

Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

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Parish Office Hours: **Mon. - Thurs., 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**
Fri., 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. daily.



Sunday Holy Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipatory 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,
12:00 noon, Life Teen 6:00 p.m.

Daily Holy Mass Schedule

Monday - Saturday 8:00 a.m.

Daily Eucharistic Adoration

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday Benediction 8:00 p.m.
Thursday 8:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Nursery

Available during Sunday Masses
9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 12:00 noon.

Reconciliation

Thursday 7:00 p.m. and Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Baptisms

After the 12:00 noon Mass on the 2nd
and 4th Sunday of each month.
Pre-Baptism classes are on the
1st Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

Matrimony

Engaged couples should contact Marriage
Ministry at least 6 months prior to date of
wedding for preparation.

Annulments

Contact the Marriage Ministry.

Newcomers

Welcome! We invite you with great joy to
become a member of the parish by filling out a
registration form located at each of the
entrances of the church. Thank you.

Bulletin Deadline

Monday by 10:00 a.m. No exceptions

Clergy

Rev. Peter Chinnappan, Pastoral Administrator	972-279-6581
Rev. Marcus Chidozie, Priest-in-Residence	972-279-6581
Rev. Mr. Joe R. Perez, Permanent Deacon	972-271-8051

Parish Staff

General Manager: Ernie Valencia	972-279-6581
Parish Secretary: Gloria Perez	972-279-6581 X10
Parish Catechetical Leader: Pre-School: John Krajca	972-279-6581 X16
Parish Catechetical Leader: Elementary: Gloria Gove	972-279-6581 X12
Parish Catechetical Leader: The Edge: Lisa Gonzales	972-279-6581 X11
Youth Minister: Angela Wolden	972-279-6581 X17
Family Life Minister: Anna Quigley	972-279-6581 X14
Director of Marriage Ministry: Mary Kay Ritchie	972-279-6581 X15
Financial Manager: Sam Civallo	972-279-6581 X18
Safe Environment Coordinator: Adela Miller	972-279-6581 X19
Director of Music: Penny Mione	972-279-6581
Facility Manager: Max Belino	972-279-6581

Parish Ministries

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Sheila Seifert	972-279-6581
Adult Bible Study: Jaki Rutter	972-686-6367
Book Club: Anna Quigley	972-279-6581
Boy Scouts: Chris Fowler	972-203-6126
Children's Choir: Theresa Canaday	972-278-5332
Community Social Events Group: Felipe & Diane Salazar	972-686-0832
Compassionate Friends: Carol Niles-Jones	972-771-1097
Contemporary Music: Chris Cavnar	972-279-6581
Family Fellowship: Jim & Carla Boshart	972-613-7224
Financial Advisory Committee: Tom Hopkins	972-279-6581
Food Pantry: Ken Smith	972-279-6581
Knights of Columbus: Nick Nicholson	972-240-1494
Knights of Columbus Squires: Tom Clark	214-282-6297
Life Teen Band: Richard Sesbino	972-279-6581
Mother's Day Out: Hilda Rodriguez	972-681-4850
Pastoral Council: Felipe Salazar	972-686-0832
Pro Life: Tom Clark	214-282-6297
RCIA: Lynette Schnitzius	972-279-6581
Religious Articles, Rosary Guild: Lilia Rivera	972-279-6581
St. Vincent de Paul: Voice Mail	214-373-2339
Ushers: John Main	972-668-5179
Visitors & Welcoming Committee:	
Women's Craft Group: Jean Hauptert	972-279-6581
Young-at-Heart: Rich & Judy Fuja	972-686-4754
Altar Servers, Engaged Couples, Eucharistic Ministry, Funeral Meals, Lectors, Telephone Prayer Line: Mary Kay Ritchie	972-279-6581
Pre-Baptism Class, Library, Nursery, New Day Grief Ministry, Parish Hall Rental: Gloria Perez	972-279-6581

MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Church believes that God's saving presence is made visible in Christ Jesus and that God touches all people through the mystery of the Risen Christ and His kingdom. We believe that by proclaiming the Gospel, worshipping, building community and serving others, we participate in the mystery of Christ among us.

FROM THE PASTOR



Dear Angels,

All of us are called by God, both individually and collectively. The mission of preaching, teaching, and healing which Jesus began in Galilee, is now the responsibility of the Church. Each unique vocation and relationship with the risen Lord is never separated from the body of the universal Church. We could be male or female, married or single, laity or clergy ... all are called to become what God wants us to be. The call, of course, begins with Baptism and the other sacraments of initiation. It is strengthened over the years by the Eucharist and Reconciliation, healed and consoled by Anointing, and made manifest by Matrimony or Holy Orders. God is relentless in calling us back to Himself when we stray away from Him. Let us strive to see the light of Christ and to grow in holiness by learning the truths that are revealed through the Holy Catholic Church and its Sacraments. Let us be shining lights in the world as Christ was. Let us make a personal effort to bring others to the truth and the light, so that they may rejoice with us in the Mystical Body of Christ, the invisible Kingdom of God.

Our YES to His call makes a difference in our lives!

Have a blessed Week! Fr. Peter Chinnappan

SUPER BOWL BAR-B-QUE - Gary Labac

This weekend is your last chance to place an order for Super Bowl Bar-B-Que. Don't miss out on this **mouth waterin', finger lickin', serious Texas Bar-B-Que.** Check with the "Holy Smokers" order table in the narthex after each Mass or call Gary Labac at 214-649-8043 or Jeff Muessig at 214-533-1046.



GIFTS FOR GOD'S WORK

<u>Weekend</u>	<u>Mass Count</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
01/21/07	2231	\$18,540.00
01/20/08	2060	\$14,054.00
Weekly amount needed:		\$21,193.00

ST. MICHAEL'S MARDI GRAS FAMILY DANCE



- Anna Quigley

Our annual Mardi Gras Family Dance is coming up next weekend from 7 to 10:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Tickets today are \$3 for singles or \$10 per family. Ticket prices increase at the door, \$5 for

singles or \$12 per family. See you at the ticket sales table! We need your help on the night of the dance. Please call Anna at 972-279-6581, ext. 14, if you can help.



FAITH FORMATION - John Krajca



Faith Formation is in need of adult teachers, co-teachers, and office aides for pre-school, elementary, and middle school. All materials are provided.

Please be willing to share one hour of your time and talent in helping children develop a love and understanding of God and the Catholic faith. If you feel called to assist with this important ministry or if you have questions, please call 972-279-6581 and speak with a member of the Faith Formation staff.



MOTHER'S DAY OUT - Hilda Rodriguez

Mother's Day Out is currently accepting enrollment for children ages 2 to 5. Enjoy some free time while your child comes to join our happy group!!

MAGNIFICAT

Magnificat, a ministry to Catholic women, will be sponsoring a breakfast with praise and Eucharistic devotion from 9:00 to noon on Saturday, Feb. 16, at the DFW Hilton. The keynote speaker will be Mary Ann Kuharski, director of PROLIFE Across America, "The Billboard People."

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ST. MICHAEL ROSARY MAKERS GUILD

- Lili Rivera

The next meeting of the St. Michael Rosary Makers Guild will be held on Thursday, Feb. 21, in Room 140 at 7 p.m. Please join us in making rosaries that will be sent to Catholic Missions.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday

7:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

12:00 noon
6:00 p.m.

January 27

S.I. of Matto by Nguyen Loc
+Mary, Ed, & Alvina Renze by
Eddie & Kristy Gonzalez
+Abel Salazar by Felipe & Diane
Salazar
Mass for the People
S.I. of Joseph by Nguyen Loc Lan

Monday

8:00 a.m.

January 28

S.I. of David Perez by his parents

Tuesday

8:00 a.m.

January 29

S.I. of Joseph by Nguyen Loc Lan

Wednesday

8:00 a.m.

January 30

S.I. of Matto by Nguyen Loc Lan

Thursday

8:00 a.m.

January 31

S.I. of Joseph by Nguyen Loc Lan

Friday

8:00 a.m.

February 1

S.I. of Joseph & Sylvia Mione by
Bob & Penny Mione

Saturday

5:30 p.m.

February 2

+Felipe H. Salazar by Felipe &
Diane Salazar

Altar flowers are provided in celebration of the wedding anniversary of Bill & Edwina Cernosek.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
January 27, 2008



Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17
Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20
Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Mk 4:21-25
Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

TABERNACLE CANDLES - Ernie Valencia

Families and individuals can honor the memory of a loved one through dedication of a Mass or by sponsoring the purchase of tabernacle candles or altar flowers in the person's memory. Requested donations are \$5 for a Mass or tabernacle candle and \$50 for altar flowers. Contact Gloria in the parish office.

PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY:

January 27, 2008

9:00 a.m. Boy Scout Donuts – Parish Hall
10:30 a.m. RCIA – Library
1:00 p.m. Musicians' Pot Luck Lunch – Parish Hall

MONDAY:

January 28, 2008

7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul – Youth Room
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts – Parish Hall

TUESDAY:

January 29, 2008

3:00 p.m. Olan Mills Photography – Parish Hall
7:00 p.m. RCIA – Rm. 110/120

WEDNESDAY: January 30, 2008

3:00 p.m. Olan Mills Photography – Parish Hall
6:30 p.m. Angel Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Life Teen – Youth Room
7:30 p.m. St. Gregory Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
7:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study – Rm. 110/120

THURSDAY: January 31, 2008

3:00 p.m. Olan Mills Photography – Parish Hall
6:00 p.m. Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Chapel

6:30 p.m. Mass - Chapel

7:00 p.m. Confessions - Chapel

7:00 p.m. 9:00 Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. New Day Grief Ministry – Library

FRIDAY: February 1, 2008

10:00 a.m. Women's Craft Group Mtg. – Parish Hall

3:00 p.m. Olan Mills Photography – Parish Hall

SATURDAY: February 2, 2008

10:00 a.m. Olan Mills Photography – Parish Hall

4:30 p.m. Confessions – Chapel

7:00 p.m. Mardi Gras Family Dance – Parish Hall

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

(not a Holy Day of Obligation)

Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2008

8:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

Altar flowers are not
displayed during the Lenten season.



Angela Wolden – Coordinator

angela@smlifeteen.com

Youth Office: 972-279-6581, ext. 17

Be sure to check out our web site for current
info at www.smlifeteen.com

SUNDAY, JAN. 27, 3-9 PM

Sex – everyone's talking about it

Jason Everett, Catholic Chastity Speaker

We are heading over to St. Ann's in Coppell to listen to a famous and entertaining chastity speaker.

Please be at the church at 3:00 p.m. If you have never heard him speak, or even if you have, you don't want to miss this opportunity. We will go to Mass at St. Ann and stay for their Life Night afterward. ALL Confirmation students must attend this special night, and all high school teens are also invited. It costs nothing; just bring a signed consent form.

NO LIFE NIGHT SUNDAY, FEB. 3

IMPORTANT MEETING: Mexico Mission Trip

Life Teen would like to take a group to Mexico this summer for a mission trip. An informational meeting for parents and teens will be held on Monday, Jan. 28, at 7 p.m. in the Youth Room. We would accompany the youth from St. Francis in Frisco. Their leader, Steve Nasche, has led this mission trip for the past seven years and knows all the ins and outs. If you or your teen is interested in learning more about this trip, PLEASE ATTEND this meeting. We will go over trip details and safety precautions as well as answer your questions. Both Steve Nasche and our Safe Environment Coordinator will be present. It is important that we decide on this trip soon because everyone going will need to have a passport to cross the border. This can be an exciting and life changing opportunity for our teens. The trip is open to St. Michael high school students (must have completed freshman year).

IS SOMEONE AMONG YOU ILL?

If a member of your family is going into surgery, recovering from surgery, or suffering from a life-threatening illness or injury, call Gloria Perez in the parish office at 972-279-6581, ext. 10, or leave a message on her extension with your name and phone number. The name of the person to be

remembered will also be included in the Prayers of the Faithful during Sunday Masses.

PASTORAL SERVICES – DIOCESE OF DALLAS

- Deacon Charlie Stump



Pastoral Services at the Diocese of Dallas sends appreciation to all parishioners and parish groups for their generous donations of eyeglasses benefitting our Medical Mission to Honduras to help our brothers and sisters there. May God bless you all.

HOMEWORK ASSISTANCE/TUTORING PROGRAM

The Cathedral of Guadalupe is seeking:

- Volunteer tutors to help 4th-8th graders with their schoolwork and in acquiring basic skills of reading, English, and math. Need to be available Tuesday and/or Thursday evenings (6:15-8:15 p.m.) from mid-January through May 22. Tutoring materials and training will be provided.
- Volunteer clerical assistant who speaks and writes fluently in English and Spanish. Needs to be available either Tuesday and/or Thursday evenings (5:30-8:30 p.m.) from mid-January through May 22.



All volunteers must go through the Safe Environment Program and have safe environment training every 12 months. The cathedral is located at Ross and Pearl in downtown Dallas. For more information or to sign up to help, please contact Sister JT Dwyer at sjtdwyer@att.net.

ST. BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

- David Lopez



The St. Bernard of Clairvaux School will be holding an Open House on Sunday, Jan. 27, from 2 to 4 p.m. Teachers and Principal Leos will be available to answer questions and conduct tours. We are a small Catholic school located near White Rock Lake attempting to increase our enrollment by reaching out to the East Dallas community and nearby suburbs. The school does not require families to be registered parishioners of St. Bernard Church in order to receive discounted tuition rates. For more information please call 214-321-2897.

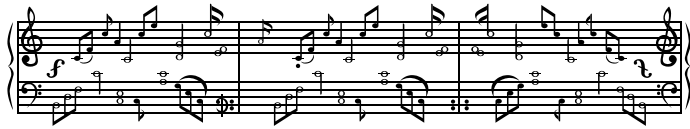
ST. MICHAEL FOOD PANTRY - Bob Mione

The St. Michael Food Pantry is in need of baby diapers of all sizes. Please place donations in the baskets located in the narthex. Your donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you!!



LITURGICAL CATECHESIS - Penny Mione

"Music and song are more than an embellishment of worship; they are themselves part of the liturgical action. Solemn sacred music is not therefore a kind of addition that frames the liturgy and makes it more pleasing but an important means of active participation in worship." (Pope Benedict XVI)



THIS IS OUR FAITH - Lynette Schnitzius

During Lent we will continue our study of the teachings of the Catholic Faith with our focus on the sacraments. Please join us if you would like to learn more about our faith. There are sessions available on Sunday and Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. and Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. This is a good opportunity to do something special for Lent this year. The Tuesday sessions will begin on Feb. 5 and the Sunday sessions will begin on Feb. 10. If you would like to attend, please call Lynette Schnitzius at 972-286-0648.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) - Lynette Schnitzius



The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** is the process through which interested adults are gradually introduced to the Roman Catholic faith and way of life. The RCIA is the result of directives from Vatican Council II for the restoration of the ancient process of initiating adults into the Catholic Christian Community. St. Michael Parish has implemented this practice through a dismissal session every Sunday morning at the 10:30 Mass, along with a Tuesday night catechetical session at 7 p.m. Please greet and welcome these adults as they make their journey to conversion over the next few months. **Please join us** at their full initiation into the St. Michael Parish Community at the Easter Vigil. Our candidates and catechumens may be identified by a wooden cross worn on their person. Contact Lynette Schnitzius at 972-286-0648 if you are interested in joining this ministry.

ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC SCHOOL

St. Pius X Catholic School is having an auction on Feb. 2 after the 5 p.m. Mass. Anyone interested in donating items for the auction can contact Cathy Ramon at 972-303-9081.