

Welcome to St. Michael Old Catholic Church Anglican Rite

The Cathedral Church of the Diocese of Florida of the Independent Old Catholic Church



Rite 1 18th Sunday after Pentecost October 11, 2025

Thank you for worshipping with us at St. Michael's!



St. Michael' Independent Old Catholic Church - Diocese of Florida

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If you are a first-time visitor, we welcome you and invite you to share in the spiritual and social activities of our parish. We would like to get to know you a little better so, please fill out a Visitor Card and give it to the usher or place it in the collection plate.

St. Michael's Holy Eucharist Services

Rite I - Saturday 5pm - Spoken/No Hymns Rite II - Sunday 10:00 - with Hymns

Caregivers Pathway Support Group at St. Michael's Old Catholic Church Every Sunday at 2 pm

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THE HOLY EUCHARIST

All Stand

The Word of God

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit!

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen!

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

Celebrant: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

ALL: Glory be to God on high, and on earth, peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Celebrant: Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

First Reading 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

The first reading is taken from the second book of Kings.

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favor with his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. She said to her mistress, "If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy." When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, "Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me." But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, "Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel." So Naaman came with his horses and chariots and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go, wash in

the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean." But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, "I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?" He turned and went away in a rage. But his servants approached and said to him, "Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, `Wash, and be clean'?" So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean. Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; he came and stood before him and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel."

The word of the Lord! **People: Thanks be to God!**

<u>Psalm 111</u> Please read responsively by half verse.

- 1 Hallelujah! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.
- 2 Great are the deeds of the LORD!

they are studied by all who delight in them.

- 3 His work is full of majesty and splendor, and his righteousness endures forever.
- 4 He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and full of compassion.
- 5 He gives food to those who fear him;

he is ever mindful of his covenant.

- 6 He has shown his people the power of his works in giving them the lands of the nations.
- 7 The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; all his commandments are sure.
- 8 They stand fast forever and ever,
 - because they are done in truth and equity.
- 9 He sent redemption to his people; he commanded his covenant forever;

holy and awesome is his Name.

10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; those who act accordingly have a good understanding; his praise endures forever.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-15

The second reading is taken from the second book of Timothy.

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David-that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful-- for he cannot deny himself. Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

The word of the Lord! **People: Thanks be to God!**

Please stand.

Gospel Acclamation

Celebrant: "Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks.

The Gospel

Luke 12:32-40

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory be to thee, Lord Christ.

Celebrant: Jesus said to his disciples, "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell your possessions and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. "Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves. "But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

Please be seated. HOMILY

Please Stand.

Celebrant: Let us affirm our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

The Nicene 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.

Prayers of the People

Celebrant: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. Silence

Intercessor: For all people in their daily life and work; All: For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Intercessor: For this community, the nation, and the world; All: For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Intercessor: For the just and proper use of your creation; For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; All: For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

All: For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For our Bishop(s), priest(s), deacon(s) and other ministers; All: For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. Silence

Special Prayer for our Church

Intercessor: Let us be of one mind and one heart as we pray to the Lord our God to guide the work of our hands.

ALL: Lord, we are truly grateful for all you provide for us. We lift up to you our church, St. Michael's. We humbly ask that you bless us with the resources, wisdom, and boldness to fulfill your mission for our church. Give us the ability to be great stewards over those resources, and that you guide our hand in using them. We ask that you fill our hearts with all that you are and direct our path to find a

permanent home. For you, nothing is impossible, and with you, all things are possible. In your holy name we pray, Amen.

Special Prayer for our Armed Forces

Intercessor: Let us pray for those in the Armed Forces of Our Country.

ALL: Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant: Father of love and Lord of life, hear our prayers. Give us the vision of faith and the courage of hope to embrace the life of our Lord and Savior. We ask this in the name of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit as the one God for ever and ever. **People: Amen.**

Please kneel.

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

The Confession of Sin

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

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **People: Amen.**



The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Everyone greets one another in the name of the Lord.

Please be seated for announcements.

The Holy Communion

Celebrant: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

Please stand.

The Presentation (acapella)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer II

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People: It is meet and right so to do.

Celebrant: It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Proper Preface

Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

All: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Please kneel.

Celebrant: All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to

continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For on the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make, having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls, and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also, that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **All: Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ hath 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 Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast!

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

Prayer of Humble Access

All: We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore gracious Lord, so to eat

the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Invitation to Communion



Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All Christians are welcomed at God's table to receive the real and living presence of Christ in the Holy Communion.

Ushers will guide you from your pew.

Intinction Only!

<u>Post Communion Prayer</u> Please kneel.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Almighty and ever living God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

The Blessing and Dismissal

Celebrant: The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

People: Amen.

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Please stand.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

The flowers are donated to the celebration of Laura and Garrett Howard's 42nd wedding anniversary! From Laura Howard.

Bible Study Group– Will resume. Thank you to all who participated. If you have new ideas for a bible study let Rev. Nancy know.

Healing Prayer after service – In need of a prayer, and or anointing? Ask Rev. Nancy or Fr. Mark to pray with you after the service.

Homebound Ministry – Do you know who needs a visit? Please let Rev. Nancy or Fr. Mark know.

October 12th Vestry meeting after the 10am service.

October 19th Oktoberfest after the 10am service! We need at least 20 people to sign up! 20 per and 50 per family

November 8th is Artisan Alley! 10-3 and Tiffany needs help before and after!

December 13th St. Michaels is participating in the Dunedin Holiday Parade at 3:30pm. Volunteers and walkers are needed!

Feast thanks St. Michaels for your contributions to the food pantry. Don't forget about those expiration dates!



Happy

Anniversary.

Caregiver's Support Group meeting is every Sunday at 2pm. Please spread the word.



Helen Wray Ron Carpenter

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Narissa and baby Versai

Pray also for our brothers and sisters that cannot be with us today!

Lizz Davis

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