ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Weekend of November 21 & 22, 2020

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

> Mass Schedule: <u>Weekdays</u> Tuesday-Friday 8am

<u>Weekends</u> Saturday 5pm Sunday 10am

A Season Of THANKSGIVING Jen Lepers a Leaping, Luke 17:11-19

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Confessions: Saturday 4-4:30 pm or by Appointment

Office hours: Tues-Thurs 8:30am-3:30pm *Offices will be closed Thanksgiving Day

Ministry News

<u>St Michael Fund Raising Team-</u>is selling our 2020 Christmas ornaments for \$20 each. Get yours, after Mass, starting this weekend. If you can't get to the church please call the office and we can arrange an ornament purchase for you. Thank you.

<u>~St Michael Card Ministry</u> The card ministry is in need of postage, please consider donating postage or money to this program. This now one of the only ways some of our St Michael family is keeping in touch during COVID and it is one of our favorite Outreach programs which runs purely on your donations.

<u>~St Michael Knights of Columbus</u> The Knights will be hosting a Shrimp Spaghetti Lunch "To Go" on November 29. Curb side pickup starting at 11am, \$7.00 a plate Call ahead (228) 327-2951 or (228) 366-3000 Proceeds to go to the St Vincent DePaul Society. Lunch includes: Shrimp Spaghetti, salad, and bread. Please call ahead to order. If you are interested in becoming a Knight applications are in the back of the church.

<u>Making Strides against Breast Cancer-Team St Michael</u>-A virtual walk this year! Please consider making a donation to help them reach their goal of \$1000 for this year's walk, or if you want to "walk" with them share the link with family and friends and join the team! Thank you so much for your donation and support! Click or copy link here for more information: <u>http://main.acsevents.org/goto/teamstmichael</u>

<u>St Michael Saint Vincent de Paul</u> is now back open, they are opening with limited services of only the food pantry at this time. SVDP would like thank everyone who has donated to this volunteer organization and who continues to donate. The money and food received stays in the East Biloxi area and supports our neighbors directly. Thank you!

St. Michael Volunteer Saturday at Loaves and Fishes is Saturday November 28th, don't forget your mask!

2020 Catholic Sharing Appeal as of November 11, 2020-Goal \$23,757, Pledged-\$11,337.75, Paid-\$10,932.31

SEARCH-What is Search?

A SEARCH Weekend is a Christian life experience. It is peer guided and peer given by the seniors in high school and adult team. On a SEARCH weekend there is haring by the community members songs, prayer, small group discussions, Eucharist, Reconciliation, quiet time and a great fellowship between you and your 'new' friends.

Who can come?

The SEARCH weekend is designed for high school teens (grades 11-12). Applications will be accepted according to the grade levels with SENIORS having first priority. With the realities of COVID-19, we've expanded our efforts this year to reach our young people by providing a day long retreat encounter experience five times this year (one in each deanery) to allow more youth to encounter Christ. Sign-up sheets and more information are in the vestibule of the church or by calling the office.

Dates Dec 5 Sacred Heart D'Iberville, Jan 9-St Mary Gautier, Jan 30-St Thomas Hattiesburg & Feb 27 St Clare Waveland



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Sun Nov 22nd For the People Tues Nov 24th +Alcee Broussard Wed Nov 25th +Becky Theriot Broussard Thurs Nov 26th +Richard Desporte Sr Fri Nov 27th +Laura Creel +Carl Kuluz Sat Nov 28th +Mike & Gloria Halat

Schents In Our Parish

******Please feel free to take a missal home and bring it back and forth with you to church. They are located in the entry.

November 26: Thanksgiving Mass 9am November 28: Loaves & Fishes November 29: Shrimp Spaghetti Lunch To Go-Knight of Columbus (See Detail previous page) December 1: #iGiveCatholic (Opens Nov 16th) December 24: Christmas Vigil Masses 4pm & 6pm December 25: Christmas Day 10am December 31: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Vigil Mass 6pm January 1: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass 10 am

<u>Wanted:</u> St Michael is in need of Altar Servers, Lectors and counters. There is an orientation with Monsignor and you serve based on your schedule. Contact the office.





This Weeks Gospel

Luke 17:11-19

School News

St. Patrick Catholic High School is excited to launch our 2020-21 LUCK OF THE IRISH RAF-FLE, our school's fall fundraiser! The Luck of the Irish Raffle supports all of our athletic teams and student activities at St. Patrick.

Tickets are \$20 each, and a lucky \$1,000 winner will be drawn each month throughout the school year. Each month, the winning ticket remains in the drawing, so those who purchase tickets have a chance to win up to \$10,000. The first drawing was October 16! Tickets can still be purchased online at <u>stpatrickhighschool.net/irishraffle</u>.

In the Diocese

Parishioners at St. Alphonsus Church in Ocean Springs invite you to join them in praying a public rosary on Saturday December 5th at 11am at the Villa Maria on Washington Ave.

Community Notes

Deaconess Hospice in Biloxi is looking to grow a volunteer program to help us all give and serve in our communities. Volunteer opportunities range from administrative duties, running errands for patients, companionship, and much more depending on needs and skills. For more information call Cara Wilson 228-435-2265 or by email cara.wilson@ihcgroup.com

Religious Education

CCD Wednesdays 5:30pm

LifeTeen* Sundays 4pm

RCIA

Tuesdays 6pm

St Michael Fundraising Team presents the

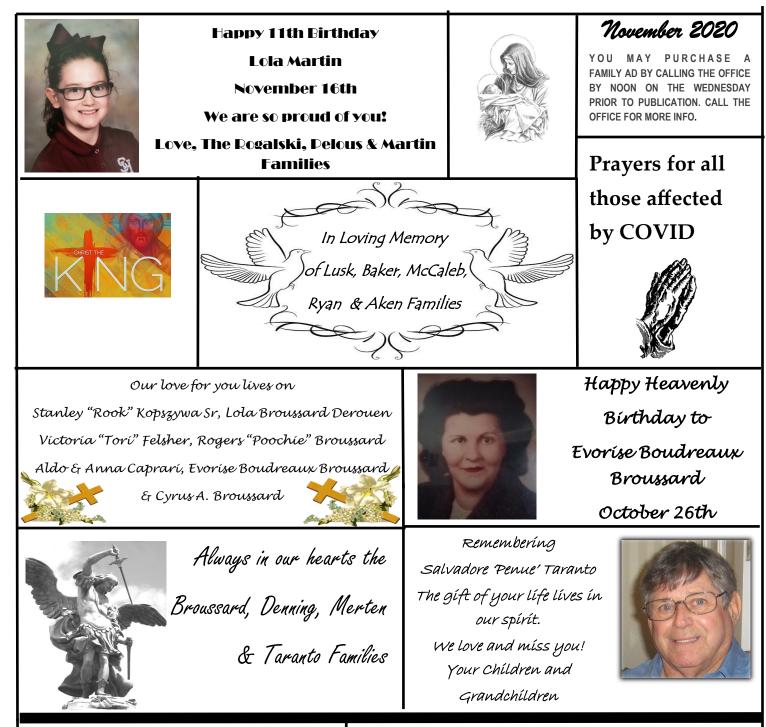
2020 St Michael Christmas Ornament by local artist Kathy Shaughnessy

On sale now!

\$20 Each

Get yours after weekend masses or by calling the office. Thank you!







Happiest of Birthdays to Cynthia Powell and Diana Kopsyzwa Cheers to many more and God Bless you in your next year!!

Fun Facts-Christ the King

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, commonly referred to as the Feast of Christ the King or Christ the King Sunday, is a relatively recent addition to the Western liturgical calendar, having been instituted in 1925 by Pope Pius XI for the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church. In 1970 its Roman Rite observance was moved to the final Sunday of Ordinary Time. Therefore, the earliest date on which it can occur is 20 November and the latest is 26 November. The Anglican, Lutheran, and many other Protestant churches also celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, which is contained in the Revised Common Lectionary. Roman Catholics adhering to the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite use the General Roman Calendar of 1960, and as such continue to observe the Solemnity on its original date of the final Sunday of October. It is also observed on the same computed date as the final Sunday of the ecclesiastical year, the Sunday before the First Sunday of Advent, by Western rite parishes of the Russian Orthodox Church Outside Russia.