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MASS TIMES

WEEKEND

English:
Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM
Spanish:
Sunday 1:30 PM

WEEKDAY

English:
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 AM
First Saturday of the month – Healing Mass 8:30 AM

WEEKEND

English:
Sunday 11:30 AM

WEEKDAY

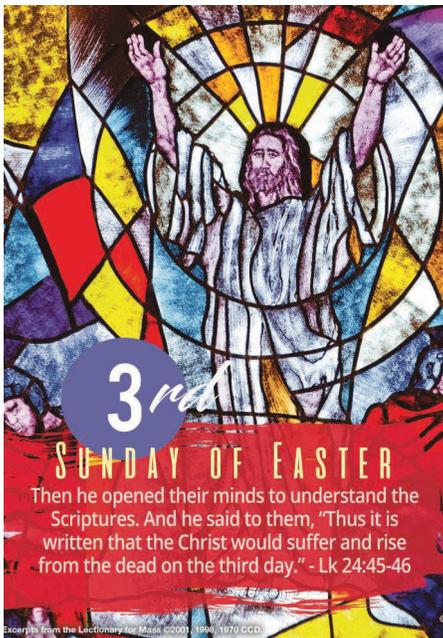
English:
Wednesday 11:00 AM

WEEKEND

English:
Sunday 8:00 AM

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Third Sunday of Easter , April 15, 2018



INTRODUCTORY RITES

Greeting:

Priest: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Gloria

All: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly king, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the holy one, you alone are the Lord. You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading ~ Acts 3:13-15,17-19

Peter said to the people:

"The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and denied in Pilate's presence when he had decided to release him. You denied the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murderer be released to you. The author of life you put to death, but God raised him from the dead; of this we are witnesses. Now I know, brothers, that you acted out of ignorance, just as your leaders did; but God has thus brought to fulfillment what he had announced beforehand through the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer. Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away."

Penitential Act

All: I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Kyrie

Priest: Lord, have mercy. **All:** Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Christ, have mercy. **All:** Christ, have mercy.

Priest: Lord, have mercy. **All:** Lord, have mercy.

Responsorial Psalm ~ Psalm 4:2,4,7-8,9

R. (7a) **Lord, let your face shine on us.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

When I call, answer me, O my just God,
you who relieve me when I am in distress;
have pity on me, and hear my prayer!

R. **Lord, let your face shine on us.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

Know that the LORD does wonders for his faithful
one;

the LORD will hear me when I call upon him.

R. **Lord, let your face shine on us.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

O LORD, let the light of your countenance shine up-
on us!

You put gladness into my heart.

R. **Lord, let your face shine on us.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

As soon as I lie down, I fall peacefully asleep,
for you alone, O LORD,
bring security to my dwelling.

R. **Lord, let your face shine on us.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

Second Reading ~ 1 John 2:1-5A

My children, I am writing this to you
so that you may not commit sin.

But if anyone does sin, we have an Advocate with
the Father,

Jesus Christ the righteous one.

He is expiation for our sins,

and not for our sins only but for those of the whole
world.

The way we may be sure that we know him is to keep
his commandments.

Those who say, "I know him," but do not keep his
commandments

are liars, and the truth is not in them.

But whoever keeps his word,

the love of God is truly perfected in him.

ALLELUIA

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us;
make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

R: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL~ LUKE 24:35-48

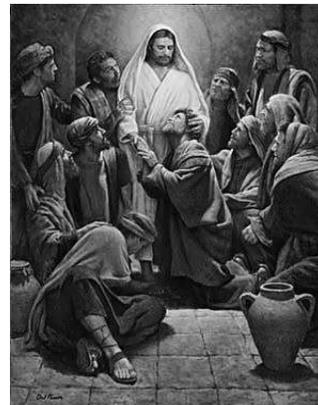
PRIEST: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on
the way, and how Jesus was made known to them
in the breaking of bread. While they were still speaking
about this, he stood in their midst and said to them,
"Peace be with you." But they were startled and terri-
fied and thought that they were seeing a ghost.
Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled?
And why do questions arise in your hearts?
Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself.
Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh
and bones as you can see I have."
And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his
feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were
amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to
eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish;
he took it and ate it in front of them.
He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to
you while I was still with you,
that everything written about me in the law of Moses
and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled."
Then he opened their minds to understand the Scrip-
tures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the
Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third
day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins,
would be preached in his name
to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem.
You are witnesses of these things."

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Presentation of the Gifts

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his holy Church.

Acclamations during the Eucharistic Prayer Preface
Dialogue:

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

All: It is right and just.

Great Amen

Priest: Through him, with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.

All: Amen.

COMMUNION RITE

Lords Prayer

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Priest: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,...

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and for ever.

Sign of Peace

Priest: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And with your spirit.

Breaking of the Bread All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Preparation for Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

CONCLUDING RITE

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, + and the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Priest: Go in peace.

All: Thanks be to God!

The redemptive power of Christ

Now that we're a renewed people -- an Easter people -- the scriptures at Mass remind us of the stark difference between living a redeemed life and living in sin. The first reading for this Sunday says: "Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away." The second reading says: "Those who say, 'I know him', but do not keep his commandments are liars, and the truth is not in them." And the Gospel reading says: "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name...." We are all liars in some way every day, professing our faith with our lips but not always in our behaviors. Our actions often say that we don't truly believe what we say about Christ's love. Our worries might be saying that we don't truly believe that God cares about each and every situation. Our decisions say that we don't truly believe that Jesus knew what he was talking about when he commanded us to love our enemies and do good to those who hurt us. Our moral relativism says that we don't truly believe he was smarter than us when he gave us his commandments. How loudly do your actions preach the truth about Jesus?

Many of us undervalue what Jesus has done for us, thinking that his death and resurrection is enough to get us into heaven; we neglect the need to humble ourselves under the reality of the need for daily redemption. God's not expecting perfection from us on this side of heaven's gate. What he does want, however, is our desire to become more and more like Christ every day. As long as we're continually examining our lives and educating ourselves about how we can improve, and as long as we follow through by doing what is necessary to produce changes, God is very pleased with us.

Questions for Personal Reflection:

What sinful tendencies still enslave you? What will you do this week to turn these over to Christ and his redemptive power?

El poder redentor de Cristo

Ahora que somos un pueblo renovado -- un pueblo Pascual-- las escrituras en Misa nos recuerdan la cruda diferencia entre una vida redimida y una vivida en pecado. La primera lectura de este domingo dice: "Arrepiéntete, pues, y conviértete, para que tus pecados sean borrados." La segunda lectura dice: "Aquellos que dicen, 'lo conozco', pero no guardan sus mandamientos son mentirosos, y la verdad no está en ellos."

Y la lectura del Evangelio dice: "Así está escrito que el Cristo sufriría y resucitaría de entre los muertos al tercer día y el arrepentimiento, el perdón de pecados, sería predicado en su nombre..."

Todos somos mentirosos de alguna manera todos los días, profesamos nuestra fe con nuestros labios, pero no siempre con nuestros comportamientos. Nuestras acciones a menudo dicen que realmente no creemos lo que decimos sobre el amor de Cristo. Nuestras preocupaciones podrían estar diciendo que realmente no creemos que Dios se preocupe por todas y cada una de las situaciones.

Nuestras decisiones dicen que realmente no creemos que Jesús sabía de lo que estaba hablando cuando nos mandó a amar a nuestros enemigos y a hacer el bien a aquellos que nos hacen daño.

Nuestro relativismo moral dice que realmente no creemos que Él era más inteligente que nosotros cuando nos dio sus mandamientos.

¿Qué tan fuerte predicán tus acciones la verdad acerca de Jesús?

Muchos de nosotros menospreciamos lo que Jesús ha hecho por nosotros, pensando que su muerte y resurrección es suficiente para llevarnos al cielo; descuidamos la necesidad de humillarnos bajo la realidad de la necesidad de redención diaria.

Dios no está esperando nuestra perfección en este lado de la puerta del cielo. Sin embargo, lo que sí quiere, es nuestro deseo de ser más como Cristo cada día. Mientras estemos continuamente examinando nuestras vidas y educándonos sobre cómo podemos mejorar, y mientras sigamos adelante haciendo lo que sea necesario para producir cambios, Dios se complace en nosotros.

Preguntas para la Reflexión Personal:

¿Qué tendencias pecaminosas todavía te esclavizan?
¿Qué harás esta semana para entregar esto a Cristo y su poder redentor?

This Week at St. Michael / St. John / St. Aloysius

Monday, April 16th
Communion Service (Sandy) 8:30AM

Tuesday, April 17th
Communion Service (Sandy) 8:30 AM
Divine Mercy Chaplet (Sandy) 9:00AM
Journey in Faith Class (Welches) 4:00PM~5:30PM
RCIA (Sandy) 7:00PM

Wednesday, April 18th
Communion Service (Estacada) 11:00AM
First Communion (Sandy) 6:30PM
Choir Practice (Sandy) 6:30PM-8:30PM

Thursday, April 19th
Communion Service (Sandy) 8:30AM
St. Vincent Boxes (Sandy) 10:00 AM ~ 2:00 PM
Adoration (Sandy) 9:00AM~9:00PM

Friday, April 20th
Scripture Study (Sandy) 9:30AM

Saturday, April 21st
Confessions (Sandy) 4:00PM
Mass (Sandy) 5:00PM
Spring Bingo 6:00PM

Sunday, April 22nd
Mass (Welches) 8:00 AM
Mass (Sandy) 10:00 AM
Grupo Divina Misericordia (Sandy) 11:15AM
Religious Education (Sandy) 11:15AM
Mass (Estacada) 11:30PM
Spanish Mass (Sandy) 1:30PM ☞ Familia Sanchez Lopez Lua

Readings for the Week of April 15th

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48
Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51--8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

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April 1, 2018

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St. Michael, St. Aloysius and St. John are vibrant parishes with many opportunities to become involved! Not sure where to begin? Call or visit Parish or call the office if you would like to register and to see where you can lend your talents!

Bienvenidos

**¿ERES NUEVO PARA
NUESTRA PARROQUIA?**

¡TE DAMOS LA

BIENVENIDA! *St. Michael, St. Aloysius and St. John son unas parroquias vibrantes con muchas oportunidades para participar! ¿No sabe por dónde empezar? ¡Llame o visite nuestra oficina si quieres registrarte y ver dónde puedes prestar tus talentos!*



Music

CALLING ALL SINGERS!

St. Michael the Archangel Church music ministry is looking for enthusiastic parishioners interested in participating in our liturgy. All are invited – young (at least 8 years) or old, male or female, experienced singers or would just like to try, we would love you to join us.

Rehearsal Schedule: Wednesday

5:30-6:30 pm for Children's Choir

6:30-7:30 pm for Adult Choir

7:30-8:30 pm for Spanish Coro

For more information and registration, please send your information to Bernadette Arnold, Director of Sacred Music & Liturgy at barnold@stmichaelsandy.org

Respect Life



"We must always remember that all children are blessings from our Creator. They are endowed from conception with value, purpose, and human dignity. They are a source of unmatched joy, and they represent our Nation's future. It is thus our civic and moral responsibility to help every child experience a childhood free from abuse and mistreatment, guiding them toward a future full of hope and promise."

April, "Child Abuse Prevention Month"

Olive Wood Carving

April 28th and April 29th

We are having Olive Wood Carving available for purchase after Masses.

Wood carvings are carved from families in Bethlehem Proceeds are to support Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land.



Sanctuary Candle

Joel Allott †

If you wish to have the Sanctuary Candle burning in memory of a loved one, please call the office.

Stewardship



3rd Sunday of Easter

"Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' But they were startled and frightened..." - LUKE 24:36-37

Throughout the day we have many opportunities to "see the face of Jesus" in others and to "be the face of Jesus" to others. Do we take that opportunity to provide "peace" to those we encounter or are we afraid of what others will think of us and do nothing? Pray for the strength to live a "God-centered" life and not a "self-centered" life.



Divina Misericordia

A las almas que propagan la devoción a Mi misericordia, las protejo durante toda su vida como una madre cariñosa (protege) a su niño recién nacido y a la hora de la muerte no seré para ellas Juez sino Salvador misericordioso" (*Diario, 1075*).



Divine Mercy

Souls who spread the honor of My mercy I shield through their entire lives as a tender mother her infant, and at the hour of death I will not be a Judge for them, but the Merciful Savior. At that last hour, a soul has nothing with which to defend itself except My mercy. Happy is the soul that during its lifetime immersed itself in the Fountain of Mercy, because justice will have no hold on it. *Diary 1075*

Spring Bingo

SPRING BINGO IS BACK



GET READY FOR FUN

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

ST. MICHAEL HALL

RIGHT AFTER MASS



DOORS OPEN 6PM
SEE YOU THERE!

**Black -Out Game 2 nights at Lands
End at Cannon Beach**



Health Fair / Feria de Salud

The youth Group will be bringing the Health fair to

St. Michaels

April 29th, 9:00AM- 3:30PM

Health Topics

Nutrition
Cancer
Health
Immigration

Temas de Salud

Nutrición
Cáncer
Salud
Inmigración

Youth group will be having a **Food Sale**

El Grupo de Jovenes tendra **Venta de comida**

Menu

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| *Nachos | *Panuchos | *Flan |
| *Home made Chili | *Pozole | *Gelatina |
| *Taquitos Dorados | *Flan | * Buñuelos |



St. Michael Altar Guild Presents Mother/Daughter Tea and Fashion Show



Saturday, May 5, 2018

Noon to 3:00 p.m.

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at the door = \$10.00

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children below 10 years = \$5.00

Tickets will be available before and
after Mass during April

Or you may ask Eileen Curtis 503-668-4503

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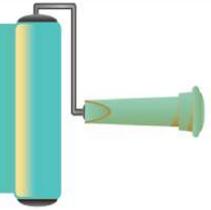
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