



Good stewards strive to conform their lives to that of Christ— emptying themselves of all pride and putting themselves at the service of others.

MONDAY Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11
TUESDAY Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33,36-38
WEDNESDAY Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25
THURSDAY Ex 12:1-8,11-14; 1Cor 11:23-26, Jn 13:1-15
FRIDAY Is 52:13-53:12; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42
SATURDAY As per Lectionary
SUNDAY Acts 10:43a,37-43; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9
 Daily readings: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/index.htm>



APRIL
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 –Begin Divine Mercy Novena
 8:30a.m. Lauds (Morning Prayer)
 3:00p.m. Reading of the Passion and Veneration of the Cross
 7:00 Stations
15 HOLY SATURDAY
 8:30a.m. Lauds (Morning Prayer)
 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)
23 Divine Mercy Sunday

Mercy Mercy Mercy

The Novena to the Divine Mercy given to St. Faustina by Jesus begins on **Good Friday, April 14, 2006** and ends on **Sunday, April 23, 2006.**

There are pamphlets available at the back of church and in the Adoration Chapel for those interested in praying the Mercy Novena. The pamphlet gives details on praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet and includes prayers appropriate for the Novena.

The Divine Mercy Novena will conclude with a service celebrating the Feast of Mercy on **Divine Mercy Sunday** April 23, 2006 at St. Michael's Church at 2:45 p.m.

MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE YOU ABANDONED ME?



APRIL 11 THROUGH APRIL 16

MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY 5:30P.M. †Ivo Schoppe; †Ewell Walker
WEDNESDAY 8:30A.M. †Ed & Nancy Windler ; †Clark Flournoy ; †Dora Lopez
THURSDAY 5:30P.M. †Billy Robein; †Garnet Walsh
FRIDAY NO MASS 3pm Veneration of the Cross
SATURDAY 7:30P.M. †Carl McNair; †Dorothy Todd; †Jerry LaCoume
SUNDAY 8:00A.M. †Maria Guadalupe Gutierrez; †Don Gillman; †Ivo Schoppe ; †Albert & Rosa Romano; †Jerry LaCoume
Church 9:30A.M. †Jerry LaCoume
Hall 9:30A.M. †Lavenia Pafford;
Church 11:00A.M. †Jerry LaCoume
Hall 11:00A.M. †Jerry LaCoume

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Theola Faulk, mother of Dot Libersat.



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

Hakanson, Belia Hardesty, Doris Harpham, **Chuck Honea, 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.)

Palm Sunday evening, we will have our final Vespers service for this Lent. Evening prayer will be followed by a presentation by Professor Ed Speed on the history of Reconciliation in the Church. We meet in the "F" Wing from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. This is a powerful way to start your Holy Week. 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

April

9 Palm Sunday
Class 6:30pm

16 Easter No Class

18 Virtus-Protecting God's Children 6:15pm



NEW MEMBERS OF ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH

JANUARY: Chet & Kathy Moon, Douglas Newman, Margaret Hampson, Lisa Parmley, Angela Villarreal, Timothy & Rhonda Holt, Manuel & Stacy Natal.

FEBRUARY: Nick & Hala Issa, Paul & Lena Gamino, Edward & Gay Iglinsky, Jeremy & Michele Stevens, Paul & Nancy Pearson.

MARCH: Brian & Celeste Rohde, Meredith Reed, Nonam Barton.



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 21st**. Look for upcoming details in the near future.



Graduating Seniors!!

Council 6812 of the Knights of Columbus will be awarding two \$1000 scholarships this year. Criteria for this award include that you are a registered member of St. Michael the Archangel Parish and have been accepted by a University, College, Junior College, Technical School, Business School, or Seminary. **Please return the application and required attachments by April 24, 2006.** Additional applications are available at the Church office.



We need help collecting VBS supplies:

Empty 2 liter bottles, cereal boxes, puzzle pieces, pinecones 6.75 plastic Sunny Delight bottles with lids and 15 oz soft butter tubs If you have any of these items, please drop them off at the church office.



VBS still needs volunteers!!! Teachers and adult aides for all grade levels. To volunteer call Tricia at 297-3017.



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.



OBSERVING THE TRIDUUM - OUR HIGH HOLY DAYS

The Church calls us to an observation of the Triduum, meaning "Three Days" (Holy Thursday evening through Easter Sunday), as a time set apart from our normal hustle and bustle. We are encouraged to fast and pray during this time which are the highest holy days of our church year. In addition to the regular liturgies of the Triduum, following the success of our Lenten Vespers, we will be offering Morning Prayer on both Good Friday and Holy Saturday beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the church. This will be an excellent opportunity to begin those days in communal prayer. Please set aside these times to help your Triduum journey be especially powerful.



Congratulations to the winners of our Family Fun Fest Raffle! 1st. Prize: Lynetter Biediger; 2nd. Prize: Janice Broussard; 3rd. Prize: Mary Jo Woods; 4th. Prize: Alice Drapela. Thanks to all who supported our Picnic!!



Nursery Notes: The church nursery will be open for the following masses on Easter week end: Sat. April 15th, 7:30 p.m. ; Sun. April 16th, 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Children through the age of three/3 years are welcome.

