

# Saint Michael & All Angels

Episcopal Church in Corona del Mar, CA

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## Michaelmas (Patronal Festival)

September 24, 2023 ❖ 9:30 am

*A very warm welcome! We are delighted to have you join us. This bulletin has been designed to help you worship with us. Please note that wherever it says “stand, sit, kneel” (Episcopalian Calisthenics!), such are only suggestions. We Stand to Praise; Sit to Listen; and Kneel to Ask. You are welcome to do whatever you are able or find most comfortable.*

*We hope you will not find our silence before the liturgy to be a lack of hospitality. We merely have a custom of keeping the silence before the liturgy as a time of preparation and talking to God. We will be very enthusiastic to talk with you and each other after the service. There’s an old adage which says, “Before liturgy, talk to God. During liturgy, let God talk to you. After liturgy, talk to each other”.*

*Please remember St Michael’s in your prayers and we hope you will return to worship with us again!*



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Today we welcome Scott Ellaway as our Guest Organist.

# The Liturgy of the Word

## THE INTROIT HYMN *(Please stand.)*

*The Litany of Angels*

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.

**Lord, have mercy.**

Jesus Christ, hear us. – **Jesus Christ, graciously hear us.**

God the Heavenly Father, – **Have mercy on us!**

God the Son, Redeemer of the world, – **Have mercy on us!**

God the Holy Spirit, – **Have mercy on us!**

Most Holy Trinity, only one God, – **Have mercy on us!**

Holy Mary, Queen of the angels, – **Pray for us.**

All the choruses of the blessed spirits, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Seraphim, angels of love, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Cherubim, angels of the Word, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Thrones, angels of life, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Angels of adoration, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Dominions, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Powers, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Princedoms, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Virtues, – **Pray for us.**

St. Michael the Archangel, victor of Lucifer, – **Pray for us.**

Angel of faith and humility, – **Pray for us.**

Angel of holy unction, – **Pray for us.**

Patron of the dying, – **Pray for us.**

Prince of the heavenly hosts, – **Pray for us.**

Companion of deceased souls, – **Pray for us.**

St. Gabriel the Archangel, angel of the Incarnation, – **Pray for us.**

God's faithful messenger, – **Pray for us.**

Angel of hope and peace, – **Pray for us.**

Protector of all of God's servants, – **Pray for us.**

Guardian of holy Baptism, – **Pray for us.**

St. Raphael the Archangel, – **Pray for us.**

Angel of divine love, – **Pray for us.**

Help in cases of need, – **Pray for us.**

Patron of doctors, travelers, and pilgrims, – **Pray for us.**

All the Holy Archangels, – **Pray for us.**

Angels serving before the throne of God, – **Pray for us.**

Holy Guardian Angels, – Pray for us.  
 Light in our darkness, – Pray for us.  
 Helpers in all dangers, – Pray for us.  
 Our constant companions, – Pray for us.  
 Angels of our families, – Pray for us.  
 Angels of our priests and religious, – Pray for us.  
 Angels of our children, – Pray for us.

O Christ, hear us. – O Christ hear us.  
 Lord, hear our prayer. – Lord, hear our prayer.

**THE OPENING ACCLAMATION**

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*All* And blessed be God’s kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

**THE COLLECT FOR PURITY**

*All* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**THE GLORIA**

*Hymnal S-280*

*Robert Powell*

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and  
 peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly  
 King, al - mighty - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we  
 give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus  
 Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you

*(Hymn continues on next page.)*

take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy  
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -  
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,  
you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most  
High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the  
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

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### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

St. Michael the Archangel and All Angels, we honor you as powerful protectors of the Church and guardians of our souls. Inspire us with your humility, courage, and strength that we may reject sin and perfect our love for our Heavenly Father; through Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SERMON (*Please be seated.*)

*The Rev'd Shane Scott-Hamblen, ThD*

*Reader*            A Reading from the book of Exodus.

<sup>2</sup>The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness.

<sup>3</sup>The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.”

<sup>4</sup>Then the LORD said to Moses, “I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. <sup>5</sup>On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days.” <sup>6</sup>So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, “In the evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, <sup>7</sup>and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your complaining against the LORD. For what are we, that you complain against us?” <sup>8</sup>And Moses said, “When the LORD gives you meat to eat in the evening and your fill of bread in the morning, because the LORD has heard the complaining that you utter against him — what are we? Your complaining is not against us but against the LORD.”

<sup>9</sup>Then Moses said to Aaron, “Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, ‘Draw near to the LORD, for he has heard your complaining.’” <sup>10</sup>And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. <sup>11</sup>The LORD spoke to Moses and said, <sup>12</sup>“I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, ‘At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.’”

<sup>13</sup>In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. <sup>14</sup>When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. <sup>15</sup>When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, “It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat.

*Reader*            The Word of the Lord.

*People*            **Thanks be to God.**

THE PSALM: Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45 *(Please stand and join in singing.)*



- <sup>1</sup>O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name,  
make known his deeds among the peoples.
- <sup>2</sup>**Sing to him, sing praises to him;**  
tell of all his wonderful works.
- <sup>3</sup>Glory in his holy name;  
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.
- <sup>4</sup>**Seek the LORD and his strength;**  
seek his presence continually.
- <sup>5</sup>Remember the wonderful works he has done,  
his miracles, and the judgments he has uttered,
- <sup>6</sup>**O offspring of his servant Abraham,**  
children of Jacob his chosen ones.
- <sup>37</sup>Then he brought Israel out with silver and gold,  
and there was no one among their tribes who stumbled.
- <sup>38</sup>**Egypt was glad when they departed,**  
for dread of them had fallen upon it.
- <sup>39</sup>He spread a cloud for a covering,  
and fire to give light by night.
- <sup>40</sup>**They asked, and he brought quails,**  
and gave them food from heaven in abundance.
- <sup>41</sup>He opened the rock, and water gushed out;  
it flowed through the desert like a river.
- <sup>42</sup>**For he remembered his holy promise,**  
and Abraham his servant.
- <sup>43</sup>So he brought his people out with joy,  
his chosen ones with singing.

**THE SECOND READING: Philippians 1:21-30** (*Please be seated.*)

*Zuri Agren*

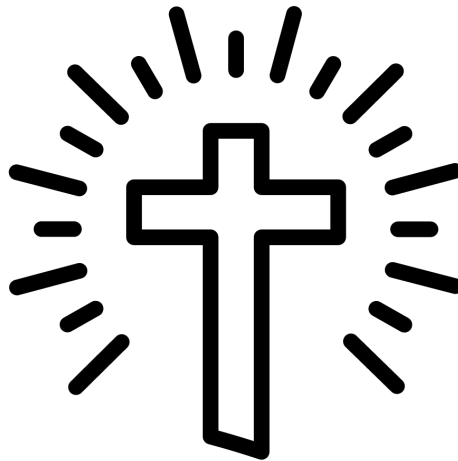
*Reader*            A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Philippi.

<sup>21</sup>To me, living is Christ and dying is gain. <sup>22</sup>If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me; and I do not know which I prefer. <sup>23</sup>I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; <sup>24</sup>but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. <sup>25</sup>Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, <sup>26</sup>so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

<sup>27</sup>Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, <sup>28</sup>and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. <sup>29</sup>For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well—<sup>30</sup>since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

*Reader*            The Word of the Lord.

*People*            **Thanks be to God.**



# THE SEQUENCE

Hymnal 618

*Ye watchers and ye holy ones (vs. 1 and 2)*

*Lasst uns erfreuen*

*Unison*

1 Ye watch - ers and ye ho - ly ones, bright ser - aphs, cher - u -  
 2 O high - er than the cher - u - bim, more glo - rious than the  
 3 Re - spond, ye souls in end - less rest, ye pa - tri - archs and  
 4 O friends, in glad - ness let us sing, su - per - nal an - thems

*Harmony* *Unison*

bim, and thrones, raise the glad strain, Al - le - lu - ia! Cry  
 ser - a - phim, lead their prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! Thou  
 pro - phets blest, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Ye  
 ech - o - ing, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! To

out, do - min - ions, prince - doms, powers, vir - tues, arch - an - gels, an - gels'  
 bear - er of the e - ter - nal Word, most gra - cious, mag - ni - fy the  
 ho - ly twelve, ye mar - tyrs strong, all saints tri - um - phant, raise the  
 God the Fa - ther, God the Son, and God the Spi - rit, Three in

*Harmony*

choirs, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 Lord, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 song, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 One, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -

*Unison*

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



## THE GOSPEL: Matthew 20:1-16

*Priest*            The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

*People*            **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, <sup>1</sup>“The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. <sup>2</sup>After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. <sup>3</sup>When he went out about nine o’clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; <sup>4</sup>and he said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.’ So they went. <sup>5</sup>When he went out again about noon and about three o’clock, he did the same. <sup>6</sup>And about five o’clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, ‘Why are you standing here idle all day?’ <sup>7</sup>They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard.’ <sup>8</sup>When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, ‘Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.’ <sup>9</sup>When those hired about five o’clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. <sup>10</sup>Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. <sup>11</sup>And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, <sup>12</sup>saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’ <sup>13</sup>But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? <sup>14</sup>Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. <sup>15</sup>Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?’ <sup>16</sup>So the last will be first, and the first will be last.”

*Priest*            The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*            **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*Please join in singing verses 3 and 4 of the Sequence as the procession returns.*

## THE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE INTERCESSIONS *(Please kneel.)*

*Michele Dulson*

*Intercessor* Sisters and brothers, turn for help to the Lord your strength and constantly seek God's presence. Let us pray to our generous God, saying, "Lead us with gladness, O God; cover us with shouts of joy!"

Generous God, you have chosen us to do the work of your kingdom; you have called us to labor in your vineyard. With grateful hearts, we offer to you the best of what we have.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* Generous God, you hear the cry of the hungry. Give bread to all those who face starvation. Use us, as you will, to relieve suffering in our world.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* Generous God, you make rivers run in dry places. You have blessed this earth with bountiful resources. Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* Generous God, there is enough kingdom work for everyone. Give us eyes to see the opportunities in our own neighborhood. Guide us that we may live in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* Generous God, you hear the cries of the desperate. Marvelous are your works, O God. May the sick and suffering rejoice in you. May the sorrowful call upon your name, especially \_\_\_\_\_.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* Generous God, living is Christ and dying is gain. May those who now rest from their labors find their comfort in you. Let light perpetual shine upon them, especially \_\_\_\_\_.

Lead us with gladness, O God;

*All* **Cover us with shouts of joy!**

*Intercessor* For what else shall we pray?

*Congregation is invited to say intentions aloud or in silence.*

*Priest* Let us all pray together,

*All* **Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.**

## THE CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

*Celebrant* God is love and we are God's children. There is no room for fear in love. We love because God loved us first. Let us confess our sins in penitence and faith. *(Silence)*

*All* **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*Celebrant* **✙** Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

## THE PEACE *(Standing.)*

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## THE OFFERTORY *(Seated.)*

*Sung to the tune Rouen found in the blue Hymnal #360*

1. Christ, the fair glory of the holy angels,  
Thou who has made us, thou who o'er us rules,  
Grant of thy mercy unto us thy servants  
Steps up to heaven.
2. Send thy archangel, Michael, to our succor;  
Peacemaker bless-ed, may he banish from us  
Striving and hatred, so that for the peaceful  
All things may prosper.
3. Send thy archangel, Gabriel, the mighty;  
Herald of heaven, may he from us mortals  
Spurn the old serpent, watching o'er the temples  
Where thou art worshipped.
4. Send thy archangel, Raphael, the restorer  
Of the misguided ways of all who wander,  
Who at thy bidding strengthens soul and body  
With thine anointing.
5. May the best Mother of our God and Saviour,  
May the assembly of the saints in glory,  
May the celestial companies of angels  
Ever assist us.
6. Father Almighty, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
God ever bless-ed, be thou our preserver;  
Thine is the glory which the angels worship,  
Veiling their faces.

# The Eucharistic Prayer D

*Celebrant* *People*  
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

*Celebrant* *People*  
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

*Celebrant*  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*  
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever.

Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance.

Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we say,

## THE SANCTUS

*Hymnal S-125*

*Holy, holy, holy*

*Richard Proulx (b. 1937)*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

*All*     **We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, with St. Michael and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. *AMEN.*

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## THE FRACTION

*Celebrant* We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

*People* Though we are many, we are One Body, because we all share in one bread.

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

## THE AGNUS DEI

*Hymnal S-160*

*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world*

*Anaphora chant*

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,  
you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

*Wherever you are on your spiritual journey you are welcome to come forward to receive the consecrated wine and wafers. Wine will be served by our chalice bearers from the common cup. In keeping with the pandemic safety guidelines from our bishop, the communicant may drink from the chalice or, in the alternative, the chalice bearer will dip the wafer into the wine and place it directly on the communicant's tongue. If you prefer not to have wine, simply cross your arms over your chest after receiving the wafer.*

*Gluten-free wafers are available: just ask the priest when you come forward to the altar rail.*

*Congregants worshipping on Zoom or Facebook Live may say the following:*

## THE SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

*Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.*

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (*Kneeling.*)

*Priest* Let us pray.

*All* Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (*Seated.*)THE BLESSING (*Standing.*)

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, ✚ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

## THE RECESSIONAL HYMN

*Sung to the tune Old 100th found in the blue Hymnal #380*

1. Around the throne of God a band  
Of glorious angels ever stand;  
Bright things they see, sweet harps they hold,  
And on their heads are crowns of gold.
2. Some with around him, ready still  
To sing his praise and do his will;  
And some when he commands them, go  
To guard his servants here below.
3. Lord, give thy angels every day  
Command to guide us on our way,  
And bid them every evening keep  
Their watch around us while we sleep.
4. So shall no evil thing draw near,  
To do us harm or cause us fear;  
And we shall dwell, when life is past,  
With angels round thy throne at last.

## THE DISMISSAL

*Priest* Let us go in peace to love and serve Our Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## **We are delighted to welcome you this Sunday morning.**

No matter your background, you are welcome to be part of our community as we gather in this sacred space to encounter the Mystery of God through beautiful liturgy and inspiring music. Please be assured that all children, no matter their ages, are invited to join us in worship as a powerful reminder that we are all beloved children of God. Again, welcome!

*Please take a moment to silence your cell phone. Thank you.*

### **We publicly livestream our Sunday worship via Zoom and Facebook Live.**

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023> (Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!)

Join on Facebook Live: <https://facebook.com/SMAACDM>

### **Fr. Shane's Contact Info**

Fr. Shane's phone number is 845-240-4516 and email is [fr.shane@stmikescdm.org](mailto:fr.shane@stmikescdm.org)

Friday is his day off (except for emergencies).

## **Today's Worship Team**

Celebrant	The Rev'd Shane Scott-Hamblen, ThD
Guest Organist	Scott Ellaway
Choir Director	Scott Ziemann
Chalice Bearer	Myrna Ireland
Acolyte	Stacie Tibbets
Altar Guild	Stacie Tibbets
Flower Guild	Melinda Rader
Ushers	Steve Dulson, Clyde Dodge
We Serve Coffee Team	St. Michael's Day Brunch, Gail Haghjoo

## **Sunday School**

### **Godly Play (ages 3-11)**

#### **9:30 am in the Yellow Room**

Saint Michael's Obstacle Course on the eastside of the campus in the citrus grove.

Pinata on the front lawn, near the labyrinth.

Contact: Anne Conover ([annabanacaddie@aol.com](mailto:annabanacaddie@aol.com))

### **Youth Group (ages 11-14)**

Today is Rest. Youth are invited to participate in Saint Michael's Day.

Contact: Susan Caldwell ([scaldwell@stmikescdm.org](mailto:scaldwell@stmikescdm.org))

## **Parish Prayer List**

Barbara	Bob	Burton	Edie	Janet	Jason	Joni
Kitty	Mary	Parry	Peter	Rebecca	Ron	Sally
Tim	Tom	Ann	Heather			

For the repose of the soul:

Deb	Diane	Helen	Stephen	Will	Mary Ann
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To submit a name to the prayer list contact Brooke Pauley or The Rev'd Dr. Shane Scott-Hamblen.

Prayer requests remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.



# Worship with us:

## Morning Prayer

**Mondays and Wednesdays through Fridays at 9:30 am**

Join us on weekday mornings (not including Tuesdays) for Morning Prayer. Bring your internet-connected phone or tablet: we'll be using the Daily Office from Mission St. Clare.

- Website: <https://www.missionstclare.com>
- iPhone users can get their app on the Apple App Store.
- Android users should use the URL above.

## Tuesday Morning Holy Eucharist

**Tuesdays at 8:30 am**

The Rev'd Shane Scott-Hamblen, ThD, will celebrate and preach.

Featured saint for Sept. 26:

Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop, 1626.

## Lectionary Study with Fr. Shane

**Tuesdays at 10:00 am in person and over Zoom**

Join us in Michael's Room following the Tuesday Morning Holy Eucharist and Fellowship.

Bring your Bible and look forward to discussing the upcoming Sunday's Readings!

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023>

Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!

## Prayer Vigil for Peace

**Fridays at 6:00 pm**

Join us every Friday at 6:00 pm in the St. Michael's sanctuary and on Zoom as we pray for peace in our community and around the world.

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023>

Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!

Worship bulletins: <https://www.stmikescdm.org/worship-bulletins/>

## A Time of Prayer

**First Wednesday of the Month at 2:00 pm**

Join us for our service of worship and prayer to give thanks for our joys and express our concerns for ourselves and for those of our parish in need of prayer.

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023>

(Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!)

Worship bulletins: <https://www.stmikescdm.org/worship-bulletins/>

## **Prayer, Then Care: a new St. Mike's Ministry**

*Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality.* (Romans 12:13, NIV)

An important time in our worship is our Prayers of the People, when we list those fellow parishioners who are suffering a loss or an illness. We need to follow those prayers with hospitality: a phone call, a note, or a visit. We are now creating a team of folks who would like to be a part of this ministry. No meetings! Flexibility! And a deepening of relationship with our community. If you would like to be a part of this new ministry, please contact:

- Fr. Shane at [fr.shane@stmikescdm.org](mailto:fr.shane@stmikescdm.org) or (845) 240-4516
- Beth Bianchi at [bethebianchi@gmail.com](mailto:bethebianchi@gmail.com) or (949) 636-3418

## **Special Guest Speaker: Prof. Jean-Pierre Isbouts on *The Historical Jesus as the Bridge Between Faiths***

Bestselling biblical historian, Jean-Pierre Isbouts, weaves the origin stories of Christianity and the Lord's Prayer into a reinvigorating and urgent rallying cry for unity in the modern church.

National Geographic and WONDRUM Great Courses Presenter Prof. Jean-Pierre Isbouts will be speaking at St. Mike's on Sunday, October 15, 2023 at 11:00 am.

This is a free event but seating is limited. Please register to attend: <https://bit.ly/isbouts2023>

## **Join "We Serve"—an Easy Avenue to Fellowship!**

The "We Serve" rotating schedule to host the after-service snacks has launched with a variety of delicious nibbles. Thank you to all who have served thus far. More hosts are needed to partner for upcoming Sundays to fill out our schedule. You may either donate \$25 for donuts or bring your own yummys. Dates available in October! Sign up with Gail Haghjoo or online at <https://bit.ly/weservesignup>.

## **United Thank Offering parish ingathering on October 8**

We've all heard that "money talks", but do you know what it says? It can say "THANK YOU" when you drop it into your Blue Boxes each day when you celebrate something you're thankful for. We say thank you when we cannot repay a kindness that someone has shown us, but we can pay it forward by giving a thank offering to UTO, that moment of kindness goes on to bless someone else. 100% of what we give to UTO is given away the following year. These moments of gratitude in our lives go on to become feeding programs, after school programs, offer medical care and more to those in need. So, what can you give thanks for today that will bless others? Be sure to drop a coin or a note in your Blue Box. Remember, the Ingathering is on October 8. You can bring in your Blue Box or donate online at [www.unitedthankoffering.org/give](http://www.unitedthankoffering.org/give)

## **St. Michael's Summer Project has raised \$1,400 for MOMS OC so far!**

We have collected \$1,400 for MOMS Orange County and we're not done yet: the deadline for giving has been extended to the end of September. We plan to invite a MOMS OC representative to visit St. Michael's on a Sunday morning to speak to us about their programs. We will present the check to them at that time. For more info contact Mary Bailey ([marysings@cox.net](mailto:marysings@cox.net))

## **College Ministry**

Canterbury Irvine/Community Table booth will be joining the Anteater Involvement Fair on Monday, September 25th, 11am-4pm, Aldrich Park, University of California, Irvine.

## This Week at St. Michael's

### Sunday, September 24

#### St. Michael's Day

9:30 am Holy Eucharist  
10:30 am Fiesta Brunch

### Monday, September 25

9:30 am Morning Prayer

### Tuesday, September 26

8:30 am Holy Eucharist  
10:00 am Lectionary Study  
7:00 pm Tuesday Night at Mike's

### Wednesday, September 27

9:30 am Morning Prayer

### Thursday, September 28

8:30 am Men's Fellowship  
9:30 am Morning Prayer

### Friday, September 29

9:30 am Morning Prayer  
10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry  
6:00 pm Prayer Vigil for Peace

### Sunday, October 1

9:30 am Holy Eucharist

*For more info, contact the church office at  
949-644-0463 or email church@stmikescdm.org.*

## Save the Date: St. Francis' Day Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October 1 at 9:30 am

Celebrate St. Francis and St. Clare Week with us. Bring your pet to receive a blessing. Dogs should be kept on leash. Cats and exotic pets should be secured in a carrier. You may also bring a photo or other keepsake of your pet.

## Save the Date: Celebration of a New Ministry

Saturday, November 4 at 10:00 am

Shane+ will be installed as Saint Michael and All Angels' fourth Rector.

Reception following.

Look for more details to come!

## Weekly Finance Update

### As of Sunday, Sept. 24

Weekly Pledge Income	\$2,925
Weekly Other Income	\$5,707
Weekly Budgeted Expenses	\$12,147
Net Income	(\$3,515)

## August Attendance

	Sunday Worship	Children's Programs
August 6	63	—
August 13	61	6
August 20	69	7
August 27	73	3

## Altar Flowers

Each Sunday, members of the congregation may sponsor altar flowers, chapel flowers, and the sanctuary light in thanksgiving for all the blessings of this life or in memory of loved ones. The flowers are arranged by our Flower Guild with donors acknowledged in the Sunday bulletin. Call the church office at (949) 644-0463 or make your dedication via our website at <https://bit.ly/SMAAFLOWERS>.

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## Office Hours:

Monday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm  
Tuesday 7:30 am to Noon  
Wednesday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm  
Thursday 7:30 am to Noon  
Friday Closed

## Parish Directory:

<https://smaa.breezechms.com>

## Our Clergy and Staff

### The Rev'd Shane Scott-Hamblen, ThD

Rector

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Organist-Choirmaster Emeritus

## The Vestry

Beth Bianchi, Mission

Brooke Pauley, Communications

Clyde Dodge, Evangelism

Colette Spence, Clerk

Gail Haghjoo, Fellowship

Julie Sheffield, Junior Warden

Keith Lumpkin, Stewardship

Kim Montgomery, Christian Education

Louise Stover, Senior Warden

Stacie Tibbetts, Treasurer

Steve Morris, Ombudsman

## Adult Christian Education and Small Discussion Groups

Visit our website for more information on St. Mike's

Adult Christian Education and Small Discussion Groups.

### St. Mike's Sunday Conversations

*11:00 am in Michael's Room and on Zoom*

Sunday, Sept. 24: No Sunday Conversation (St. Michael's Day Fiesta Brunch). Sunday, Oct. 1: Prof. Jean-Pierre Isbouts' *History and Archaeology of the Bible* – part 12 –The Rise of Assyria

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/sundaysat10>

Meeting ID: 966 632 5340 / Passcode: 221426

Contact: Kim Montgomery

### Tuesday Nights at Mike's

*Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Zoom*

Studying *Spiritual Direction: Wisdom for the Long Walk of Faith* by Henri Nouwen.

Tuesday, Sept. 26: We celebrate Ron Bauer's birthday and our Word will be *Patience* (Sara).

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/tuesdayatmikes>

Meeting ID: 834 2976 3754 / Passcode: none

Contact: Beth Bianchi

### Bible Challenge

*Third Sundays at 8:30 am in the Conference Room*

Studying *A Journey through Genesis: A 50 Day Bible Challenge* by Marek P. Zabriskie.

Contact: Susan Caldwell

### Inklings! Book Group

*Third Mondays at 10:30 am in the Davis Library*

Studying *The Lion, the Witch and Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis.

Contact: Susan Caldwell

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

*Fridays at 10:00 am*

Please join us as we knit or crochet and pray!

Contact: Barbara Stewart+ at (949) 378-9780

### Men's Fellowship Group

*Thursdays at 8:30 am in the Davis Library*

Studying *A World Lit Only by Fire* by William Manchester.

Join us for fellowship and conversation on the reading of selected books including broader discussions (with a bit of humor) of everything from faith, religion, history, and science, to fiction, gardening, and what qualities make good coffee. All are welcome!

Contact: Kim Montgomery