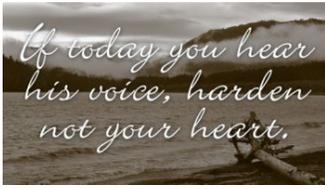


27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to [this] mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you."

- Luke 17:6



That our actions and words reflect our love for God every day. "For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control." 2 Timothy 1:7 Many of us compartmentalize our Faith,

we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?

Scripture Readings for the Week of October 2, 2022

Sunday	Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10
Monday	Gal 1:6-12; PS 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 & 10c; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Bruno, Priest Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13
Friday	Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary Gal 3:7-14; PS 111:1B-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday	Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28
Sunday	Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

† For Gary Williams (the father of Kelsey Beach)

Mass Schedule and Liturgy Intentions October 1 — October 9

SATURDAY	5:30 PM	† Clark Flournoy † Jessica Bullock Duncan
SUNDAY	8:00 AM	For the People of the Parish
	9:30 AM	† Homero Salinas † Ed & Bettie Carmody
	11:00AM	† Fred & Mary Mathis † Charles Trlica
TUESDAY	8:30 AM	† Chase Epps Political Leaders
WEDNESDAY	8:30 AM	† Vera Bennett † Jack Lippman
THURSDAY	8:30 AM	Teachers & All who helped John & SoSamma † Weldon Drapela
FRIDAY	8:30 AM	In Honor of the Holy Spirit † Chase Epps
SATURDAY	5:30 PM	† Kay Jones † Donna Schwertner
SUNDAY	8:00 AM	† Emil Faltisek † Jesus Masangkay
	9:30 AM	† Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus Council #6812 † Ed & Cecilia Kutach
	11:00AM	For the People of the Parish

Pray for those who are ill:

Bobbie Jasek, Sarah Langston, Bubba Moore, Paul Perdue, "Boots" Ermis, Paula Price, Ray Villarreal, Nolan Link, Wilhelmina & Ray Muniza, Mirella Sherman, Belia Hue, Ross Falcon, Barbara Yonge, Susan Jurecka, Janie Gonzales, Carson Thelan, Steve Pelletier, Mary Perez, Lucille Engelking, Barbara Lanier, Paul & Colette Garcia, Richard Keistler, Leslie Stein, Joyceline Nachtgaele, Burney LeBouef, Joni Bergeron, David Fattig, Gay Rayburn, Maurice Badaeux, Steven Rod, Ron Jones, Ronnie Hock.



LATEST WEEKDAY ADORATION HOUR NEEDS:

We have one adorer for these slots, but it very helpful to have two adorers from different families. Please prayerfully consider volunteering to keep our St. Michael's Adoration ministry available. You will be amazed at the spiritual opportunities a weekly hour commitment offers.

A HUGE thank you to all current adorers, coordinators and subs who make this ministry available for St. Michael's and our community by their volunteer commitments!

Monday	9-10 am
Tuesday	9-10 am ** 2-3 pm ** 4-5 pm ** 5-6 pm
Wednesday	9-10 am ** 5-6 pm
Thursday	11-12 pm ** 2-3 pm ** 4-5 pm
Friday	9-10 am ** 12 - 1 pm ** 1-2 pm ** 2-3 pm ** 3-4 pm ** 5-6 pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday - Friday 9am-6pm, Saturday 9am-5pm, Sunday 12pm-6pm in the Church. Please prayerfully consider making the Adoration Chapel a part of your weekly prayer time. To volunteer or for more information contact Pat Williams at adoration@smlj.org. You may view the schedule and empty adoration hours on our website by clicking on "Ministries", then "Adoration Chapel".



Dear Parish Family,

Last Sunday, the Catholic Church celebrated Priesthood Sunday. I never thought about it until one or two parishioners greeted me, “Happy Priesthood Sunday Father!” As I reflected further on those greetings, I could not help but remember the priests that I knew who had inspired me, taught me, and instilled in me a greater love for the gift of vocation—the priesthood!

I remembered my pastor when I was at a tender age of seven when I became an altar server of my hometown parish. His love and dedication for the flock entrusted to him by God, made me decide at that age to be a priest. There were many other priests that I could remember quite vividly that helped me with their wisdom, knowledge and experiences in parish life that became my inspiration and consummate hopes in the priesthood as well.

To mention one such priest, was the late Archbishop Joseph Fiorenza whom we laid to rest a few days ago. There were many praises and acclaims that were attributed to him in his leadership of the Archdiocese, a tireless advocate of social justice and civil rights among many others. But the one priestly quality that has endeared him to many priests of the archdiocese is that fatherly care and concern for the priests. I remembered how he called me every week to see how I was doing in a very difficult and challenging parish to which I was assigned. The calls were just very simple but they helped me overcome those challenges in that parish. His availability to listen and the advice he gave were something to be treasured and remembered.

Priesthood Sunday last week allowed me to reminisce those brother priests that have made a difference in my personal and priestly life. How about you? I am sure you do have some recollections of priests like that. As you cherish their memories, maybe offer a prayer or two for them. I am sure they will appreciate that!

Thank you,

Fr. Dwight



Welcome to St. Michael the Archangel

We welcome all visitors to our faith community and hope that your experience here was blessed with the spirit of Christ. If you are a new resident of the area and would like to know more about our parish opportunities, please read this bulletin for more information or check out our website at www.smlj.org. If you are interested in joining our parish as a registered member and receive parish communications, please fill out the registration form from our website or stop by or call our Parish Office, Monday - Friday; 9:00am-4:00pm for more information.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 9/25/22

Collections and Mail:	\$ 10,166.50
OSV Online Giving:	4,200.90
Total:	\$ 14,367.40



IGNITE UPDATE

\$1,251,437 from 256 families.



2022 DIOCESAN SERVICES FUND

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217 Donors have contributed \$94,955

Wednesday AM Bible Study
 Fall Semester begins October 5, F wing
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 Coffee 9:15, Lesson 9:30 - 11:00
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Join the WOSM for B₃U₁N₁C₃O₁ Night

Tuesday, October 4, 2022
 5:30 p.m.
 Wleczyk Hall
 St. Michael's Catholic Church
 100 Oak Dr. S. LJ



ALL WOMEN ARE WELCOME
Bring a Friend

Please Bring a Dish to Share

Stephanie Jess will be on hand to give an update on Brazoswood's Backpack Program

FOOD for KIDS

- All Proceeds benefit the Brazoswood Backpack Program.
- The cost is \$10 to play or Donation of items for the Program.
- Items needed are: Canned Meats with pop top lids, Packets of Tuna/Chicken, Peanut Butter Crackers, Fruit Cups, Dried Fruit, Granola Bars, Breakfast Bars, Peanut Butter Crackers, Nutella Spread, Beef Jerky, Microwave Mac & Cheese, Canned Chunky Soups, Drinks



The SVDP food drop-off chest is located in the hallway of the Family Life Center for donations of non-perishable items. Thank you for your continued support!

Safe Haven Training
EVERYONE who volunteers in **ANY** ministry at St. Michael's is required to be trained in the SAFE HAVEN program: <https://galvestonhouston.cmgconnect.org/>
If you do not remember your user ID, email melanie@smlj.org. Please **do not** create a new account if you already have one.



To all Golfers:

The Knights of Columbus will hold their 6th Annual Drive against ALS October 21st at the Wilderness Golf Course. A silent auction and lunch will also be provided. For more information see the flyers in the hallway of the Family Life Center.

The Church Nursery is now open

We are looking for a few adults that are Safe Haven trained and teens that are 14 years old & older to help us get our nursery back up and running. The nursery is only open for our children ages 3 and under if we have volunteers. Please contact Michelle Jones 979-285-5030 if you are able to help us out with one Sunday a month. The Nursery is now open for the 9:30am and 11am masses and need your help.

In Memoriam Gifts

We have been asked about on-line Memorial Gifts and have now added the capability for on-line donations to St. Michael's made in memory or in honor of a loved one. You can go to www.osvhub.com/smlj/funds and select Memorial Gift.



Please note this is **not intended to be used for Mass Intentions** which need to be made in the office.



CDA Fall Bunco Bash

Fundraiser for St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Michael's

Sponsored by Catholic Daughters

Date: November 10, 2022 * Time: 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. *** St. Michael's Wleczyk Hall**

\$10 per person to play * Winners get cash prizes *** Door Prizes**

Please consider bringing non-perishable food items needed for SVdP food pantry. (Cereal, pop tarts, canned meat, complete pancake mix, and SNACKS FOR KIDS are especially needed!)

If you cannot attend, you can drop donations by Janet's office before event.

Door prize drawings - You receive one ticket for every item donated - Must be present to win

***** Door prize donations always welcome - Can drop by Janet's office or contact Betty Jo or Pat *****

Please bring an appetizer, finger food or sweet to share - Drinks will be provided

No RSVP's required! If you have questions, call:
Betty Jo Jurries at 979-297-2962 OR
Pat Williams at 979-239-8646



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What's happening at OLQP?

Each month, Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School (OLQP) students participate in at least one service project. Every year to honor the September birthdays of the Blessed Mother and our Foundress, Sister Antoinette Peltier, Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic School has a food drive. This year the food

was donated to St. Vincent de Paul societies at St. Jerome's in Clute and St. Michael's in Lake Jackson. Food was also donated to the St. Thomas Center in Angleton.

Recently, the 3 and 4 year old Preschool students put on a beautiful program sharing their prayers and songs about Jesus and Mary with their grandparents. What a blessing to hear the sweetest voices praying and praising God. These little ones are going to transform the world for Him!

Students, families, and staff are working hard to make our Fall Festival on Oct 23rd a success. Raffle ticket sales are going great! Please stop by the school and buy a ticket to win a Trailblazer for just \$10. Classes are working on their auction items! The students enjoyed a Minions Raffle Rally, Jurassic Park Raffle Rally with several dinosaurs greeting the students, Water Balloon Fight day, Donut Day, and a Bounce House Day so far.

Our students don't just go on to be the valedictorians and salutatorians of the local high schools in Lake Jackson and Angleton. They are also officers in National Honor Society like Kiki Fernandez and Olivia Mulholland. Our alumni are members of the Mu Alpha Theta Mathematics Honor Society: Hannah Nguyen, Ava Gaston, and Anna Traynor. Our Alumni become National Merit Commended Students like Nathan Hulvey or a National Merit Semifinalist like Olivia Mulholland. Our alumni participate in their high school football teams, soccer teams, swimming teams, tennis teams, basketball teams, volleyball teams, cross-country track teams, golf teams, band, and many more teams.

We would love for you to bring your preschool to 8th grader to OLQP. Wouldn't you love to have your child start the morning with us in prayer as we say the Rosary? We even end the day with prayer. This is a place where the virtues of kindness, respect, and goodness are lived. Come and bring them to OLQP where their hearts will be treasured and grow closer to God.



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 **Annual Bazaar**
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Sunday, October 9th
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Sponsorship Form

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