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SEPTEMBER 3, 2017



If any person wishes to me, let

That each of us may have the strength and courage to put Jesus first above worldly ways and come after material gains. "What profit would there be for one to gain the whole them deny world and forfeit his life?" - Matthew themselves. 16:26 St. Francis of Assisi once said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing

else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent and treasure to gain more of the world's riches. We need to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world.



#### Readings for the Week of September 3, 2017

Sunday Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2;

Mt 16:21-27

Monday 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13;

Lk 4:16-30

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37 Tuesday

Wednesday Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11

Friday The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c;

Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Saturday Saint Peter Claver, Priest

Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8; Lk 6:1-5 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday

Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 13:8-10;

Mt 18:15-20



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

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 Sunday, 1:00-2:00 pm, please call Mary Ann Longoria at 297-4109 or Thursday, 6:00-7:00 pm, please call Cheri McBurnett at 297-8874

#### **Adoration Chapel**

We are in need of 35 committed individuals to fill our requirement of two people for every hour of adoration. Please prayerfully consider spending one hour a week with the Blessed Sacrament.

For more information or to sign up please call Jody Epps 979-297-8804 or email at jaepps@mac.com

#### Mass Schedule and Liturgy Intentions for the Week of September 2— September 10, 2017

SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Jack & Louis Lippman
		†Engelbert Santa Teresa
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Gertrude Lux
		†Marvin & June Stanke
	9:30 A.M.	†Charles John Savaso
		†Matthew Haluska
	11:00 A.M.	†Eduardo & Lourdes Garcia-
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		†Bud Stover
TUESDAY	5:30 P.M.	
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		†Joseph Sosnowski
WEDNESDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Pete & Bess Ermis
		†Rosa Aguilar
THURSDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Jack Carmody
		†Brad Armintor
FRIDAY	8:30 A.M.	†Frank Kiefel
		†Leon Jasek
SATURDAY	5:30 P.M.	†Alfred & Anita Sokol
		†Drew Muhl
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	†Engelbert Santa Teresa
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	9:30 A.M.	†Ruth Stone
	3.30 A.W.	
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	11:00 A.M.	†Jessica Bullock Duncan
		†Christen & Mensik Families



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Jordon Nachtegaele, Paul Perdue, Dinah Prochaska, Doris Rutkowski, Donna Schwertner, Joyce Sykora, Jack & Barbara Yonge, Roger Kesseler, Pat Gifford, Lynette Turek, Kathy Ward, Dorothy Vitek, "Boots" Ermis, Eddie Wleczyk, Lori Sipple, Sarah Sterzinger, Rebakah Calhoun, Paul Garcia, Virginia Martinez Jorquera, Earl Sherman, Elisa & Lori Landis, Jenna Dubec, Josh Imperial, and David Gifford



#### **ADULT 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 the graces you received at Baptism.

#### Schedule

Retreat Sat., Sept. 9 9a - 3p in the Wolter's Room, St. Michael's, Thursday Evenings 6:30 - 8:30 at St. Michael's Sept. 14, 21, 28, Oct. 12, 19, 26, Nov. 9, 16, 30, Dec. 14 Confirmation in January, 2018

Sign Up Now!

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

#### PARISH EVENTS



Why not be part of something that promises to have a positive effect on the renewal of the Catholic

Season V is open to anyone. It is an opportunity to get to know others from your parish. Please sign up for a small group. Prior participation is not necessary.

Register online beginning September 1, or after all masses beginning September 16.

Cheri McBurnett 979-297-8874

# FLM Presents: The BEATITUDES A COUPLE'S PATH TO GREATER JOY Date Night

Come Join us for Dinner and Faith Formation on Sept. 16th. Starting with Dinner at 6:45 (after the 5:30 mass) in the Wolter's Room.

To learn more or register: RSVP to Tanya McCoy: mccoy.tanya@gmail.com Call/text: 979-373-1331



Saint Michael's Children's Choir

Thursdays from 5:30- 6:30pm in the Music 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 <a href="mailto:m.polimeno@att.net">m.polimeno@att.net</a>.

## The Women of St. Michael's

## Invites you to our kickoff Brunch and Fashion Show

Guest Speaker for the show will be The THREADED LEAF PROJECT.

Date: Tuesday, September 12th

Where: St. Michael's Catholic Church,

Education Building, Wolters Room

**Time:** 9:30am

You can get more information about the Threaded Leaf Project by logging onto their website at: http://threadedleafproject.org

All Women of St. Michael's are welcome.

- Please bring a friend.
- · Children are welcome, nursery will not be available.
- Fashion Show models will be our own parishioners.

Our mission is to thread hope toward brighter futures and thread the love and grace of Christ into the lives of the folks we work alongside — so it only made sense to use "threaded" in our name.

\*There will *NOT* be a morning Mass or Rosary preceding our gathering. \*

Don't forget to bring your saved: Box Tops, Eyeglasses, Drink Tabs, Toiletries, Used Printer Cartridges

## St. Michael's "Get to know your Neighbor"

#### **Meet and Greet**



Join us after each Mass the weekend of September 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> for an opportunity to "meet and greet" your fellow parishioners. Enjoy light refreshments and short activities for the kids. Whether you have been here for fifty years or fifty minutes, please come and learn about the various ministries and organizations available for all. There no strangers here... just friends you have not met.

## K-12th Faith Formation Upcoming Events!

### Be Sure to Save These Dates—

Wed. Sept. 6th-Opening Mass at 6:00 pm for Families in K-6th w/Food, Fun & Meet the Teacher

Wed. Sept. 13th-First Night of Classes for K-6th AND mandatory K-12th Parent's Meeting in Wleczyk Hall

Sun. Sept. 10th-Kick-Off Mass for 7th-12th at 6:00 pm

Sun. Sept. 17th-First Night of Classes for 7th-12th

## FOOD, FRIENDS AND FAITH FORMATION BEGINS SEPTEMBER 13TH

Beginning Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, "All Are Welcome" to gather for **Food**, **Friends and Faith Formation** in Wleczyk Hall of the Family Life Center. There will be a free meal for all parishioners regardless of age or marital status served from 5:00pm to 6:30pm. This is especially designed for busy families whose children attend Faith Formation on Wednesdays from 6:15pm to 7:30pm or have Jr. High and High School students involved in Youth Night from 7pm to 8:30pm. Adult Faith Formation opportunities will be available on Wednesday evenings following the meal. This will be a wonderful time to meet fellow parishioners and become more involved in your faith and parish life. Please plan to make **Food**, **Friends and Faith Formation** a regular weekly event.

## Please Mark your Calendars Faith Formation Parent Orientation

For: ALL Parents with students

in grades K-12.

Date: Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>

Time: 6:30 pm. Place: Wleczyk Hall



#### **DRIVE AGAINST A.L.S. GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Sponsored by the Lake Jackson Knights of Columbus
September 29th 12:30 PM Shotgun Start
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donnadou@swbell.net

The 2017 Wedding Anniversary Jubilee Mass honoring couples celebrating their Golden (50th) Anniversary of marriage in The Catholic Church will be held on Sunday, October 15th, 2017 at The Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart at 3 pm. Whether or not a couple attends the ceremony, they are eligible to receive a special recognition.

Register online <a href="http://www.familylifeministryhouston.org">http://www.familylifeministryhouston.org</a> Registration for this celebration will close on September 25<sup>th</sup> at midnight.

Help Needed: Housekeeper for the Parish Rectory. If interested in this position, please contact Fr. Leo.



Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School is now accepting applications for Receptionist/Administrative Assistant.

This is a part-time, year round position. Hours are 12:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. General office work and support administration and teachers. Please email <a href="mailto:kwilson@olgpschool.org">kwilson@olgpschool.org</a> for more information.

#### TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DSF-2017 "GO MAKE DISCIPLES"

As of 8/21/17, our total amount paid is \$120,698. Thanks to everyone who has donated or pledged. 335 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.

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

#### National Day of Prayer for Faith, Hope, &

**Life** September 10, is World Suicide Prevention Day. The weekend of September 8-10, the National Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention invites faith communities across the nation to <u>pray for those whose lives have been touched by suicide</u>. Learn more about National Day of Prayer for Faith, Hope & Life, go to: www.faith-hope-life.org

#### St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

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Rectory & Parish Office: (979) 297-3041 Religious Ed. & Youth Ministry Office: (979) 297-3043

#### Weekend Liturgy

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

#### Sacrament of Penance

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

#### Rosary

Every Monday at 7:00 pm in the Church

#### Nursery

Available in the Family Life Center during the 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses

#### Adoration Chapel

Every day 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

#### **Baptism Preparation**

Call Melanie Viktorin @ 979-297-3041

#### Visitation of Sick & Homebound

Please call the Parish Office to have someone bring Holy Communion



## Who

Adults who are unbaptized | Adults who may be interested in becoming Catholic | Catholics who want to better understand their own faith | Non-Catholics who want to know what Catholics believe | Any other inquirers

## When

There is a half-day retreat on Sept. 9th to begin the year, followed by weekly sessions on Wednesday nights. The formation continues through Easter Weekend, where those who are ready will receive the Sacraments of Initiation -- Baptism. Confirmation, Eucharist (First Communion). Do you know anyone who may be interested?

## Contacts

Art Vandaveer 979-529-6688 (m) Artv071945@gmail.com Chad Funk 979-529-6461 (m) chadwfunk@gmail.com Sign up now! For more information... http://www.smlj.org/events/rcia-flyer.pdf



Let's ROLL into a GREAT Faith Formation year!

Grades 7, 8, 9, & 10, are in extreme need of teachers.

Please prayerfully consider investing your time while growing in your faith journey with our youth. If interested, please contact the youth office.

### **YOUTH MINISTRY CALENDAR**

SEPT.	5	DEEPER 7:00—8:30 PM YOUTH OFFICE
	6	YOUTH NIGHT—H.S. 7—8:30 PM WLECZYK HALL
	7	CORE GROUP—7—8:30 PM YOUTH OFFICE

## Faith Formation Grades 7-12 \*PARENTS & STUDENT(S)\* Kick Off Mass Sunday, September 10, 2017 6:00 pm.

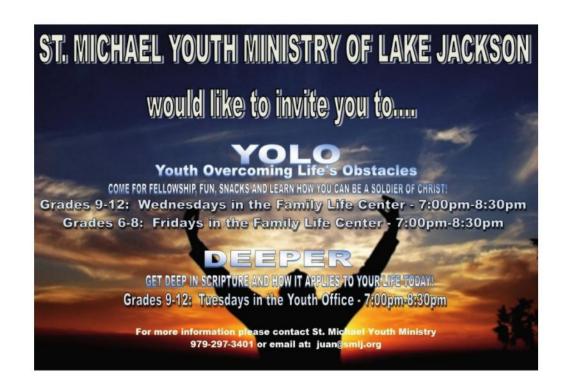
After Mass, please join us in the Msgr. Leo Wleczyk Hall to check in for attendance with your teacher then Have Food, Fun, & Fellowship! Pizza provided!

Grades 7-8: Bring your favorite salad Grades 9-10: Bring your favorite dessert Grade 11: Bring your favorite 1 liter soda Grade 12: Bring your smiling faces





"Journey On...Never Alone" Isaiah 41:10





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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, Michelle Jones 979-285-5030 wosm@smlj.org

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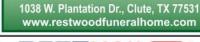


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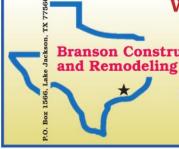


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