



**ST. MICHAEL**  
Catholic School • Grand Ledge

# The Messenger

February  
**23**  
2024

## FOR YOUR CALENDAR

**FEB 23**

Fish Fry Bake Sale

**FEB 28**

Lent Penance Services

**MAR 1**

Stations of the Cross

1:15pm

Fish Fry Bake Sale

**MAR 5**

No School– Teacher PD

**MAR 7**

All School Mass

**MAR 8**

Stations of the Cross

1:15pm

Fish Fry Bake Sale

**MAR 13-14**

Conferences 4-8 pm

**MAR 15**

Half Day AM only

Stations of the Cross

VIP DAY

Fish Fry Bake Sale

## VIRTUES

**PATRIOTISM**

**PRAYERFULNESS**

**RESPECT**

## March is Reading Month

March 2024

Wild About Reading

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Read a Dr. Seuss Book	2
3	4 Read to a parent / grandparent	5 Read to a pet, e-mail a picture to Mr. Sweet NO SCHOOL	6 Read to a classmate Dress like an animal	7 Read to a sibling All School Mass	8 Read to a friend	9
10	11 Read a book about animals	12 Read a non fiction book Dress like your favorite book character	13 Read a fiction book	14 Read a biography	15 Read a poetry book 1/2 Day - VIP	16
17	18 Read a book with green on the cover PJ Day	19 Read a book from the library	20 Read a book a friend likes	21 Read a book with an animal on the cover Crazy Sock Day	22 SPRING BREAK STARTS	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Free calendar provided and created by handycalendars.com

No federal holidays this month

## Raffle Winners



**Congratulations to our Raffle Ticket Winners:**

**1st Prize \$200 Meijer Gift Card- Pat Walter**

**2nd Prize—Bavarian Inn Family Pack \$70 -Reagan Klopp**

**3rd Prize \$50 Gift Card to Playmakers- Max & Bri Wolf**

*Our mission at St. Michael Catholic School is to shape each individual to be in union with Jesus Christ by creating a learning community built upon a foundation of Catholic faith.*

## Archery Club In March

### Archery Club Is Back!

5<sup>th</sup> thru 7<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to stay after school for archery club on the Wednesdays of March (6th, 13th, 20th).

It will run from 3:30 to 4:30 in the school gym.

Permission slips went home with your student and must be turned in to participate to Mrs. Reverman.



## Scholastic Book Fair March 11-15th



The Scholastic Book Fair is coming! SAVE THE DATE for March 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and get ready to empower your reader with book choice. Start exploring together:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/stmichaelschool15>

#ScholasticBookFairs

## Fish Fry School Fundraiser this year

It is a St. Michael School tradition that the students of all grades help out with Fish Fry Bake Sale. Normally this is a fundraiser for the 8th Grade trip. However, this year it will be a fundraiser for the school in place of MSU Concessions. We are asking families to bring in desserts to be sold (cakes, cookies, cupcakes, pies, bars, rice crispy treats, brownies, etc.) for the Fish Fry each Friday during Lent.

Fish Fry Friday Baked Goods signup:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0545A4AE23A1FE3-47468516-lent#/>

Desserts can be taken to the church basement or left on the table in the front of the school office. Pies are very popular at the Fish Fry!

### **FISH FRY DATES**

**Friday, 2/23/2024**

**Friday, 3/1/2024**

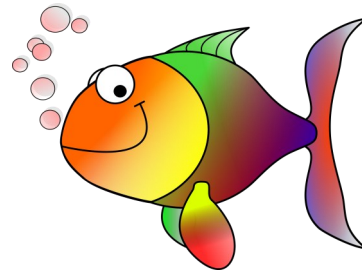
**Friday, 3/8/2024**

**Friday, 3/15/2024**

Next year this will return as a fundraiser for the 8th Grade Trip.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office: Laurie Mooney  
517 627-2167. Thank you!

# Bake Sale



St. Michael Families,

Thank you to all who brought baked goods for the fish fry last week! Please see below if you would like to bring anything.

Reminder that we are looking for volunteers to help with our Book Fair that is coming up March 11-15. Please see the link below.

If you are interested in being a room representative next year, please let me know! It is also election year for our secretary position that is held for two years. Please reach out if you are interested or have any questions.

### **Save the Date for our upcoming events:**

**April 12: Spring Fling 6-8 pm**

**May 3: Lugnuts Outing**

**May 6-10: Teacher Appreciation Week**

**June 7: End of Year Social**

Our next meeting is Wednesday, March 20, 2024 at 6:30 pm in the Middle School Science room.

Spirit Store: [https://stores.inksoft.com/st\\_michael\\_grand\\_ledge/shop/home](https://stores.inksoft.com/st_michael_grand_ledge/shop/home)

Signups:

Fish Fry Friday Baked Goods:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0545A4AE23A1FE3-47468516-lent#/>

Book Fair Volunteers:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0545A4AE23A1FE3-47841429-march#/>

### **PTO Executive Team**

President: Ashley Schneider

Secretary: Cassie Hull

Vice President: Elizabeth Ford

Treasurer: Jackie Nelson

If you need any information, have questions, or would like to be more involved, the PTO email address is [stmichaelglpto@gmail.com](mailto:stmichaelglpto@gmail.com) or search our Facebook Page: St. Michael Catholic School PTO.

### **Class Reps**

Preschool AM: Cassie Hull/Ashley Schneider

Kindergarten: Becca Lyon

4th Grade: Heather Klopp

1st Grade: Amy Korte

5th Grade: Laura Cleland

2nd Grade: Grace Keyes

6th Grade: Jason Geissler

3rd Grade: Devin Day

7th Grade: Rashmi Travis



## Enrolling Now



**Now Enrolling  
2024-25**

Tuition as low as \$3900 per year

**INFORMATION NIGHT**  
**Tuesday, February 6 6:00pm**

Preschool, Kindergarten, and Middle School

**ST. MICHAEL Catholic School**

345 Edwards Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

WHERE FAITH & KNOWLEDGE MEET  
**ALL FAITHS WELCOME**

517-627-2167  
school.stmichaelgl.org






**K-8th Grade**

- Smaller class sizes – allowing for more individualized instruction when needed
- Technology exposure and usage: iPads, Chromebook, Smartboard, digital textbooks, and more
- Rigorous curriculum in a family atmosphere

**Preschool**

- 3yr old: 8:00am -11:00am Tue/Thu
- 4yr old: 8:00am - 11:00am Mon/Wed/Fri
- Pre-Kindergarten: 12:00pm - 3:00pm Mon - Fri

*Full day Preschool + Childcare options available*



QR code to register today for 2024-2025 School Year.

### Registration Fee:

Just a reminder to register now for the 24-25 school year. If you register on/ before February 29th, the fee is \$100. If you register after February 29, the fee increases to \$250. So, get the application filled out soon so you don't have to incur an additional cost.

## First Eucharist Workshop March 7th



## SACRAMENT PREPARATION

The next workshop for parents and their children who are preparing for their First Eucharist will be on March 7th at 6:00PM in Fellowship Hall.

-Bring your blue First Eucharist folder and a wallet sized photo of your child.

Please contact the Child & Family Ministry Coordinator, Megan Drake, in the church office with any questions.



## Valentine's Party





## Senior Luncheon and Second Grade



As our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students prepare for their first Holy Communion, they took some time to learn special "communion" stories from our seniors.





## Yearbook /Youth Group



**CAPTURE YOUR MEMORIES  
IN THIS YEAR'S**

### **ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC SCHOOL YEARBOOK!**

#### **Customize Your 2 Free Pages**

Add photos from your computer, Facebook, Instagram, Google Drive & more.

Answer fun Memory Questions to help remember the year.

The 2 Custom Pages are FREE and are printed ONLY in your book. Want more pages? Each additional 2 pages is just \$0.99.

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#### **To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook**

Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

1 Go to: [www.treering.com/validate](http://www.treering.com/validate)

2 Enter your school's passcode:

1016351631564844

Regular price: **\$20.24**

Create Custom Pages by: Apr 22



6:30-8:30 PM  
TUESDAYS  
SIENA ROOM

## **CALENDAR OF MARCH-APRIL EVENTS**

7-12TH GRADE

**ST. MICHAEL YOUTH GROUP**

**MARCH 5 GUEST SPEAKER**

**MARCH 12 NO YOUTH GROUP**

**MARCH 19/20 MINISTRY FAIR**  
Saturday/Sunday

**MARCH 19 Q & A W/FR. JIM**

**MARCH 26 MOVIE: SON OF GOD**

**APRIL 2 SPRING BREAK PARTY**

**APRIL 9 VARIETY NIGHT**

**APRIL 16 CHEW-N-CHAT**

**APRIL 23 NO YOUTH GROUP**

**APRIL 30 END OF YEAR PARTY**