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Sunday Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. – Weekdays Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.  
General Confession 1st Sunday of month  
Private Confession every Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or upon request

ST. MICHAEL'S 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY - 1926-2026

January 18, 2026

Epistle: 1Tim 1: 15-17

Gospel: Luke 18: 35-43

**COFFEE HOUR:** There is a Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Come and enjoy Christian Fellowship.

**THE HEALTH:** Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Gloria Wheeler, Judy Wadysz, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Sonia Kurtyka, Bradley Webster, Roger Wodkowski, Daniel Moran, Marge Wade, Mary Varchola, Zlatko Petrovich, Ronald Miller, Tamara Perri, Jim Fisher, Eileen Fremont, Pat Dominick, Mary Ann Harvilla, Sophie Miller, Joan Marie Ruppert, Stephanie Henkel, David Tomchuk, Margaret Lawrence, Sandi Michaels, Janice Buck, Elena Mitroshina, Nancy Hay, Carl deVyver, Ryan Kerrigan, and Irina Molyakova.

**PLEASE NOTE: BLESSING OF HOMES AT YOUR CONVENIENCE.**

Please call the rectory at 313-937-2120 to set up an appointment!

**ANNUAL MEETING:** This is the Second Announcement of our Annual Meeting to be held on Sunday, February 1, 2026. Please mark this date on your calendar. We need all members to be present.

**Time Capsule:** As many of you know, we are planning to remove the time capsule as part of our 100th year celebration. The time capsule is located in the corner stone in the front of the Church. Now comes the real question: what do we put back in there to be opened many years from now? We have had several suggestions such as a current St. Michael's phone directory, a roll of pennies (which might be worth a lot of money then), one of Dr. Tony's themed neckties, and Monte's coffee apron. What would you like to see in the capsule? Please share any ideas with Tammie Kerrigan or any other member of the Centennial Committee.

**CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE:** The next meeting is scheduled for today Sunday, January 18, after Divine Liturgy.

**THANK YOU:** A great big THANK YOU to everyone who participated in the holiday collections of food, toys and items for the Mitten Tree. The food was delivered to CARES in Farmington Hills in mid-December, the toys were picked up by the Redford Goodfellows organization then too. This past week 97 items (hats, mittens, gloves, scarves, socks and two blankets) were delivered to the Children's Hospital of Michigan Foundation in Detroit to be distributed to those in need of warm items for the winter. All three organizations were delighted with our collections. THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY! And these gifts were over and above the Operation Good Cheer organized by Deacon Dan. Generous hearts are here at St Michael's church. Dr Nancy Munaco

**HOLY FEAST OF THE MEETING OF THE LORD IN TEMPLE:** This Holy Feast day comes on February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**TROPARION:** Hail, O Virgin, birth-giver of God, full of grace; for from thee hath shone forth the Sun of Righteousness, Christ our God, Who giveth light to those who are in the darkness. Rejoice, also, thou aged, righteous man, who didst receive in thine arms the Redeemer of our souls, Who bestoweth upon us the resurrection.

**KONDAKION:** Thou, who by Thy birth didst sanctify the Virgin's womb and didst bless the arms of Simeon, as was met, didst preserve and now hast saved us, O Christ our God. But give peace amid the alarm of wars to Thy community, and establish the church, which Thou hast adopted into Thy love, O Thou Who alone lovest mankind. This holy feast day which is served this year on Monday, February 2th, during the Divine Liturgy is customary to bless candles for the parish members in church and for to take in homes on this day. In remembrance of bringing of the Infant Jesus to the Temple by Joseph and Mary, children of the Orthodox faith are also brought to the Church on the fortieth day after their birth according to the Holy Orthodox Church