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St. Michael the Archangel Style Guide for Flyers

- 1. Limit wording to the most necessary details.
- 2. Most flyers should contain short phrases rather than sentences. If the case that sentences are used, only one space goes between sentences.
- 3. Do not use more than one exclamation point in a sentence.
- 4. Remember to include the who, what, when, where, and why details.
- 5. Use light backgrounds with dark font or vice versa.
- 6. Pick an easy-to-read font.
- 7. The following phrases/words should always be capitalized: Mass, Parish Office, Parish Church, Downtown Chapel, Parish Staff, Parish School, Marian Room, St. Joseph Room
- 8. Phone numbers should use the following format: XXX.XXX.XXXX
- 9. Times should be capitalized with a space in between (e.g., 9:30 AM) and should always include both numbers after the colon (e.g., 10:00 AM, not 10 AM).
- 10. Avoid using all caps.
- 11. "www" no longer needs included when listing websites (e.g., findlaystmichael.org).
- 12. Avoid underlining words for emphasis. Use bold or italics instead.
- 13. The proper title of our church is as follows: St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Parish
- 14. When using a slash (e.g, and/or), no spaces are necessary.
- 15. When mentioning God or Jesus, capitalize references such as "He", "Him", or "His".
- 16. Please proofread your work before submitting.
- 17. You may be asked to edit or change your work if you do not adhere to these guidelines.
- 18. Please note that full page ads are reserved for parish-wide events only or at the discretion of our Parish Staff. Contact the Parish Staff with questions.
- 19. All submissions are subject to the discernment of a Parish Staff member.
- 20. If you would like help creating a flyer, please contact the Parish Staff.

Ad Size Guidelines

Ad Size	Height in Inches	Width in Inches
Full Page	9.25	7.75
Half Page Landscape	4.625	7.75
Quarter Page	4.625	3.875