St. Michael the Archangel Roman Catholic Church

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH FAMILY WISHES TO INVITE YOU TO CELEBRATE THE ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE OF LONG TIME PARISHIONER

KELLY STINSON

Kelly was ordained on February 5th, 2022.

He will preach his first sermon at the 12:45 PM Mass on February 6th. All are invited to celebrate this momentous occasion at a finger food reception for Kelly and his wife, Laura, in the Family Center following the 12:45 PM Mass.

Please make plans to come and congratulate our newest Deacon!



"Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men."

Luke 5:10



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490 Arnold Mill Road Woodstock, GA 30188

Fr. Larry Niese, Pastor
Fr. Fausto Marquez, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Mr. Victor Taylor
Rev. Mr. Joe Pupo
Rev. Mr. Jack Herndon
Rev. Mr. Wayne Topper
Rev. Mr. Kelly Stinson

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Sunday Mass Schedule

5:00 pm - Saturday Vigil 7:30 am 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:45 pm, 2:30 (Spanish) 5:30 pm - Life Teen

<u>Daily Mass Schedule</u> Mon, Wed, Fri - 6:30 am Mon - Sat - 9:00 am

<u>Confessions</u> Wednesday - 5:00 pm Saturday - 9:30 am

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration Days and Times Tuesday 9:30 am through Friday at 6:00 am In the Day Chapel

To volunteer as a Guardian, please contact

<u>Carol Wolff - 678-827-5450</u>

sma.adoration@gmail.com



Please join us in praying the rosary every morning Monday - Saturday following the 9:00 am Mass, in the Church.

The rosary is also prayed every Sunday at 10:30 am in the Church.

Mass Intentions

5:00 pm	Deacon Kelly Stinson (L) People of the Parish
7:30 am	Eugen Vigil (D) Carol Conner
9:00 am	Paul Klucznik (D) Frank Nadspal
11:00 am	Darrell L. Wade (D) Family
12:45 pm	Emma Grace Baldwin (D) Carol Conner
2:30 pm	Francisco Ayala (D) Brother
5:30 pm	People of the Parish
February 7	6:30 am Tim & Kelly Becker (L) Carol Wolff
·	9:00 am Arnold DeMartino (D) Columbiettes
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February 8	9:00 am Paul Hearn (D) Virginia Hartrampf
February 9	6:30 am Tedd Ream (D) Larry Basel
	9:00 am Peggy Meaney (D) Marion Movement Cenacle
February 10	9:00 am Steve Shepard (D) The Columbiettes
February 11	6:30 am Leslie Hutchinson (D) Larry Basel
	9:00 am Dcn Al McHugh (D) Jimmy & Bonnie Carver
February 12	9:00 am Byron Peterson (D) People of the Parish

Sacraments

Baptism

Parents must be registered and active parishioners of St. Michael's (regularly attend mass, using envelopes, and involved in ministries) for at least 3 months. Before scheduling a **baptism**, you must attend a baptism class at St. Michael's. The baptism classes are held on the second Saturday of the month. Godparents must also be active, practicing Catholics.

Next Baptism class: February 12th at 10am in rm 103.

Baptisms are normally the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month at 11:30 am in the church.

You must attend a baptism class every three years. Please call the parish office to register for a baptism.

Confession

The priests will hear your confession on Saturday mornings from 9:30 am to 10:30 am and Wednesdays from 5 pm to 6 pm.

Marriage

Couples are required to contact one of our priests at **least 6 months** before they wish to marry to arrange for instruction and spiritual preparation for the sacrament of marriage. A wedding date cannot be set until after the initial interview with the priest. Contact parish office.



Baby Bottle Boomerang For the HOPE Center in Woodstock January 23rd - February 6th Bottles are due this weekend!



LOOKING FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE GOD AND YOUR PARISH?

The Columbiettes of St. Michael the Archangel would absolutely LOVE to have you join us!

We are a group of Catholic women whose mission is to support our priests, our Knights of Columbus, our parish, and our community. We have ministries of Prayer Blanket Making, Rosary Making, and other community service projects that benefit Veterans, the homeless, children, and the less fortunate of God's family. We supply food, decorations, and merriment for parish functions, assist the office when needed, and hold monthly business meetings where your input can be heard. Please, come to our table in the Narthex after Masses the weekend of February 19th and 20th and talk with one of us!



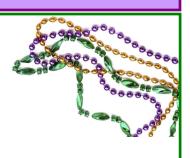
Adult Lenten Retreat at the Land Retreat Center in Woodstock March 4th-6th

Register online today! On the home screen of the SMA website click "Adult Lenten Retreat" button. It will bring you to the registration page. Cost is only \$85 per person (includes food and lodging.)

Join us for a Spirit-filled weekend! During the retreat we'll talk about: Discipleship, Control, Trust, Forgiveness, Prayer, Community, The Holy Spirit









Saturday, February 26th at 6 p.m.
St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church
Family Center

We will be serving a LOW COUNTRY BOIL!

No cost to attend, but please bring a dish to share

(see dish type by last name initial)

Make enough for 4-6 people - No serving utensils needed

A thru M \rightarrow Favorite Cajun or Potluck Dish N thru Z \rightarrow Salad



Desserts, Water & Lemonade, Beer & Wine Will Be Provided!

Contests: Best Mardi Gras Costumes!

Children and Adults!

Be sure to sign-up at the Mardi Gras table in the narthex

Great CAJUN/ZYDECO Music Too!



Knights of Columbus

February 2022 Outlook

2/7 - Council Business Meeting - (In person & Zoom)

2/20 - SMA Blood Drive - (Make your Reservation ASAP)

2/21- Officers Planning Meeting - (Conference Room A)

2/26 - Mardi Gras 2022 - (Family Center)

2/26 - Disabilities Drive

Check out the Knights at www.kofc11768.org

Please contact Grand Knight Mike Easterley(770) 910-2819 or email: michael.easterley@yahoo.com

Counselors Available at St. Michaels

Bill Powers, MS, MBA, NCC, LPC

Bill Powers, a Catholic therapist from Holy Family Counseling Center, will be at St. Michael's on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays to provide marriage, family and individual counseling services. For information and appointments, please call 678-993-8494 or www.holyfamilycounselingcenter.com

Dunia Lobo, MA, LPC

Dunia Lobo, a licensed professional counselor, provides individual, couple & family psychotherapy and is a Play Therapist. (English & Spanish) For information and appointments,678-787-9543.

New Grief Group begins Tuesday, 3/8 @ 10am in the bride's room.

Please call Charmiel Teresi, parishioner, to set up an appointment. 512-968-8255

Personal and Group Coaching

Ruth ONeil, Certified Life and Strengths Strategies Master Coach and People Acuity Specialist is at St. Michael's.

For more information and appointments, please contact Ruth@RuthONeil.com or 770-883-3916



St. Vincent de Paul

Jesus' power manifested in the great catch of fish brings
Peter to confess his sinfulness. But the story does not stop
with the confession of unworthiness but continues with
Peter who then "left everything and followed him." The
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appearance of God always reveals our own sinfulness, but God's focus is elsewhere—on our call and our mission. God sees humanity as created to be good, as persons who can choose to respond to His call and fulfill the mission He gives. If we look for "large catches of fish" we will miss God's message. The gospel invites us to look to the simple manifestations of holiness that indicate the presence of God, i.e., in the generosity of so many volunteers, in the faithfulness of husbands and wives, in the unselfishness of parish workers, in the uncomplaining suffering of the sick, in the gracious wisdom of the elderly. The "yes" response to our call is to imitate these good behaviors and by so doing we extend God's reign. (Living Liturgy)

Join us on Monday, 2/14, 7:00 PM, Conference Room A

Go to the Poor...You will find God (St. Vincent de Paul)

Help Line - 770-591-4643 Job Board - 770-592-0183 (John) St. Michael's House - 770-367-0168 (Lori) SVDP Thrift Store - 678-232-0907 (Linda)

Columbiettes



The Columbiettes are a Catholic women's organization that is dedicated to assisting not only our Parish and parishioners, but also supporting the Knights of Columbus. We

serve and provide food at special receptions, we sew prayer blankets for the spiritual support of others and make rosaries that are used by different ministries. We participate in various service and charity projects that benefit the local community, the homeless and our veterans.

For more information, please contact:
Maria Shepherd: (678) 493-8723
Check our website! www.smtacolumbiettes.com

Stop by the St. Michael's Bookstore after mass!



There are many gift items to choose from.

St. Michael's Food Pantry

St. Michael's Food Pantry distributed 548,000 pounds of food during 2021. Since opening our new food pantry in 2018, we have doubled the amount of food we're capable of providing to families in need. This growth would not have been possible without your generous support.

St. Michael's Food Pantry Hours:

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 10:00am - 11:45am An appointment is not necessary. You are welcome to visit the food pantry during service hours.



The Food Pantry is currently in need of the following items:
canned meats, especially chicken;
healthy snack items; bar soap; break-

fast cereals; salad dressings; condiments.

Your donations of <u>non-perishable</u> foods may be dropped off every day at the donation box, located inside the vestibule of the covered entrance to the church. Please do not leave clothing items in the food pantry donation box.

Thank you for your continued and generous support of St. Michael's Food Pantry!

Because our parishioners have been so generous with donations to the Food Pantry, they are now able to help out the Hope Center with baby formula, diapers and other baby needs. These items are also available to those who come to the pantry for help with food and hygiene supplies.

Thank you all for your generosity!

St. Michael the Archangel Stewardship

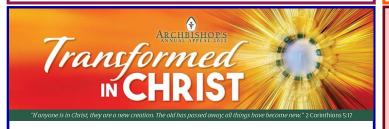
St. Michael's takes up a collection for Debt Relief the first Sunday of each month.

(An envelope is provided in your offertory packet or available to set up online.)

All this collection is applied to the building debt.

To set up payments online, please go to our website: <u>saintmichaelcc.org</u> and go to online giving As of December 31st the new loan balance is \$1,519,514.

January 23rd Offertory: \$43,843 Georgia Bulletin, 1/23/22: \$3,301



Archbishop's Annual Appeal 2022

This year the theme of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal is "Transformed in Christ". The theme of this year's annual appeal was chosen to invite us to make a spiritual resolution to seek this transformation in our lives through a renewed understanding of and devotion to Christ's real presence in the Eucharist. Each of us is called to be Transformed in Christ by renewing and deepening our encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist through the Eucharistic Renewal initiative and our Eucharistic Congress. Through your generous gifts, we can continue the work we were called to do as Christians: educate our seminarians, support our retired priests, provide catechesis to our children, and protect the rights of the unborn. Please be generous in your response. For more information, or to donate online, go to archatl.com/appeal.

New Altar Server Training

Save the date!
Tuesday, 2/15/22 at 7 pm in the Church with Kelly Stinson

Please welcome to our Parish family these children who were baptized at St. Michaels:

Elise Amelie Bressetti Hector Mateo Correa Israel Andres Maldonado Irala

Parish Membership

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of Time, Talent and Treasure.

Stewardship is determined by:

- Being registered and active for at least 3 months
- Faithful participation at Sunday liturgies
- Regular and identifiable support of the parish, use of parish envelopes. Even if you can't make a donation, please use your envelopes.

These criteria are used to verify parishioner status for: sponsorship, participation in sacraments, education, pastoral and social ministries, activities, enrichment programs and Catholic School verification.

Guardians of the Blessed Sacrament are Needed!

<u>Thursday</u> <u>Friday</u> 11AM-Noon 3AM-4AM

Please contact Carol Wolff, Adoration Coordinator, at: 678-827-5450 or email: sma.adoration@gmail.com



Preschool News

February 2022

St. Michael the Archangel Preschool

2/3 - Blessing of Throats 2/4 - New Student Registration Begins 2/12-13 - Bake Sale Weekend 2/14 - Valentine Card Exchange, no party 2/21-25 - Winter Break, No School!

Registration for the 2021/2022 school year is ongoing. We offer a Catholic-based curriculum to start your child's education off right! Please call the Preschool office at 678-213-1517 or e-mail tbarnhill@saintmichaelcc.org for more information.



If you have questions or would like to schedule a personal virtual meeting please contact:

Lorrie Gramer at 815-289-0523 lorrie@marriagebuildingusa.org

Were you, a family member, or maybe a friend, married civilly and have a desire for that marriage to become a Sacrament?

PATHWAYS is for anyone seeking answers for themselves or loved ones.

Organized by MarriageBuilding USA.org as part of the Marriage Building Parish Grant.

Children's Faith Formation/PSR



Please keep the children who will be making their First Reconciliation on February 12 & 16 in your prayers.

Adult Faith Formation Winter 2022



Catholicism: Deepen your faith with

Bishop Barron as he travels to to more than 50 locations throughout 16 countries. Learn what Catholics believe and why. Discover the full meaning of the faith.

> Dcn. Jack Herndon will present the 12 sessions beginning March 1, Tuesday mornings from 10:00 AM to Noon in Room 230.



The Creed

Why is the Creed important?

This class is a presentation of what comprises the core beliefs of our Catholic faith. We all know the words, now let us look deeper into what they mean!

Dcn. Wayne Topper will present the 6 sessions beginning Tuesday evenings, March 1 at 7:00 PM-9:00 PM in Room 230.

More information and Registration is Online at

https://www.saintmichaelcc.org/adultfaith-formation

OR use the QR code.

If you are unable to register online please contact Elizabeth Bonutti, DRE

ebonutti@saintmichaelcc.org 770-516-9699 x233

OLIFE TEEN

Our LIFE TEEN & EDGE programs have something to offer everyone! We eat together, pray together, and have fun together, all while diving deeper into our Catholic faith and strengthening our relationship with Jesus Christ!

LIFE TEEN Upcoming Schedule:

1/30 - Life Night

2/6 - Life Night

2/13 - Super Bowl Party

2/20 - NO Life Night (Winter Break)

2/27 - Life Night

3/6 - Life Night

3/13 - Life Night

3/18 - Life Night

3/27 - RETREAT WEEKEND

4/3 - NO Life Night

4/10 - Life Night

4/17 - NO Life Night

4/24 - Life Night





EDGE Upcoming Schedule:

2/6 - EDGE Night

2/19 - Service Night

2/27 - EDGE Night

3/13 - EDGE Night

3/27 - EDGE Night

4/10 - EDGE Night

4/24 - EDGE Night



2021-2022 Registration Forms are available online and outside the Religious Ed. office





Questions? Contact us: 770-516-9699 Lisa Fiamingo: Ifiamingo@saintmichaelcc.org (ext 232) Jaime Roberts: jroberts@saintmichaelcc.org (ext 251) Karla Gonzalez: EDGE@saintmichaelcc.org (ext 251)





