



"...and He was transfigured before them..." Mark 9:2
Climb the mountain of self-denial, turn your heart to God, and be transformed.



MONDAY Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38
TUESDAY Is 1:10,16-20; Mt 23:1-12
WEDNESDAY 2Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16; Rom 4:13,16-18
 Mt 1:16,18-21
THURSDAY Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31
FRIDAY Gn 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28; Mt 21:33-43
SATURDAY Mi 7:14-15,18-20; Lk 15:1-3,11-32
SUNDAY Ex 20:1-17; Rom 5:1-2,5-8; Jn 4:5-42
 Daily readings: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/index.htm>



Lenten Schedule

Turn your heart to God and find peace.

MARCH

16 Second Sunday of Lent
21 Fish Fry 5:30p.m. Family Life Center
 Stations of the Cross – 7:00p.m.

23 Third Sunday of Lent
28 Fish Fry 5:30p.m. FLC
 Stations of the Cross – 7:00p.m.

30 Fourth Sunday of Lent

APRIL

4 Fish Fry 5:30p.m. FLC
 Stations of the Cross – 7:00p.m.
6 Fifth Sunday of Lent
7 Parish Reconciliation Service – 5 Priests hearing Confessions

11 Fish Fry 5:30p.m. FLC
 Stations of the Cross – 7:00p.m.

13 PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

HOLY WEEK BEGINS

17 HOLY THURSDAY –
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30p.m.

18 GOOD FRIDAY – NO MASS –
Veneration of the Cross – 3:00p.m.
Stations of the Cross – 7:00p.m.

19 HOLY SATURDAY – Easter Vigil
Blessing of Easter Baskets – 11:00a.m.
Easter Vigil – 7:30p.m.

20 EASTER SUNDAY
Masses: 8:00a.m.
 9:30a.m. Church
 9:30a.m. Hall
 11:00a.m. Church
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I will walk before the LORD, in the land of the living.

MASS INTENTIONS
MARCH 18 THROUGH MARCH 23

TUESDAY 5:30P.M. †Mary Agnes Aderholz by Frank & Joan Keifel
WEDNESDAY 8:30A.M. †Joe Dale Psencik by Allyne Psencik
THURSDAY 5:30P.M. †C.J. Vitek by Dorothy Vitek
FRIDAY 8:30A.M. †Joe Dale Psencik by Al & Connie Coignet
SATURDAY 5:30P.M. †Juan Longoria, Jr. by Joe Ray & Jeanette Matzke
SUNDAY 8:00A.M. †Joe Dale Psencik by Boots & Ruth Ermis
 9:30A.M. †Margaret Orsak by Joe Ray & Jeanette Matzke
 11:00A.M. †Pearl Williams by John & Shirley Girouard

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Calistra Ramirez, sister of Theresa Hernandez, aunt of Anna Tullos and Terri Sanchez.



Francine Abbey, Savana Allen, Hugo Arevalo, Billy Ray Barnett, Janet Barone, Robert Behr, Mark Behrman, Scott Blanchard, Josephine Bogo, Bennie Paul Bono, Jeremy Bump, Maria Castillo, Larry Cavaness, James Christie, Ruth Cleaver, Jay Cormier, Mary Coxle, Cecil Cromeans,

Lorene Cromeans, Anita Cromis, Gene Curtis, Dorothy D'Augusta, Pete D'Augusta., Barbara Dillon, Charlie Dirba, Terry Ditzges, Cody Drapela, Lenora Duval, Isabel Evans, Payton Ewald, Marcella Ezell, Marilyn Flaherty, Clark Flournoy, Marcia Flournoy, Jared Floyd, Norma Forey, Lucille Fourrier, Emily Garcia, Craig Garrison, Robert Goodpaster, Kathy Goolsby, Barbara Grant, Dolores Haack, Arthur Haas, Dorothy Harnden, Maury Havlik, Lorraine Hayes, Vince Henderson, Wanda Henry, Adela Hernandez, Kristen Hinojosa, Pam Hocutt, Mike Jankowiak, Rae Holt, Brenda Kelley, Rebecca Kelly, Taylor Kibodeaux, Gloria Kissinger, Jerry Lacoume, Joe Langston, Ray Langston, Sarah Langston, Tristan Cade Lawson, **Tim & Larry Loftus**, Robin Loftus, Mary Martinez, Chaulzie Massie, Mary McClintock, Irene McGaughey, Ed McGuckin, Vicky Melton, Ounida Muniza, William Neely, Anne Newman, Jean Newport, Natalie Pena, Johnny Peres, III, Doris Perryman, Carolyn Peterson, Cecelia Peterson, Anna Mae Reixach., Christina Robinson, Gabriella Rodriguez, Mary Rogers, John Rosser, Doris Rutkowski, Catherine Shaw, Billie Stricklin, Joshua Teague, Linda Thompson, Jennifer Villarreal, Patricia Walichowski, Anna Mae Walters, Evelyn White, John Edward White, Patricia Williams, Ed Windler, Harold Wolf, Margaret Young and Jack Yonge.

(Bold denotes new on prayer list this week)

MARCH CALENDAR

- 16 No Class – Holiday
- 21 Stations of the Cross 7pm
- 22 "Nun Run" to Victoria convent
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- 26 Confirmation I
- Candidate/Sponsor Mtng in FLC 7pm
- 28 Stations of the Cross 7pm
- 29 Breakfast with the Easter Bunny for children and Youth Mission participants – a fundraiser!
- 30 Class – 6:30pm



ATTENTION WOMEN

Mark your calendar! Lenten Day of Reflection Tuesday, March 18, 2003, Sponsored by Women of St. Michael's. For information, contact Betty Betczynski, 285-9139.

We are accepting donations for this year's Easter Flowers. They will be \$15 each and a list of those donations will appear in the Easter Bulletin, similar to the one for the Christmas Flowers. If you wish to donate a flower in memory of or in honor of a loved one, call the office.



ATTENTION 2003 GRADUATING SENIORS: Applications for scholarships have been or will be mailed soon from the Youth Ministry office, women's club, Hispanic Ministry, Knights of Columbus. If you do not receive a letter or scholarship application, please call the Youth Office.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW: The Graduation Mass and luncheon is scheduled for Sunday, May 18th. Look for upcoming details in the near future.

Women of St. Michael's, you are invited to join the Fort Bend Theresian Communities for a day of prayer and reflection, "Clay in the Hands of the Potter", Thursday, April 10, 9a.m.-3p.m. at St. Theresa's Community Center, 115 7th St., Sugar Land. For more information call Jody Epps, 297-8804.

Cash Back for School

If you make a purchase from any Mall store, restaurant or push cart, between March 15 and April 30, points for every dollar spent will be given to any local elementary school of your choice. Receipts can be turned in at the customer service desk.

St. Mary, Star of the Sea K.J.Z.T. #115 will meet March 18th at 10:00a.m. at 103 Oleander, Lake Jackson.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2003
June 16-20 9a.m.-12:00p.m.

Take a journey down the Nile River. We will be exploring God's word in **Treasures of the Nile – On an Expedition to Jesus.** We have a week loaded with games, crafts, music and lots of fun! Your young

explorer won't want to miss it. Come join the caravan, **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED.** For more information call Tricia, 297-3017.

Beginning Sunday, March 23rd, 7:00 p.m., and continuing each evening through Wednesday, March 26th, Father Jack Conley, Passionist Missionary, will break open the Bread of God's Word. He offers us an opportunity to deepen our relationship with Christ. Don't miss this outstanding time of Spiritual awakening and growth in your own faith life. Services are each evening at 7pm. For directions or more information call 798-2288.

KJT Mass for living and deceased members, Saturday, March 22 at 6:00 p.m., at St. Jerome's in Clute. KJT members urged to attend.

†††† CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH ††††

The Women's CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH weekend of Renewal will be held on April 5-6. This weekend will be a wonderful Lenten opportunity to grow spiritually closer to Christ. A registration table has been set up in the hallway of the FAMILY LIFE CENTER. Our Women's CRHP team invites you to come by to sign up for the weekend or to receive more information. If you have questions about the weekend you can also call Connie Coignet at 297-7000 or Tricia Langner at 299-6176.

Our Sincere Thanks

There is no way to express thanks enough for hosting our annual Wild Game Dinner. I am always amazed at the hospitality extended from your church family. You are so gracious. Thank you for all that you do to help Faith in Action be the hands and feet of Christ to the Brazosport Area. We will be assisting the chronically ill, elderly, and disabled in home maintenance for another year because of you. Thank you so much.

Viki Carter, Faith in Action of Brazosport

Our Lady Queen of Peace, a regional PK-8 school with an enrollment of 320 located in Richwood, Texas, seeks applicants for the position of principal for 2003-04. Applicant must be a practicing Catholic and must have a master's degree, preferably in educational administration. Priority consideration given to applicants who possess some administrative experience and a minimum of three years of teaching experience. Please call, write, or e-mail to request application materials. Alternately, an application may be printed from the diocesan website. <http://www.diogh.org/catholicschooloff.htm> Position open until filled.

Contact information: Norm Glismann, 2403 Holcombe Blvd. , Houston, TX 77021; Phone: 713-741-8704; E-mail: glismann@diogh.org ; Website: <http://www.diogh.org>

Mark your calendar! Join the Women of St. Michael's "Solace in the City" Outing on Saturday, March 22nd. Admission is free to the self-paced walking tour of the three de Menil chapels; Rothko Chapel, Chapel of St. Basil at St. Thomas, and the Byzantine Fresco Chapel Museum. Preceded by lunch. RSVP by 3/20/03 to Susan Lacy at 297-8568. Carpooling from church front parking lot at 10:34a.m.; returning by 5:30p.m.