



All that we have and all that we are comes from the Lord. "We are truly his handiwork", says St. Paul in the second reading, "created in Christ Jesus to lead a life of good deeds which God prepared for us in advance".

**MONDAY** 2Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16; Rom 4:13,16-18,22; Mt 1:16,18-21,24a  
**TUESDAY** Dn 3:25,34-43; Mt 18:21-35  
**WEDNESDAY** Dt 4:1,5-9; Mt 5:17-19  
**THURSDAY** Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23  
**FRIDAY** Hos 14:2-10; Mk 12:28-34  
**SATURDAY** Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
**SUNDAY** 2Chr 36:14-16,19-23; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21  
 Daily readings: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/index.htm>

**MARCH**  
**26 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

Masses: 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00a.m.  
 Vespers 6:30p.m. "F"



**Wing**  
**31** 6:00a.m. Mass  
 8:30a.m. Mass  
 5:00p.m. Fish Fry (take out or eat in) & Raffle  
 7:00p.m. Youth Stations of the Cross

**APRIL**  
**2 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

Masses: 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00a.m.  
 St. Michael's Family Fun Fest here on grounds Serving from 11:00-?  
 Vespers 6:30p.m. "F" Wing  
**3** Parish Penitential Service (7 priests hearing confessions) 7p.m.  
**4** Mass at 8:30a.m. Women's Club at 9:00a.m.  
**7** First Friday of April  
 6:00a.m. Mass  
 8:30a.m. Mass – Sacrament of the Sick following Mass  
 5:00p.m. **LAST** Fish Fry (take out or eat in) & Raffle  
 7:00p.m. Stations



**9 PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**  
 Masses: 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00a.m.

**13 HOLY THURSDAY**  
 MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER 7:00p.m.

**14 GOOD FRIDAY**  
 3:00p.m. Reading of the Passion and Veneration of the Cross  
 7:00 Stations

**15 HOLY SATURDAY**  
 10:30a.m. Blessing of Easter Food  
 7:30p.m. Mass of the Vigil of Easter

**16 RESSURECTION OF THE LORD**  
 Masses 8:00a.m., 9:30a.m. (church & hall), 11:00a.m. (church & hall)



LET MY TONGUE BE SILENCED,  
 IF I EVER FORGET YOU!

**MARCH 28 THROUGH APRIL 2**  
**MASS INTENTIONS**

**TUESDAY** 5:30P.M. †Michael Polishak;  
 †Dora Lopez  
**WEDNESDAY** 8:30A.M. †Jerry LaCoume;  
 †Ivo Schoppe  
**THURSDAY** 5:30P.M. †Johnnie McGregor;  
 Rita Bergeron  
**FRIDAY** 6:00A.M. †Pete Golla  
 8:30A.M. †Clark Fournoy;  
 †Jerry LaCoume  
**SATURDAY** 5:30P.M. †Randy Crosley;  
 †Clark Fournoy  
**SUNDAY** 8:00A.M. †Maria Guadalupe Gutierrez;  
 †Mark Klockentager  
 †George Sautchook  
 9:30A.M. †Ted Cooper;  
 †Jerry LaCoume  
 †Ella Creswell Rentrop  
 11:00A.M. †Sidney & Sophie Walenta;  
 †Lillian Williams

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Stanley Bohac, brother of Frank Bohac; also for the soul of Dominga M. Garcia, mother of John Garcia, grandmother of Justin.



Ryan Barnes, Brenda Bartlett, Betty Betczynski, Ann Bomba, Paul Bono, John Buettner, Barbara Dillon, Charlie Dirba, James Dornak, Lenora Duval, Tom Elder, Marcia Fournoy, Isabel Gore, Wright Gore, Arthur Haas, Cindi Hakanson, Belia

Hardesty, Doris Harpham, **Chuck Honea**, **Mike Kaatz**, **Vickie Kaatz**, Mary LaCoume, Ray Langston, Sarah Langston, **Adele LeBouef**, **John May**, Sally Muhl, Doris Perryman, Avis Quandt, Joe Ragland, June Ragland, Kenny Rentrop, John Rosser, Vince Rowan, Mary Rogers, **Tommy Tumlinson**.

(Bold denotes new on prayer list or in crisis.)

Each Sunday during, we will have Evening Vespers, followed by an adult formation by Ed Speed entitled "The Church is Called to Reconciliation". This will take place in the "F" Wing from 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. Flyers will be available in the back of church. Vespers is a beautiful, peaceful way to end the week and begin the next. Please plan to join us.



Please pray for our youth who are coming into the Church during the Easter Season, for God's blessings and that the Holy Spirit be their guide: **Carlos Bargas** (Baptism and First Communion), and the following making their First Holy Communion: **Jeffrey, Jake, and Michael (MJ) Hertzling**, and, **Casey and Dustin Jones**.



**YOUTH MINISTRY**

March  
 26 HS 3-5pm Texas Bowling, followed  
 by Pizza Social  
 KITE Ministry (Jr. Team & Team)  
 5:30pm  
 6:30pm Class  
 HS Adult Leadership Mtg. 5:15pm 149/150  
 Jr. HS Adult Leader Mtg. 5:15pm SLC  
 31 Youth Stations of the Cross 7pm church



**ATTENTION 2006 GRADUATING SENIORS:** Applications for scholarships have been or will be mailed soon from the Youth Ministry Office, the Women's Club, Catholic Daughters, Knights of Columbus, and Hispanic Ministry. If you do not receive letters or scholarship applications, please call the Youth Office.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW:** The Graduation Mass and Luncheon is scheduled for Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. Look for upcoming details in the near future.



**VBS 2006: The Gospel Express is coming June 26-30!!!** We need help collecting VBS supplies: Empty 2 liter bottles, cereal boxes, puzzle pieces and pinecones. If you have any of these items, please drop them off at the church office.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY'S & RAFFLES**  
 Each Friday of Lent, March 3 thru April 7<sup>th</sup> the Knights will hold their annual Fish Fry's and Raffles in the Family Life Center from 5-7pm. Adults \$8per plate, kids under 12yrs \$5per plate. Weekly raffle drawing—two \$50 gift cards (6:45pm) at first 5 fish fry's. Final drawing multiple prizes (6:45pm) on April 7<sup>th</sup>.



- Are you searching for a church to call your own?
- Do you struggle with questions about life – death – suffering – hope – forgiveness – love – God?

- Ever Wonder Why Catholics worship the way they do?
- Do you have questions about what we really believe?
- Look no further. Watch this space.



Mark your calendar for St. Michael's Family Fun Fest Sunday, April 2nd from 11:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on our Church grounds.



Includes BBQ, Live & Silent auctions, Raffle, Children's Activities, Games, Booths, Entertainment, and more!  
 Buy your BBQ tickets, Raffle Tickets, and Wristbands for Children's Activities EARLY. Sales and Helper Sign-Up after all Masses in the Family

Life Center this weekend and next. Also mail Parcel Post gift packages to the Church address (100 Oak Drive South) by March 26th. For more information, see St. Michael's web site at [www.smlj.org](http://www.smlj.org) <[www.smlj.org](http://www.smlj.org)> . or contact Patti Trahan at 297-2591.



There is an open hour in the Chapel on Thursday, from 11am to 12noon. Please call Arlene Becker, 798-8388, if you are interested in this hour.

**ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS:**

**Protecting God's Children Workshop for Adults**

Preventing child sexual abuse is the goal of a new program selected by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. "Protecting God's Children for Adults" educates clergy, staff and volunteers who work with children. The 3-hour session includes videos and facilitated discussions. **All Clergy, staff and volunteers who have regular contact with children and youth are required to attend training.** The session starts promptly, so please be on time. The following sessions will be held at St. Michael's in the hall of the Family Life Center **6:15 – 9:30 pm.: Tuesday, April 18, Thursday, May 11, Tuesday, August 22, Thursday, September 21.** Please go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org) to register; Call Lisa Ondrey, 297-3043, for more information. **Please note: If you have already attended a previous workshop, you do not need to do so again. You are encouraged to visit the website [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org) to stay up to date with new articles and information.**



**Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus** through the Immaculate Heart of Mary . Consecration means setting yourself aside for a holy purpose. When we consecrate our lives to Mary we become her special servants, making each day a gift to her of our prayers, works, joys and sufferings. Mary magnifies these gifts and offers them to her Son. In return, she gives us her Heart and unites our heart with the Sacred Heart of Jesus



**"A Spiritual Retreat for the Bereaved"**  
**Thursday, April 6th, 9:30 am -- 3:30 pm**

This is an opportunity for all who have experienced a death loss to spend a day of reflection, prayer and sharing. It will be held in the quiet and peaceful atmosphere of the Holy Name Retreat Center, 430 Bunker Hill Rd., Houston. Fee -- \$30.00 includes lunch and handouts. **Deadline is April 3, 2006.** Sponsored by The Samaritan Ministry. For registration and information contact Charlotte Maluski -- 281-589-8936.



**Now is the time to make your donation for the flowers for the church at Easter. Each plant will cost \$15, and can be donated in memory of, or in honor of a loved one. You may either mail your check, along with the names of the people you are honoring, or bring them to the parish office, Monday thru Friday, during office hours. Thank you for your support of our Environment and Art Ministry.**

