



## Mass Schedule

**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph - Sir 3:2-6, 12-14, Ps 128, Col 3:12-21, Lk 2:22-40**

8:30 AM Corazon Usana† by Maria N. Blance  
10:30 AM Ramon Enriquez† by Caroline Enriquez  
12:30 PM Patricia Lonzame† by Wilma Ayala  
6:00 PM Houston by M. Mirelez

**The Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God - Nm 6:22-27, Ps 67, Gal 4:4-7, Lk 2:16-21**

10:30 AM Jonathon P. Sharpes†

**Tuesday, January 2 - St. Basil the Great - 1 Jn 2:22 - 28, Ps 98, Jn 1:19-28**

8:00 AM Modesto Hombrebueno† by Segundo family

**Wednesday, January 3 - Most Holy Name of Jesus - 1 Jn 2:29—3:6, Ps 98, Jn 1:29-34**

8:00 AM Allison Nichols† by Kathleen Day

**Thursday, January 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton - 1 Jn 3:7-10, Ps 98, Jn 1:35-42**

8:00 AM Esteban Pahela† by Cresencia Pahela  
6:30 PM Eric McMillen by Monica McMillen

**Friday, January 5 - St. John Neumann - 1 Jn 3:11-21, Ps 100, Jn 1:43-51**

8:00 AM Thomas De and Anna De† by Dawn

**Saturday, January 6 - St. André Bassette - 1 Jn 5:5-13, Ps 147, Mk 1:7-11**

8:00 AM Michael and Mary Minh† by Dawn  
5:30 PM Gabriel Macias† by Irma Anguiano

**Tabernacle candle** is burning in memory of Delia Gomez†  
by Felipe and Diane Salazar

## The Week Ahead

**Sunday, December 31**

9:00 AM No Faith Formation Winter break  
9:00 AM No Adult RCIA Winter break  
9:30 AM Boy Scouts Café - Curran Hall  
11:00 AM No Faith Formation Winter break  
7:00 PM No IMPACT Winter Break

**Monday, January 1**

8:30 AM Parish Office Closed  
10:30 AM Mass - Sanctuary  
6:30 PM No Faith Formation Winter break

**Tuesday, January 2**

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary  
7:00 PM Cub Scouts - Curran Hall

**Wednesday, January 3**

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary  
6:30 PM NO Faith Formation Winter break  
6:30 PM NO SMACT 1st & 2nd Year Winter break  
6:30 PM NO IMPACT Year Winter break

**Thursday, January 4**

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary  
10:00 AM The Gospel of John - Room 110/120  
6:00 PM Novena to our Mother Perpetual Help - Chapel  
6:30 PM Mass - Chapel  
7:00 PM Confession - Chapel  
7:00 PM English Pre-Baptismal Class - Room 110/120

**Friday, January 5**

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary

**Saturday, January 6**

8:00 AM Daily Mass - Sanctuary

**ALL Faith Formation Classes  
Resume  
January 7, 8 & 10, 2018**



The Parish Nursery will be closed  
December 31, for  
New Year's Eve Day



## The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

### Faith Formation Save the Dates:

#### RCIA(2) Confirmation PAST DUE NOW

- Saint Paper
- Sponsor Info
- Sponsor Sacrament Certificates
- Sponsor "Letter of Good Standing"

#### NO Class

Dec. 17—Jan. 6 (Christmas Break)  
Jan. 15 - MLK Day  
Feb. 19 - Presidents' Day  
Mar. 28 - No Class

#### Classes Resume - Welcome Back!

Jan. 7, 8, and 10

#### First Communion Workshop - Banners are Due

Jan. 13 – TBA – 2<sup>nd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade

#### #3 Sacrament Parent Class – Required

Jan. 21 at 9 AM – Youth Room or  
Jan. 22 or 24 at 6:30 PM – Room 110-120

#### Confirmation Retreat – RCIA(2)HS

Jan. 26-28 - location-TBA

#### First Reconciliation - Sanctuary

Jan. 30 – 6:30 PM

#### #4 Sacrament Parent Class – Required

Feb. 11 - 9 AM – Youth Room or  
Feb. 12 - 6:30 PM – Room 110-120  
Feb. 12 - Service Hours, "Letter to Father"

#### Spring Break – March 11-17, 2018

#### RCIA(2) Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist

Mar. 31 (Saturday)  
Rehearsal – 9-11 AM  
Vigil Mass – 7:30 PM in Classrooms

### SMACT—Middle School Youth Ministry

#### SMACT Nights—1st & 2nd Year—Altaration

Dec. 20-Jan. 3 - No Class - Christmas Break  
Jan. 10 - Classes Resumes - Why Have I Been Chosen?

Approved Service Projects: Food Pantry, Altar Society  
Apr. 30 - Living Stations of the Cross

#### Save the Dates: 2nd Year SMACT

Jan. 26-28 - Mt. Lebanon in Cedar Hill  
May 02 - Confirmation Rehearsal with Sponsor, 6:30 PM  
May 03 - Confirmation Mass, 6:30 PM

#### 2017-2018 Confirmation Parents—2nd Year

Parents & Sponsors: teens must be cleared by the Confirmation interviewer; please help your teens in studying the Confirmation materials. Also, contact your sponsors as they should be involved in helping you prepare. Confirmation interviews will be scheduled during class time.

Contact Richard Sesbino or Tiffany Vu, (972) 279-6581, ext. 17  
RichardS@stmichaelgarland or TiffanyV@stmichaelgarland.org

### IMPACT—High School Youth Ministry

Attention all high school youth grades 9-12, 2017-2018: Registration is now open. You are invited to join us after the 6 PM Sunday Mass in Curran Hall.

**Dinner will be provided! We hope to see you there.**

#### IMPACT & BOB & WOW Nights Youth Room, 7-9 PM

#### NO BOB & WOW - Christmas Break—Dec. 20-Jan 3

Jan. 7 - Spring Kickoff-Lip Sync  
Jan. 14 - Abraham  
Jan. 21 - St. Spotlight - St. John Paul II

#### BOB & WOW - Wednesday Night HS

All forms and information can be found at: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram: @saintmichaelLT, Remind101 Text Alerts: text @smimpact to 81010.

Guys & girls discussion group and fellowship meets on Wednesday evening from 7-9 PM in the Youth room. Registration is open all year long. Bring a friend (even if they're not Catholic).

**Questions? Contact Richard Sesbino or Tiffany Vu at (972) 279-6581.**

### Cross of Nails

You may have noticed a wooden cross covered with nails in the Narthex. The Cross of Nails is for you to place your prayer request. There is a basket containing little squares of paper tied with ribbons that you may write on and hang your prayer request on a nail. Everyone is invited to do so. Please know that the entire community will be praying for you.  
May God Bless you.

## TINY SAINTS FUNDRAISER

Tiny Saints are keychains/charms that make great gifts! There are many to choose from!  
\$5 per Tiny Saint

Order forms can be found in the Narthex and returned to the Youth Office



PROCEEDS BENEFITING  
ST. MICHAEL'S CONFIRMATION RETREAT





## Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

On the behalf of St. Michael's staff we would like to wish all of St. Michael parishioners a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. May your time with your family be joyful and happy and your travels be safe.

Parish offices will be closed the week of December 21 & 22, 25 & 26 for the Christmas holiday and January 1 for the New Year holiday. Office hours will resume on January 2, 2018.

### Pre-Baptismal Class

The next English pre-baptismal class will be January 4 at 7 PM in room 110/120. The Spanish class will be January 11 at 7 PM in room 110/120. Pre-registration is not necessary. If you wish to baptize a child who is age 7 or over, please contact Sherri Williams in the Faith Formation office, (972) 279-6581.

### Food Pantry



The Food Pantry is in need of your help for the holidays. Please consider donating food items for those in need such as, peanut butter, mac and cheese, canned vegetables, fruit, sugar and flour up to two pounds, etc...

**Cash donations are also accepted.** While the level of giving has stayed the same, requests for assistance have increased tremendously, so please, be generous when you can. Thank you and *May God bless you.*

## Redemptoris Mater

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### Christmas Concert

**Friday, December 29 at 7 PM**

**Presented by the Seminarians of our**

**Diocesan Missionary Seminary Redemptoris Mater**

**Tickets will be sold after Masses Dec. 16-17 & Dec. 23-24**

**Join us for a reception following the concert in Curran Hall**



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Dec. 30-31	5th Sunday Rosary - 15 minutes before all mass <b>TODAY</b>
Jan. 11	Officers & Directors Meeting - Room 150, 7 PM
Jan. 14	Carter BloodCare Winter Blood Drive - Curran Hall (Morning Masses Only)
Jan. 14	Knights Breakfast - Curran Hall (Morning Masses only)
Jan. 14	Membership Drive - Narthex/Curran Hall
Jan. 18	Council Business Meeting - Curran Hall, 7 PM
Jan. 20	Roe Memorial Events - Dallas

### 5th Sunday Rosary—Next Week

The Holy Rosary will be prayed 20 minutes before the start of all masses.

### Thank You!

Council 11862 of the Knights of Columbus thank all who supported charitable fundraising by participating in this year's Christmas Raffle. The names of the raffle prize winners will be published in next week's bulletin. The Knights wish all a very blessed New Year.

### Parish Blood Drive - Knights Breakfast - Membership Drive - January 14

Carter BloodCare is visiting St. Michael for the Winter Parish Drive. Blood is needed throughout the year, but most critically during the summer and winter months. Please consider donating the gift of life. CarterBlood Care will hand out to blood donors a Dallas Mavericks tee shirt and a BOGO coupon for the Mavericks home game tickets. Blood donors will also receive a free breakfast from the Knights.

The Knights will be serving breakfast after 8:30 and 10:30 AM Masses.

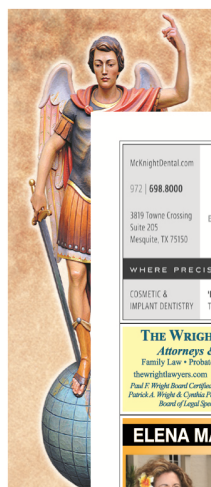
Men, consider joining the Knights to support our community, parish, and our faith. Come to the breakfast and ask a Knight what we do.

### Just Around the Corner! - Holy Smokers BBQ

Planning the big football game party on February 4, 2018? The Knights will be taking pre-paid orders for Holy Smokers BBQ next week. See a Knight after mass to submit an order.

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

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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](mailto:DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org).

**Please Pray for those who are ill and those who are recovering from illness:** Deacon Wally Gove, Bill Cernosek, Louise Mehan, Adriana & Sal Liberto, Ricky Medina, Emily Heitman, Linnea Werner, Francisca Pro, Becky Mirele, Carolyn Rodriguez, Doug Merrel, Patrick Philp, Terry Defoe, Lucy Gonzalez, Alberto Vasquez

**Please pray for those who have died:** Aurora Belleza, Stephanie Howeth, Patricia Foreman, James W. Boshart, Alison Nichols, Concha Reyes