



That through our generous giving, we can help those in need share in the gifts that God has bestowed on us. "Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you." Luke

14:13 -14 We have a difficult time with the concept of giving without expecting something in return. Even when we give to charity we often want something in return – a raffle ticket, a dinner, or a chance to play golf. Yet, as Christian stewards we need to remember that the true reward for our giving awaits us in heaven.





Readings for the Week of August 28, 2016

Sunday Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11;

Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

Monday The Passion of Saint John the Baptist

1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102;

Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab,

13cd-14: Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11 **Friday** 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40;

Lk 5:33-39

Saturday Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and

Doctor of the Church

1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17;

Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33



Please pray for the repose of the soul of: **† Johnny Follett**, husband of Doris

† Gertrude Lux, mother of Gladys
Turney and Margie Dobbins

Please note: Tuesday Masses will be at 5:30 pm throughout the entire year. There will no longer be a Tuesday morning Mass on the first Tuesday of the month.





WEEK OF August 27, 2016 – August 28, 2016

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SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Ralph Lewis
		†Harold & Lois Langen
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Libert Vitek
		Ken & Diane Haas-40th
		Anniversary
	9:30 A.M.	
	9.30 A.W.	†Dolores Wallis
		†Ed & Dorothy Jurecka
	11:00 A.M.	†Raul Galindo
		†Pauline Trefny
TUESDAY	5:30 P.M.	Sophia Unite-Thanksgiving
10.000	200	Rachel & Mike Lawrence-
		Thanksgiving
WEDNESDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Richard Mach
WEDNESDAT	0.30 A.W.	
		Dinah Prochaska
THURSDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Charlie & Georgie Hundl
		†Joe Gonzalez
FRIDAY	8:30 A.M.	†David Iglesias
		†Tim Walsh
SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Charles John Savaso
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SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Elias Kotzur
		Gilbert Santa Teresa
	9:30 A.M.	†Matthew Haluska
		†Peter & Joan Hsue
	11:00 A.M.	Lagette Cleaver
		Anselmo G. Unite-
		Thanksgiving
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Kellie Chaney, Ruth Cleaver, Ruth Coale, Margaret Flournoy, Ann Foster, David Foster, Paige Haas, Florine Heinroth, Jesse Hernandez, Dorothea Himmel, Richard Keistler, Sarah Langston, Tom Loftus, Margie McAda, Eileen McDonald, Bubba Moore, Jordon Nachtegaele,

Paul Perdue, Donna Schwertner, Liz Stevens, Jack & Barbara Yonge, Lourdes Garcia-Meitin, Roger Kesseler, Bettie Carmody, Patrick Dean, James and Barbara Blanchard, Raymond Muniza, Kim Anderson, Johnny & Doris Follett, Felix & Shirley Broussard, Emma DeAtley, Andrew Haack, Robert Vinklarek, Pat Gifford, Marsha Young, Ken Felcman, Jeanne Kemeny, Gilbert Bohuslav, Andreas Kalos, Dinah Prochaska, and Joyce Sykora

DSF-2016

"His Mercy Endures Forever"

As of 8/22/16, our total amount paid is \$119,453. Thanks to everyone who has donated or pledged. 376 families have participated so far in DSF, out of 1376 registered families. God bless each of you who have generously responded in support of the 2016 Diocesan Services Fund. Help us attain our parish goal of \$122,000. If you prefer to donate online, visit www.archgh.org/dsf.

PARISH EVENTS



ARISE Season III is entitled "In the Footsteps of Christ." The small faithsharing communities will begin meeting Together in Christ the week of October 2. consider joining us -- all are welcome!

All participants will need to register for the new season. Even if you did not participate in Season II, we invite you to participate during this fall season. Registration will be the weekend of September 17 and 18. For guestions please call Cheri McBurnett 979-297-8874.



Please join us for a weekend of fun and activities as we celebrate 50 years as a parish.

Saturday, Sept. 10th - Mass at 5:30 pm followed by a Golden Gala Dinner with Dancing to a variety of Music, with Wine and Beer in the Family Life Center

Sunday, Sept. 11th - Family Fun Day on the Church Grounds after the 11:00 Mass. Activities and Games for all Ages, Hamburgers & Hot Dogs, Ice Cream and Door Prizes.

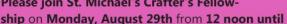
Please RSVP by August 29th melanie@smlj.org or call 297-3041

VIRTUS: "Protecting God's Children" Workshop ALL Clergy, staff and volunteers who have regular contact with children and youth ARE REQUIRED to attend training. Anyone who was Virtus approved prior to 2010 and has not been approved with KPA, must take the Virtus workshop again to volunteer with our ministries.

Sunday, September 18th 1:00 pm Angelina Room Please go to www.virtus.org to register. Everyone must preregister, no walkins will be allowed. All attendees must have a Current Driver's License, Texas Identification card, Passport, Mexico Consulate ID, or Guatemala Consulate ID in order to attend the workshop. Your name and date of birth must match pre-registration on VIRTUS. (For example, if you pre-register under the name of Peggy Smith but your driver's license states Margaret Smith, you will not be able to attend. Please arrive 20-30 minutes early for sign-in. No late admittance, NO EXCEPTIONS! *No one under 18 will be allowed to attend. For further information, please contact Sheri at 979-285-7434 or email slhanson@coastal-link.net

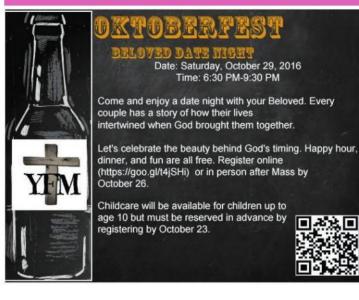
For all Crafters & Crafter Wannabes!

Please join St. Michael's Crafter's Fellow-





4:00 pm (come and go) in room 212 of the Education Building (2nd floor). We will be enjoying fellowship and working on our own projects and we will discuss our project for the WOSM Halloween dance. If any questions, call Kay Birdsong, 299-8924 or email kay.birdsong@yahoo.com.





Young Family Ministry of St. Michael's Lake Jackson

An organization designed to develop a community and serve families who are raising young children and teens through fellowship as well as events focused on enriching marriages, family dynamics, and spiritual growth.

- Join our group/email list by emailing schoenerclan@gmail.com or calling (989)4883924.
- Find us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/yfmofsmli
- Come to our next virtual meeting on August 18 at 8: 30 PM (email/call for more details)

Upcon	ning	Events
ad's Night Out		August 19

Dad's Night Out	Friday, August 19
Family Night Out	Friday, September 16
Mom's Night Out	Friday, November 11

Theology and Prayer

YFM is hosting Men's & Women's Theology and Prayer (TAP) on alternating Wednesday's at 9pm. The evening is focused on 30 -40 min of reading Sunday's scripture with shared insight from each other and lectionary. Post prayer session is social time with snacks and drinks

More details call / text Cody Schoener at 989 488 0554



We have open hours in our Adoration Chapel which need to be filled by one (or two) dedicated volunteers. If you are willing to spend prayer time with the Blessed Sacrament in the Adoration Chapel on Monday, 10:00-11:00 am, please call Maria Tabotabo at 297-8975 or Wednesday, 4:00 5:00 pm, please call Diane Brawley at 297-5679



Who?

Adults who are already Catholic, have been Baptized, have received First Communion, but still need Confirmation.

Enrollment & Program

Enrollment is now through August 31. There will be an initial conversation so that we can understand where you are on your journey, and then the Program kicks off with a Saturday retreat at St. Michael's in Lake Jackson followed by ten weekly sessions on Thursday nights, that cover the basics of the Catholic faith. It culminates with a special Mass at which the Bishop administers the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Why be Confirmed?

Confirmation confers upon you special graces and gifts of the Holy Spirit. It can change your life by increasing and deepening all of the graces you received at Baptism.

Schedule

Retreat Sat, Sept. 10, 9a - 3p at St. Michael's, Lake Jackson

Thursday evenings 6:30 - 8:00 at St. Michael's Sept 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 27, Nov 3, 10, 17, Dec 1, 15

Confirmation in January, 2017

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Contact Camille Forse 979-299-3145 or tcforse@hotmail.com

St. Michael's Faith Formation Registration For All Children and Youth

LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 25TH

All children and youth need to re-register each year. If you have not already received a form from your child's current session, you may:

- ⇒ Pick one up at the Parish Office or call to have one mailed to you: 297-3043.
- ⇒ Find the 2016-2017 Forms on the smlj.org website under, "Faith Formation", and print them off.
- ⇒ Pick one up outside the Youth Office in the Family Life Center Hallway.

Please fill out forms completely; front and back sides, and return with registration fees in order to complete registration.

Welcome Back to Faith Formation! (K-6th Grade)

We are ready to start this new year on Wednesday, September 7 at 6:00pm in the Church, for an opening Family Mass. All children and families who have registered for this year's Faith Formation classes need to attend this first Bring the important celebration, and others are welcome. After Mass, there will be a "Meet the Teacher" in the Spiritual Learning Center followed by refreshments in the Wolter's Room. Children must be accompanied by at least 1 of their parents.



SVDP needs our Kroger shoppers' Help!!!

Please sign up for Kroger Community Rewards to help SVDP. Our # is 91462, log onto www.krogercommunityrewards.com to sign up. If you already have an account you will need to select Preferred Store, Clute, Tx 77531, because Kroger has a new location. This program is very beneficial to SVDP to help our clients with utilities, water, food, rent, RX, etc. IF you need help signing up please call Gwen 979-236-4064. Many Thanks in advance for your awesome support and continued concerns for the needy in our community.

We will no longer be saving Food King/Arlans receipts as they are not extending the same program that Food King did to the local churches. Thank You Jerry for your many years of support to our churches so we can help the needy in our community.

Rediscover Jesus Chapter 30 Page 144

POINT TO PONDER: We all have blind spots.

VERSE TO LIVE: "Why do you see the speck in your neighbor's eye, but do not notice the log in your own eye."

Matthew 7:3

QUESTION TO CONSIDER: How are your blind spots affecting your relationships?

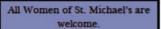
Women of St. Michael's

Invites you to
join us for a

Ladies
Brunch &
Fashion
Show

Help us kick off our 2016-2017 WOSM year with a brunch and fashion show on **September 6**th, **2016 @ 10am** in the Family Life Center. This year's fashion show will be sponsored by **Urban Eve**. There will be time to enjoy some shopping from their accessory items. There will also be an auction for Norma's Tea Party Hats.

(All hat proceeds will be donated to St. VdP Pantry)



Please bring a friend.

Children are welcome, nursery will not be available.

Fashion Show models will be our own parishioners.

*There will <u>NOT</u> be a morning Mass or Rosary preceding our gathering. *





DRIVE AGAINST A.L.S. GOLF TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by the Lake Jackson Knights of Columbus
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M.C. Dougherty 979-709-2923 or Email donnadou@swbell.net



ONE CHURCH, ONE DAY PRAYER INITIATIVE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Mike Hooper, Director of Prayer at KSBJ, came to Lake Jackson and introduced 1 CHURCH / 1 DAY, a prayer initiative implemented in Washington state five years ago. The 1 CHURCH / 1 DAY model of strategic, sustainable 24/7 prayer unites churches without having to physically come together. Each church takes one day every month to pray for 24 hours. This creates a church-led, year round prayer covering for the community.

St. Michael the Archangel has joined the Brazosport Area Initiative and we need volunteers to pray for one hour on the last Thursday of every month beginning in September. The committed pray-ers can pray from home, the Adoration Chapel or wherever it is convenient. Volunteers are asked to pray for the needs of St. Michael's and the Brazosport community which will be sent to them each month. We are in particular need of volunteers from midnight until 9:00 am. One hour a month to pray for our parish and our community. Please answer the call by contacting Bunny and Dan Swist. Email: danann@sbcglobal.net

Deadline for registration for youth ministry 7-12 is the weekend of September 25th.

Forms are located outside the youth & FORGET! office and in the main office. You may drop in the white lock box outside the youth office.



Children's Lituraly of the Word

Attention parents of 3 year old to 2nd graders!

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is an opportunity for our young parishioners to hear the word of God proclaimed, as well as learn the parts of Mass, through engaging activities, music ministry, and a message they can understand.

Children that participate in CLOW will process out of Mass to the Family Life Center before the First Reading and return back to Mass following the Prayers of the Faithful.

Please sign up your child by emailing us at voungfamilies@smlj.org for CLOW, and we will have a name tag ready for him/her!

CLOW will be held every Sunday beginning September 11th during the 9:30am Mass.



*Volunteers Are Needed!

CLOW is dependent on volunteers and may be cancelled if a volunteer is not scheduled for a Sunday Mass.

Would you be willing to volunteer one Sunday a month to help out? We need both teen and adult helpers to make this program successful. All of the materials are provided along with training on how to lead this program We even have experienced catechists who would love to help you your first couple sessions. There is minimal preparation prior to Mass (30 min-1hour). To volunteer** for this exciting opportunity, contact Molly Schoener or Lauren Ellisor through the Young Family Ministry email (youngfamilies@smlj.org)

"Virtus Training (required for all parish members 18 or older who volunteer with children)



Join us for Rosary every Monday at 7:00 pm in the Church. Everyone Welcome.

YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR

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DEEPER SESSION-H.S.- 6:30-9:00 pm

Youth Ministry-Grades 7-12

KICK OFF MASS 5:30

Sunday, September 18

After Mass, youth & Sunday eve. volunteers dismissed to FLC for fellowship, music, games, & pizza!

***Please stay for a Brief PARENT MTG. in the church immediately following Mass.

PLEASE BRING TO SHARE:

Grades 7 & 8: favorite salad Grades 9 & 10: favorite dessert Grades 11 & 12: favorite 1 liter drink



Please join us on Friday, September 16th, at 10a.m. in Marian Hall for Mass as we celebrate the 30th Anniversary of Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School. His Eminence Daniel Cardinal Di-Nardo will be the main celebrant. Refreshments will be served after Mass. Please RSVP to kwilson@olgpschool.org

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The Women of St. Michael's invite YOU to our monthly meetings held

on 1st Tuesday from Sept. - May. Join us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/wosmlj President, Kim Blackwell 979-236-7480

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