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SUNDAY LITURGY

5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil 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 5:00-5:25 p.m. Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Every day 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. for the Sanctity of Life

Available in the Family Life Center during the 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. Masses. For ages through 3 years.

CARE OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for someone to bring Holy Communion.

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

979-297-3043 Spiritual Learning Center

979-299-3500

Evangelization & Catechesis Grades Kinder - 6th Debra Kyle - Coordinator of Elementary Faith Formation

Sally Dodge - Administrative Assistant

Adoléscent Catechesis & Evangelization Grades 7th - 12th

Juan Serros - Youth Minister

Janet Gipson - Administrative Assistant

PARISH LIBRARY

Sunday 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

NEWCOMERS

Come by the Parish Office to register or fill out the form on our website and bring it to the Parish Office weekdays during the hours of 9 am and 5 pm.

CURRENT PARISHIONERS

When moving out of the parish or for change of address, please contact the office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE Tuesday 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 Music Ushers

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

MARRIAGE: Please contact one of the Priests or the Deacon at least six months ahead.

BAPTISM: Call Melanie Viktorin at 979-297-3041

Reconciliation/Eucharist Confirmation

R.C.I.A.

R.C.I.A. adapted for children & youth.

Adoration Chapel Prayer Warriors Rosary

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Spiritual Direction

SERVICE/SOCIAL/SUPPORT

Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts Catholic Daughters Family Life Funeral Meals Hispanic Outreach Hospital Visitation Ministry KJZT #115 (Catholic Family Fraternal) Knights of Columbus Ministry to the Sick/Homebound Parish Library Prison Ministry St. Vincent de Paul 979-297-2046 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."







As Thanksgiving approaches, we would do well to think about the sacrifices others have made for us. These sacrifices, material and spiritual, may well have sustained us in our needs and comforted us

in our troubles. As we come together today, let us ask ourselves what sacrifices we can make for our family members, our friends, and our neighbor. What sacrifices might the Lord be asking us to make?

Readings for the Week of November 11, 2018

| Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time | |
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| 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10; | |
| Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44 | |
| Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr | |
| Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24: 1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6 | |
| Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin | |
| Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37: 3-4, 18 & 23, 27 & 29; | |
| Lk 17:7-10 | |
| Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23: 1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6; Lk 17:11-19 | |
| Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and | |
| Doctor of the Church | |
| Phlm 7-20; Ps 146: 7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Lk 17:20-25 | |
| Saint Margaret of Scotland; | |
| Saint Gertrude, Virgin | |
| 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119: 1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18; Lk 17:26-37 | |
| Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious | |
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Sunday

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

3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18:1-8 Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16: 5, 8, 9-10, 11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

Next week, we will be collecting for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development.** Over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.



Due to the Thanksgiving holidays, the November 25th bulletin deadline is **Friday, November 16th** at noon. Also, all parish offices will be closed beginning at noon on Wednesday,

November 21st and will reopen Monday, November 26th at 9 am.

Mass Schedule and Liturgy Intentions November 10-18, 2018

| SATURDAY | 5:30 PM | +John Muhl |
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| | | +Sue Arnold |
| SUNDAY | 8:00 AM | +Helen & Louis Bauml, Jr. |
| | | +Christen/Mensik Families |
| | 9:30 AM | +Rudy Lege |
| | | +Ethel McCord |
| | 11:00 AM | +George Sykora |
| | | Molly Castro |
| TUESDAY | 5:30 PM | +Matthew Haluska |
| | | For the Church |
| WEDNESDAY | 8:30 AM | +Linda Wallis |
| | | Lisa Longoria McMillan |
| THURSDAY | 5:30 PM | +Stephanie Black |
| | | +Rosario Iglesias |
| FRIDAY | 8:30 AM | +Charlie & Georgie Hundl |
| | | +Dave & Doris Jones |
| SATURDAY | 5:30 PM | +Drew Muhl |
| | | +Bettie Carmody |
| SUNDAY | 8:00 AM | +Vickie Kaatz |
| | | +Shirley Broussard |
| | 9:30 AM | +Henrietta Solis |
| | | +Donna Schwertner |
| | 11:00 AM | +Guadalupe Rios |
| | | +Stella Girouard |

Ruth Cleaver, Frank Drabek, Doris Follett, Paul Garcia, Bobbie Jasek, Sarah Langston, Tom Loftus, Eileen McDonald, Bubba Moore, Paul Perdue, Doris Rutkowski,, Lori Sipple, Sarah Sterzinger, Dorothy Vitek, Eddie Wleczyk,

Jack & Barbara Yonge, "Boots" Ermis, Jenna Dubec, David & Pat Gifford, Fred Weatherly, Paula Price, Vera Bennett, Ray Villarreal, Judy & Nolan Link, Wilhelmina Muniza, Edith Hall, Mirella Sherman, Kate Shaw, Peyton & Tyler Boaz, Scott Kanski, Belia Hue



The Women of St. Michael's Host the 36th Annual



Mistletoe Market

2018

St. Michael's Catholic Church 100 Oak Dr. South Lake Jackson, TX 77566 November 16th, 2018 9-6pm

50 Vendors

November 17th, 2018 9-3pm

Bake Sale

Market Café

Serving our "Famous Cheese Soup"

Market Café hours will be 10-3 both days

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- Raffle Grand Prize- Queen Sized Quilt
- Other Wonderful Raffle Prizes as well
- Along with Hourly Door Prizes

Free to the Public

Please no strollers allowed in the Market

Contact the WOSM at:

wosmlj@yahoo.com

Visit us on Facebook at: Women of St. Michael's-Lake Jackson

- Sign up to volunteer for a shift after mass the weekends of Nov. 3/4 and 10/11.
- Donate to our Kitchen and Market Angel Campaigns.

 Did you know that it costs approximately \$50 to make a pot of our delicious cheese soup?
- Sign up to bring your delicious baked goods. Not a baker? Pick up something from your favorite bakery.
- Purchase your RAFFLE TICKETS.

Prayer requires commitment, constancy and determination.

- Pope Francis



Planning to be married in the Church? Please contact Fr. Leo, Fr. Loc or Dcn. Gary at least 6 months in advance. It is imperative to meet with clergy before setting a wedding date or reserving a reception venue. Call the office for an appointment.



Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Ministry invites St. Michael parishioners to welcome a blessed statue of Our Lady of Fatima into your home. Our Lady will travel from home to home, stay for a week (Sunday to Sunday), and the host family will pray the rosary daily in her presence. Our Blessed Mother will be brought to your home on Sunday and before leaving her, the rosary will be recited with your family. The following Sunday, the statue will be picked up and taken to the next host family. Please contact **Diane 979-709-6956** or **Pam 979-297-9011** to schedule a week.

"Thanks" for "Giving"

Helping families in need at Thanksgiving and other critical times during the year.

We will assemble Thanksgiving boxes next **Sunday, Nov. 18th** in Wleczyk Hall at 1:00 pm.

All are welcome to help & participate.



Already contributed to this year's DIOCESAN SERVICES FUND? We thank you for your generosity and support of more than 60 ministries within our Archdiocese! If you have not had the opportunity to donate to DSF this year, please visit: www.archgh.org/dsf. Let us all join in prayer that our faith and commitment will be *Instruments of God's Mercy*.

Visit our website: www.smlj.org
Find us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/smljtx



IGNITE UPDATE

Amount paid so far: **\$686,936** from **251** families. Please write all checks to **IGNITE** and <u>mail directly</u> to the Archdiocese.

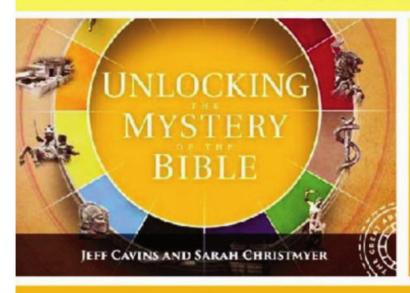
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Learn more: Camille Forse 979-299-3145 tcforse@hotmail.com

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please let us know if you or a loved one needs Holy Communion brought to the home. Call the parish office at 979-297-3041

UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY OF THE BIBLE



When: Thursdays, October 11, 18 & 25

Thursdays, November 1, 8 & 15

Thursdays, December 6 & 13, 2018

Where: Wolter's Room

Time: 7:00 PM

Facilitator: Nirm Thomas

An Engaging Journey Through the Bible - This eight-part study provides the easiest way to understand the Bible. It helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it is all about. The Bible is a story about the Father's unfailing love for you - a love that you are now called to share with others.

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- · Make sense of the Bible and see how it relates to your everyday life
- Discover the remarkable connections between the Old and New Testaments
- See how the sacraments, the Church and our entire Catholic Faith is rooted in Scripture

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From Msgr. Leo: Many of our parishioners who are serving in our ministries are no longer in compliance with the Archdiocesan Safe Environment Program (Virtus). After 5 years of attending a training session, you are required to complete an online training update. If you volunteer with children, youth, scouts or SVDP you are required to be in compliance. It is highly recommended that all members of the parish be in compliance because of the number of children and youth that are present at so many events. **Please help us keep them safe.** If you have questions, or are no longer an active volunteer, please contact Melanie at melanie@smlj.org/979-297-3041.

UPCOMING VIRTUS TRAININGS Protecting God's Children (PGC) St. John, Alvin: Dec. 1 @ 9 am

Shrine of the True Cross, Dickinson: Dec. 15 @ 9:00 am St. Dominic Chancery (Morkovsky Hall), Houston: Dec. 18 @ 1 pm

To locate other trainings and to register: www.virtus.org
PLEASE DO NOT CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT

Contact Melanie at 979-297-3041/melanie@smlj.org with any questions.

Discernment for 2019 Pastoral Council will be Sunday, December 16th at 2:00 PM in the Library. Parishioners are encouraged to be part of this process, either by discerning to serve a term on Council or by participating during the facilitated discernment process as a member of the parish. The Pastoral Council focuses on our St. Michael's parish community as a whole, working as a consultative body for the Pastor. They respond to the calls and questions of the Pastor, our ministries, and our parish members. Please join us for this opportunity to praverfully consider Pastoral Council our membership. During this discernment we will, as a parish family, ask the Holy Spirit for new Pastoral Council Members. Is it YOUR TURN to serve? Contact Daniel Caraballo at 352-446-8458.

SENIOR FRIENDS BINGO will be held on Tuesday, November 13th at 10 am in the F-Wing. Bring a covered dish to share. There is no charge to play and there are prizes! Everyone who plays bingo must be a St.

Michael Parishioner.

ADORATION CHAPEL

We currently have 27 empty hours in our schedule that we need to fill in order to be in compliance with Vatican guidelines. We are especially in need of someone to fill the 2-3pm hour on Fridays as it is currently without any volunteers. To volunteer contact Jody Epps 979-297-8804/jaepps@mac.com.

Stewardship Update

July 2018 – September 2018

Monthly Collections

July: \$89,694 August: \$76,498 September: \$98,214

With the low offering in August, the year to date income from collections is behind forecast by \$12,800.

Special collections:

Peter's Pence: \$2,285 Infirm Priests: \$1,780

Expenses for the period were \$10,984 higher than the budget primarily due to the new lights in the church, higher summer electricity bills and new books/Bibles for Youth Ministry and Children's Faith Formation.

Thank you for your continued financial support!

FOOD+FRIENDS+FAITH FORMATION

Join us at 5:30pm in Wleczyk Hall on **Wednesday** evenings for food and fellowship before Faith Formation. Plan to stay for discussions and information on "Who is Jesus Christ?" and "How do we get to know and love Jesus Christ?" The Family Meal Nights are free to all thanks to your generous donations to the Archdiocesan Ignite Campaign.

FORMED

St Michael Faith Formation is happy to provide you with FREE access to **FORMED.org**, a Catholic website bringing you resources to watch, read, listen and study your Catholic faith. You can also download the free FORMED app to get this information at your fingertips. To get started, visit smlj.formed.org. Simply fill in your info and you will be ready to explore all that Formed.org has to offer. If needed, our parish code is **HJPYFH**. See our website for the **Pick of the Week**.



YOUTH FOOD DRIVE FOR SVDP

Sunday, November 11th for Grades 7-12 Meet in the Hall by 3:00 pm — hot dog dinner afterwards provided by the KCs.







GAP Christmas Project

Our Parish Family is supporting GAP (Grandparents as Parents) for Christmas!



Please consider taking a gift tag from the tree in the FLC and return the unwrapped gift with the tag to the Youth Office NO later than Thursday, December 6th.

Have families, Bible study groups, ministries, or work groups go in together.

If you take a tag and see that you are unable to purchase the gift, please return the tag to the tree in a timely manner.

For non-shoppers, monetary donations are welcome. We have shopping elves who will take care of it for you!



Families praying for vocations during the month of November are Joe and Jodie Epps, Leslie Stein, Kevin and Kristy Traynor, and Joe and Kathy Ward.



If you currently use online banking, please consider adding
St. Michael to your <u>automatic bill pay list</u>. This
eliminates your need for envelopes, is simple to set up and
normally does not cost you (or the parish) anything.



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 help others.



CDA Prayer Blanket Ministry4-ply acrylic washable yarn needed. Please drop off

in the youth office. Thank you!



If you would like to make a donation towards the **Christmas flowers for the church**, please contact the Parish Office at 979-297-3041. The requested donation is \$15.00 per poinsettia and donations may be specified "in honor" or "in memory" of a loved one.



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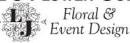


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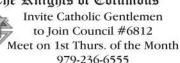
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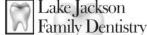
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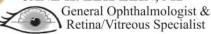
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