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We keep thinking that treasure consists of money, possessions, pleasures, and getting to do whatever we want. The real treasure, however, is that God loves us and wants to share everything with us. That is, He has made us His children and everything which He has is ours. In spite of our weaknesses and sins, we cannot lose this relationship, nor can we stop God from seeking us out. The Lord will not make us stay with Him, but in spite of our weaknesses and sins we cannot lose this relationship, nor can we stop God from seeking us out.

Father Joseph

Mass Schedule

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time -

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14, Ps 51, 1 Tm 1:12-17, Lk 15:1-32

8:30 AM Mass of the People
10:30 AM **Edna Nilan †** by John and Sheila Seifert
12:30 PM **Adrian Cruz †** by the Cruz family
6:00 PM **Francis Tabansi †** the daughter

Monday, September 12 - 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33, Ps 40,

Lk 7:1-10

8:00 AM **Felipe H. Salazar †** by Felipe and Diane Salazar

Tuesday, September 13 - 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a, Ps 100,

Lk 7:11-17,

8:00 AM **Carmensita Nuñez †** by Emy Paclibon

Wednesday, September 14 - Nm 21:4b-9, Ps 78, Phil 2:6-11, Jn 3:13-17

8:00 AM **Cornelia Taino †** by the family

Thursday, September 15 - 1 Cor 15:1-11, Ps 118,

Lk 2:33-35

8:00 AM **Betty Sek †** by the Sek family
6:30 PM Father Joseph by Deacon Joe & Gloria Perez

Friday, September 16 - 1 Cor 15:12-20, Ps 17, Lk 8:1-3

8:00 AM Joel Salazar by Felipe and Diane Salazar

Saturday, September 17 - 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49, Ps 56,

Lk 8:4-15

8:00 AM **Rodney Wells †** by John and Mary Cormier
5:30 PM **Jean Haupt †** by Frank Haupt and family

Tabernacle candle is in memory of **Elena Cantuarias †**
by the family

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) has begun for those interested in becoming Catholic and those who want to complete their Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist. There are two sessions (both teach the same topic), but you need to attend only one session: Tuesday at 7 PM and Sunday at 9 AM. Both sessions meet in room 110/120. If you are interested or have any questions please contact Kathleen Day at (469) 426-6112 or Kathleenday112@ymail.com. It's not too late to start - come join us for a faith-filled year!

Anyone is welcome who wants to refresh their understanding of the faith or to learn more about our faith.

The Week Ahead

Sunday: September 11

9:00 AM First Day of Faith Formation - Curran Hall
9:00 AM Adult RCIA - Room 110/120
11:00 AM First Day of Faith Formation - Classrooms
2:00 PM Women's ACTS Team Meeting - Room 110/120
6:00 PM Men's ACTS Team Meeting - Room 110/120
7:00 PM Life Teen Kickoff - Youth Room
7:00 PM This is Our Faith - Room 140

Monday: September 12

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
6:30 PM First Day of Faith Formation - Curran Hall
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Society - Library

Tuesday: September 13

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
10:00 AM Women's Craft Group - Pit Area
7:00 PM Adult RCIA - Room 110/120
7:00 PM M.O.M.S. - Youth Room
7:00 PM Synoptic Gospels Class - Curran Hall

Wednesday: September 14

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
12:00 PM Catholic Study Group - Room 140
1:00 PM Young-at-Heart Bingo - Curran Hall
5:30 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
6:30 PM First Day of Faith Formation - Sanctuary
6:30 PM EDGE First Day - Curran Hall
7:00 PM BOB & WOW - Youth Room

Thursday: September 15

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
9:00 AM Cenacle - Rooms 110/120 & 140
10:45 AM Synoptic Gospels Class - Room 110/120
5:30 PM Rosary - Chapel
6:00 PM Novena to Our Mother Perpetual Help - Chapel
6:30 PM Daily Mass - Chapel
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus - Curran Hall
7:00 PM Confession - Chapel
7:00 PM Divorce Ministry - Library
7:00 PM Grace Within - Youth Room

Friday: September 16

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
6:45 PM Cenacle of the Divine Mercy - Room 140

Saturday: September 17

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary
9:00 AM ACTS - Youth Room
4:00 PM Confession - Chapel

Church Offering

Sunday Collection	Mass Count	Contributions
08/28/2016	1900	\$ 18,768.01
09/04/2016	1702	\$ 19,952.29

**There will be a second collection this weekend for
The Catholic University of America.**

Is God Calling you to Volunteer?

Volunteers are needed for the Faith Formation Program.

Several positions are open:
Teachers and Assistants

6th grade, Wednesday at 6:30 PM (Aide)

If you can volunteer in any area, please contact
Sherri Williams, PCL, or Georgina Salinas in the Faith
Formation office at (972) 279-6581, ext. 11 & 16 or email
swilliams@stmichaelgarland.org

Catechetical Sunday Prayer: The Faith Prayed 2016

September 17 & 18

There will be a special blessing for all volunteers involved in
Faith Formation, RCIA, EDGE and Life Teen.

Safe Environment

Environment training for **new volunteers** will be held **September 22, 2016**, at 7 PM in room 110/120, and **returning volunteers** will meet in room 220. If you would like to become a volunteer, you must have been registered with the parish for six months, and you must be volunteering for a ministry of St. Michael.

Please contact Diane Salazar, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or email DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org if you have any questions.

Halloween Carnival

This year the Halloween Carnival will be on Saturday, October 29, at 7 PM in Curran Hall. Youth volunteers are needed! Volunteer forms are located in the Narthex. If you need to be cleared through the Safe Environment Program, please contact Diane Salazar, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19. Also, we are asking for candy donations and cakes and cup cakes for the cake walk. *No gum, please!* Drop your donated bags of candy in the container located in the Narthex. The cakes and cup cakes may be delivered to the church on the morning of the carnival in Curran Hall. If you would like to sign up to participate in the *Trunk or Treat*, please contact Diane Salazar. Thank you!



Young-at-Heart Bingo
Young-at-Heart invites you to Join them at BINGO
on Wednesday, September 14, at 1 PM in Curran Hall.
Come join us for a fun afternoon
Refreshments will be served. Questions?
Contact Blanca Sanchez, (169) 693-2586

Middle School Youth Ministry

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Meets every Wednesday
6:30-8:00 PM in Curran Hall

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Visit our website for information and to download registration forms.

Save the Date:

8th grade Confirmation Rehearsal - Wed., May 3, at 6:30 PM
8th grade Confirmation Mass - Thurs., May 4, at 6:30 PM

Wednesday, Sept. 14 - 1st day of EDGE
Sunday, Oct. 23 - World Youth Day Six Flags Trip

Parents: Please discuss with your child about selecting a Confirmation sponsor and Confirmation Saint. Confirmation packet will be available at www.smlifeteen.com for download.

Questions? Contact Richard Sesbino, Youth Minister at (972) 279-6581, ext. 17, or RichardS@stmichaelgarland.org

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Join us for Life Teen Mass – Sundays at 6 PM
Visit www.smlifeteen.com for forms and information.

LifeNights

Sunday, 7-8:30 PM, Youth Room (dinner provided)
BOB & WOW - Wednesday, 6:30-8:30 PM, Youth Room

Sunday, Sept. 11 - LifeTeen Fall Kickoff
Wednesday, Sept. 14 - BOB & WOW
Sunday, Oct. 23 - World Youth Day Six Flags Trip
Friday, Nov. 4 - Sunday, Nov. 6 – Fall Retreat

LifeTeen Mass

Youth are invited to serve as altar servers, lectors, EMHC's, choir, ushers, etc.!

BOB & WOW

Guys & girls discussion groups and fellowship!

Registration open all year long - bring a friend
(even if they're not Catholic). Questions?
Contact Richard Sesbino, (972) 279-6581, ext. 17

Youth Ministry Assistant Position Available

St. Michael is hiring a part-time Youth Ministry Assistant. For more information visit the [Catholic Diocese of Dallas](http://CatholicDioceseofDallas.org) job page for a detailed job description. Email resume to RichardS@stmichaelgarland.org.

View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com

2016-2017 Choir Enrollment

Saint Michael's Youth Choir is open to all 4th-8th graders.
We love to see our returning members!

***"Sing to the Lord a new song,
for he has done marvelous deeds" Ps. 98***

We would love to meet new faces to come join us. If your child is interested, come sing with us on Wednesday evenings from 5:30-6:30 PM in the Sanctuary.

If you are interested please fill out a form on the Music Ministry Website and email it to: Kevin Glaser, Director of Music
Keving@stmichaelgarland.org
(972) 279-6581, ext. 15

Synoptic Gospels Class

The Synoptic invites you on a journey through the Holy Land and the Gospel texts of Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Drawing insights from biblical archeology and the writings of the early Church Fathers, this study compares parallel passages from the three Synoptic Gospels to construct a vivid picture of the life and mission of Jesus Christ. Two class days are offered in room 110/120.

Presented by Deacon Joe
Tues., September 13, Curran Hall, 7-8:30 PM

Thursday, September 15, room 110/120,
10:45 AM -12:15 PM

Sign-up form is located in the Narthex. Book fee is \$24.

Marriage Convalidation

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

Baptism

Baptism is God's most beautiful and magnificent gift. We call it gift, grace, anointing, enlightenment, garment of immortality, bath of rebirth, seal, and most precious gift. It is called *gift* because it is conferred on those who bring nothing of their own; *grace* since it is given even to the guilty; *Baptism* because sin is buried in the water; *anointing* for it is priestly and royal as are those who are anointed; *enlightenment* because it radiates light; *clothing* since it veils our shame; *bath* because it washes; and *seal* as it is our guard and the sign of God's Lordship.

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Sept. 13	1st Degree Team Practice - Room 220, 7 PM
Sept. 15	Business Meeting - Curran Hall, 7 PM
Sept. 18	FAJR Assembly Back to School Bingo Night - KayCee Club, Dallas
Oct. 08	Garland Hike for Life - Audubon Park, 9 AM-12 PM
Oct. 09	Knights Breakfast & Parish Blood Drive

Council & Assembly News

FAJR Assembly Back to School Bingo Night - Sept. 18
Support Fr. Abram J. Ryan Assembly charities and have fun in the "Back to School" Bingo Night on September 18. Bring a new unused school supply to be donated to needy children in a local Catholic School and receive two free black-out cards. Doors at the KayCee Club on Shoreview Dr. in Dallas open at 5 PM. Play begins at 6 PM and continues until 10 PM.

Parish Blood Drive - October 9

Carter BloodCare will visit St. Michael's for the quarterly blood drive. As is customary, the Knights Breakfast will also be held concurrently. Please donate blood and give the gift of life. Donors will receive a free breakfast as an added bonus.

Wheelchair Program

Don't put into your trash bin your lightly worn dress, casual, and athletic shoes that you will no longer use. Drop them instead in the marked blue bins near the entrance to Curran Hall. Funds generated from material recycling are utilized to support the Wheelchair Program where the Knights of Columbus donate wheelchairs to persons and organizations in need of them and that otherwise cannot afford to purchase them.

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

Like us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/KofC11862>

Help Save Babies! Come Pray with Us!

Join St. Michael's Pro-Life Committee, Saturday, Sept. 17, and the 3rd Saturday of every month as we pray the Rosary at SW Women's Surgery Center (late-term abortion center), at Royal and Greenville in Dallas. We carpool after the 8 AM Mass at St. Michael and start a Rosary around 9 AM. Come be a peaceful, prayerful witness of God's love where miracles happen and hearts are changed when we pray to save the lives of innocent babies. Contact Reg Platt at (214) 392-4098 for more information.

Wedding

Sept. 16 - Kevin Glaser & Stephanie Martinez



"Walking Together in Faith"
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Sept. 29 – Oct. 1, 2016

Join us at the 10th annual Dallas Ministry Conference and be a part of the South's largest annual Catholic ministry conference opened to the public. Attend some of over 170 breakout sessions in English, Spanish and Vietnamese, presented by nationally, local and international known speakers. Participate in Mass and prayer services, peruse the exhibits, admire the liturgical art display, and listen to Catholic musical performances.

This three-day event only costs \$66! Find out more at our website: www.udallas.edu/dmc

Volunteer to say, "Hello"

"Good morning!", "Welcome to St. Michael." We are looking for men, women, couples, and families to come early to mass once or twice a month to share the joy of the Lord and greet parishioners as they enter the Church. If you can volunteer to extend this simple but important service to others, please email MaryCariker@yahoo.com or call her at (214) 934-2788. "All are welcome in this place."

ACTS - Be filled with the joy of the Lord!

Is your heart brimming with joy of the Lord, or do you need a refill? Do you need a place to let it shine or to get that boost? Whichever the case, an ACTS retreat can fulfill your need.

Registration is now open for the FALL ACTS 2016 retreats. Go to StMichaelGarland.org/ACTS for more info and to reserve your space online. Registration brochures are also available in the Narthex.

* **Women's Retreat October 6-9, 2016**
Contact MaryCariker@yahoo.com or call 214-934-2788

* **Men's Retreat November 3-6, 2016**
Contact Robert.Kleineck@gmail.com 972-533-3327

Clothing Drive for Homeless Veterans

Please place donations in the red and white boxes in the Narthex by September 25. **New or gently used:** Jackets and sweatshirts (Adult Male Sizes I-3XL) **New:** Hats, gloves, socks (men's sizes 34-46) underwear (women's size S-XL) **Hygiene Items (travel or full size):** Toothpaste, toothbrush, comb, deodorant, shampoo, soap, shaving cream, razors, pocket-sized hand sanitizer. Contact marycariker@yahoo.com or (214) 934-2788 for more information to volunteer to help transport items to the VA.

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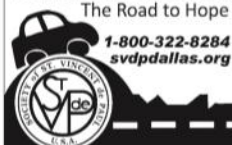
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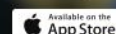
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