



Today's Psalm says, "The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy." Good stewards demonstrate by their living and giving

that they understand God as the Source of all they are and have.



MONDAY Rom 8:12-17; Lk 13:10-17
TUESDAY Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16
WEDNESDAY Rom 8:26-30; Lk 13:22-30
THURSDAY Rom 8:31-39; Lk 13:31-35
FRIDAY Rom 9:1-5; Lk 14:1-6
SATURDAY Rv 7:2-4,9-14; 1Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a
SUNDAY Dn 12:1-3; Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-4

Daily readings: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/index.htm>



We have an open hour in the Adoration Chapel on Thurs. 9-10 a.m. If you are interested, please call Arlene Becker, 798-8388.



Attention all Eucharistic Ministers:

Only one last training session; All Em's (new & experienced) who have not already attended training in August 2003 should plan to attend the following session:

Wednesday, November 5 7-9:30pm.

We will start promptly in the church area closest to the Tabernacle. Please bring your Bible. If you have questions or wish to be removed from the EM Mass schedule, please contact Lynne Hanrahan 480-0709.

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OCTOBER 28 THROUGH NOVEMBER 2
MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY 5:30P.M. †Helen & Rex Parks
WEDNESDAY 8:30A.M. †Elizabeth Kainer
7:00P.M. For Bereaved Parishioners
THURSDAY 5:30P.M. For Vocations
FRIDAY 8:30A.M. †Jack Cranley
5:30P.M. †Susan Sevitz
SATURDAY 5:30P.M. †Joe Dale & Alfred Psencik
SUNDAY 8:00A.M. †Maude Broussard
9:30A.M. †Wanda Hanks
11:00A.M. †Elizabeth Kainer



Ed Ahlrich, Nick Alfano, Jack Bartlett, Bennie Paul Bono, **Don Brawley** David Butler, Maria Castillo, Larry Cavaness, Sister Mary Charitas, James Christie, Ruth Cleaver, Dorothy D'Augusta, Pete D'Augusta, Barbara Dillon, Charlie Dirba, Terry Ditzes, Lenora Duval, Marcella Ezell, Clark Flournoy,

Marcia Flournoy, Emily Garcia, Craig Garrison, Muriel Gates, Kathy Goolsby, Barbara Grant, Linda Graves, Arthur Haas, Brandon Habis, Dorothy Harnden, Lorraine Hayes, Wanda Henry, Jerry LaCoume, Mary LaCoume, Ray Langston, Sarah Langston, Tristan Cade Lawson, **Gene Matus**, Nolan Joseph McAda, Mary McClintock, Irene McGaughey, Karen Moran. Jean Newport, Adrian Nye, Doris Perryman, Carolyn Peterson, Cecelia Peterson, Judy Prihoda, Joe Ragland, June Ragland, Hattie Richter, Mary Rogers, Billie Stricklin, "Vinnie", Allen Williams, Patricia Williams.

(Bold denotes new on prayer list this week)

25th and 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Were you married in 1953 or 1978? If so, St.

Michael's Pastoral Council and the parishioners of St. Michael's would like to celebrate with you. There will be a special blessing at the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday **November 11, 2003**, with a reception following in the Angelina room after Mass.

Please R.S.V.P. to Michelle Guillory at 297-4563 by Tuesday November 4th.



Priesthood Sunday – USA October 26, 2003

Across our Nation, this Sunday has been set aside to reflect, pray celebrate and say

"Thank You" to our priests.

We at St. Michael's, are especially thankful for Father Leo and for the many (19) years of loving service he has given to our parish community. When he came to St. Michael's, he asked the Holy Spirit to guide us and lead us in our spiritual growth. And then, as he has often said "I just try to stay out of the Spirit's way". **Thank you Father Leo**, and may the peace of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit be with you always. *The Community (parishioners) of St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Lake Jackson.*

The Knights of Columbus will sponsor their annual Halloween Carnival after the 5:30pm Mass on



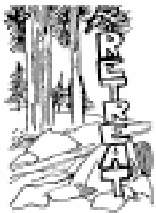
Friday, October 31, in the Family Life Center. Come to Mass in costume. Admission: canned goods for St. Vincent de Paul.

Youth Ministry
OCTOBER CALENDAR
26 Canned Food Drive
NOVEMBER CALENDAR



- 2 Class 6:30pm
Team Teacher/Peer Leader Mtg 5pm
- 9 Class 6:30pm
- 16 Class 6:30pm
- 23 ****Toy Delivery Tags handed out****
Class 6:30pm
- 30 NO CLASS - HOLIDAY

Don't miss this opportunity! Normally you have to drive to Houston for this program! There will be a **Father/Son Program** offered here at St. Michael's on Sunday, November 2 beginning at 1:30pm. The program is for **Fathers & Sons (11-14 year old boys)**. This program explores God's special gift of human fertility and the beauty and wonder of the changes that occur in the process of growing up. Space is limited and reservations are required. Cost \$20 per family. Registration forms are on bulletin board in Family Life Center Hallway. Contact Janice Rodrigue or Marsha Jacklitsch at 297-3043 for more information.



Retreat for Men

Plan on making our retreat at Holy Name Retreat Center with our parish October 31-November 2, and find the answers to some of the questions you may have been asking. During the weekend you can experience God's love, healing, peace and forgiveness.

Join the men of our parish. To register, call Tony Bernard, 297-3864 or Clark Flournoy, 297-4642.



Monsignor Leo Wleczyk will celebrate a candlelit Memorial Mass for the deceased of St. Michael's and their families. A solemn roll call will remember both the dearly departed and the bereaved as their names are

offered up to the Lord in prayer. October 29th, 6:30p.m. Rosary, and Mass at 7:00p.m. For more information, check the bulletin insert of Oct. 2526 or call Mary Ann Haley, 297-2114.

There will be a meeting of Hospital Ministers this Sunday, October 26, in the Angelina Room at 3:00pm. Current Hospital Ministers and any one interested in this worthy ministry, plan to attend. For further information, call Lillie Alcala, 265-6426 or Lynne Hanrahan, 480-0709.

St. Mary: Star of the Sea, Freeport will have their **Annual Turkey Dinner** this Sunday, October 26, 11:30am till 1:30pm in the church hall. **Adult** meal tickets are \$6; children's tickets (12 & under) \$4. Also a Country Store

Catholic Education for Every Child
A committee in our diocese is gathering information to determine the need and demand for a school or program for children with special learning needs. At the present time the **DIAGNOSED** special needs of Dyslexia, Learning Disability, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, Attention Deficit Disorder, and High Functioning Autism are the special needs the committee is hoping to address.

You are being asked to complete a very brief questionnaire related to this topic. You may be a parent/guardian who has a child who possesses one or more of the special needs listed above, or you may simply be a person interested in this topic. No matter what your level of interest is in this all-important topic, your participation is requested.

The questionnaire may be accessed via the diocesan web site at

www.diogh.org/board_form.htm

If you don't have access to the Internet, you can call the Catholic Schools Office, 713-741-8704 and request that a questionnaire be faxed or mailed to you. Thank you for your participation in this information gathering process!

KJT will meet in the St. Cyril Room on Tuesday, November 4 after attending the 6:30pm Mass at St. Jerome. All members urged to attend.

KJT Mass for deceased members Saturday, November 8th at 6:pm, St. Jerome Church, Clute. All members urged to attend.

Dear Girl Scouts,

God bless each of you for all the baby items.

Our babies are going to be so happy. Thank you Cadettes for organizing the baby shower and for all that gave the gifts. There is such a need for all the items you brought. May God bless each one of you. Love, Jackie Fuller Director (Pregnancy Help Center)

