

ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Weekend of October 10 & 11, 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.



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Mass Schedule:

Weekdays
Tuesday-Friday
8am

Weekends
Saturday 5pm
Sunday 10am

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

Office hours: Tues-Thurs
8:30am-3:30pm

Ministry News

~St Michael Saint Vincent DePaul Will remain closed, as they restock the shelves you can make donations of food (baskets in vestibule) or money directly SVDP by placing in poor box (in vestibule, money goes directly to SVDP).

~St Michael Card Ministry 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. Thanks so much for your support! Again, Thank You!!

~St Michael Knights of Columbus is growing here at St Michael, if interested in joining this fraternal organization please see a Knight, take enrollment form from back of church, or contact the office for more information.

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

Making Strides against Breast Cancer-Team St Michael-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: <http://main.acevents.org/goto/teamstmichael>

Ministries in the Area

St Maximillian Kolbe Conference of Saint Vincent dePaul (Jackson County) scheduled a Grand Opening of their new SVdP Thrift Store. When & Where? Gulf Breeze Plaza in Ocean Springs. November 9th 2020. This will help SVdP to provide for families in-need. Would you like to donate or volunteer to help? Call Sally Greuling @ 228-215-1610

2020 Catholic Sharing Appeal as of October 7, 2020-Goal \$23,757, Pledged-\$10,937.75, Paid-\$10,368.67

2020 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY RECOGNITION

We've all adjusted our lives since the onset of COVID-19 and are doing things a lot differently than we ever did before. The Wedding Anniversary recognition is one such thing. We will not celebrate together at the Cathedral as usual, but, we definitely want to remember the special wedding anniversaries being celebrated in 2020. If you are celebrating a milestone anniversary, please complete the form (available in the vestibule) and mail it in. Couples will receive a certificate signed by Bishop Kihneman, a Renewal of Vows Ceremony that can be celebrated with family or friends and a commemorative program listing all the 2020 couples. Bishop Kihneman will also offer a Mass at the Cathedral for the celebrating couples

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 sharing 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 Nov 14-St James Gulfport, Dec 5 Sacred Heart D'Iberville, Jan 9-St Mary Gautier, Jan 30-St Thomas Hattiesburg & Feb 27 St Clare Waveland

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sun Oct 11th For the People
Tues Oct 13th +Steve & Pat Smolcich
Thurs Oct 15th +Katie Lynn Pizzetta
Sat Oct 17th +Lola Broussard Derouen
+Anastasia Susie Jurich

Mass Intentions: Tuesday-Saturdays excluding Holy Days. There are many dates available for 2020. If you would like to have Mass said in memory of or in honor of a loved one, please call the church office at 228-435-5578. Thank you!

UPCOMING
Events

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.**

October 24: Loaves and Fishes

October 25: Eucharistic Procession and Rosary Walk
3:15pm St Alphonsus, OS

November 1: All Saints Day

December 1: #iGiveCatholic (Opens Nov 16th)

Notes from the office-Thank you everyone mailing in tithes and giving online while you are away from us. We look forward to you returning to our parish in person when it's safe to do so. God Bless you all.

In the Diocese

Eucharistic Procession and Rosary Walk -Unite Gulf Coast Mississippi

Unite our Nation founded by laity, is a non-political organization formed to help bring peace and prayer to local communities, and healing to our nation. Unite Gulf Coast Mississippi will process (with Eucharist and Rosary) through downtown Ocean Springs on Sunday, October 25th, at 3:15pm. It will start and end at the St Alphonsus parking lot in Ocean Springs. Please join them for this family friendly event.

Collections 10/3&4/20

\$2677.20

Thank you to those of you giving electronically and by mail, it is much appreciated!

This Weeks Gospel

Matthew 21:1-14

School News

St. Patrick Catholic High School is excited to launch our 2020-21 **LUCK OF THE IRISH RAFFLE**, 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. Our first drawing will be Friday, October 16! Tickets may be purchased online at stpatrickhighschool.net/irishraffle.

Thank you for your support - Go Irish!

Religious Education

CCD

Wednesdays
5:30pm

LifeTeen*

Sundays
4pm

***Life Teen** registration forms are on the entry of the church. If you have questions please call St Michael office. A full schedule of events are on the bulletin board in vestibule.

Hurricane Season

- **Be Prepared:** Have a full tank of gas, locate and secure valuables and any important papers. (Remember to add any protective equipment i.e. masks, hand sanitizer etc)
- **Have a plan:**
 - ~Gather info about hazards in your area
 - ~Meet with your family to create a plan
 - ~Implement your plan when a hurricane watch is declared for your area. Plan the route you will take if you must leave.
 - ~Have an alternative route. Tune into your local radio stations for available shelter information
 - ~Practice and maintain your plan
 - ~Arrange for one family member not in your area to notify friends and family of your where about and status.
- **LISTEN AND LEAVE**



In Loving Memory of
Joseph William Flynn
On your 92nd Birthday in Heaven
September 27, 1928

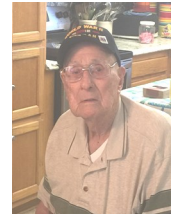
Always in our hearts. Love, Your wife, Children,
Grand Children and Great Grand Children

**Happy 58th
Anniversary
October 12th**

**To
Ronald & Velma
Baker**

October 2020

YOU MAY PURCHASE A
FAMILY AD BY CALLING THE OFFICE
BY NOON ON THE WEDNESDAY
PRIOR TO PUBLICATION. CALL THE
OFFICE FOR MORE INFO.



Happy Birthday
Corky Hire

99 Year's Young Oct. 2nd
Birthday Blessings and
love from your family and
your St Michael's family!



In Loving
Memory
Arthur & Eva Baker
On their Anniversary
October 11th
Always in our Hearts



Our love for you is immortal
Stanley "Rook" Kopszywa Sr
Lola Broussard Derouen
Victoria "Tori" Felsher
& Rogers "Poochie" Broussard



**In Memory of
John A. Rogalski
9/6/1926-1/22/2011
Always in our hearts**



Always in our hearts the
Broussard, Denning, Merten
& Taranto Families

Remembering
Salvadore 'Penue' Taranto
The gift of your life lives in
our spirit.
We love and miss you!
Your children and
Grandchildren



In Memory of
Victoria 'Tori' Felsher
Nov. 1982 - Sept. 2005

Fun Facts-Columbus

Contrary to legend, Columbus did not sail to prove the earth was round. Most educated Europeans and mariners already knew that. Columbus estimated the size of the Atlantic Ocean partially from reading his Bible. He had read in the Second Book of Esdras (in the Apocrypha) that God created the world in seven parts, six of them dry land and the seventh water. He thus calculated that the ocean separating Portugal from Cipangu (Japan) was one-seventh of the earth's circumference, or about 2,400 miles. He figured that by sailing 100 miles per day, he could reach the Indies in 30 days. Unlike many sailors then and now, Christopher Columbus never used profanity. During Columbus's voyages, the ships' crews observed religious rites. Every time they turned the half-hour glass (their primary means of keeping time), they cried: "Blessed be the hour of our Savior's birth / blessed be the Virgin Mary who bore him / and blessed be John who baptized him." They finished each day by singing vespers together (although reportedly they sang out of tune).