

# Saint Michael Catholic Church

Serving the Community of Paradise Hills, San Diego since 1957

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May 14  
2017

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF

# Easter

JESUS SAID,  
"IN MY FATHER'S HOUSE THERE  
ARE MANY DWELLING PLACES."

John 14:2



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### MASS

**SUNDAY:** 7:00 AM 1:00 PM (Academy/Children's Choir)  
8:30 AM (Español) 4:30 PM (Youth and Young Adult Mass)  
10:00 AM 6:00 PM (Filipino Mass on 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday)  
11:30 AM 7:30 PM (Jazz Choir on 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)

**Saturday:** 5:00 PM (for Sunday obligation)

**Monday to Saturday:** 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM (on **Tuesday & Friday**)

**Holy Days:** 8:00 AM 12:00 PM 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM

### CONFESSIONS

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (Saturday); Fridays at 6:30 PM to 7:00 PM

### DEVOTIONS

**Tuesday, 7:00 PM - Mother of Perpetual Help** Mass with Novena (preceded by Rosary at 6:30pm)

**Friday, 7:00 PM - Santo Niño** (Holy Infant Jesus) Novena with Mass (except First Friday)

**First Thursday & Third Thursday, 6:00 PM - Divine Mercy** Chaplet / Novena

**First Friday, 7:00 PM - Sacred Heart of Jesus** Mass and Novena (Holy Hour)  
and All Night Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**First Saturday - Benediction** of the Most Blessed Sacrament (before the 8:00 AM Mass)

**Third Saturday - Our Lady of Peñafrancia** Perpetual Novena (immediately following the 8:00 a.m. Mass)

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Pastor

**Rev. Fr. Manuel Ediza**

Associate Pastor

**Rev. Fr. Roland Gabutera**

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**Liturgy/Music**

Kim Conda San Pedro, Coordinator

**Bulletin**

Resfina Macoy-Torrevillas

**Parish Office**

Ms. Mae Salamat, Parish Secretary  
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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

Mon.-Thurs. 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM**

Please make arrangements at least three months in advance with the Ministry Staff. Pre-baptismal Seminar is required for parents and sponsors.

In case of an emergency, or if you need to speak to a priest after office hours, please call (619) 472-2655 and leave a message. A priest will contact you as soon as possible.

## Today's Gospel Reflection

First Reading: Acts 6:1-7 \* Psalm: Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 \*  
 Second Reading: 1 Pt 2:4-9 \* Gospel: Jn 14:1-12

### THE WAY

Today we sense the apostles' trepidation as they begin to realize that the Lord would soon be leaving them. In their fear, they ask, "Master, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?" (John 14:5). Jesus tells them that *he* is the way. The Easter season has been a time of growing in Easter faith so that we, too, may learn to know that Jesus is the way. We can take comfort in the Lord's promise that he is going to his Father's house to prepare a place for us, his chosen people who have been called out of darkness into God's wonderful light. As the paschal candle continues to burn during this holy season, let us remember that in baptism we were given the light of Christ. With Christ our light as the beacon lighting our way, let us march toward the glory of Pentecost.



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*"I am the way and the truth and the life.  
 No one comes to the Father except through me."  
 — John 14:6*

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;  
 Jn 14:21-26  
 Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;  
 Jn 14:27-31a  
 Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8  
 Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11  
 Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17  
 Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21  
 Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20;  
 1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21  
 or Jn 17:1-11a



### MOTHERHOOD

All mothers are working mothers. —Anonymous

### LONGING

The hand will not reach out for what the heart does not long for. —German proverb

If you are unable to get Mass intentions because the Parish calendar is booked, you may purchase a candle at the shrines of the "Divine Mercy" or "Our Lady of Guadalupe" inside our church. You may have a candle lit for 7 days, or 42 days. Your intentions will be posted on the wall and included in the Mass. Call the parish office for details. You may also write your prayer intentions in the "Book of Intentions" in the church.



### MAY 2017

13	Sat	5:00pm	† Rudy O. Cruz
14	Sun	7:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		8:30am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		10:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		11:30am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		1:00pm	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		4:30pm	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		6:00pm	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		7:30pm	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
15	Mon	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
16	Tue	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		7:00pm	Michelle Villarosa
17	Wed	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
18	Thu	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
19	Fri	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
		7:00pm	Kayla San Pedro—birthday thanksgiving
20	Sat	8:00am	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA

***"Heal me, Lord, that I may be healed; save me, that I may be saved, for You are my praise."***

- Jeremiah 17:14



**Let us keep in our prayers our parishioners, relatives and friends who are ill or homebound:**

Fr. Julian Hernando, SJ \* Fr. Arsenio Nunez, SJ \* Norma Short \* James Conda \* Marietta A. Panaligan \* Maria Artiaga \* Elmer Bernardo \* Jomer Bernardo \* Anna Bernardo \* Jerome Bernardo \* Dian Fortuno \* Julie Atagan \* Maria Geraldine Sarte \* Agnes Impresso \* Jose Castro \* Alfredo Flores \* Danny Serrano \* Efen Nicodemus \* Carmen Whipple \* Luis Borton \* Melencia San Miguel \* Dolores Flores \* Charles Moore \* Cecilia Paligutan \* Ely Sinsay \* Debbi Celi \* Jacob Nanquil \* Des Del Rosario \* Jose Macoy \* Crystal Cervantes \* Nylon Sarte \* Tessie Del Rosario \* Marion Del Rosario \* Gaye Barke \* Ben Lugtu \* J. Pinzon \* Pally Paligutan \* Paglo Cruz \* Martha Mendiola \* Leona Gurbacki \* Joseph Lipa \* Nicetas Avila \* Marc Organo \* Frances Paniel \* John Avery \* Marie Osias \* Bing Bascos \* Lucy Tipton \* Concordia Santos \* Louise James \* Blair Ong \* Julia Arellano \* Severo Santos Sr. \* Soledad Santos \* Cesar Cortez \* Maria Corbett \* Felipa B. Velos \* Fely Alpuerto \* Jayanna Ancheta \* Martha Mexia \* Josefina Camarena \* Amor Castro \* Adam Gastelum \* Maria Castro \* Catalina Bisco \* Marcelita Doria \* Virginia Cataulin \* Darren Moore \* Rhoda Corpuz \* Juan Tainatongo \* Jose Gomez \* Anya Calloway \* Lourdes Pasiderio \* Edmundo Gobaton \* Anne Shelton \* Aileen OngVaño \* Anita OngVaño \* Bud Gebo \* Linda Gebo \* Bebie Cahoon \* Redempto Macoy \* Carol de Jesus \* Beatriz Macoy \* Francisca Querimit \* Roger Solon \* Carlos Alpuerto \* Angelito Alpuerto \* Peter Miller \* Reynaldo De Guzman \* Nati Licuanan \* Mary Ann Acuario \* Hazel Rose Anderson

***This list is updated on a weekly basis. Please call the office to add a name. NAMES ON SICK LIST MAY BE DELETED AFTER 60 DAYS.***

Dear Parishioners and friends,



Today (May 14<sup>th</sup>) is **MOTHER'S DAY**. Mother's Day always falls on the Month of May (the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday) because it is the month dedicated to Mary, our Spiritual Mother.

Let us be grateful to our mother. We care for our mother for we love her. Remember that without your mother, you are not who you are today. It is the mother's love, care, sacrifices and everything she does that molded you to become a person of who you are now.

For young rebellious teens, today you will not be able to understand your parents. But when you become a parent yourself, look back to your mother... you will come to understand that a mother is the most precious person in your life's journey. There is no substitute for a mother. She is your angel given by God to you to reach you and guide you.

On Mother's Day, I always offer mass for my mother because it is the best and fitting gift for a mother. Remember your "mom" or "mommy" or "mama" or "ina" or "nanay" in your prayers. It is not late to include your mother (living or deceased) in our **Novena of Masses** which **starts today through May 22<sup>nd</sup>**. It is the best gift! You may find envelopes for your intentions in the pews or at the parish office.

*Happy Mother's Day!!!*

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Our 7th **ANNUAL CAR RAFFLE, AUCTION and DINNER DANCE** will be held on **May 20, 2017** (Saturday) at **6:00 pm**. This year we are giving away two new **2017 Honda Fit** which will be drawn separately. There are **two sets of raffle tickets** (blue & yellow) being sold at **\$10 per ticket or six (6) tickets for \$50**. **Dinner Dance tickets are also sold for only \$15 per person**. Tickets are sold in the courtyard after all Masses this weekend.

Remember: the more tickets you buy, the more chances you have of winning, and if you **buy two sets of tickets you may have a chance to win both cars**. Yes, not only one but two brand new cars!.

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**BE A PART OF THE DREAM—TOGETHER WE BUILD.** If you already made a pledge, please start to fulfill your commitment. Refer to Page 5 of this bulletin for the different ways of fulfilling your commitment. If you are not yet decided to be part of this dream, pray over it and consider being a part of making this dream come true—a multi purpose parish center for the growing community of St. Michael, especially for the future generations. Remember, not everyone can make the same size gift, but everyone can make the same size sacrifice! To those who have already participated and started fulfilling their commitment, thank you very much.

*Fr. Manny Ediza*





The mission of the Academy is to form young disciples to be spiritually, intellectually, and socially prepared to integrate gospel values for living a Catholic, Christian life in a secular world. We are committed to providing a Christian environment where students experience God through exploration of their lives and the wonders of His creation. The Academy envisions itself as a partner with parents; sharing the educational ministry of the Church.



Blessings from St. Michael Academy to the St. Michael Parish Community!

What do you call your mother? Is it Mom, Mommy, Ama, Makuahine, Madre, Matka, Mama? Whatever you call her, I know her universal name is **LOVE**. St. Michael Academy wishes all the mothers in our parish a very **Happy Mother's Day!** May God shower you with His blessings today and always.



**Blessing Our Future:** If you have not yet pledged **\$1 a day** for Catholic education, please take the time to do so and help our parish families realize the gift of a lifetime; a Catholic education at St. Michael Academy! **Any donation**, large or small, is greatly appreciated: [www.fiatcatholicschools.com](http://www.fiatcatholicschools.com).

Thinking of registering your child at St. Michael Academy? Call the office and schedule a tour @ **619 470-4880**, or e-mail Mrs. Lewis @ [rlewis@stmichaelsandiego.org](mailto:rlewis@stmichaelsandiego.org).

Yours in Christ,  
*Mary Johnson, Principal*

### Culture of Life

Jim Bundalian (619) 917-1699



Join us in praying the **Rosary to promote a Culture of Life** every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m., in the Church. The Music Ministers will lead us in the Rosary during the month of May.

**"It is God who gives life. Let us respect and love human life, especially vulnerable life in a mother's womb."**

- Pope Francis

*"The promotion of the culture of life should be the highest priority in our societies... If the right to life is not defended decisively as a condition for all other rights of the person, all other references to human rights remain deceitful and illusory."* - St. Pope John Paul II

**Human Life is sacred—all men must recognize that fact. From its very inception it reveals the creating hand of God."**

- St. Pope John XXIII

"Not all moral issues have the same moral weight as abortion and euthanasia. There may be legitimate diversity of opinion even among Catholics about waging war and applying the death penalty, but not... with regard to abortion and euthanasia." - Pope Benedict XVI

### St. Michael Preschool

Lucy Zamorano, Director 619-472-5437

Lic. # 370806227



**50% off Registration**

Instruction thru August 2017 is available for ages two to five years.

We are **DRIVEN** to teach Catholic-values based life.

Our programs are tailored to meet your family budget with a variety of full-days, half-days, 2 days, 3 days and 5 days a week. Teachers are present from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm.

Please contact our Director, Ms. Lucy at 619-472-5437 to schedule a tour of our excellent Center, preview prices, and meet our loving staff.

### Religious Education

#### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In many parish churches, more rarely in monastery churches and cathedrals, the tabernacle with the Blessed Sacrament is visible from a doorway or aisle in the church. Normally, a person is to give the proper sign of reverence, a genuflection, when passing in proximity to the tabernacle. The word "genuflect" comes from Latin roots meaning bending (or flexing) the knee. A common-sense exception to the rule is for a sacristan who is taking care of the church and can't be genuflecting every thirty seconds during a vacuum run. Also excepted are persons in procession entrusted with important symbols of the Lord's presence. So, a crossbearer or a minister carrying the Gospel book, or ministers on their way to their Communion stations do not genuflect. For everyone else, the usual sign of reverence for the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament is to genuflect on the right knee.

The oldest form of reverence during prayer in our tradition is standing; kneeling or genuflecting is a sign borrowed from old civic practice. The posture of kneeling, even on one knee, is a sign of submission. Servants would take this position before their masters in the ancient world. It said: I'm not running away, I'm yours, I'm here for you. This is what your genuflection says when you enter a Catholic church where the place of reservation of the Blessed Sacrament is visible to you: I'm yours.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



**Our Lady's Tea**, Sunday, 21 May 2017, 11:00am—2:00pm, Lunch will be served at The Prado at Balboa Park (1549 El Prado, San Diego), \$50 per guest, Register online by May 7, [www.colfs.org](http://www.colfs.org). Guest Speaker Pam Tebow

# STEWARDSHIP

## A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
**Weekend of May 13/14, 2017**

In the reading from the Acts of the Apostles we see how the first community of Christians gathered together to discern and resolve how to care for each others' needs. As good stewards of the sisters and brothers who gathered around the Eucharistic table, the community of faith selected those among them who were to ensure that no one was neglected. How do we resolve to serve the needs of our parish family? How do we ensure that those who might be perceived to be the least of our brothers and sisters are not left alone and neglected?

- International Catholic Stewardship Council, Parish Enews

**STEWARDSHIP: A Way of Life**  
*With All Your Heart*

### A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER for MAY

Loving Father, During this Easter season, we rejoice in your son, who has renewed us in freedom and joy through the mystery of his resurrection. We have been called to proclaim his Gospel; not because we are good enough, holy enough, or talented enough; but because you wanted us to have this gift and this responsibility. Give us the courage to be faithful to this call; help us make every day of our lives an experience of Easter. And keep us ever mindful of our charge: to go in peace to love and serve the Lord; that as stewards of your world we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to transform it, bring it justice and peace, and offer it, in gratitude, back to you. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.



*“Be a Part of the Dream —  
Together We Build”*

For those who have already pledged to participate, please fulfill your commitment. **Different ways of fulfilling your commitment** are as follow:

- Use the white **envelopes with the logo** which may be found in the pews or in the vestibule. Feel free to take envelopes you need. **Drop your contributions in the offertory basket during Mass, or mail it, or take it to the parish office.**
- Call the parish office at 619-470-1977 if you want envelopes be mailed to you.
- Set up **auto payment** with your Bank or Credit Card. Call the office for instructions.
- Participate **online**. Visit [www.stmichaelsandiego.org](http://www.stmichaelsandiego.org), register for online giving and click on the “Capital Campaign”.
- If paying by check, make it payable to **St. Michael Church Capital Campaign**, or write on the Memo line: **“For Capital Campaign**.

**THANK YOU FOR BEING PART OF THE DREAM!**

## SHARING THE LORD'S WORK THROUGH THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL (ACA)

Our diocesan 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) is now in full swing, and it is important to remember that our generosity toward the ministries of our local bishop offer us a special opportunity to answer the Lord's call in ways we could never think of doing on our own. Responding to our bishops' requests for supporting these diocesan ministries renews our personal commitment to more fully participate as good stewards in Christ's mission for the Church. We are, indeed, the Body of Christ, and through our support of diocesan-funded ministries, programs and services, we are able to impact the lives of hundreds, perhaps thousands of people in our diocese and beyond day-by-day. Your gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal will help our Diocese in its various work for the community:

### Catholic Schools and Tuition Assistance

- To make Catholic Education both affordable and accessible to every child and family who desires it, regardless of their background, neighborhood, family income or culture.

### Formation in the Faith

- Provides funding for Evangelization and Catechetical Ministries, the Diocesan Institute and Youth Ministries.

### Catholic Charities

- Promote the dignity of the human person and its commitment to the Judeo-Christian vision of justice and charity. Catholic Charities assists almost 300,000 people each year through its expansive network of program and services.

### Prison Ministry

- Chaplaincies at 27 different facilities impact the lives of over 25,000 inmates. These include 8 sheriff's jails, 5 juvenile detention centers, 3 state prisons and 4 federal detention facilities. Your gift to the ACA responds to the hunger that many of these inmates have to deepen their relationship with God.

### Young Adult Ministry

- Reaches out and invites young adults to responsible participation in the full life and mission of the Church. Faith filled peer ministries and various social, service and spiritual opportunities strive to connect young adults to Christ and His church.

### Seminarian Support

- The Diocese of San Diego supports over 16 seminarians who are discerning a call to priestly life and service in the Church. Tuition and living expenses average around \$45,000 per seminarian.

### Retired Priests

- Fifty eight retired priests of our diocese receive financial support so they can live in dignity, free of anxiety about their means of subsistence.

Participation in the Annual Catholic Appeal accomplishes something simple but profound: it opens the door of faith for others and for yourself. Because of your gift, someone will meet Jesus Christ, have the opportunity to experience His loving grace, know His Mercy, and Love. Don't delay, make a pledge today! For more information or to obtain a pledge card, contact the parish office.

# Parish News and Announcements

## ALTAR SERVERS—Schedule

### MAY 20—Sixth Sunday of Easter

5:00 pm Amanda Naval, Anne Michael Reyes,  
Lizabeth Sunico



### MAY 21—Fifth Sunday of Easter

7:00 am Timothy Boyd, Brayden Daen, Ajay Demesa  
8:30 am Hans Millan, Yanitza Millan, Miguel Portillo  
10:00 am River Sebastian Bautista, Justin Gomez, Angelo Riodique  
11:30 am Melissa Pastrana, Christian Piamonte, Krhyginne Tamoria  
1:00 pm ACADEMY  
4:30 pm Jheren Flores, Alexis Lagos, Gerard Lagos  
6:00 pm Markiel Balden, Erlinda Fuenticilla, Matthew Medina  
7:30 pm Amiel Baccay, Neil Baccay, Benjamin San Pedro

*“Being altar server is call to prayer and mission... In the Eucharist and in the other sacraments, you experience the intimate closeness of Jesus, the sweetness and power of His presence.” - Pope Francis,*

**Coffee & Donuts** Stop by the Collier Center for Coffee and Donuts after Sunday morning Mass, prepared by the Youth and Young Adults.

## Filipino Community of St. Michael

If you desire to book for the **Rosary devotion**, please contact Sis Fe (619-507-7816) or Sis Precy (619-807-2872).

- **Filipino-American** parishioners of St. Michael Church are invited to join our community. Call parish office 619-470-1977.



Sir Knight Renato Marcelino, Lecturer  
natomarcel@gmail.com

**DIRECTION, PURPOSE, MEANING OF LIFE.** When his beloved wife passed on, Bro. Keith Woodward felt alone and searching for these three things in his life. He decided to be a member of the Catholic Faith through the RCIA process and then joined the Knights of Columbus. Now he found a niche in the parish community of St. Michael serving as a hospitality minister, engaged in various community activities and strongly supports the Build a Dream project. He is shown in the picture (on the right side) with Bro. Al Ramirez, assisting church goers in the parking lot.



## St. Michael Parish Youth Group

Arla Sigarlaki: (619)470-2298  
asigarlaki@stmichaelsandiego.org



Join a group of high school students who come together to celebrate faith, fun, and friendship in a safe Christian atmosphere. A few times a month they come together to give praise, worship, learn, play, pray, and discover Christ through and with each other.

How to join? No sign-up necessary. Just come on by and make a friend! All high schoolers are welcome to the Youth Group. Get to know other youth within our parish and bring a friend! For more information and to keep up-to date on our current events, find our calendar on the parish website and join our Youth Group Facebook page: St. Michael Parish Youth Group. You can also follow us on Twitter @SMPYouthGroup and Instagram @SMPYG.

## Young Adults (18 years and up and out of high school)

Arla Sigarlaki: (619)470-2298 asigarlaki@stmichaelsandiego.org

**Young Adult Meetings** are held on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Friday** of the month. We attend the 7:00 p.m. Mass followed by our fellowship in the Youth Room. All Young Adults, 18-30s are welcome.



**BE REMEMBERED FOREVER** and included in our Mass intentions. Have the names of your beloved departed inscribed on a brick in our **Memorial Garden Walls**.

The names on the memorial walls will forever become part of the Garden. Call the parish office at 619-470-1977. Also ask about the **PERPETUAL MEMORIAL WALLS (for the living and deceased)** inside the church in the vestibule. **Names on these walls are included in our Mass intentions every First Friday of the month.**

## Funeral and Bereavement

**Ministry Team:** Evelyn Buangan, Gloria Signo, Anita Almuina, Anita OngVaño, Luis Morales, Erlinda Soriano, Resfina Torrevillas (coordinator)  
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### **We pray for and remember:**

#### **Those who recently passed away:**

Rosalina Walsh, Emma Guyamin, Flordeliza Cortez, and Benjamin Ferrer

#### **On the 40<sup>th</sup> day of death:**

May 14—Maria Mesina & Ezekiel Micah Cabuang

#### **On the first year of death:**

May 16—Damiana Allen & James Respicio  
May 19—Theoddeus Millan  
May 20—Margaret Isaacson

*Let us pray for our beloved dead and the poor souls in purgatory.  
**Requiescat In Pace! May they rest in peace!***



## Reflecciones del Evangelio

### EL CAMINO

Hoy sentimos la perturbación de los apóstoles cuando empiezan a darse cuenta de que el Señor pronto los dejará. Temerosos preguntan: "Señor, no sabemos a dónde vas ¿cómo podemos saber el camino?" (Juan 14:5). Jesús les dice que *él* es el camino. El tiempo de Pascua ha sido un tiempo para crecer en la fe pascual para que, así también, nosotros podamos darnos cuenta de que Jesús es el camino. Nos consuela la promesa del Señor de que va a la casa de su Padre a preparar un lugar para nosotros, su pueblo elegido que ha sido llamado de las tinieblas a la luz admirable de Dios. Mientras el cirio pascual continúa ardiendo en este tiempo santo, recordemos que en nuestro bautismo nos dieron la luz de Cristo. Con Cristo, nuestra luz como faro iluminando nuestro camino, marchemos hacia la gloria de Pentecostés.



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*"Yo soy el camino, la verdad y la vida.  
Nadie va al Padre si no es por mí".  
— Juan 14:6*

### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Eligieron a siete hombres, llenos del Espíritu Santo (Hechos 6:1-7).

**Salmo** — Señor, que tu misericordia esté con nosotros mientras ponemos nuestra confianza en ti (Salmo 33 [32]).

**Segunda lectura** — Ustedes son una raza elegida, un reino de sacerdotes (1 Pedro 2:4-9).

**Evangelio** — Yo soy el camino, la verdad y la vida (Juan 14:1-12).

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### MATERNIDAD

Todas las madres son madres que trabajan.  
—Anónimo

### ANSIAR

La mano no se extenderá hacia lo que el corazón no ansía. —Proverbio alemán

## Comunidad Latina

**EL GRUPO PASTORAL FAMILIAR** los invita a sus reuniones todos los **Viernes de 6:30pm—8:30pm** en el salón parroquial. Juntos aprenderemos a ser mejores Cristianos, mejores esposos, mejores padres de familia, mejores hijos y mejores seres humanos. Vengan con toda la familia! Para mayores informes comuníquese con los Señores Gonzales al (619) 479-7452.

### Grupo de oración



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**El grupo de Oración** los invita a su reunión los **Jueves de 6:30 p.m. a 8:30 p.m.** en el Salón de los Jóvenes frente a la capilla. ("**Donde están dos o tres reunidos en mi nombre allí estoy yo**" - Mateo 18:20)

**El Grupo de Estudio Bíblico—LOS DEL CAMINO** te invita a conocer a Dios, con su poder. Para conocer lo que nunca hemos conocido. Para saber lo que no hemos sabido. Para creer como no hemos creído. Para entender y comprender lo que DIOS aún no ha revelado. Te invitamos el día **Miércoles, 26 de Abril** a las **7:00 p.m.** en el salón grande. Info Felipe 619-922-3670.



*"Be a Part of the Dream—  
Together We Build Campaign Projects"*

**"Ser Parte Del Sueño: Juntos Construmos!"**

Gracias a quienes han participado. Usted puede encontrar tarjeta de compromiso en las bancas o en el vestibule. Por favor deje su compromiso en la canasta de ofrendas. Llame a la oficina para pregunta.

***"No todos pueden hacer grandes cosas. Pero podemos hacer pequeñas cosas con gran amor. Se trata de cuánto damos sino Cuánto amor ponemos en el dar."***

-Santa Madre Teresa de Calcuta

### Senior Ministry

Julia Willkie: (619) 479-2979



### EXERCISE CLASSES

Zumba – Monday from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Yoga – Tuesday from 4:30 p.m. to 5:50 p.m.

*Beginners and non-seniors are welcome.*

*Exercise Classes are held at the at the Collier Center*

### ST. MICHAEL PARISH

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**ACA Update as of 04-30-2017**

Week	\$ Pledged	Paid	\$ Goal	# Pledges
07	\$ 24,445	\$ 17,300	\$ 70,000	191
%	34.92 %	24.71 %	100 %	9.01 %

**Registered (active) parishioners: 2,120**

**Pledges received on 04-30-2017:**

Anonymous (5) \* Agnes Acuna \* Brenn & Shirley Alcazar \* Aileen Arce & Family \* Cleotilde & Santiago Bautista \* Eufronia Bornaes \* Nestor & Eva Castano \* Esther Cockburn \* Efen Estebat \* Narciso Fernandez \* Paul & Helen Garrett \* Frank Gomez \* Ildefonso Luna \* Cesar Magno \* Lucy Manuel \* Elvira Marcial \* Rudy & Loreta Sigarlaki \* Crispin & Teresita Valbuena

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*"Don't forget that God gave you everything you have!"*  
—Deuteronomy 6:10-13



**IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO BE PART OF THE DREAM!** Please remember that gifts of all sizes are greatly appreciated. We know that everyone's financial situation is different. Remember, not everyone can make the same size gift, but everyone can make the same size sacrifice.

*"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving."* - St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta



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PHONE NUMBER: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

If you will be changing your parish, please call the Parish Office at (619) 470-1977.



**APOSTLES OF DIVINE MERCY**

Join us in praying the **Novena & Chaplet to the Divine Mercy** every **first Thursday & third Thursday** of the month at 6:00 pm. in the church.

**HOME ENTHRONEMENT OF THE DIVINE MERCY**

— To schedule appointments, please call Vi Daen (619) 436-8481, or Lea Lipa at (619) 788-1208, or Fatima Lobederio (619) 274-3925, or Jim Roque (619) 791-9321, or the parish office at 619-470-1977.

**PRAYER WARRIORS OF MERCY**—Please call 619-962-9591 for prayer requests. Our Prayer Warriors will include your intentions and offer daily prayers for you.

Join us in our **MINISTRY to our SICK brothers and sisters** at Reo Vista health care center every Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. If interested, please call the parish office at 619-470-1977 and leave your contact information.

**EL SHADDAI:** Prayer/fellowship every Saturday, 6:00pm, at the Parish Hall or Collier Center.

**LEGION of MARY:** Meeting every Monday, 7pm, Youth Room.

**MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA with MASS:**  
**Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.**

**NOVENA with MASS IN HONOR of the SANTO NIÑO:** (The Holy Infant Jesus), **Fridays** except First Friday, **7:00p.m.** *"Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me."* (Mk 9:37)

**JESUS, THE DIVINE LIGHT PRAYER GROUP:** Healing prayer at 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. Every third Saturday of the month.



St. Michael presents **CATHOLIC ANSWERS** this summer in the church, Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. Mark your calendars!

- June 14—"Common Objections to Catholicism" - Tim Staples
- June 28—"Your Truth, My Truth" - Karlo Broussard
- July 12—"Five Great Deceptions" - Cy Kellet
- August 23—"From Herman Cortes to Our Lady of Guadalupe" - Chris Check
- August 30—"How We Got the Bible" - Jimmy Akin

**New Parishioners.** Welcome to St. Michael Church!

Please register with the Parish Office if you live within the parish boundaries by completing the form below and sending it to us. Membership is FREE and has its privileges.

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## Upcoming Events / Schedule of Services

- MAY 14 to 22**      **NOVENA FOR MOTHERS**
- MAY 18**            **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING at 6:30 p.m. (Collier Center)**
- MAY 20**            **CONFIRMATION at 11:00 a.m.**
- DINNER DANCE / ANNUAL CAR RAFFLE and AUCTION at 6:00 p.m.**
- MAY 27**            **FIRST COMMUNION MASS (Part 1) at 10:00 a.m.**



Fr. Manny invites you to join him in a **JOURNEY OF FAITH** to Ireland, France and Belgium on **Sept. 4 to 18, 2017**. There are **2 seats** available. Call the parish office at 619-470-1977 or 619-261-2544.



**ANNUAL CAR RAFFLE / AUCTION on MAY 20th.** For only \$10, you'll get a chance to win one of these two car prizes, or both cars for only \$20. Or, get 6 tickets for only \$50 for each car. The more tickets you buy, the more chances you have to drive a blue or red 2017 Honda Fit, or take home both cars! Talk to a Committee member in the Court-



*Be a Part of the Dream – Together We Build Campaign Projects*

*“A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet....” (Rev. 1:1)*

**MARIAN PILGRIMAGE in Mexico, December 9 to 16, 2017.** Join Fr. Roger Pingol and Fr. Joe Tabigue in celebrating the feast of **Our Lady of Guadalupe** and visit other Marian shrines in Mexico: the **Virgin of Ocotlan** and the healing well, one of few Marian healing wells in the world; the miraculous “Great Lady”, **Our Lady of San Juan de los Lagos**, visited by St. Pope John Paul II; and **Our Lady of Zapopan** (Guadalajara) also known as Our Lady of Expectation.



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### **“Be a Part of the Dream — Together We Build” CAMPAIGN PRAYER**

Heavenly Father, we ask for Your divine guidance as we prayerfully move toward the realization of our new parish center.

Show us the way to meet the needs of our growing parish community. Lead us to committing ourselves with a spirit of true sacrifice. For it is always by sacrifice that we show our love of You and our neighbor.

Lead us to wisely use our time, talents and treasures as we move forward with Your holy vision. Inspire us all out of Your generous love, to be equally generous for strengthening Your Church and our parish.

Spirit of God, we praise You and adore You. We pray that Your Spirit will empower us to work strongly for the realization of our dream so that future generations will harvest the fruits of our commitments and sacrifice.

This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mary Mother of God, pray for us.

St. Joseph the Builder, pray for us.

St. Michael the Archangel, pray for us.

***Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and the snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host - by the Divine Power of God - cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.***



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