



Divine MERCY



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:30 p.m.
Sunday	8:30, 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m.
Life Teen	6:00 p.m.
Monday-Saturday	8:00 a.m.
Thursday	6:30 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday-Friday	8:30 a.m.-8:00 p.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

RECONCILIATION

Thursday	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	4:00 p.m.

BAPTISM After the 12:30 p.m. mass on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Please call the Parish Office for information.

MARRIAGE Engaged couples should contact Diane Salazar, the Director of Marriage/Family Life at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date. Marriage preparation is required.

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New Office Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Fri. 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Closed for lunch 12:30-1:30 p.m.

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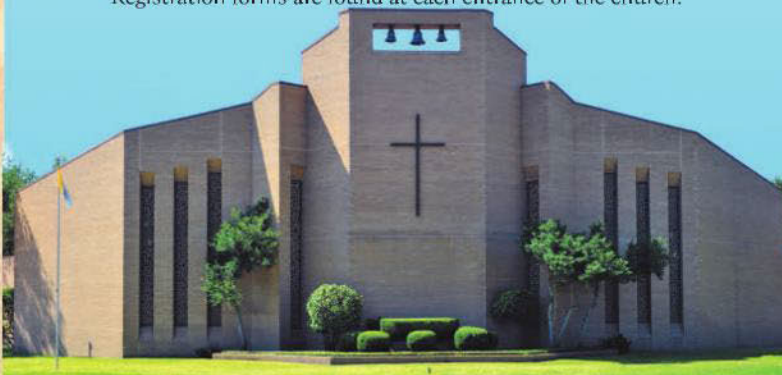
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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Help & referrals for those in need, 214-373-2339

WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL

We invite you to become a member of our parish.
Registration forms are found at each entrance of the church.



The Risen Christ Jesus shares the power to absolve sins with His Body the Church through the Gift of the Holy Spirit. Jesus knows us, and He established the Sacrament of Penance so that we could experience most effectively His merciful and healing forgiveness.

Rev. Joseph A. Mehan, Jr.

Mass Schedule

Sunday of Divine Mercy - Acts 4:32-35, Ps 118, 1 Jn 5:1-6, Jn 20:19-31

8:30 AM Easter Novena
10:30 AM Mass of the People
12:30 PM (SI) Vincent Villarosa by David and Tina Villarosa
3:00 PM (SI) Knights of Columbus Council 11862
6:00 PM † John McGuire by Lucy Gussoni

Monday, April 13 - St. Martin I - Acts 4:23-31, Ps 2, Jn 2:1-9

8:00 AM Easter Novena

Tuesday, April 14 - Acts 4:32-37, Ps 93, Jn 3:7b-15

8:00 AM Easter Novena

Wednesday, April 15 - Acts 5:17-26, Ps 34, Jn 3:16-21

8:00 AM † Jovincia Rojas & Jade Glover by Cresencia Pahela

Thursday, April 16 - St. Bernadette Soubirous -

Acts 5:27-33, Ps 34, Jn 3:31-36

8:00 AM † Matilde Rojas by Cresencia Pahela
6:30 PM † Cornelia Taino by Marinel Taino and family

Friday, April 17 - St. Benedict Joseph Labre - Acts 5:34-42,

Ps 27, Jn 6:1-15

8:00 AM † Gabriel Macias by the Macias family

Saturday, April 18 - Acts 6:1-7, Ps 33, Jn 6:16-21

8:00 AM Pro-Life
5:30 PM (SI) Czaus family

Tabernacle candle are burning in Thanksgiving and continued healing for Frederick, Estrella and Teresita by the Gatela family

The Week Ahead

Sunday: April 12

9:00 AM Faith Formation Classes - Classrooms
9:30 AM Knights of Columbus Breakfast - Curran Hall
3:00 PM Divine Mercy Mass - Sanctuary
7:00 PM Life Teen - Youth Room

Monday: April 13

6:30 PM Faith Formation - Classrooms
7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Curran Hall
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society - Youth Room

Tuesday: April 14

10:00 AM Women's Craft Group - Pit Area
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus - Room 220
7:00 PM M.O.M.S. - Youth Room
7:00 PM RCIA - Room 110/120
7:00 PM Pro-Life - Room 140
7:00 PM Boy Scouts Ven. Crew - Room 210

Wednesday: April 15

1:00 PM Young at Heart Bingo - Curran Hall
6:30 PM Faith Formation - Classrooms
6:30 PM EDGE - Curran Hall
7:00 PM BOB & WOW - Youth Room

Thursday: April 16

8:45 AM Divine Mercy Cenacle - Room 140
7:00 PM English Pre-Baptismal Class - Youth Room
7:00 PM Spanish Pre-Baptismal Class - Room 200
7:00 PM Rosary Guild - Room 140
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus - Curran Hall

Friday: April 17

8:00 AM Mass - Sanctuary

Saturday: April 18

8:45 AM ACTS Women - Room 110/120

Second Collection

There will be a second collection April 26, 2015, for the Catholic home Missions Appeal.

There are over 80 home mission diocese in the United States. These dioceses are unable to fund essential pastoral work, such as religious education, seminarian formation, and lay ministry training. Because of this, they struggle to serve the unique needs of their communities. Through your support, the Catholic Home Missions Appeal helps to ease the struggle of these diocese and helps them form vibrant faith communities. Please help **strengthen the Church at home** by giving generously to this appeal.



Richard Garay and Ashley Gates

Faith Formation

Second Grade First Communion Rehearsal and Mass

- * April 23 - Rehearsal, Classrooms, 7 PM
- * April 25 - Mass, 9:30 AM

For more information contact Sherri Williams, PCL, at swilliams@stmichaelgarland.org or (972) 279-6581, ext. 11.

Registration

is now open for **RETURNING** students. Please pick up your packet on the table outside the Faith Formation Office.

Registration for NEW students begins May 18.

Save the Date

It's almost Vacation Bible School time again!
Mark your calendars for VBS dates:
Monday, June 15 - Friday, June 19
Watch your bulletin for details.

Catholic Diocese of Dallas Prison Ministry

Is our Lord calling you to bless others and to be blessed?

Do you want to encounter Jesus and trust His promise that He can be found in the most unexpected places?

Mathew 25:34-36 Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was...in prison and you visited me.

Join us in experiencing the ongoing graces that pour forth from being part of the Catholic Diocese of Dallas Prison Ministry. Bilingual skills welcomed. Contact Deacon Jose Trevino at prisonministry@cathdal.org or (214) 379-2884.

Rosary Guild



The Rosary Guild makes rosaries to promote the devotion to the rosary by sending handmade rosaries to missions, chaplains, US troops, and other organizations. The St. Michael Rosary Makers Guild meets in Room 140 at 7:00 PM on the third Thursday of the month from February to October. Interested in the Rosary Guild ministry? Contact Mary Cormier (972) 270-4572. Come Help!

Middle School Youth Ministry

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EDGE 7th grade

- * May 7, parent and teen setup and cleanup for the Confirmation reception - Curran Hall, setup from 5-9 PM. Can be used as service project for the following year.

EDGE Confirmation Class

- * May 6, Confirmation Rehearsal, Curran Hall, 6:30 PM
- * May 7, Confirmation Mass, Sanctuary & Curran Hall, 7 PM

Contact Richard Sesbino at (972) 279-6581, ext. 17, RichardS@stmichaelgarland.org for more information.

High School Youth Ministry

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Forms, information and details about events can be found on our website: www.smlifeteen.com

LIFE NIGHT SCHEDULE

Life Teen begins with Sunday Youth Mass at 6 PM followed by Life Night at 7 PM and dinner at 8:30 PM.

BOB & WOW SCHEDULE

Every Wednesday night from 7-9 PM in the Youth Room.

Contact Richard Sesbino at (972) 279-6581, ext. 17, RichardS@stmichaelgarland.org for more information.

St. Michael Food Pantry

The St. Michael Food Pantry is in need of the following



items: boxes of mac & cheese, canned fruit, canned potatoes, and ready to eat canned foods like Ravioli, Spaghetti Rings, etc. Donations are greatly appreciated.

Thank you and God Bless.

Pre-Baptismal Class

Please note that the next English and Spanish Pre-Baptismal class will be held **Thursday, April 16, 2015, at 7 PM**. The English class will be held in the Youth room. The Spanish class will be held in the room 200. If you wish to baptize a child who is age 7 and older, please contact the Faith Formation office.

BSA Scouts 548

Apr. 11-12	Pack Spring Family Campout
Apr. 12	Pack Committee Meeting - Room 3-4 PM
Apr. 13	Boy Scout Meeting - Curran Hall, 7 PM
Apr. 14	Pack Meeting - Curran Hall, 6:30 PM
Apr. 14	Crew Meeting - Room 210, 7 PM
Apr. 17-19	Duck Creek District Spring Camporee

Scouts are selling Camp Cards as a fundraiser for summer camp. Camp Cards are \$5 each and have discounts to several places like Kroger, Dicks Sporting Goods, Mesquite Rodeo, El Chico, Papa Johns and others.

A Taste of St. Michael

Parishioners of St. Michael are invited to prepare and serve their favorite dish or dishes to share with everyone at **A TASTE OF ST. MICHAEL**. St. Michael has a number of ethnic groups in our parish, so it would be nice to get a taste of what each ethnic group prepares and serves their own family. It does not need to be a fancy dish – just something easy and simple that your family enjoys. This event is scheduled for April 19, 2015, from 2-4 in Curran Hall. Food samples will be free! If you would like to participate, please contact Diane Salazar, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org to ensure that a table will be set up for you.

April is Child Abuse Awareness Month

Our diocese has policies and procedures to create a safe environment and protect children. Read the policies and learn how you can help create a culture of protection at <https://www.cathdal.org/pages/a-safe-environment#policies>.

ACTS

Give yourself a weekend with Jesus! Adoration, Community, Theology and service. These are at the heart of ACTS mission.

* Nov. 12-15, Women's ACTS Retreat

Be a part of that Spark for St. Michael.
Make an ACTS retreat as part of your *Spiritual Journey!*

Contact Diana Espino at (469) 841-4365 or (210) 323-7092, Espino_Diana@yahoo.com

Thank you!

A special thank you to all volunteers who decorated the church for Easter Services.



**KNIGHTS
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Apr. 12	Knights Breakfast - Curran Hall (after 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Masses)
Apr. 12	Divine Mercy Mass & Knights of Columbus Corporate Communion - Church Sanctuary, 3 PM
Apr. 16	Council Business Meeting - Curran Hall, 7 PM - Officer Nominations for 2015-16 Fraternal Year
Apr. 24-26	Golf Tournament Preparations – Contact Chris Rollins for volunteer assignments
Apr. 26	Leo Whalen Memorial Charity Golf Tournament – Duck Creek Golf Club, Garland

Degree Schedule Calendar: Visit <http://www.kofc11862.org>

Knights of Columbus Leo Whalen Memorial Charity Golf Tournament

The Leo Whalen Memorial Charity Golf Tournament is the largest fundraiser event for Council 11862. The tournament is set for April 26, 2015, at the Duck Creek Golf Club, Garland. Tournament information and registration forms will be available at <http://www.kofc11862.org> or see a Knight in the Narthex after mass. Discounted Prepaid Team pricing available through Monday, April 20! See the website for details. Proceeds support charitable works for our parish community.

Why join the Knights? Make a Difference! Be a Knight!

Visit our web page at: <http://www.KofC11862.org>
or visit: <http://bit.ly/18arK9a>

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*Pray the Rosary daily
and make a
difference everyday.*



Texas Rangers Tickets

Tickets to a Texas Rangers baseball game on Saturday, May 30, 2015, are available for purchase by calling the Family Life office, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or emailing DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org. The Texas Rangers will play against the Boston Red Sox at 6:15 PM at the Globe Life Park in Arlington. Bring your glove!!

Catholic Christian Counselors

If you are in need of a family or marriage therapist, please contact Diane Salazar in the Family Life office at (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org. Other resources of information are also available upon request.

Marriage Convalidation

Are you married by the Catholic Church? No?
Did you know you can have a Convalidation?

- * Convalidation is the process by which Catholics who are married, but not through the Church, enter into a Valid Catholic Marriage.
- * Having a Convalidation places you in good standing with the Catholic Church.
- * Being in good standing means that you may go to Confession and receive Holy Communion (barring other issues).
- * For those who are fully initiated Catholics, you may also be eligible to be God-parents.
- * At least one of the couple needs to be a baptized Catholic. You do not need to have received all sacraments to be married, except baptism.
- * Non-Catholics are not required to become Catholic.

If you have questions or would like to have a Convalidation, please contact Diane Salazar, Director of Marriage & Family Life, at (972) 279-6581, ext.19, or DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org.

Young at Heart invites you to join them at bingo on Wednesday, April 8, at 1 PM in Curran Hall. Come join us for a fun afternoon. Light refreshments will be served.

Save the Dates for the next scheduled Bingo:

- * May 13 - Curran Hall, 1 PM
- * June 10 - Curran Hall, 1 PM
- * July 8 - Curran Hall, 1 PM

Questions? Contact **Blanca Sanchez**, (469) 693-2586.

Bishop's 22nd Annual Catholic Pro-Life Dinner

There's plenty of room at our tables. Please join us on **April 18, 2015, Irving Convention Center**, featuring a musical performance by award-winning singer Kathy Troccoli and Catholic Answers Live host Patrick Coffin, as Master of Ceremonies. The evening, which benefits the ministries of the Catholic Pro-Life Committee, includes a Private Reception, Silent Auction, and Wine Pull at 5:00 PM and a seated banquet at 6:30 PM with a live auction and musical performance. Tickets are discounted through our prolife committee. Contact Reg Platt at [214-392-4098](tel:214-392-4098) or prolifecentral@aol.com for a reservation.

Baby Banks

BABY BANK COLLECTION DAY: TODAY our Pro-life Committee's Baby Bank Campaign is officially over. Please place your banks in the collection carts in the Narthex. If you have forgotten to bring yours today, you can still return it next week. Contributions to the Baby Bank Campaign may be sent directly to CPLC, P.O. Box 803541, Dallas, TX 75380 Attn: "Baby Banks." Please list "St. Michael-Garland" on your donation. For pro-life info/help, call (972) 267-LIFE.

Help Save Babies! Come Pray with Us!

Join St. Michael's Pro-Life Committee, Sat., Apr. 18 and the 3rd Saturday of every month as we pray the Rosary at SW Women's Surgery Center (late-term abortion center), Royal and Greenville in Dallas. We carpool after 8 AM Mass at St. Michael's and start a Rosary around 9:00 AM. Come be a peaceful, prayerful witness of God's love. Contact Reg Platt at 214-392-4098 or email prolifecentral@aol.com for more information.

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