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SUNDAY

"Whoever has my commandments and observes them is the one who loves me." John 14:21

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SUNDAY LITURGY

Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m. 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

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Juan Serros - Youth Minister Sally Dodge - Secretary

Evangelization & Catechesis Pre - K4 - 6th grades Adolescent Catechesis & Evangelization 7th - 12th grades

Janet Gipson - Secretary

PARISH LIBRARY

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

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 Altar Servers Altar Society Art and Environment **Eucharistic Ministry** Greeters Lectors

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

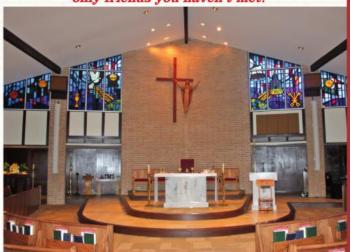
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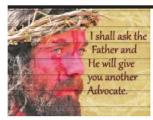
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Catholic Daughters Family Life Funeral Meals Hispanic Outreach Hospital Visitation Ministry KJZT #115 (Catholic Family Fraternal) Knights of Columbus Marriage Encounter Ministry to the Bereaved Ministry to the Sick/Homebound Parish Library Prison Ministry 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."







That we recognize that things don't always go the way we plan and God has a better plan in store for us. "For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." 1 Peter 3:17 The old line says "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our

planning, making sure things are progressing smoothly, then disaster strikes, we don't get the result that was intended. An unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively. Why me? I did everything right! Here's the thing – God has a different and better plan in store for you.



Readings for the Week of May 21, 2017

Sunday Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20;

1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

Monday Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b;

Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8;

Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14;

Jn 16:12-15

Thursday The Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20 or Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4;

Jn 16:16-20

Friday Saint Philip Neri, Priest

Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10; Jn 16:23b-28

Seventh Sunday of Easter/ Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16;

Jn 17:1-11a; or Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9;

Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20



Sunday

- † Yvonne Onate, mother of Yvonne Whitmarsh (Bob)
- † Delores Warner, mother of Lloyd (Rachel)

Mass Schedule and Liturgy Intentions for the Week of May 20 – May 28, 2017

SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Drew Muhl
		†Englebert Santa Teresa
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Donald & Remedios Young
		†Brenda DellaMea
	9:30 A.M.	†Matthew Haluska
		Joey White
	11:00 A.M.	†Jessica Bullock Duncan
		†Bud Stover
TUESDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Phyliss Thomas
		Ammini Panicker
WEDNESDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Charlie & Irene Dirba
		†Robert Martinez
THURSDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Frankie Burris
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FRIDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Gertrude Lux
		†Robert Martinez
SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	Msgr. Leo Wleczyk—52nd
		Anniversary
OUND AV		†Englebert Santa Teresa
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Alfredo Larre
		†Doris Causbie
	9:30 A.M.	†Carlos G. Gonzalez Sr.
		†Lawrence Seymour
	11:00 A.M.	†Susan Sevits
		†Bud Stover



Kellie Chaney, Ruth Cleaver, Ruth Coale, Frank Drabek, Doris Follett, Andrew Haack, Paige Haas, Jesse Hernandez, 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, Clarence Filip, Rebakah Calhoun, Johnny Girouard, and Colette Garcia

DSF~2017 "GO MAKE DISCIPLES" As of 5/15/17, our total amount paid is \$84,307.

Thanks to everyone who has donated or pledged. 288 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.



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

Ministers of Hospitality / Ushers and Greeters

There will be 2 informational and training meetings, Wednesday, May 24th and Saturday, June 3rd. Please attend one of the 2 scheduled meetings.

These meetings are open to anyone who is interested in being a Minister of Hospitality.

For more information contact Maryjane Donley. 207-841-4415

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 Join us for the Final Date Night

June 3-Protecting the Bond

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



Location: _St. Michael's Catholic Church

VBS will last from: Monday, June 26th thru Friday, June 30th

Each day's fun begins at: 9:00 a.m. (Dropoff begins at 8:45 a.m.)

The VBS day ends at: 12:00 - noon

For more information, call: 979-297-3041-church or email: celeste_rp@yahoo.com

REGISTER OR VOLUNTEER AT: www.smlj.org/formation/children/vbs-2017.htm



St. Michael the Archangel

CAMPAIGN NEWSLETTER

THE TIME IS NOW: THIS IS COMMITMENT WEEKEND!

One of the major elements of the **IGNITE**Campaign focuses on helping each of the parishes in our Archdiocese address their own needs. <u>Each parish will receive 33% of every dollar raised up to their campaign goal, and 67% of every dollar raised above their goal.</u>

By working together to achieve our campaign goal, our parish family will receive \$336,937. Our plan is to use IGNITE proceeds for refurbishing and securing the Adoration Chapel located in the Family Life Center, upgrading technology in the Spiritual Learning Center to ensure catechists have the tools they need to engage students at every level, and expanding Family Catechesis through a program which promotes fellowship and outreach through a weekly shared meal here at the parish.

St. Michael	the	Archangel

Our Parish Goal:

\$1,021,022

Archdiocesan Share:

\$684,085

Parish Share:

\$336,937

Current Total:

\$364,850

HOW CAN WE GET TO TARGET!

If 131 more families gave a pledge of \$5,000 OUR parish hits GOAL!

If 164 more families gave a pledge of \$4,000 OUR parish hits GOAL!

If 218 families gave a pledge of \$3,000 OUR parish hits GOAL!

Together, we must affirm our commitment to our Catholic faith, parish, and Archdiocesan community. We need everyone to prayerfully consider what they can do to help our Archdiocese and our parish, plan for the future.

Please fill out your family's pledge card today and place it in the offering basket.

No down payment is necessary to make your pledge. We're challenging every family to consider a 4-year pledge, but every kind of sacrificial gift is welcome.

Pledge Cards are available throughout the Church.

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Brain Camp

May 23, & 25 9 - 11:00 am

St. Michael's Catholic Church Angelina Room

Brain Camp Version IV introduces the results of recent clinical trials and studies in a format that's user-friendly and fun. Trainer: Juliana Nichols

Materials fee \$25 waived for return students continuing their lifelong learning to optimize brain health.

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

RESISTING HAPPINESS Chapter 17

Loneliness is one of the great evils of our age. Key Point: Life is always teaching us lessons.

Action Step: What lesson is God trying to teach you though the experiences of your life at the moment? REFLECT.

Girl Scout Sunday will be celebrated Sunday, June 11 at the 8:00 am Mass. Pancake Breakfast afterwards, hosted by the K of C. For more information contact Natalia Montanez at ms nattie@hotmail.com

Baby Bottle Boomerang is a fund raiser to benefit the Pregnancy Help Center. There are bottles available at each entrance. Please take one home, fill it with your spare change and return it to the box located in the hall. The fund raiser runs from Mother's day to Father's day. Please prayerfully consider supporting a great cause. Use your change to make a change!

Saint Michael's Children's Choir
Join us on Thursdays from 5:30- 6:30pm in the Choir Room of the Family Life Center for Saint Michael's Children's Choir. 1st through 6th graders are invited. Parents are encouraged to attend. Please email Mark Polimeno if interested in joining at m.polimeno@att.net.







The 100th Anniversary of the 1st Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima was celebrated with a Rosary procession along with a balloon rosary release.

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 5 yrs 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)

Congratulations St. Michael's Class of 2017

Amanda Boneau
Kayla Ellis
Matthew Fiedler
Haley Funk
Alex Gamboa
Laura Guilherme
Nick Harpham
Trey Heckendorn
John-Eric James
Scott Kanski
Katherine Karjala
Brandon Lange
Jack Latta

Michael Lonas
Sam Macaraeg
Camille Matzke
Victoria Mulholland
Jonathan Ozuna
Maximillian Pleason
Austin Rinn
Mallory Sanchez
Julianne Schimpf
Alex Seymour
Samuel Sheldon
Johnny Sokoloski
Colby Waters



MAY	21	GRADUATION MASS 11:00, RECEPTION FOLLOWING MASS	
	23	YOUTH NIGHT—H.S. 7:00—8:30 pm	
	24	DEEPER SESSION—H.S. 6:30-9:00 pm	
	30	YOUTH NIGHT—H.S. 7:00—8:30 pm	

Summer Camp 2017

Date: June 1-4

For students entering grades: 6th, 7th, 8th Cost: \$150 Registration packets located

outside the youth office.



Catholic but not Confirmed?

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

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.

Called and Chosen

St. Michael's Youth on a Mission July 15-22, 2017

Date	Meeting Information	Location		
Sunday, June 4 th	Adult Leadership Meeting – 2:00-3:00 pm All Participants – 3:00-4:00 pm Balance money/All paperwork due. **NOTARIZED Medical/Consent Forms	Angelina Rm.		
Sunday, June 25 th	2017 Youth on a Mission Retreat/Workshop **MANDATORY** 3:00-6:30 pm Sign up for VBS, Work Projects, Car Pools & Rooms Bring Donation of School box with supplies & Package of white T-shirts PIZZA, DRINKS AND SNACKS WILL BE SERVED.	Angelina Rm.		
Friday, July 14 th	Send off & Blessing for Missionaries at 8:30 am Mass Meet at church at 8:15 am/Wear Mission T-shirt	Angelina Rm.		
Saturday, July 15 th	Depart for San Juan – Meet at 6:00 am	Youth Office		
Saturday, July 22 nd	Arrive back at St. Michael's 3:30-4:30 pm	St. Michael's park- ing lot		
Sunday, July 23rd	Attend 11:00 am Mass, Reception & Luncheon after 11:00 am Mass	Wolter's Rm.		
	Tan Color denotes Virtus training dates: Attendance is required only if you are due for training. See Virtus Training Handout in your Mission Registration Packet.			
	Blue Color denotes Mission meeting/key dates to attend			



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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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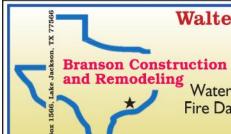
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