

The Archangels

Saint Michael The Archangel

Patron Saint of: grocers, soldiers, doctors, mariners, paratroopers,

police, and sickness **Feast Day:** Sept.29

Not much is known about St. Michael. We do know that he is the highest ranking angel and is the only one referred to in the Bible as an Archangel. He is the head of God's Army.

He has 4 main responsibilities given to him by God.

- 1. Battle Satan and all fallen angels
- 2. Escort the faithful to heaven at the hour of their death
- 3. To be a Champion for all Christians and the Church
- 4. To call men from Earth to their Heavenly Judgement

Saint Gabreil the Archangel

Patron Saint of: messengers, telecommunication workers, postal workers

St. Gabriel is most known for the conversation he had with Mary the mother of God. He is the one who was sent to see Mary and ask if she would bring Jesus to the world. He is known as the Messenger of God.

However, He is seen three other times in the Bible. Once to Daniel to explain some dreams, again to Daniel to continue to explain the visions he was having, to Zacharias to tell him



St. Gabriel

that his prayers had been answered and Elizabeth would bear a son, and finally to Mary. After the annunciation he is not heard from again.

Saint Raphael the Archangel

Patron Saint of: travelers, the blind, and bodily ills
Saint Raphael is only mentioned once in the Bible by name. It
is in the book of Tobit when he heals Tobit's blindness and
cures Sarah from the demons that possessed her.

God is Great and has many angels and Saints to help us.



St. Raphael