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**Penny’s
Pantry:** Carolyn Thieme
& many volunteers

(Food Pantry)
Backpack Blessing Ministry:
Janet Amuso & volunteers
Week At a Glance

Sunday
8:00a: Reconciliation
8:30a: Mass
9:45a: Bible Study (FF Building)

Monday
8:30a: Penny’s Pantry unloading

Tuesday
10:00a-12:00p: Church open
7:00p: AA (closed meeting)

Thursday
10:00 – Penny’s Pantry bagging
10:00a-2:00p: Church open
5:00p: Reconciliation
5:30p: Mass

Friday
7:30 **Mass Before Penny’s Pantry**
9:00a 10:30: Penny’s Pantry Distribution
7:00p: AA (closed meeting)

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General Collection - \$ 2,040

During this month, this total is the Sunday collection and does not reflect any online giving.



Today is The Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 30, 2026
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From Sunday's Gospel: Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. (Matt. 16:24-28)

<u>Confessions</u> Sunday @ 8:00a & Thursday @ 5:00p or by appointment	Friday @0730 am First Friday of every month before Penny’s Pantry	(If calling outside of office hours, please leave a message.)	Please call the office to schedule an appointment.
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Parish News

St. John Feeds the Band

We will be feeding the CHS Band
Sept. 11, 2026

We are asking for help with food and/or serving. Food needs to be at our church by 3p. Serving at CHS @ 4p. Rumor has it that folks have had fun serving the students. Come join us.

Please call Tana Reed at 334-432-3104

Faith Formation

Sign-up for 2026-27 FF will be next Sunday, September 13 after mass in the parish hall. You can also reach out to Christina Kiolbassa Gamez, 210-529-4611 or kiolbassa2009@gmail.com.

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Jackie will be out of the office August 6-September 15. Email and phone messages will be monitored. Fr. will be in the office, as usual on Thursdays. The church will be open Tuesdays 10a-12p and Thursdays 10a-2p, as usual.

We have a new online giving platform

Ways to Give to St. John

<https://onrealm.org/StJohnEvangelis57747/give/now> Or



**QR Code linked to our online giving
Or
text STJOZARK to 73256**

Penny's Pantry

Penny's Pantry will be preparing the bags for distribution on Thursday, Sept. 3 at 10:00 am. On Friday, Sept. 4 we will begin preparation for distribution at 8:00 am. Penny's Pantry will begin handing out food from 9:00 am till 10:30 am. Thanks to all of our wonderful volunteers who have assisted us in the past and look forward to your generous donation of time and talent again.

God Bless us all!!

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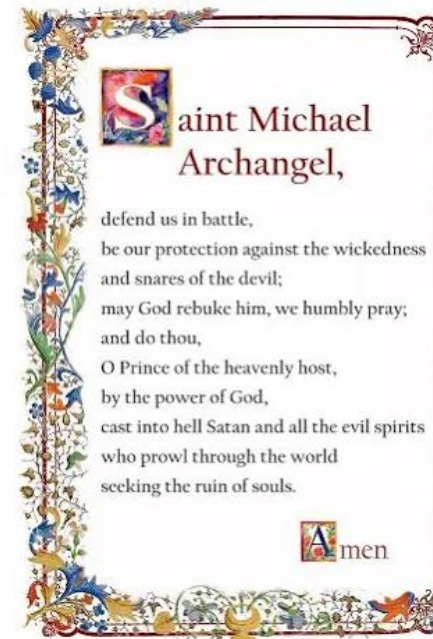
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St. Michael the Archangel



Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

God of might, giver of every good gift, put into our hearts the love of your name, so that, by deepening our sense of reverence, and, by your watchful care, keep safe what you have nurtured. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever.

