



It is often said that “you cannot please everyone.” Yet St. Paul said that he tried to please them. That is not to say that Paul just told everyone what they wanted to hear. Clearly he did not. But Paul did not want any of his personal wants or desires to interfere with other people receiving Christ. To be a Christian is to be an imitator of Christ in the world. Since we are Christ’s Body, the people of the world will experience Jesus Christ in the manner in which we present Him. So let the Lord shine through you.

Father Joseph

## Weekly Readings

### Sunday– Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lv 13:1-2,44-46/ Ps 32:1-2,5,11/ 1 Cor 10:31-11:1/ Mk 1:40-45

### Monday, -St. Giles Mary of St. Joseph

Jas 1:1-11/ Ps 119:67,68,71,72,75,76/ Mk 8:11-13

### Tuesday– St. Cyril & St. Methodius

Jas 1:12-18/ Ps 94:12-13a,14-15,18-19/ Mk 8:14-21

### Wednesday, St. Claude la Colombière

Jas 1:19-27/ Ps 15:2-3a,3bc-4ab,5/ Mk 8:22-26

### Thursday– St. Gilbert of Sempringham

Jas 2:1-9/ Ps 34:2-3,4-5,6-7/ Mk 8:27-33

### Friday, -Seven Founders of the Servite Order

Jas 2:14-24,26/ Ps 112:1-2,3-4,5-6/ Mk 8:34-9:1

### Saturday– Blessed John of Fiesole

Jas 3:1-10/ Ps 12:2-3,4-5,7-8/ Mk 9:2-13

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday</b> 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.  6:00 p.m.	<b>February 12</b> SI Victor Gisala by Margaret Rutaquio + Maria Lara by the Bouldin Family + Ann Marie Fundling by Kathy Pribilski & Dorothy Morgan + Mass of the People
<b>Monday</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>February 13</b> + Elizabeth Bakayoko by Abel Bakayoko
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>February 14</b> + Antonio Legaspi by his Family
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>February 15</b> SI Felipe Salazar by his Family
<b>Thursday</b> 8:00 a.m.. 6:30 p.m.	<b>February 16</b> + Deacon Giuseppe Kaspa by his daughter + Ross Ventrello by the Ryer Family
<b>Friday</b> 8:00 a.m.	<b>February 17</b> + Sophie Czaus by Walter & Mary Czhaus
<b>Saturday</b> 8:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	<b>February 18</b> St. Michael Pro-Life Ministry & Committee + Mary Gigele by her daughter and grandsons

\* Tabernacle Candle is for +Pete Cambel by Joy and Armand Cambel

## CHURCH OFFERING

<u>Weekend</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
02/05/12 Electronic	\$19,540.00 \$1,871.00
02/06/11 Electronic	\$17,983.00 \$1,131.00

There will be a second collection February 18-19,2012 for Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe

## The Week Ahead

**SUNDAY:** **February 12**  
9:00 a.m. Knights of Columbus breakfast-Curran Hall  
  
9:00 a.m. RCIA-Rm. 110/120  
1:00 p.m. Military Support group-Youth Room  
7:30 p.m. Young Adult Fellowship-(YAF)-Library

**MONDAY:** **February 13**  
6:00 p.m. M.O.M.S-Cry Room  
6:30 p.m. Faith Formation-Classrooms  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts-Curran Hall  
7:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul-Rm. 100

**TUESDAY:** **February 14**  
9:15 a.m. Mother's Day Out-Rm. 110/120  
6:00 p.m. M.O.M.S-Youth Room  
7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts-Curran Hall  
7:00 p.m. St. Gregory Choir-Sanctuary  
7:00 p.m. Diocese Class-Rm. 110/120  
7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus-Rm. 110/120  
7:00 p.m. RCIA Inquiry Class-Library

**WEDNESDAY:** **February 15**  
12:00 p.m. Catholic Studies Group-Rm.150  
7:00 p.m. BOB & WOW-Youth Room  
6:30 p.m. Edge-Curran Hall  
6:30 p.m. Faith Formation-Classrooms  
7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study-Rm. 110/120

**THURSDAY:** **February 16**  
9:15 a.m. Mother's Day Out-Rm. 110/120  
7:00 p.m. Divorce Ministry-Youth Room  
7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus-Curran Hall  
7:00 p.m. 8:30 Choir-Sanctuary  
7:00 p.m. Compassionate Friends-Rm. 200

**FRIDAY:** **February 17**  
7:00 p.m. No Scheduled Events

**SATURDAY:** **February 18**  
8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Group-Curran Hall  
9:00 a.m. First Reconciliation and First Communion Workshop-Curran Hall  
  
2:00 p.m. Faith Formation-Classrooms  
6:30 p.m. Mardi Gras Family Dance-Curran Hall

Come and join us for Vespers( Evening Prayer), Sundays during Lent at 5:00PM in the Chapel. Vespers begin Sunday, February 26, 2012.

## Middle School Youth Ministry

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Meets every Wednesday from 6:30-8:00PM in Curran Hall.

### Attention Parents

\*Parents please start reviewing the Confirmation interview materials. Confirmation interviews are scheduled for Sunday, February 26, 2012. Teens will be given scheduled times to show up for interviews for that Sunday during the EDGE.

### Attention 8th Graders

Please start studying for your Confirmation interview. In order to be confirmed, you must be cleared by the Confirmation Interviewer. Also, contact your sponsors because they should be involved in helping you prepare. Confirmation interview schedules will be given out in a few weeks.

### Attention 7th Graders

Starting Sunday, January 15th, you will now be asked to sign into a Mass Attendance binder. The binder can be located on the office door across from the Sacristy & Chapel. It will say "7th Grade Mass Attendance Binder."

Please make sure to Save the Dates

### Confirmation Retreat Date

February 10-12, 2012

### Confirmation Rehearsal Practice

April 26, 2012 @7:00PM

### Confirmation Date

April 27, 2012 at 7:00PM

## High School Youth Ministry

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Life Teen starts with a youth Mass at 6pm followed by a Life Night that lasts until 9pm.

Sign up today!! All forms, information, and details about events and activities can be found on our website: <http://www.smlifeteen.com>

### Sunday Life Night Schedule

Feb. 12 No Life Night

Feb. 19 Life Night

Feb. 26 Life Night

### Upcoming Youth Events

**May 4-6 Spring Retreat @ Sabine Creek Ranch**

Cost: \$100 (Spots Available! Payment plans are available)

**Youth group is in need of Adult Volunteers! All God asks for is a "YES" and He will give you the tools to do His will. Please contact Rachel if you have any interest!!**

For more information about getting your high school teen registered into the program please either call or email Rachel Kollhoff at 972-279-6581, ext. 17 or [Rachel@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:Rachel@stmichaelgarland.org)

**Young Adult Fellowship (YAF)** is an exciting new ministry for those young adults ages 18-30, single or married, working or in school. YAF provides the young adults in our community with opportunities for growing spiritually, friendship and fellowship through prayer, support, discussion of our faith and service. We will start our next 6-week block session on **February 12, 2012**. We meet in **Sundays at 7:30PM in the library**. There is no mandatory level of membership. We welcome any young adult to participate at any time. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Richard and Katherine Sesbino at (469)583-7031 or you can e-mail us at: [krsebino1219@yahoo.com](mailto:krsebino1219@yahoo.com)

### **First Reconciliation and First Communion Workshop**

Saturday, February 18

9:00AM-3:00PM

Please meet in your assigned classrooms.

### **Diocese Class-Christian Morality**

A series of Diocese Classes, entitled, "Spiritual Morality," will be presented by Father Joseph Mehan Jr. at St. Michael. The classes will be held over five Tuesday evenings beginning Tuesday, February 14 from 7-9PM in Curran Hall. All are welcome to attend and anyone involved in church ministry should plan to attend these classes. Attendance in all 10 hours of classes will apply towards your Diocese Catechetical Certification. To register for these classes, please contact Gloria Gove (PCL) at (972)279-6581 or [pcl-gloria@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:pcl-gloria@stmichaelgarland.org)

St. Michael's Lenten Mission  
Date: March 5-8, 2012  
Time: 7:00PM Nightly  
Theme: Prayer, Discernment,  
and Holiness: Turning Back to  
God and Toward the Future



LENTEN  
MISSION

Join Fr. Chris Decker, pastor of St. James and St. Phillip Catholic Churches in the Diocese of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, as he takes you on a Lenten journey. He'll look at the basics of how to pray, obstacles to prayer, and how to keep moving when we feel like we're in a rut. Some time will be spent on discernment-listening for God's voice and direction for our lives. And there will be a glance forward into the future and how to keep on the path to holiness and sainthood.

### **RCIA Adult Inquiry**

Classes will take place at St. Michaels on Tuesday, February 14 and Tuesday, February 28 at 7PM in the library. Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, should call the Church office (972)279-6581 or email [pcl-gloria@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:pcl-gloria@stmichaelgarland.org).

**Saint Michael the Archangel  
Boy Scout Troop 548**

February 11-12	Scouting for Food-Bags out @ St. Michael
February 13	Boy Scout Meeting 7PM-Curran Hall
February 16	Order of the Arrow Chapter Meeting
February 18-19	Scouting for Food-Bags pick up @ St. Michael
February 20	Boy Scout Meeting 7PM-Curran Hall
February 24-26	Camping-TBA
February 27	No Boy Scout Meeting-TAKS testing



For more information contact:  
Scoutmaster Chris Fowler  
Email: [cdf364@att.net](mailto:cdf364@att.net)

Troop, Pack and Crew 548 will be **Scouting for Food** for our St. Michael's Food Pantry on February 11 & 12. Scouts will distribute bags at Church and a bag will be placed on your car. Please return the bags with canned food the following weekend on February 18&19. The Food collected feeds the hungry for months. Scouts will be happy to collect cash donations. Last year the scouts collected:



Cub Scout Pack 276	492lbs.
Cub Scout Pack 1988	3,952lbs.
St. Michael's Pack, Troop & Crew	<u>13,847lbs</u>
Grand Total:	18,291lbs.

And 548 collected \$1,450.00 in cash donations

**Bishop Kevin Farrell calls upon the Catholic community to participate in a survey regarding Catholic education.** Whether or not you have school-aged children, the Bishop urges everyone to participate in the survey. The Bishop's Strategic Planning Committee was appointed in early 2011 to review the effectiveness of the Diocesan schools and make recommendations that will chart the course for the future. The Committee will study the survey results together with all the data collected during the research. Please take this short, anonymous survey by going to [www.cathdal.org](http://www.cathdal.org) and click on the survey icon. If a computer survey isn't possible for you, please call (214)379-3159 to arrange to take the survey via telephone. The survey is open for participation as early as **January 28th and closes on February 13th.**



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

February 12	Pancake Breakfast in Curran Hall after 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM Masses
February 16	Business meeting: Curran Hall
February 22	Ash Wednesday: Lenten Dinner
February 24	Lenten Dinner: Curran Hall
March 2	Lenten Dinner & Bingo: Curran Hall
March 5-8	Parish Mission: Curran Hall. Knights will provide dinner on Wednesday, March 7
March 9	Lenten Dinner & Bingo: Curran Hall
March 11	Pancake Breakfast: Curran Hall after the 8:30 & 10:30AM Masses
March 15	Officers Meeting (Note Date Change)
March 16	Lenten Dinner & Bingo
March 18	Membership Blitz
March 20	Information night for prospective members
March 22	Business Meeting (Note Date Change)



The **Annual Mardi Gras Family Dance** will be held Saturday, February 18, from **6:30-9:00 PM (NOTE TIME CHANGE)** in Curran Hall. All are invited to come and enjoy music, snacks, King Cake, crowning of "royalty," tattoos and face painting for children, and the tossing of beads and goodies! Take advantage of our lower prices for pre-purchased tickets: \$3 for singles or \$10 for families. Tickets at the door will be \$5 for singles or \$12 for families. Buy your tickets early and mark your calendar to attend this fun family event!! Pre-sale tickets will be sold after all Masses February 11 and 12 in the Narthex. Contact Diane Salazar, (972)279-6581, ext. 19, or [dianes@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:dianes@stmichaelgarland.org) if you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer.

**Committed Christian Couples**

Committed Christian Couples will present "A New Way to Love" which is a 6-week couples program during Lent on Fridays beginning February 24 at 7PM in the Youth Room. The cost of this program is \$25 per couple. Registration forms are located in the Narthex. The absolute deadline to register is February 16, 2012. Questions? Contact Diane Salazar (972) 279-6581 ext. 19 or [dianes@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:dianes@stmichaelgarland.org)

**THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2012**  
***A Time of Reflection***

Today we are conducting the annual campaign that asks all parishioners to make a generous financial commitment to the Bishop's Annual Appeal for Catholic Ministries.

The Annual Appeal campaign is much different that a one-time special collection. It is a pledge campaign where you can make a gift, payable over ten months.

A significant gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal will touch the lives of many others in a very positive way. The Annual Appeal provided an important portion of the funding for the ministries and services of the Diocese of Dallas. Most dioceses in the country conduct an appeal, once a year, to help with the costs of providing services and programs to their parish people. The Diocese of Dallas is no exception.

As you review the work enabled by your contribution to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, please reflect on God's gifts to you. He has given you all that you have. Your gifts to our parish, to the Diocese, and to the work of the Church throughout the world should be given in gratitude for the continuing gifts that God gives you. He never forgets you. Sometimes it is difficult to envision how one pledge can help an organization the size of our Diocese, how it can make a real difference. But each pledge does make a difference because the parishes participate in the campaign and the gifts of many enable our Diocese to deliver needed ministry and services. Our combined gifts not only signify our gratitude to God, they glorify Him by enabling the work of our Diocese.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

## Come Pray with Us!

Join St. Michael's Pro-Life Committee Saturday, February 18, as we pray the Rosary at Southwestern Late-term Abortion Clinic-Royal and Greenville in Dallas. We carpool after the 8AM Mass at St. Michael's and start a Rosary around 9:00AM. Come be a peaceful, prayerful witness of God's love. Contact Reg Platt at (214)392-4098 or [prolifecentral@aol.com](mailto:prolifecentral@aol.com) for more information.

### Young at Heart



Young at Heart is hosting bingo on Wednesday, January 18 at 1:00PM. Come join us for a fun afternoon. Refreshments will be served. Questions, contact Rich and Judy Fuja (972)686-4754

#### Maintenance Position Open

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

The candidate needs to have experience in building maintenance with a background in HVAC, electrical, plumbing, carpentry, custodial and customer service. The candidate will need reliable transportation and live within a reasonable distance of Church. Must have good communication skills and be computer literate. The candidate must pass all Diocesan and Parish background requirements. Qualified candidates may submit resumes to Johnny Martinez

[johnnym@stmichaelgarland.org](mailto:johnnym@stmichaelgarland.org)

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