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SUNDAY

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SUNDAY LITURGY

5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil 8:00 a.m. Sunday 9:30 a.m. Sunday 11:00 a.m. Sunday

WEEKDAY LITURGY

Please consult schedule inside of bulletin.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Tuesday 5:00-5:30 p.m. Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Every day 9:00 a.m.-12:00 midnight Saturday 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. for the Sanctity of Life

NURSERY

Available in the Family Life Center during the 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses. For ages through 3 years. (979) 297-2046.

CARE OF THE SICK

Please call the rectory to arrange for someone to bring Holy Communion.

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

(979) 297-3043

Juan Serros - Youth Minister Sally Dodge - Secretary Evangelization & Catechesis Pre - K4 - 6th grades Adolescent Catechesis & Evangelization 7th - 12th grades

Janet Gipson - Secretary

PARISH LIBRARY

Saturday 6:15 p.m.-7:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
Please check the door of the library for weekday hours.

NEWCOMERS

Please register in the Office, Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. When moving out of the parish or for change of address, please contact the office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE Monday 12:00 noon

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

PASTORAL SUPPORT Pastoral Council

Finance

EDUCATIONAL

Student Faith Formation Bible Study Vacation Bible School Adult Faith Formation

LITURGICAL

Liturgy Planning
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Altar Society
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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

MARRIAGE: Contact Priest six months prior to desired date. BAPTISM: Call Melanie Viktorin at 979-297-3041 Reconciliation/Eucharist Confirmation R.C.I.A. R.C.I.A. adapted for children and youth.

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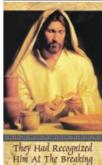
Adoration Chapel Prayer Warriors Rosary Spiritual Direction

SERVICE/SOCIAL/SUPPORT Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts

Catholic Daughters Family Life Funeral Meals Hispanic Outreach Hospital Visitation Ministry KJZT #115 (Catholic Family Fraternal) Knights of Columbus Marriage Encounter Ministry to the Bereaved Ministry to the Sick/Homebound Parish Library Prison Ministry St. Vincent de Paul Senior Friends Vocation Committee Welcoming Ministry Women of St. Michael's Young Adults Group

"There are no strangers here... only friends you haven't met."





Of The Bread.

That we take time in silence, every day, to ask God what he wants us to do. "Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?" Luke 24:32 How often do we take the time to discern what Jesus wants from us? Are our prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for us? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time in silence to listen

to what Jesus is asking of you.



Readings for the Week of April 30, 2017

Sunday Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11;

1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

Monday Saint Joseph the Worker

Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29 or, for the Memorial, Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 12-13,

14 and 16; Mt 13:54-58

Tuesday Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of

the Church

Acts 7:51-8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a,

17 and 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday Saints Philip and James, Apostles

1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Jn 14:6-14 Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

 Thursday
 Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44

 Friday
 Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

 Saturday
 Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17;

Jn 6:60-69

Sunday Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6;

1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

DSF-2017 "GO MAKE DISCIPLES"

As of 4/24/17, our total amount paid is \$72,982. Thanks to everyone who has donated or pledged. 263 families have participated so far in DSF, out of

1379 registered families. God bless each of you who have generously responded in support of the 2017 Diocesan Services Fund. Help us attain our parish goal of \$122,000. If you prefer to donate online, visit www.archgh.org/dsf.

Mass Schedule and Liturgy Intentions for the Week of April 29– May 7, 2017

SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Harold & Lois Langen
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Engelbert Santa Teresa †Carlos G. Gonzalez Sr.
SUNDAT	0.00 A.W.	†Ricardo A. Garcia
	9:30 A.M.	†Matthew Haluska
	9.30 A.W.	
	11:00 A.M.	Dcn. Gary & Camille Forse †Lisa Drake
	11.00 A.W.	†Dick Drake
TUESDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Doris Hickner
TUESDAT	5.30 F.IVI.	*Jerome Theodore Janda
WEDNESDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Gertrude Lux
WEDNESDAT	0.30 A.W.	
THURSDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Atanacio Gonzales
INUNSUAT	5.30 P.IVI.	†Christen & Mensik Families
EDIDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Isaac Srambikudiyil
FRIDAY	8:30 A.W.	†Staff of St. Michael's
SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Robert Martinez
SATURDAT	5:30 P.IVI.	†Pete & Bess Ermis
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Jack Lippman
SUNDAT	0:00 A.W.	†Gertrude Lux
	9:30 A.M.	†Brenda DellaMea †Armand Morton
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	11:00 A.M.	†Lawrence Seymour
	11:00 A.W.	†Bud Stover
		Danny Wedelich-November
		Knight of the Month



Kellie Chaney, Ruth Cleaver, Ruth Coale, Frank Drabek, Doris Follett, Andrew Haack, Paige Haas, , Sarah Langston, Tom Loftus, Margie McAda, Eileen McDonald, Bubba Moore, Jordon Nachtegaele, Paul Perdue, Dinah Prochaska, Doris

Rutkowski, Donna Schwertner, Liz Stevens, Jack & Barbara Yonge, Roger Kesseler, Bettie Carmody, James & Barbara Blanchard, Raymond Muniza, Kim Anderson, Felix & Shirley Broussard, Emma DeAtley, Pat Gifford, Marsha Young, Ken Felcman, Jeanne Kemeny, Joyce Sykora, Lynette Turek, Kathy Ward, Dorothy Vitek, "Boots" Ermis, Robert Garcia II, Eddie Wleczyk, Lori Sipple, Sarah Sterzinger, and Clarence Filip

Children's Liturgy Of the Word will be at 9:30 AM mass every weekend except Easter Sunday. CLOW will also be offered at 11 AM mass the first Sunday of the month: May 7th. If you would like to help with CLOW please email schoenerclan@gmail.com

Catholic but not Confirmed?

Learn more: Camille Forse 979-299-3145 tcforse@hotmail.com



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

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church is accepting applications for Coordinator of Children's Faith Formation.

Skills and Qualifications: College degree or the equivalent, good communication skills, computer expertise, team player, dedicated worker, at least 2 years of experience in parish religious education. Has completed or agrees to complete Archdiocesan Basic Formation to Catechetical Leadership training.

Professional Status: Part-time paid staff member

Basic Function: To coordinate the faith formation/catechetical efforts for children PreK-6th grade by involving, training and working with various volunteer personnel of the parish.

Send resume to Dcn. Gary Forse, Pastoral Associate and D.R.E. deacongary@smlj.org

PARISH EVENTS

MINISTRY AWARNESS WEEKEND APRIL 29-30

Please make plans to visit Wleczyk Hall after Mass the weekend of April 29th and 30th. Members of the various ministries and organizations of St. Michael the Archangel will be on hand to answer questions and provide materials about their group. This is a great opportunity for new parishioners to get to know new friends and find out where God is calling you to share your Time and Talent. Staff will also be available to register youth for Faith Formation classes for the 2017-2018 school year, pick up registration forms for summer activities and for new parishioners to complete a parish registration form.

Refreshments will be served and there will be door prizes for all! Hope to see you there!



Brain Camp May 4, 11, 23, 25 9 to 11 am

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Call Education Coordinator Erika Longoria for information or to register. Call 979-297-7412

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Saturday, April 29, 2017

7:00 pm in the Church
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The Knights will be hosting the parish's second 2017 Blood Drive on Sunday, April 30 from 8:30 AM to 1:00 PM in the WOLTER'S ROOM of the EDUCATION BUILDING. Please note the location change. There will be free shirts, some give aways for raffle, and of course donuts and kolaches. Again, many thanks for the 70 units donated in early March and continued support making St. Michaels the largest church donation center in southern Brazoria County



CURRENT ALTAR SERVERS-MANDATORY meeting

Please choose ONE date to attend. ALL meetings will be in the Church.

APRIL 30th SUNDAY.....1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
MAY 4th THURSDAY....after daily Mass 6:30-7:30 p.m.

MAY 6th SATURDAY.....8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.



Vacation Bible School June 26th-30th

Register or volunteer at:
www.smlj.org/formation/children/vbs-2017.htm
Questions? Contact Celeste Albarran at celeste rp@yahoo.com

Save the Date

Catholic Daughters will be having their annual Mother's Day Bake Sale after all Masses on Sunday, May 14th. Help us to continue helping others.

RESISTING HAPPINESS Chapter 14 Page 89
Key Point: People who regularly read the Bible make better decisions.

Action Step: SET ASIDE A FEW MINUTES EACH DAY TO READ AND REFLECT ON A PASSAGE FROM THE BIBLE. BEGIN WITH MATTHEW, PROVERBS, OR PSALMS.

Beloved Date Nights

Join us in making a New Year's resolution for your marriage.

Who? What? When?

All date nights begin after 5:30 mass on Saturday night in the Education Building at SMLJ.

These date nights are for couples in ALL stages of their marriage & from all denominations.

Wanna know more about Lighthouse Catholic Media's Beloved Program? https://www.lighthousecatholicmedia. org/beloved/parish

Wanna know more or would you like to register?

Register by email: youngfamilies@smlj.org Register by phone/text: (989)488-3924

Upcoming Date Nights

April 8- Building a Thriving Marriage Updated date*

May 6- Protecting the Bond

June 3- Sexuality & Authentic Love

Dinner begins at 6:45 and the evening wraps up at 9 PM.

*The sessions do not build on each other but rather each have a theme, so choose to attend one or all.





St. Michael the Archangel

CAMPAIGN NEWSLETTER

Receptions Were a Success!

Thank you to the **180+** families that came out to one of our multiple receptions in March + April!

If you attended a reception and haven't responded yet, please do so by dropping your pledge card in the offertory basket!

For those of you unable to attend a reception, you'll be hearing more in the coming weeks from the pulpit regarding the following case elements of IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission:

Parish Case Elements

- · Refurbish and secure Adoration Chapel
- Upgrading technology in Spiritual Learning Center
- Expanding Family Catechesis through a program which promotes fellowship through a weekly shared meal at the parish

Archdiocesan Case Elements:

- · Faith Formation Endowment
- St. Mary's Seminary
- Catholic School Tuition Assistance Endowments
- Professional Development of Catholic School Teachers Endowment



<u>Updates as of 4/24/17</u> Archdiocesan Goal: \$150 million Pledged to Date: \$8 million+

St. Michael's Parish Goal: \$1,021,022 Pledged to Date: \$250,000+

In the coming weeks, every family will receive the campaign information in the mail. If you would like it sooner, brochures are available in the back of the Church. Commitment Weekend is May 20th and 21st. Please pray about making a sacrificial commitment to IGNITE that weekend.

IGNITE: Our Faith, Our Mission • Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston • 1700 San Jacinto Street, Houston, TX • (713) 652-4480

Summer Camp 2017

Date: June 1-4

For students entering grades: 6th, 7th, 8th

Cost: \$150

Registration packets located outside the

youth office.



Parishioners of St. Michael are invited to attend a



Living Rosary to commemorate 100 Years of the 1st Apparition Our Lady of Fatima

When: Saturday, May 13, 2017

Where: St. Michael Catholic Church in the back parking lot. Time: Begin at 11:00 a.m. with opening hymns and rosary There will be a small reception afterwards in the Family Life Center.

For more information and if you would like to volunteer, please contact Juan Serros

Email: juan@smlj.org office number: 979-299-3508

KEEP the GLASSES COMING Please donate prescription eye glasses you no longer use to the Crystal Crafters. A collection basket is located outside the youth office. Thank you for helping us to help others.

YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR

APR.	30	AWAKENING PROGRAM—Grades 7-12 Social 5:30, 6:00—8:00 pm
MAY	3	DEEPER SESSION—H.S. 6:30-9:00 pm
	7	LAST CLASS
	9	YOUTH NIGHT—H.S. 7:00—8:30 pm

Graduation Meal after 11:00 Mass May 21

Deadline to register: Friday, May 12th.

No extra food will be ordered. An <u>RSVP</u> is required for the luncheon. Questions? Janet in the youth office. 297-3043.







ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH JUNIOR HIGH RETREAT GRADES: 6th, 7th, & 8th

SPACE STILL AVAILABLE!!

When: Saturday, May 6, 2017
Where: St. Michael Catholic Church in the Family Life Center
Time: 10:00am-5:00pm
Cost: Donation

Please register as soon as possible! Registration forms can be picked up outside youth office.

St. Michael's Faith Formation 2017-2018 Registration

For All Children and Youth

Registration forms for the 2017-2018 Faith Formation Classes are now available for children and youth ages 5yrs old. through 12th grades.

<u>You need to re-register your children and teens every year</u>. Registration will ensure we have the latest contact and emergency contact information on file. This also allows the Faith Formation Office to plan for the number of students to expect for the coming school 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 2017-2018 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 <u>return with registration fees in order to complete registration</u>. (Registration Fees will increase after May 7)



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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 wosm@smlj.org

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