St. Michael's Rector's **Notes**

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost, October 27, 2024

Readings

The First Lesson Jeremiah 31:7-9
The Response Psalm 126
The Epistle Hebrews 7:23-28
The Gospel Mark 10:46-52

The Collect Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Our Fall 2025 Stewardship Campaign ends this Sunday. Please bring your pledge cards so we may present them to God at the altar. If it is more convenient for you, you may send it to the church.

Please mark on your calendar Sunday, November 3, at which time we celebrate Holy Baptism and All Saints Day. If you would like to remember your loved ones during All Saints Sunday, this is the last Sunday to add their names on the list in Yeaton Hall.

This year's South Bay Interfaith Thanksgiving Service will be on Tuesday evening November 19 at 7 PM at St. Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church, 1940 S. Prospect Ave., Redondo Beach. If you love to sing, you are invited to join the Interfaith Choir that evening. Look for the flyer with more information at the front table.

As we approach the upcoming election, our Bishop offers three propositions and a prayer during this critical time: https://myemail.constantcontact.com/Politics-and-Peace--A-word-about-the-election---Pol-tica-y-Paz--Unas-palabras-acerca-de-las-elecciones.html?soid=1101307179673&aid=8bK9F-2fanc

For your convenience, attached is last Sunday's homily in case you were not able to attend.

Please join us in person or online for worship, Thank you for sharing St. Michael's with your friends and neighbors! Parents of the Children's Center, please consider St. Michael's your home. There are three ways to worship at St. Michaels: first, Sunday morning at 8 am if you prefer a contemplative Rite One service; second, Sunday morning at 10 am if you prefer contemporary language worship with music; and lastly, our 10 am Sunday service is available online during the week by visiting: https://www.facebook.com/stmichaelselsegundo

Thank you also for your support of St. Michael the Archangel. Your offering is kindly received via our Sunday plate; by sending a check to our church: 361 Richmond St. El Segundo, CA 90245; or by clicking on the "Donate" button on our website: stmichaels-elsegundo.org

f you would like pastoral care, or if you'd like to have a coffee to chat, please reach out to me.

See you soon!
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