

The Christian Faith requires a delicate balance between grace and works. Salvation comes through the grace of God alone. Salvation does not result from human wisdom or power. At the same time, we must use the gifts we have received and exercise the grace bestowed on us through good works, or we can lose them. The gifts of God are so that we can be like Him in every way: patient, loving, charitable, generous, forgiving. To fail to be like God is to be fail to be what we are.

Father Joseph

The Week Ahead

Mass Schedule

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Is 58:7-10, Ps 112, 1 Cor 2:1-5, Mt 5:13-16

8:30 AM (SI) Tony & Marlen Greske by Mary & John Cormier
10:30 AM Mass of the People
12:30 PM (SI) Evalour Cabungial by Tina & David Villarosa
6:00 PM (SI) Villa family by the family

Monday, February 10 - 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13, Ps 132, Mk 6:53-56

8:00 AM † Aurea Pusung by David & Minnie Durant

Tuesday, February 11 - 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30, Ps 84, Mk 7:1-13

8:00 AM † Margaret Eckbreth by Jack Smith

Wednesday, February 12 - 1 Kgs 10:1-10, Ps 37, Mk 7:14-23

8:00 AM † Enrique Victorina Rojas by Cresencia Pahela

Thursday, February 13 - 1 Kgs 11:4-13, Ps 106, Mk 7:24-30

8:00 AM † Benigno Rojas, Jr. by Cresencia Pahela
6:30 PM † Francie A. Garcia by John A. Garcia

Friday, February 14 - 1 Kgs 11:29-32;12:19, Ps 81, Mk 7:31-37

8:00 AM † Carolyn Lee Lehan by John Lehan

Saturday, February 15 - 1 Kgs 12:26-32;13:33-34, Ps 106, Mk 8:1-10

8:00 AM † Antonio C. Legaspi by the Legaspi family
5:30 PM † Mike Petter by Frank & Jeanette Urbanovsky

* Tabernacle Candles are for *Healing* by *Estrella Eisenhour*

Sunday: February 9
8:00 AM Boy Scouts - Youth Room
9:00 AM Knights of Columbus Breakfast - Curran Hall
9:00 AM Faith Formation - Classrooms
9:00 AM RCIA - Room 110/120
11:00 AM Faith Formation - Classrooms
11:00 AM Sacrament Parent Meeting - Curran Hall
7:00 PM Life Teen - Youth Room
7:00 PM This Is Our Faith - Room 110/120

Monday: February 10
6:30 PM Faith Formation - Classrooms
6:30 PM Sacrament Parent Meeting - Sanctuary
7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Curran Hall
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul - Youth Room

Tuesday: February 11
10:00 AM Women's Craft Group - Pit Area
6:45 PM Cub Scouts Den Meeting - Curran Hall
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus 1st Degree - Room 130
7:00 PM Knights of Columbus - Room 200
7:00 PM RCIA - Room 110/120
7:00 PM M.O.M.S. - Youth Room

Wednesday: February 12
12:00 PM Eucharist Holy Hour - Chapel
12:00 PM Catholic Study Group - Room 150
1:00 PM Young at Heart Bingo - Room 110/120
6:30 PM Sacrament Parent Meeting - Sanctuary
6:30 PM Faith Formation - Classrooms
6:30 PM EDGE - Curran Hall
6:30 PM BOB & WOW - Youth Room
7:00 PM Adult Bible Study - Room 110/120

Thursday: February 13
6:00 PM Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Chapel
7:00 PM K of C Officers Meeting - Room 130
7:00 PM Spanish Pre-Baptismal Class - Room 110/120
7:00 PM Divorce Ministry - Room 150
7:00 PM Young Adult Ministry - Room 140
7:00 PM Venture Crew - Room 150

Friday: February 14

Saturday: February 15
8:00 AM ACTS - Room 110/120
8:00 AM Boy Scouts - Curran Hall
9:00 AM RCIA - Room 140

Church Offering

<u>02/02/2014</u>	<u>Mass Count</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
Sunday Collection	1761	\$ 18,355.77
Electronic		\$ 1,854.06
Parish Reserve Fund		\$ 811.00
		\$ 21,020.83
<u>02/05/2013</u>	2033	
Sunday Collection		\$ 20,475.47
Electronic		\$ 1,702.85
Parish Reserve Fund		\$ 152.00
		\$ 22,330.32

St. Michael's Parish Office

will be closed
Monday, February 17, 2014
in Observance of Presidents' Day.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Faith Formation Program

(Pre-3- year-old - 6th Grade)

Children & Youth RCIA (2nd - 12th Grade)

Schedule change: January Sacrament Workshop has been rescheduled. Please mark your calendar.

Save the Date:

All Sacramental parents. Parent Workshop #3

- * Sunday, Feb. 9, at 11 AM - Youth Room
- * Monday, Feb. 10, at 6:30 PM - Sanctuary
- * Wednesday, Feb. 12, at 6:30 PM - Sanctuary

RCIA Confirmation Retreat (Camp Copass):

- * Departure - Feb. 21, St. Michael - 6 PM
- * Return - Feb. 23, St. Michael - 1:30 PM

First Reconciliation and Communion Workshop:

- * Saturday, February 22, 2014
- * Promptly begins at 8:30 AM to 2 PM

RCIA First Holy Communion and Confirmation Rehearsal:

- * Saturday, April 19, 2014, at 9 AM

RCIA First Holy Communion and Confirmation Mass:

- * April 19, 2014 - arrive at 7:30 PM for Easter Vigil Mass

Second Grade First Communion Rehearsal and Mass:

- * Dress Rehearsal - Tuesday, May 6, 2014, at 7 PM
- * Class and individual photos by appointment
- * Mass - Saturday, May 10, 2014, at 10 AM

For more information contact the Sherri Williams, at (972) 279-6581, ext. 11 or swilliams@stmichaelgarland.org.

Sacrament Retreat Scholarships

Scholarships are needed. Please, prayerfully consider donating to the First Communion and Confirmation Retreat fund. Many deserving students will be spiritually blessed by your generosity. Contact the Faith Formation office for details.

Mark your Calendar!

Faith Formation Registration

Faith Formation registration for 2014-2015 is coming this spring. Watch the bulletin for dates and "Early Bird" savings. **Parents Note: You must be a registered contributing member of St. Michael Parish for a minimum of four months to register your children in the Faith Formation Program. If you are not receiving your envelopes, call the Parish Office to request them.**

Middle School Youth Ministry

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Meets every Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 PM in Curran Hall

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Confirmation Retreat 8th Grade Edge: Camp Copass

- * Departure - Feb. 21, St. Michael - 6 PM
- * Return - Feb. 23, St. Michael - 1:30 PM

Confirmation Rehearsal:

- * Thursday, May 8, 2014, at 7 PM

Confirmation Mass:

- * Friday, May 9, 2014, at 7 PM
- * Individual pictures before and after Confirmation Mass

For more information contact Richard Sesbino, at (972) 279-6581, ext. 17, or RichardS@stmichaelgarland.org

High School Youth Ministry

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Attention all high school teens grade 9-12. You are invited to join us after the 6 PM Sunday Mass in Curran Hall. **Dinner will be provided! We hope to see you.**

Save the Date:

- * March 21-23, High school spring retreat (**Camp Copass**)

Registration

Parents of Teens - Youth Group registration is still open.

Still in Need of Adult Volunteers!

- * Looking for a way to get more involved in church, grow in your faith and develop leadership skills,
- * The Life Teen Band is seeking an adult guitarist.

For more information contact Richard Sesbino at (972) 279-6581, ext. 17. All forms, information and details about events and activities may be found on our website:

<http://www.smlifeteen.com>.

Parish Tea

Thank you to all the ladies who participated and attended our Parish Tea last Saturday. It was a huge success!! The proceeds were given to our food pantry and St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your generosity and may God bless you.



February Convalidation

February 14, 2014 - Ever and Karla Perez

Family Life Upcoming Events

Mark these dates on your calendar and plan on joining us:

- * March 1 - Mardi Gras Family Dance, 7-9 PM, Curran Hall
- * April 6 - "A Taste of St. Michael," 1:30-3:30 PM, Curran Hall (bring a dish to share.) Entertainment by Mariachi Allende.
- * April 12 - Texas Rangers Baseball Outing (vs. Houston Astros), Globe Life Park in Arlington; tickets: \$25 each.

Mardi Gras Family Dance

The annual Mardi Gras family dance will be held Saturday, March 1, from 7-9 PM in Curran Hall. All are invited to come and enjoy music, snacks, King cake, crowning of "royalty," water tattoos and face painting for children, and the tossing of beads and sweets! Take advantage of our lower prices for pre-purchased tickets: \$3 for singles or \$10 for families. Tickets at the door will be \$5 for singles and \$12 for families. This is a great family fun event for parents and grandchildren to enjoy with their children or grandchildren. Contact Diane Salazar in the Family Life office, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org.

Let's Go Mavericks!

The Dallas Mavericks invite you to join them at their annual *Faith Night* at a discounted price on **Friday, March 7, 2014**, at 7:30 PM against the Portland Trail Blazers. Cheer on your Dallas Mavericks while enjoying a night of fellowship with family and friends. As a part of these special nights, you are invited to go down to the court after the game and take a POSTGAME SHOT ON BASKET! Flyers are located in the Narthex in the Family Life section. All details are on the flyer. Questions? Contact Diane Salazar, (972) 279-6581, ext. 19, or DianeS@stmichaelgarland.org

Annulment Workshop

An Annulment workshop will be held Tuesday, February 18, at 7 PM in room 150. Our Procurator will be there to answer your questions regarding the annulment process. Each case is different, so the timeframe is different. Questions? Please contact Fran Campbell, (214) 808-4825.

Safe Environment

A parish staff member is monitoring the restrooms and hallways during weekend Masses. For safety purposes, the monitor will not allow minor children to into the restrooms alone. An adult **MUST** escort children to the restroom.



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Feb. 9	Knights Breakfast - Curran Hall (after 8:30 and 10:30 AM Masses)
Feb. 13	Officers Meeting - Room 130, 7 PM
Feb. 20	Council Business Meeting - Curran Hall, 7 PM
Mar. 1-2	Knights and Squires Membership Drive
Mar. 5	Ash Wednesday - Lent begins
Mar. 7	Lenten Fish Fry - before and after Stations of the Cross
Mar. 8-9	Knights and Squires Membership Drive

Degree Schedule Calendar:

Visit <http://www.kofc11862.org>

Did You Know?

Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to all practical Catholic men 18 years of age and older. Please contact **Ronnie Waldie** at (214) 668-6029 or via e-mail just060415@live.com if you would like more information about joining the Knights of Columbus 11862 at St. Michael the Archangel parish.

The Columbian Squires, the official youth organization of the Knights of Council, is a leadership development program for young Catholic men 10-18 years old. Please contact **Andrew Clark** at (972) 814-8975 or via e-mail situs6012@gmail.com if you like more information about joining the Squires at St. Michael the Archangel Parish.

Why join the Knights?

Scan the QR Code with your smartphone, or visit us at: <http://bit.ly/18arK9a>

Like us on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/kofc11862>



Make a Difference! Be a Knight!

Food Pantry

The Food Pantry is in need of your help. Please consider donating non-perishable food items such as mac and cheese, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, canned tuna, canned hams up to 12 pounds, canned vegetables, fruits and soup.

Cash donations are also being accepted. While the level of giving has stayed the same, requests for assistance have increased tremendously, so please, be generous when you can. *May God bless you.*

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pro-Life

Come Pray with Us!

Join St. Michael's Pro-Life Committee February 15 and the 3rd Saturday of every month as we pray the Rosary at SW Women's Surgery Center (late-term abortion center) at Royal and Greenville in Dallas. We carpool after the 8 AM, Mass at St. Michael's and begin a Rosary around 9 AM. ***Come be a peaceful, prayerful witness of God's love.***

Young at Heart

Will be having a Game Day February 20, in Curran Hall at 12:30 PM. Bring your games, see you there. Any questions contact Alice Whelan (972) 822-0477 or Jane Wible (972) 475-8142.

Flowers for the Altar

We hope to have fresh flowers on the altar every Sunday. If you would like to provide flowers in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please contact Mary Gaines in the parish office. Orders for flowers will be made through the parish office. The flower donor and intention will be printed in the bulletin following the notation about Tabernacle candles.



Parish Reserve Fund

We thank all of you for your donations and support in rebuilding the Parish reserves. Donations to date are **\$73,707.61**. Please, be generous, and thank you for your continued support.

Pre-Baptismal Class

The Spanish class will be held Thursday, February 13, at 7 PM in room 110/120. If you wish to baptize a child who is 7 or older, please contact the Faith Formation office.

Grief Ministry

Grief Ministry will start the New Day Grief sessions on **Thursday, March 6, 7-9 PM in room 130**. This program is for those who have lost a loved one to death. Sharing one's thoughts, feelings and experiences in an atmosphere of faith and understanding gives us an opportunity to start the healing process, to learn and to grow. There is comfort in sharing pain with others that have been on a grief journey that is shared by others. We are facilitators who have gone through the long journey of grief ourselves and have had two years of studies. The Grief sessions are for 5 weeks. If you have concerns or questions, please contact Gloria Perez at gloria_felan@verizon.net.