



St. Michael the Archangel Icon

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Saint Michael the Archangel is one of the three archangels mentioned in Christianity. He is considered a champion of justice, a healer of the sick, and the guardian of the Church.

He is the patron of police, soldiers, security forces, doctors, grocers, supermarket workers, paratroopers, and radiologists, and is invoked for protection in all circumstances. He is considered the warrior of God and is often present in heavenly warfare.

In our icon, he is shown wielding a sword and wearing a red cloak, jeweled breastplate, and armor, representing his role as a military commander and leader of the heavenly armies.

Michael is often clothed in red, which can symbolize power, war, blood, and sacrifice. The ribbons in Michael's hair symbolize his intelligence and obedience to God.

Byzantine icons often feature a gold or silver background to symbolize the divine and heavenly realm.