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ABOUT OUR PARISH

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church is located in west Houston in the Galleria area. Our parish community consists of about 4,000 registered families and a school of 500 students.

The parishioners, clergy, and staff of the parish and school strive to be faithful to the mission of Christ through its liturgical, educational, and social service ministries. We offer two daily Masses and six weekend Masses, as well as opportunities for reception of all other sacraments. The parish has programs in education and pastoral ministry for children, youth, and adults including a vibrant parish outreach ministry.

The programs and services of the parish continue to grow and each parishioner adds a richness to our faith community which allows us to more fully reflect the Body of Christ in today's society.



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Sign up for Flocknote to get the latest news to your inbox or sign up at www.stmichaelchurch.net. Never miss Mass changes, holy day alerts, or special events in your email and/or on your mobile phone. Text MAC777 to 84576.

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ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

— CATHOLIC CHURCH —

WE'VE PARTNERED WITH

Hallow

PRAY TOGETHER.
GROW TOGETHER.

Premium Catholic prayer,
meditations, & more—
now for our parish community!



— GET STARTED IN 5 EASY STEPS —



- 1 DOWNLOAD**
Download the Hallow app.



- 2 GO TO THE CHURCH ICON**
Rather than following the prompts to create your account, begin at the church icon in the top right corner.



- 3 FIND OUR PARISH**
Search for our parish using
ZIP CODE 77056, then tap Join.



- 4 CREATE YOUR ACCOUNT**
Continue creating your account
by following the prompts.



- 5 BEGIN PRAYING**
Begin praying with
our community!



TOGETHER,
LET'S GROW CLOSER TO GOD.



Daily Prayer & Meditation



Scripture & Reflections



Catholic Music



Pray as a Parish Community



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ADVENT MISSION:

The Reason for the Season

*How can we walk in faith
as Mary and Joseph did?*



Start: 9:00 AM, doors open
at 8:30 am with the opportunity
to browse wonderful spiritual materials



9:15 am – What is the Reason
for the Season of Advent?



10:30 am – St. Joseph,
the Father of Faith



11:30 – 12:00 noon – Question
and Answer, book signing
with Dr. D'Ambrosio



Dec. 12, 2026 9am–12 pm



Presenter: Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church



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EASTER MISSION

— WITH THE FATHERS OF MERCY —

 **APRIL 19–22**

WHY BE CATHOLIC?

An Intensely Eucharistic Focused Mission
with **Fr. Ken Geraci**

TOPICS INCLUDE:



What did Jesus Do
(Covenant Theology)



**Why do we do that
as Catholics**
(Biblical apologetic)



Two obstacles to healing
(Sin & Unforgiveness)
and Eucharistic healing service



How to pray the Mass



LEARN MORE at stmichaelchurch.net



Presenter: Fr. Ken Geraci

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LECTURE SERIES

2026

Thursdays in PLC-A 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

SEP 3

VOCATION TO LOVE: MARRIAGE & HOLY ORDERS

Presented by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

SEP 10

THE CHURCH & MARY: WHAT DO WE BELIEVE

Presented by Deacon Ken Scheiber

SEP 17

THE MASS: A TEACHING MOMENT

Located inside the Church but not a Mass

Presented by Fr. Bart Reynolds

OCT 1

OUR LADY & THE POWER OF THE ROSARY

Presented by Gabriel Castillo

**OCT 8, 15
22 & 29**

BOOK STUDY: DAUGHTER ZION BY JOSEPH CARDINAL RATZINGER

Facilitated by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

NOV 5

FATHERHOOD: SOMETHING A FATHER OF 10 ADOPTED KIDS SHOULD KNOW!

Presented by Dr. Ray Guerindi

NOV 12

HEALTHY MEN, HEALTHY FAMILIES: THE CRITICAL ROLE OF MEN IN FAMILY PLANNING & REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

Presented by Dr. Stephen Hilgers

DEC 3 & 10

THE INFANCY NARRATIVES

With Fr. Bart Reynolds

DEC. 12

ADVENT MISSION

Located inside the Church

With Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio

LECTURE SERIES

2027

Thursdays in PLC-A 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

JAN. 14

THE STORY OF SALVATION

Presented by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

JAN 21

THE CREED

Presented by Mark McNeil

JAN 28

THE NEED FOR A REDEEMER: SIN AND THE INCARNATION

Presented by Fr. Bart Reynolds

FEB 4

THE SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Presented by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

FEB 11

THE MORAL LIFE AND THE SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

Presented by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

FEB 18

VOCATION TO LOVE: THE SACRAMENTS AT THE SERVICE OF COMMUNION

Presented by Mary Caprio MAT, MTS, MSN

FEB 25

THE CHURCH AND MARY

Presented by Fr. Peter Wood

MAR 4

THE MASS: WHAT IS THE MEANING BEHIND THE SIGNS?

Located inside the Church but not a Mass

Presented by Fr. Bart Reynolds

**APR 19, 20
21 & 22**

EASTER SEASON MISSION

Presented by Fr. Ken Geraci



FREE SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

with
Dr. Tom Harmon



10:10 AM–10:50 AM



Galatians

FOLLOWED BY



Exodus



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Activity Building
Room 21



CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

The Office of Children Faith Formation Ministry (CCE)

The Office of Children's Faith Formation ministry is committed to partnering with parents, as they are the primary role models in living the Catholic Faith. Our Sunday Faith Formation and Home School Faith Formation programs are designed to foster whole-family participation. We serve children from preschool (age 4) through fifth grade. We also offer OCIC for unbaptized children aged 7 to 11 years old. Furthermore, we prepare children for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion.

In Class and Home School

The Office of Children's Faith Formation Ministry offers in-class Sunday School (CCE) and homeschool faith formation. We aspire to help parents and children grow together in learning about their faith by using the Ecclesial Method, developed by the Augustine Institute, which recognizes that God's grace proceeds, accompanies, and then sends one forth from the catechetical session. This method consists of five key elements: Preparation, Proclamation, Explanation, Application, and Celebration.

Sacrament Preparation

The Office of Children's Faith Formation ministry partners with parents to prepare the children to celebrate God's love for us in the Sacrament of First Reconciliation and the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. The Sacramental Preparation program spans over two years. To be eligible, the baptized child must be in second grade or older and in their second consecutive year of faith formation or in their second year of religion classes at a Catholic school.

To register visit stmichaelchurch.net/children-faith-formation.

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The Youth Ministry Faith Formation program runs from September through May, along with special events throughout the year. The best way to stay up to date is through our social media pages.

Middle School

Our weekly youth ministry program for all middle schoolers is fun! Join us every week, or whenever you can, for food, faith, and fun as we journey in community as disciples on mission in the good life God has planned for us!

We will have snacks, play games, and participate in prayer and small group discussions of relevant faith topics such as sacraments, bullying, service, etc. It doesn't matter if you go to Catholic school or not – if you are in 6th–8th grade and want to deepen your relationship with Jesus, come on by! Please visit our website for more information: stmichaelchurch.net/youth-apostolate.

High School

Our weekly high school ministry is for teens in grades 9–12. Bring a friend and join us for a night filled with prayer, and discussion about our Catholic faith where we will journey to live life with a purpose on the mission towards becoming more fully the person God made us to be!

We will dive deeper into a relationship with Jesus through a community of youth and the adult team on an adventure of holiness.

To sign up and view the calendar, please visit stmichaelchurch.net/youth-apostolate.

Contact

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YOUTH CONFIRMATION

Confirmation preparation for youth is a process which requires in-depth catechesis. This may be completed through attendance and participation in our Confirmation program and can be augmented or accelerated in a Catholic high school.

This preparation provides the Confirmandi with a profound relationship with Jesus Christ, an encouraging and welcoming community at St. Michael, and a connection with the Catholic Church as a whole.

The teen wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and their parents must attend an informational meeting. In addition, the candidate for Confirmation must attend a Confirmation retreat during their final year of preparation and complete acts of service.

Confirmation FAQs

My child's school has mandatory retreats every year. Can this count for their Confirmation Retreat?

- No, the local schools do not offer a Confirmation specific retreat. If a child is unable to attend with St. Michael, they may attend with another parish on their Confirmation Retreat.

Does Life Teen replace or count towards my child's Confirmation preparation?

- No, it does not count or replace Confirmation preparation. Life Teen is an *optional* program where teens can come, build community, have fun and a place to discuss and ask any questions about their faith. This program is designed to meet the youth where they're at even after Confirmation.

My child does service hours for school, could he/she volunteer at a school function for his/her Confirmation hours?

- Yes, our Confirmation hours are broken down in 3 categories... Mass hours, Parish/Community hours and Adoration hours. Your child can volunteer at a school function for their community hours BUT are still required to complete some of those at the parish to build community.

To register, please visit stmichaelchurch.net/youth-apostolate.

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YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

Young Adult Ministry at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church serves the spiritual and faith formation needs of adults between 18-40ish years old, whether single or married.

Young Adult Ministry is built on four pillars laid out by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops:

1. Connecting Young Adults with Jesus Christ.
2. Connecting Young Adults with the Church.
3. Connecting Young Adults with the Mission of the Church in the world.
4. Connecting Young Adults with a peer community.

Join Fr. Peter Wood every Monday from 7-8 pm at Russo's Pizzeria, 5727 Westheimer Rd, Houston, TX.

He will be teaching on scriptures, traditions and spirituality to be followed by some time together and fellowship.

Join us for Bible Study every Wednesday from 7-8 pm in Activity Building Room 22.

Contact

Rev. Peter Wood
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ADULT SACRAMENTS

Adult Confirmation

For baptized Catholics who have received First Holy Communion but lack Confirmation, a preparation class is offered in the summer and spring. Before attending, you must first register by filling out the inquiry form on the church website. See website for details.

To register, please go to stmichaelchurch.net/adult-confirmation.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is for adults who, after hearing the mystery of Christ proclaimed, consciously and freely seek the living God and enter the way of faith and conversion as the Holy Spirit opens their hearts. By God's help, they will be strengthened spiritually during their preparation and eventually will receive the sacraments fruitfully. Registration and a meeting with Mary Caprio are required in order to begin this process. To register, please go to stmichaelchurch.net/ocia-becoming-catholic.

OCIA is a gradual process that takes place within the community of the faithful:

- **The Period of Evangelization and Inquiry:** A time of inquiry and introduction to Gospel values, an opportunity for the beginnings of faith. Emphasis is on stories in Scriptures, Church, parish, and life of the individual and begins immersion into the parish.
- **The Catechumenate:** A time for the nurturing and growth of the catechumen's faith and conversion to God.
- **Purification and Enlightenment:** Immediately prior to initiation, an intense spiritual preparation, focused on interior reflection.
- **Mystagogy:** A time for community and neophytes together to grow in deepening their grasp of the paschal mystery and making it part of their lives.

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COUPLES RETREAT

The Wedding Feast: Yours and the Lord's



SAVE THE DATE

Join us for a couples retreat 10am – 5pm on
Saturday, January 16, 2027 Speakers Bobby and Jackie Angel
or on **Saturday, August 21, 2027 (TBD).**

There will be wonderful speakers to inspire your marriage, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, sacred music, Confession available, lunch and refreshments provided. Engaged couples welcome too!

Cost: \$50 per couple (free for couples in marriage prep at St. Michael Catholic Church or the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart)

Location

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

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MARRIAGE PREPARATION

St. Michael the Archangel offers a vibrant marriage preparation program for those entering into the sacrament of Holy Matrimony. Marriage is a life-long commitment rooted in God's own faithfulness to us. Thus, the Church asks you to prepare for this commitment by attending a 6-9 month preparation process that will address fundamental truths and practical skills that will assist you to live out the vocation to marriage in accordance with God's will for you.

St. Michael's marriage preparation process is available to both registered and non-registered couples. If you are planning to marry at another local Catholic Church, it is required that the clergy at that Catholic Church prepare the documents necessary for a sacramental marriage, while St. Michael will provide the necessary classroom preparation.

Please visit the website at stmichaelchurch.net/matrimony to fill out the inquiry form.

Contact

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WEDDING GUILD MINISTRY

The St. Michael Wedding Guild is a ministry serving the engaged couples of our parish by assisting at both the wedding rehearsal and the marriage ceremony.

Guided by the Wedding Liturgy Coordinator, Wedding Guild members work behind the scenes to ensure that the Sacrament of Marriage takes place with the fewest distractions. We guide the rehearsal, oversee wedding day church setup, direct the procession, and assist the bride, groom, their families and guests in any way we can.

Being a part of the Wedding Guild is a rewarding opportunity for service and fellowship with other members. There are no meetings or dues. Assisting with at least 1 wedding every 2 months is requested, but you can help as your schedule allows.

Contact

For more information or to sign up to join the Wedding Guild, contact Mary Spiller at mary.spiller@comcast.net or Mattia Maldonado at mattiaj.maldonado@sbcglobal.net.



Pope Benedict XVI reminds us that sacred music is marked by sanctity, true artistry, and universality—qualities that enable it to transcend cultures and speak to the soul of every person gathered in worship. In this spirit, our parish music program seeks to elevate the liturgy through beauty and reverence, drawing hearts toward the mystery of God. Through Gregorian chant, classical choral works, and the rich tradition of sacred music, those who serve in this ministry help to support and sanctify the Church's public prayer.

CAPELLA MUSICA 18+ | September 10, 2026 – May 30, 2027

The Cappella Musica is the primary adult choir in the parish. They sing a variety of music, including Gregorian chant, Renaissance polyphony, Baroque and Classical chorales, Romantic era motets and music of today. This choir sings weekly at 11:00 Mass and at the primary liturgies of the liturgical year, including Holy Week. (Warms up in PLC room C at 10:15am on Sundays)

Choir Leader: Nathan Schafsnitz

Rehearsals: Thursdays, 7:00–8:30 pm

CANTORS

It is the cantor's primary role to sing the Responsorial Psalm at Mass, but also to lead the congregation in other responsorial music and to assist, if necessary, with hymns. Singers with a clear voice who wish to serve in this ministry should contact Nathan Schafsnitz to set up a meeting.

INSTRUMENTALISTS

We are always looking for instrumentalists to enhance music at our liturgies. If you play an instrument well, be sure your name is on file with the Music Department – we'll contact you as needs arise.

CONTACT: Nathan Schafsnitz, Director of Music and Principal Organist

Email: nschafsnitz@stmichaelchurch.net

Direct: 713-403-4116



PRAYER & SPIRITUALITY: CATHOLIC WAY BIBLE STUDY

Catholic Way Bible Study

In-depth spirit-led study of the Bible can be life changing! Join the many who have learned about God's work through Catholic Way Bible Study at St. Michael's.

Join us in studying:

ISRAEL, DAVID AND THE KINGDOM

Sept. 10, 2026–April 14, 2027 (23 Lessons)

Thursday Mornings 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Activity Building 1

(break between Thanksgiving and the New Year)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Catholic Way Bible Study (CWBS) is a comprehensive study combining daily bible readings and weekly lessons with a group discussion, followed by a wrap-up video lecture by Lavinia Spirito, the founding teaching team leader for the bible study.

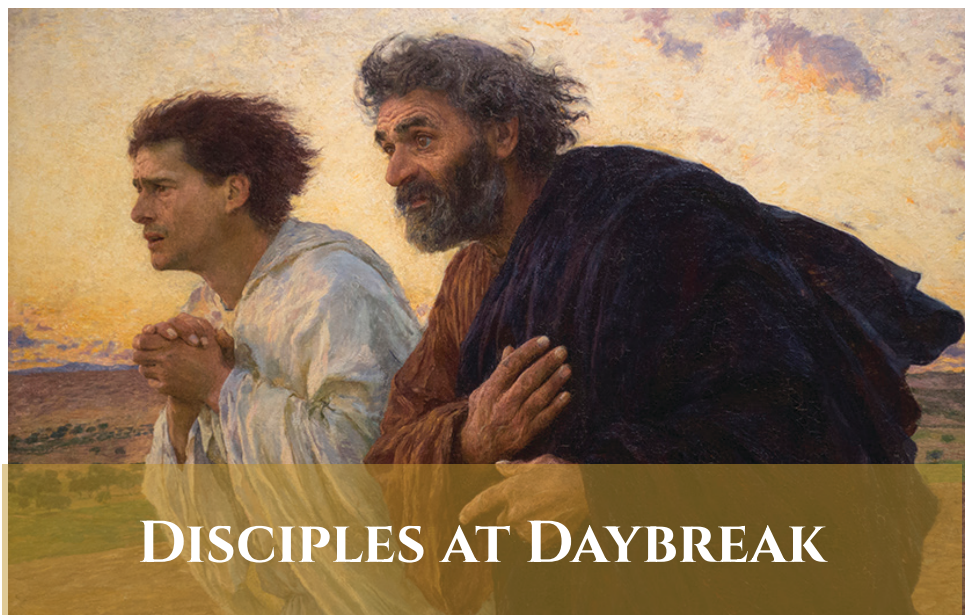
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DISCIPLES AT DAYBREAK

Are you looking for an opportunity for growth in your faith and community?

Come and join us on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 7 am to 8 am in the Parish Life Center. We choose various studies throughout the year and listen to the educational videos and then discuss their application to our lives.

The program beginning in September will be a study of the book by Ralph Martin: *The Fulfillment of All Desire*. We will read a chapter together each month and discuss the lives of the saints and use their lives as models of virtue. Come when you can!

Monthly Meeting: 2nd Tuesdays of the month

7:00-8:00 am

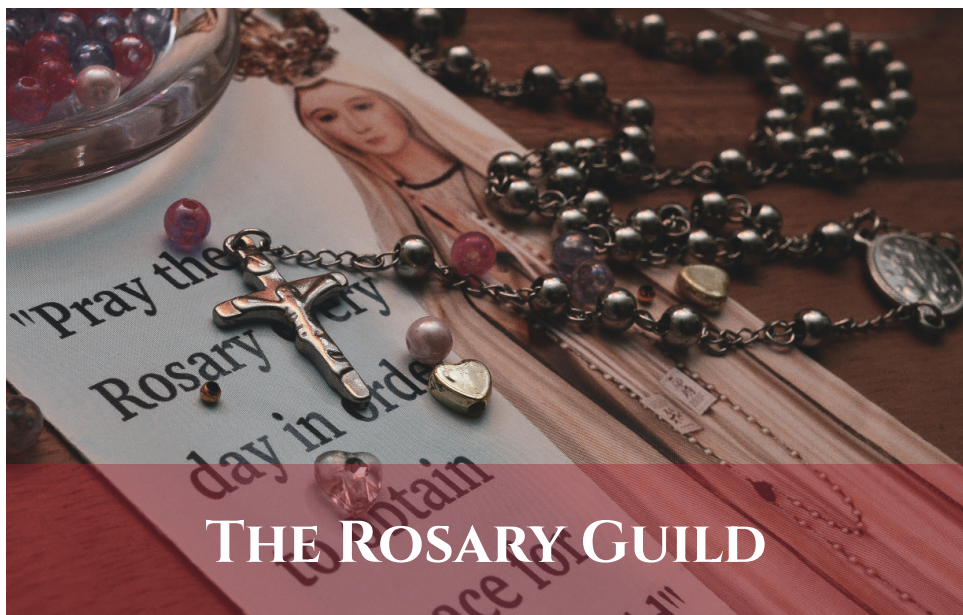
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(713) 403-4114

Sign Up

stmichaelchurch.net/disciples-at-daybreak
or scan QR code





THE ROSARY GUILD

Please join women and men of our parish in praying the rosary and making rosaries to share throughout our community. No experience is needed! If you would like to make rosaries at home, we will have supplies readily available for pick-up in the church office.

Monthly Meeting: 1st Wednesday of the Month During the School Year

9:15-11:15 am

Activity Building, Room 1

2026-2027 Meeting Dates:

October 7, 2026

November 4, 2026

December 2, 2026

January 6, 2027

February 3, 2027

March 3, 2027

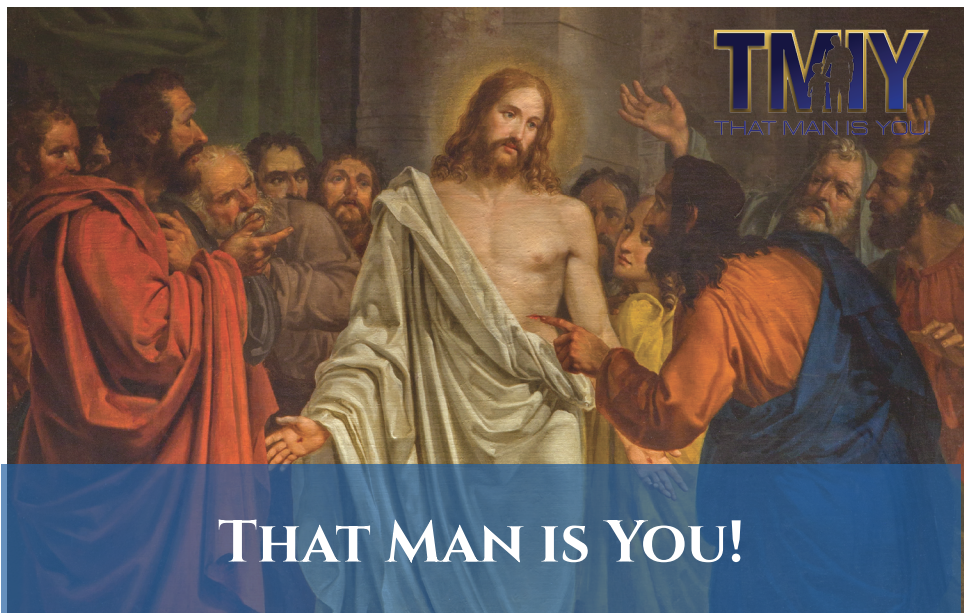
April 7, 2027

May 5, 2027

Contact

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Carole Day: cad120163@aol.com | (713) 818-1554



Becoming a Man After God's Own Heart

That Man is You! is an opportunity to get together with other men interested in enhancing their faith life, and in so doing, their role as a husband, father, grandfather, or just a friend. The program focuses on the development of men in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming society.

Program begins at 7:00 am

(Doors open at 6:30 am for coffee, donuts, and fellowship)

13-Week Program on Thursday Mornings

Begins September 10, 2026

7:00 am, Parish Life Center, Room A

Contact

Joey Scamardi

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(281) 657-5016



LITURGICAL VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Altar Servers: The ministry of altar server in the Catholic Church is very unique. Other than the priest and deacons, no one else has the opportunity to participate so closely in the preparation of the Eucharist. Servers must be at least 10 years of age and have received First Communion. Training is provided at sessions throughout the year.

Contact: (713) 621-4370

Altar Care | Art & Environment

Teams: Help us to ensure the beauty and sanctity of the altar. The cloths and sacred vessels used in the course of the Eucharistic celebration should be treated with care and respect due to their use in the sacred mysteries. Join us!

Contact for Altar Care: Araceli Diedrich aracelimd@gmail.com

Contact for Art & Environment: Mary Abrams (713) 403-4119 mabrams@stmichaelchurch.net

Baptism Team: Help with baptisms during Mass by greeting the family and assisting with hospitality.

Contact: Mary Abrams (713) 403-4119 mabrams@stmichaelchurch.net

Eucharistic Adoration: We need committed adorers for every hour so that our Eucharistic Lord is never alone. **Contact** Katie Pfeffer to sign up: 713-858-6832 or katie.mather.pfeffer@gmail.com

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, & Sacristans:

Serve our parish community during liturgical celebrations. EM's assist with the distribution of the Eucharist during Holy Communion. Lectors boldly proclaim the Word at Mass. Sacristans carefully arrange the liturgical books, vestments, and other things necessary in the celebration of Mass. Training and spiritual enrichment opportunities are provided several times a year for these ministries.

Contact: (713) 621-4370

Hospitality Team: Our Hospitality Team welcomes parishioners and guests, helping Mass run smoothly so everyone feels cared for. Responsibilities may include: welcoming arrivals, distributing worship aids, ushering and seating, assisting with the collection, handing out bulletins, and helping prepare the church for the next service. Teams typically have 8-16 volunteers per Mass so you won't be doing this alone!

Contact

James Del Monte
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713-825-4512



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Donut Sundays

Every Sunday except for certain dates. Join us for fresh coffee and delicious donuts after the 7:00 am, 9:00 am, and 11:00 am Masses in the PLC-A.

Every Sunday except:

2026

November 8, 22 and 29

December 20 and 27

2027

March 21 and 28

May 30

Coffee & Careers

First Monday of the Month except October of 2026

9:00 am - 10 am in the Parish Life Center (PLC), Room B

Open to all who are involved in the job search process. Bring a copy of your resume for us to review, and we will also discuss interviewing skills.

Contact Rosalie Brandino: rosalie.brandino@yahoo.com



PARISH OUTREACH & PASTORAL CARE

Pastoral Care Ministry for the Sick and Homebound

We are in great need of volunteers to minister to our fellow parishioners in their homes or at their assisted living facility. The time you can commit is up to you, and training is provided. Our ministers keep parishioners connected to St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church and bring them the comfort and strength of the Eucharist.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament is intended for critical moments at the onset of illness, the progression of a serious disease, or a notable weakening in the physical condition of the person. If you or someone you know is in need of this sacrament, please contact the church office to schedule an appointment with a priest.

Lenten Hope Bag Project

Hope Bags provide practical items such as water, food, socks, and a note of hope to those in need. Distribution takes place during Lent. Experience the face of Christ in others!

For more information, please contact

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St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY



BEREAVEMENT

EVERY 1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

1-2:30 PM ACTIVITY BUILDING ROOM 23

Our supportive ministry mission is to empower individuals to find a new beginning and purpose after a loss by walking the journey of grief, healing and rediscovery, grounded in faith values and supported by a compassionate community to find meaning after a loss.

Contact Mario Sanchez: (713) 447-5907 or mmars429@yahoo.com



PRO-LIFE MINISTRIES

"Human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person – among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life." – *Catechism of the Catholic Church*

40 Days for Life: Pray with us for an end to abortion. St. Michael's day of prayer occurs once in the Spring and once in the Fall.

For other upcoming prayer events throughout the year, please visit www.40daysforlife.com/en/houston.

Contact Liza Oprandi: loprandi@stmichaelchurch.net | (713) 403-4122

The Gabriel Project: The Gabriel Project is a pro-life, parish-based apostolate of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston offering assistance to women experiencing difficult circumstances during pregnancy.

If you or someone you know needs help, contact (713) 225-5826. To make a donation or volunteer with us, please contact Elizabeth Labanowski labanow@aol.com | (281) 660-6720



The Archdiocesan Office of Pro-Life Activities is dedicated to promoting a *culture of life* at all stages and circumstances. For a list of upcoming events, please scan the QR code or visit the Archdiocesan website at www.archgh.org.



FERTILITY CARE

Want to know more about your fertility, gynecological health or are you struggling to conceive? Learn how to use a system of fertility awareness that is 100% natural, in concert with our Catholic faith and can be used to avoid or achieve pregnancy! Join a free introductory class to the Creighton Model. Please register at stmichaelchurch.net/fertility-care.

Location: Parish Life Center, Room A, unless otherwise noted

2026 Introductory Classes

September 21, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

October 24, 1:00 to 3:00 pm

November 16, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

December 14, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

2027 Introductory Classes

January 11, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

February 15, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

March 13, 10:00 am to 12 noon

April 10, 10:00 am to 12 noon

May 3, 6:30 to 8:30 pm

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(713) 403-4114



Make a difference in our community by joining the Knights of Columbus Council #14700 at St. Michael the Archangel! Membership is open to all baptized, practicing Catholic men age 18 years and older. There are plenty of opportunities for you to get involved, whether hands-on with a landscape project, our famous fish fry, or volunteering with social and prayerful activities. Visit our website at kofc14700.org.

Charity is our greatest principle – help us help others! Our charitable donations benefit the church, school and local charities. Our annual fundraising events include:

- Thanksgiving Turkey Sale
- Christmas Poinsettia Sale
- Adopt-a-Family for Christmas
- March for Life in January
- Super Bowl Meat Platters Sale
- Lenten Fish Fry

Monthly Meeting: 2nd Wednesday of each month

7:00–8:00 pm, Activity Building, Room 21

Join us for a social hour before our monthly meetings.

Contact

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Women of the Parish, JOIN US!



**Catholic Daughters
of the Americas®**

Court Queen of All Apostles #2258

“Bringing the light, Being the Light”

Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA) is one of the oldest and largest organizations of Catholic women in the world. Our foundation is Spirituality and Service. Our motto is Unity and Charity. Our patroness is the Blessed Mother.

We are women rooted in the love of Jesus, united with each other to actively focus on making a positive impact on the Church and community. CDA provides an avenue of service for members to live out their faith through programs, projects, activities and events related to family, quality of life, spirituality, education and youth. Together in fellowship, we serve with purpose and uplift others with acts of love.

Examples include:

- Support the Seminarians Event
- Crowning of Mary Ceremony
- Scholarships to students at St. Michael School
- A Benefit for The Gabriel Project
- Homelessness initiatives
- Support for battered women
- a Parish-based Event for St. Vincent de Paul
- A spiritual retreat
- Guest speakers, and so much more!

Let us invite you to the next meeting!
Just walk in, and you'll be warmly welcomed!
“MEMBERSHIP IS A BLESSING!”

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DATE	EVENTS	TIME
Sep 9, 2026	Meeting	5:30 pm
Oct 10, 2026	Meeting	2 pm
Oct 18, 2026	National CDA Convention	Mass TBD
Nov 7, 2026	Gala “Angels Among Us”	6:30 pm
Nov 11, 2026	Meeting	5:30 pm
Dec 5, 2026	Meeting & Xmas Party	11:30 am
Dec 12, 2026	Meeting	2 pm
Jan 13, 2027	Meeting	5:30 pm
Feb 13, 2027	Meeting	2 pm
Mar 10, 2027	Meeting	5:30 pm
Apr 10, 2027	Meeting	2 pm
May 12, 2027	Meeting	5:30 pm
Jun 19, 2027	Spiritual Retreat	10 am

**Meetings held at
PLC-A or ACT Rm 1 or 2**



SOCIABLE SENIORS

The Sociable Seniors group is a vibrant part of our parish community with a membership of more than 150 seniors. Its mission is to promote fellowship and camaraderie among seniors of all faiths, create a neighborly spirit, and sponsor various charities as determined by the members.

Activities include monthly trips to cultural, historical and seasonal attractions. Monthly social gatherings include coffee and chat, book club, Mexican Train and Mahjong.

Membership is available to those aged 50 or older. Annual dues are \$20. Prospective new members and visitors are always welcome.

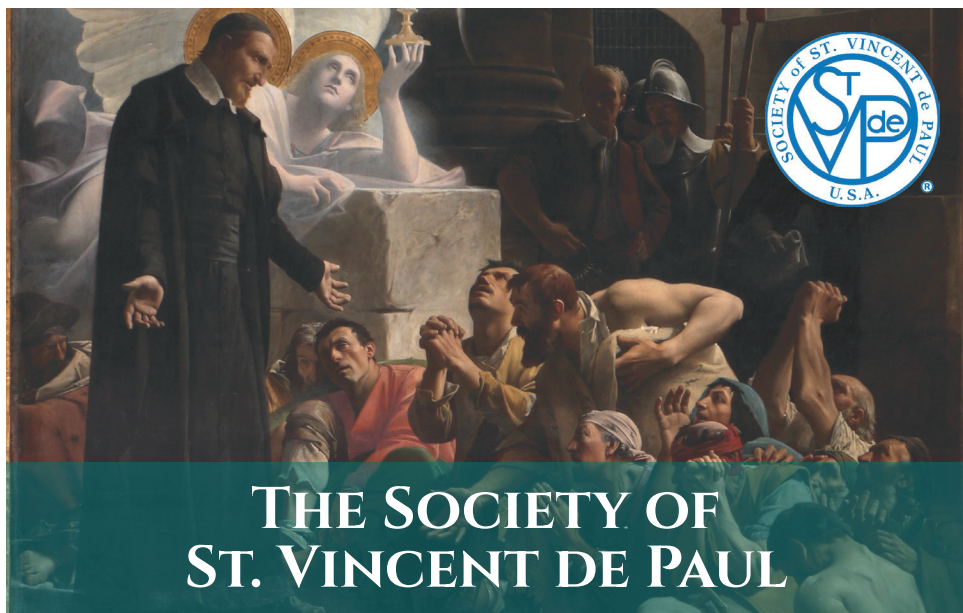
Monthly Meeting: 1st Monday of the Month

1:00 pm, Parish Life Center, Room A

Monthly meetings feature a program or presentation preceded by refreshments. For a schedule of activities, please check the bulletin.

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It is our mission at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and compassion of Christ to those in need and to assist them in overcoming a temporary crisis by providing basic necessities like food, clothing, furniture, medicine, rent, and utility payments. The Society also seeks systemic change and facilitates programs to help individuals overcome poverty and move towards financial security.

Our volunteers, known throughout the world as Vincentians, go in pairs to the homes of those in need to extend a hand of friendship and determine how we can best provide assistance. We serve those who live in the 77056, 77057 and the 77063 areas.

The St. Michael Vincentians can personally attest to the desperation of these “friends in need” and to the comfort they receive from knowing that someone cares.

Join us in volunteering with this important ministry that provides hope to so many in our community.

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ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

St. Michael Catholic School is a co-educational, private elementary and middle school (Pre-K3 through 8th grade) accredited by the Texas Education Agency through the Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops Education Department (TCCBED).

Established in 1954, St. Michael Catholic School integrates faith and knowledge in the tradition of Catholic education. The mission of St. Michael Catholic School is to form disciples of Christ through an education focused on faith, conscience, scholarship, and service. We take pride in our history, rooted in Catholic tradition and values. Our state-of-the-art facilities provide the most current educational tools and resources.

Education is one of the most important ways in which the Church fulfills its commitment to the dignity of the person and the building of community.

For more information about St. Michael Catholic School, please visit the website at stmichaelcs.org.

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Tuesday 1 pm – 9 pm

DAILY MASS

Monday–Friday

8:15 am | 12:10 pm

1ST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

8:15 am

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm

Sunday

7:00 am | 9:00 am ▶ | 11:00 am ▶ | 1:00 pm | 6:00 pm

▶ *Available via livestream.*

RECONCILIATION

Monday–Friday

7:30 am and 11:30 am

Tuesdays

6:00 pm–7:00 pm

Saturdays

8:45 am–10:00 am or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday

8:00 am–5:00 pm

Closed during lunch 12–1 pm