

ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: SATURDAY 4:30 - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR ADEQUATE PREPARATION, COUPLES

SHOULD CONTACT THE PRIEST FOUR, PREFERABLY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE WEDDING
IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING A SACRAMENT THIS YEAR, A RECENT COPY OF YOUR BAPTISMAL RECORD MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE PARISH.

(SATURDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 5:30 PM) (SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM)

TWENTY-SIXTH, SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TIME- September 27, 2020

TODAY, September 27

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – People of the Parish

Mass – 11:00 a.m. – Nita Archer

MONDAY, September 28

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Sue Straws

TUESDAY, September 29

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Andy Gannon

WEDNESDAY, September 30

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – The Storner Family

THURSDAY, October 1

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – The Shively

FRIDAY, October 2

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Special Intentions (A.F.)

SATURDAY, October 3

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – Special Intentions (R.C.)

PRAY FOR ***The Sick in our Community***

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Jim Conway, Bobbie Anderson, Karen Zwissler, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, John Alford, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Frances Powell, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Lori Stevens, Dan Welp, Ashley Zeponi, Donna Carpenter, David Horner, Teresa Marshall, Connie Greer, Patricia Thompkins, Lea Floyd, Larry Lucchesi, Joyce Reece, Darlene Smith, Martha Martin, Margaret Jo Rose, Virgil Carter, Marvin Webster, Charles Trahan, Jonathan Greer, Buddy Irby, Nancy Lucchesi, Rosemary Gordon, Alex Baylot, Phillip Peeler, Avis Phillips, Bobbie Carlisle, Jacob Engram, Kaci McWhorter, Michael Goff, Joe Zelasko, Kimberly Stewart, Justin Gilman, Martha Smith, Michael Joseph Dow, Stephen Assenheimer, David Hyde and Richard Smith.

Lay Ministry

October 3 -4

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. -

8:30 a.m. -

11:00 a.m. -

Lector/Commentator

5:30 p.m. - Gwyn Neill - Joanne - Wright

8:30 a.m. - Jeff Eckstein - Teri Vollor

11:00 a.m. - Mark Jourdon - Mimi Mitchell

Ministers of

Holy Communion

5:30 p.m. - Sharon Andrews, Gayle Dolan,
Tod Dorbeck, Nan & Tim Welp

8:30 a.m. - Patricia Bull, Sssan Smith, Jerry Roberts
Adrienne Eckstein, Lisa McCollum

11:00 a.m. - Mary Arledge, Ana RuiZ, Anita Webb,
Brian Lambiotte, Marion Robetson

Collection – 9/20/20 – Regular: \$ 8,139.00

9/27/20 – Sue Fowler, Marsha Buell, Joane Clarke

10/04/20 – Myrtle Alvarado, Dottie Brown,
Kathy Castellane



We gratefully acknowledge the Altar Flowers given in loving memory of Frank and Ann Weaver by Duke and Evelyn Weaver.

SPECIAL MASSES – Each time Mass is offered it is offered for a special intention, i.e., in honor of, or in memory of, a loved one, or on special occasions such as marriage anniversaries, birthdays, or other important occasions. Mass may also be offered for things such as world peace, for more vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, in thanksgiving, or for an end to abortion. You may schedule them through the parish office. The stipend is \$10.00

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –

This Tuesday Rosary at 6:30 p.m. with 5th Tuesday Rosary Social at 7 p.m. All parishioners are invited for free meal. All Social distancing guidelines are to be followed.

This Year's KC Drawdown will be held on Oct. 11th It will be a "Virtual" drawdown with takeout food, Tickets are \$75 each. Tickets can be purchased from Chad Sonnek 601-618-4220 or John Piazza at 601-218-3318., online – see website -, or curbside day of the event.

Oct 4th – KC Novena for Life Rosary will be held each Sunday before Mass for nine weeks beginning this Sunday. Here at St. Michael it will be in the Chapel at 10:30 a.m. This week's intercession; May a culture of life grow ever stronger in our communities.

September 27 – 12 – 1:30 p.m. Annual KC Ladies Auxiliary Brunch at the KC Home. All ladies are invited to attend. We will social distance, and hand sanitizer will be provided.

4th Degree Turkey Dinner is scheduled for lunch on Sunday, Nov. 8th

KC Substance Abuse Poster and Essay contests are ongoing. Entries are due November 1. See the KC website for entry form and details.

For more info check KC Facebook page.

KC Knight of the Month for August is Will Halpin

KC Family of the Month for August is the Jerry Roberts family.

RCIA — Begins on Wednesday, Oct 7th at 6:30 p.m. in the Education Building. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or just learning more about the Catholic Faith please invite them to come and see. For more information please contact Cheryl Roberts at RCIA.st.michael.vickburg@gmail.com or 601-629-9334.

MEALS ON WHEELS – St. Michael participates on the 2nd Friday of each month beginning at 8:00 am in the Parish Hall. If you would like to help by cooking, boxing meals or delivering please contact Carrie Meyer at (601) 218-1007 or Ashton Hotard at (817) 946-0773. Thank you!!

RIVER CITY RESCUE MISSION - Please consider helping St. Michael Catholic Church provide a monthly meal to the River City Rescue Mission. Since 2008 St. Michael has helped feed local residents once a month. If interested please contact David McHan wdmchan@gmail.com) 601-618-9402 or the parish office.

BRICK GARDEN - Our parish brick garden is in NEED of some fertilizer!!! As I am sure you have noticed, there are lots of openings for new brick orders. Please consider honoring, memorializing or recognizing someone with this fundraising effort for our parish. You may download an order form from the website or pick up a form from the parish library. A small brick is \$50 and a large brick is \$100. Please contact Sharon Andrews at 601-636-7611 with any questions. Thank you in advance for your order.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION- One of our parishioners, Bill Nelson is offering his services as a Spiritual Director. Bill was a seminarian in the Jesuit order for ten years. He is approved for this ministry by our diocese. Anyone interested in Spiritual Direction or learning about Spiritual direction can reach Bill at 217-369-2335.

STAINED GLASS UPDATE

There is one stained glass window that has not been sponsored. It is the window depicting the wheat and manna from Heaven. If you are interested, please notify Fr. Robert.

FREE ROSARY REPAIR SERVICE - Send your broken rosaries in a padded envelope to: Betty and Dick Holden at 7930 Estero Blvd. #502, Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931. They will repair and return it to you within the week of receipt. Donations of old and broken rosaries are also accepted which will be repaired and sent on to the missions. Include a note indicating repair and return to me or this is a donation. Contact info is holdenbnd@gmail.com

to contact Valerie McClellan, victims Assistance Coordinator at 601-326-3728.

CYO – Youth group will meet this month on September 20th and 27th. 7-8th grades 3:00-4:30 p. m.; 9-12th grades 5-6:30 p. m. Farrell Hall, (825 Crawford St.) Security will be provided. Please wear a mask.

Parents/Guardians of students in CYO, please return consent forms to Wilson Locke at St. Paul either by mail or with your child at the CYO meeting. Thanks!

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| If you, or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, or learning more about the Catholic Faith, please call Cheryl Roberts at 629-9334 or e-mail c.c.roberts07@gmail.com to inquire about the RCIA program. |
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ANGELS OF MERCY – Provide assistance to new and expectant mothers in St. Michael Parish. If your family is expecting, please contact Launo Moore at 601-415-5575 so we may keep your family in our prayers,

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION – If you are new to our parish please register as a parishioner. Registration

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE – We are here to help you and your family while dealing with the loss of a loved one. Volunteers prepare meals for parishioners who suffer a loss in their family. If this committee can be of help to you, please contact the Parish office. *We are always happy to have new volunteers in this ministry.* *If you would like to help in any way, please contact Christy Middleton at 601-638-3675 or the Parish office*

forms are on the library counter in the vestibule of the church. You may place them in the collection basket or they can be brought to the Parish office.

CALLED TO PROTECT

In accordance with the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People passed by the U.S. bishops in Dallas, the Diocese of Jackson wishes to encourage any victim of sexual abuse by a member of the Catholic Clergy to come forward and begin the healing process. When an allegation is found to be credible, counseling will be offered, so that the healing process can begin in accord with our present diocesan policy. We encourage any victim