*

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup> AND APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup>

### SATURDAY, MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup> 4 PM

**Altar Servers:** Jackie Jaicks and Jayne Jaicks

**Lector:** JoAnne Walton

**Eucharistic Ministers:** John Nielsen, Ken Ring and Judy Varley

**Set Up:** Virginia Bombolino, Judy and Clyde Varley

**Ushers:** Clyde Varley, Darrell Stonerook

**Greeters:** Pat Mick, Tom Mick and Linda Kolbeck

### SUNDAY, APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup> 8 AM

**Altar Servers:** Bryana Piccirilli and Mario Piccirilli

**Lector:** Sarah Estrada

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Petty Peterson, Vera Von Esse and Kelly Grant

**Set Up:** Marlene Dole and Joe Mirda

**Ushers:** Al Piccirilli and Christina Piccirilli

**Greeters:** Marlene Dole and Frank Varela

### SUNDAY, APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup> 10:30 AM

**Altar Servers:** Tommy Green and AJ Harris

**Lector:** Scott Irey

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Jenny Rudko, Craig Rudko and Rachel Courtright

**Set Up:** Rachel Courtright and Jan Trbovich

**Ushers:** Noah Rudko, Gregory Courtright, Mark Armijo

**Greeters:** Nikki Kessler and Shane Armijo

## Please Pray For . . .

those suffering in mind, body and spirit.  
the building of our new church.  
members of St. Michael the Archangel Parish.



### ~ Prayer Requests ~

For a Prayer Group request you may contact Virginia Bombolino at (480)888-7914 or signup on our prayer request list located at the Greeters' table. All requests are held private.

## Mass Intentions

March 24 – 4pm – Rita Carpenter (D)  
March 24 – 4pm – James Gallagher (D)  
March 25 – 8am – Joseph Beacom (D)  
10:30am – Pro Populo  
March 27 – No Daily Mass  
March 31 – Pro Populo

Contact the Rectory Office to place a Mass Intention.

## St. Michael the Archangel March 2012 Calendar

March 27<sup>th</sup> – NO Mass  
April 1 – Palm Sunday  
CCD Classes resume 9:15am (S)  
Children's Easter Egg Hunt after CCD  
April 5 – Holy Thursday Mass 7pm (S)  
April 6 – Good Friday Service 7pm (S)  
April 7 – Easter Vigil 4pm (S)  
April 8 – Easter Sunday, regular Mass times (S)  
(R) Rectory (S) Copper Basin School

## CCD Classes

*CCD classes resume on  
April 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:15am*



*Jenny Rudko, CCD Director*

## Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup>

9:45am

Children meet in front of the school



## St. Michael the Archangel Finance Report

### Income - March 17 & 18, 2012

Loose Checks	\$820.00
Loose Cash	\$724.29
Envelopes/Checks	\$355.00
Envelopes/Cash	\$50.00
Catholic Appeal	\$100.00
Private Donor	\$200.00
Building	\$70.00
Mass Stipends	\$20.00
	<u>\$2,339.29</u>



Offering checks should be made payable to:

**St. Michael the Archangel Parish.**

Note: 10% of our collection contributions go for the Church Building Fund.

### Expenses Paid – March 18, 2012

\$130.63	Mass Cards
\$40.50	Trash Pickup - 3 months
\$405.29	Sanctuary Lam, Lectionary, Candle Wax
\$67.95	APS
\$50.00	Adult Education
\$82.04	Verizon
<u>\$1,179.95</u>	Parish Banner
\$1,956.36	

### Online Giving:

Online Giving is now active for our Parish! The "Online Giving" link has been updated to reflect our online giving site. If you have questions, please call the parish office or Craig Rudko at 480-250-0722 or via email Craig at [webmaster@stmichaels77.org](mailto:webmaster@stmichaels77.org).

### THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2012

**General:** That the whole world may recognize the contribution of women to the development of society.

**Missionary:** That the Holy Spirit may grant perseverance to those who suffer discrimination, persecution, or death for the name of Christ, particularly in Asia.



## Parish Finance Committee

Canon 537 of the revised Code requires a finance council in each parish, subject to special norms established by the diocesan Bishop and composed of members of the parish selected according to those norms. The task of the finance council is to assist the pastor in administration of the property and finances of the parish. The importance of an active, informed council cannot be overemphasized. The active informed council would hold to the mission of the parish, protect the integrity of pastoral objectives, establish adequate council policies and ensure consistent adherence to those policies.

The Council is an advisory body and does not substitute for the pastor as the chief administrator and legal representative of parish matters. The relationship between the pastor and the Council is one of support and collaboration. The establishment of the Parish Finance Council does not lessen the authority of the pastor to act and decide on behalf of the parish as defined by Canon Law.

The Bishop of the Diocese of Tucson has established the following norms regarding the Parish Finance Council:

- The Council shall be composed of at least 3 members in addition to the Pastor and bookkeeper;
- Membership in the Council shall be diverse and include men, women and various occupations with financial expertise;
- The 3 additional members shall not be parish employees or serve in a volunteer function that affects their ability to make impartial and objective recommendations;
- The Council shall meet at least quarterly;
- The Council shall maintain written minutes of meetings;

- The Council shall review the annual operating budget and a separate capital improvement budget, if necessary, for the parish. The budgets are then submitted for approval by the Parish Board.
- The Council shall review the Parish Annual Financial Report and present it to the parish board for approval.
- The Council shall review the annual Financial Report to the Faithful.

If you would like to apply to be a member of the Finance Council, please contact Fr. Branson at (520) 723-6570; pastor@stmichaels77.org or Roger Arbisi at (480) 203-2780; rarbisi10@yahoo.com.

### 2012 Lenten Penance Services

If you were unable to attend the Penance Service at St. Michael the Archangel you may wish to attend one of the remaining services.

✠ **March 27** – Our Lady of Grace, Maricopa – 7pm

✠ **March 29** – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Florence – 7pm

There will be a number of priests available to hear confessions. Confessions are also held before Mass or upon request.

**347 people attended mass last weekend.**

### Some Good Men Needed!

We are looking for men who attend the Saturday 4PM Mass who would be willing to help set up the benches before Mass. If you can help, contact Polly Von Esse at [Ancientgreekanthem@yahoo.com](mailto:Ancientgreekanthem@yahoo.com) or (520)723-1308. You may also leave your name at the greeters table.



# ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL MINISTRIES & COMMITTEES

## ALTAR SERVERS

Bert Pampanin, [BertandPat@AOL.com](mailto:BertandPat@AOL.com), (480) 704-3108

## ALTAR SOCIETY

Polly Von Esse [Ancientgreekanthem@yahoo.com](mailto:Ancientgreekanthem@yahoo.com)  
(520)723-1308 (includes Set Up/Take Down)

## BULLETIN

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## CCD

Jenny Rudko, [jennyinaz@msn.com](mailto:jennyinaz@msn.com), (480)250-0711

## COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Jan Trbovich, [dalerussel@msn.com](mailto:dalerussel@msn.com), (520)723-9454

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

John Bombolino, [ginbaby2003@aol.com](mailto:ginbaby2003@aol.com), (480)888-7914

## GREETERS

Pat Mick, [Gypsey67@aol.com](mailto:Gypsey67@aol.com), (480)358-4654

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## LECTORS

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## MUSIC

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## PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Rev. Fr. Dale A. Branson, [pastor@stmichaels77.org](mailto:pastor@stmichaels77.org),  
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## PARISH OFFICE STAFF

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## Sacramental Policies

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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

### BAPTISM

Parents should contact the office, provide a copy of the child's birth certificate and participate in the class, to be offered monthly. Godparents must be practicing Catholics who are confirmed. Baptisms are scheduled in consultation between the family and the pastor. Please contact the pastor to make arrangements.

### CONFESSION

One-half hour before all Masses, or by appointment.

### CONFIRMATION

Only high school students will be admitted to the Confirmation Program. Youth are required to participate in CCD during both the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grades, and also participate in a special series of 6 classes for confirmation. Sponsors must be practicing Catholics who are already confirmed. Parents should not be sponsors for their own children.

For information on Confirmation preparation for adults, please contact the Pastor.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Offered to students in Grade 3. Children must attend CCD regularly throughout Grade 2 in order to be eligible to enter the sacramental preparation program in Grade 3. Students will also be prepared for the Sacrament of Reconciliation in Grade 3

### 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 of and to make arrangements.

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**PARISH COUNCIL:** Diana Albert, John Bombolino, Virginia Bombolino, Rachel Courtright, Lisa Green, Pat Mick, Bert Pampanin, Andy Ramirez, Jenny Rudko, Mary Teese and Polly Von Esse

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**Consider remembering  
St. Michael the Archangel Parish  
in your will.**

Please call the Parish office for  
more information