

SAINT MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
APRIL 21, 2024

7:30 AM & 5:30 PM
SAINT MICHAEL CHAPEL



WELCOME



FROM THE RECTOR

The Rev. Dr. Christopher D. Girata



We're so glad you've joined us at Saint Michael today. We'd love to get to know you better, so please take a moment to fill out the welcome card, either physically or digitally, that can be found on this page or in the pew back in front of you. Our Welcome Team members are in the hallways today to help you with anything you need.

We are now in the Great Fifty Days of Easter, a season that lasts through Pentecost. I encourage you to look through the bulletin and find ways to plug into our community beyond Sunday worship. We have classes for all ages on Sundays and throughout the week, along with our special programs to lift your spirits and help you grow more deeply in your discipleship. In addition to what you'll find in this bulletin, please visit our website at saintmichael.org for more.

As we prepare to worship together, I invite you to take a moment and center yourself on God's presence. Worshiping, learning, and giving together help us grow closer to who God created us to be, and you're part of that work. May God bless you today and every day, and I hope to see you again very soon!

Chris

GET CONNECTED!

Welcome! Follow these steps to find out what life is like at Saint Michael. Questions? Contact Rob Springer-Kyle at rspringer@saintmichael.org or 214-692-3008.



Fill Out the Welcome Card

We will follow up with you to help you get plugged into our church.

Sign Up for E-mails

Stay up to date with the latest activities happening in our parish.



Attend Saint Michael 101

In this class, you'll hear all about our many ministries, opportunities for involvement, and the exciting future of our parish.

TODAY AT SAINT MICHAEL

Adult Formation

Be a Blessing:

"L" Stands for "Listen"

Led by the Rev. Ken Brannon
Coke Room

Stages of Faith

Led by the Rev. Mary Lessmann
Room 217

Parents Class:

30 Days to Understand the Bible:

The Later History of Isreal: Exile & Silence Eras

Led by Dr. Tim Smith
Room 224

Youth Formation

Middle School (6th – 7th)

Green Room | Youth Center

High School (9th – 12th)

Orange Room | Youth Center

Children's Formation

Godly Play

Room 203: Ages 3 – 6
Room 205: Ages 6 – 9

Weaving God's Promises

Room 214: PreK – 1st Grade
Room 216: 2nd – 3rd Grade

What's in the Bible? With Buck Denver

Room 213: 4th – 5th Grade

*Childcare (3 & under) is available from
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in rooms 14 & 16.*

*For a full listing of offerings and upcoming
events, please visit saintmichael.org/easter24.*

Traditional
Saint Michael Chapel

7:30 AM

Traditional
Church

Joy! A Children's Service
Saint Michael Chapel

9 AM

Formation
for All Ages

10 AM

Traditional
Saint Michael Chapel

Contemporary
Church

11 AM

Traditional
Saint Michael Chapel

5:30 PM

Blessing



Scan the QR code to visit the Easter hub page!



SAINT MICHAEL 101

Sunday, April 21 | 12:15-1:30 PM | Parlor

Led by the Rev. Dr. Christopher D. Girata and the Rev. Mary Lessmann



If you are new to Saint Michael or just visiting, and want to learn more about membership, then this is for you! Come meet members of our clergy & vestry, and hear about our many ministries, opportunities for involvement, and the exciting future of our parish.



scan for more info or go to saintmichael.org/101



MEN WITH PURPOSE SPEAKER SERIES

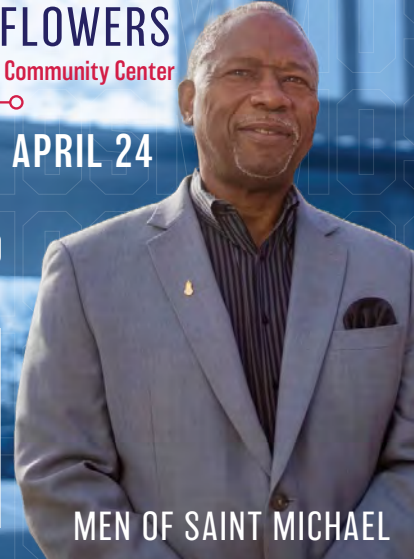
DR. TERRY FLOWERS

St. Philip's School and Community Center

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

Park City Club

7:30 a.m. | \$30



MEN OF SAINT MICHAEL

2024 Spring Outreach Project

MEN OF SAINT MICHAEL VETERANS DRIVE

Join us in assisting the Dallas Veterans Medical Center's outreach program by donating essential hygiene products to homeless veterans in the Dallas area. Your contribution will make a meaningful impact on the lives of those who have served our country.

WE NEED:

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|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Body Wash (no bar soap) | Toothpaste |
| Deodorant | Toothbrushes |
| Shampoo | Floss |
| Shaving Cream | Hairbrushes |
| Razors | Combs |
| Body Lotion | Denture Cleaner |
| | Nail Clippers |

MAY 1 - 26 | COLLECTION BOXES AT SMAA

* Everything must be new and in the original packaging. *

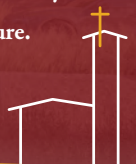


BUILDING *our* FUTURE GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY

Sunday, May 19 | 10 a.m.

Saint Michael and All Angels

Together, we will officially mark the beginning of the next chapter of Saint Michael's great legacy as we lay the foundation for our future.



THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
7:30 AM HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

The service begins on page 323 of the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP).

THE WORD OF GOD

The Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity (<i>standing</i>)	BCP 323
The Summary of the Law	BCP 324
<i>Gloria in excelsis</i> (<i>spoken by all</i>)	BCP 324
The Collect of the Day	<i>see page 3</i>
The First Lesson <i>Acts 4:5-12</i> (<i>seated</i>)	<i>see page 3</i>
Psalm 23	<i>see page 3</i>
The Second Lesson <i>1 John 3:16-24</i>	<i>see page 4</i>
The Gospel (<i>standing</i>)	<i>see page 4</i>

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

John 10:11-18

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon (<i>seated</i>)	The Rev. Dr. Andrew Grosso
The Nicene Creed (<i>standing, spoken by all</i>)	BCP 326
The Prayers of the People: Form I	BCP 383
The Peace (<i>standing</i>)	BCP 332

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II (<i>standing</i>)	BCP 340
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 337
The Post-Communion Prayer (<i>standing, spoken by all</i>)	BCP 339
The Blessing	
The Dismissal	BCP 339

During the season of Easter, we omit the Confession as a way of celebrating Christ's triumph over sin and the assurance of salvation and new life for all who are joined with him in his death and resurrection.

During the season of Easter, we return to the practice of the early church and stand during the Prayer of Consecration and the Post-Communion Prayer. You may also stand to receive Communion at the altar rail.

All are invited to come forward to the Communion rail at the direction of our ushers. Stand or kneel at the rail as you are able, and receive the wafer in the palm of your outstretched hands. If you desire a gluten-free wafer, clasp your hands in front of you with your palms down. Receive the wine by drinking from the chalice as it is offered to you, or by retaining the wafer, to dip lightly into the chalice for yourself. If you are not receiving, you may cross your arms over your chest and receive a blessing. If you are unable to physically come to the rail, please indicate to an usher that you would like to receive Communion at your seat.

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

5:30 PM HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

The service begins on page 355 of the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP).

Hymns are found in the blue hymnal.

THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

“At the Lamb’s high feast we sing” *Salzburg (sung by all)* Hymn 174

The Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity *(standing)* BCP 355

Gloria in excelsis (spoken by all) BCP 356

The Collect of the Day *see page 3*

The Lesson *Acts 4:5-12 (seated)* *see page 3*

Psalm 23 *see page 3*

The Gospel *(standing)* *see page 4*

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

John 10:11-18

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon *(seated)* The Rev. Dr. Andrew Grosso

Baptism *(standing)* BCP 301

Rory McKenzie Giebink, Daughter of Allison and James Giebink

The Peace *(standing)* BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

“Savior, like a shepherd lead us” *Sicilian Mariners (sung by all)* Hymn 708

“Praise God, from whom” *Old 100th (sung by all)* Hymn 380, v. 3

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B *(standing)* BCP 367

Sanctus and Benedictus: Mathias Hymn S 128

The Lord’s Prayer BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP 364

“Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless” *St. Agnes (sung by all)* Hymn 343

The Post-Communion Prayer *(standing, spoken by all)* BCP 365

The Blessing

The Dismissal BCP 366

“Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing” *Alles ist an Gottes Segen (sung by all)* Hymn 334

Postlude

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Parish Prayers of the People
as of April 11, 2024

Edwin Adams
John Aldridge
Abel Aluart
Rami Angir
Kathryn Anschutz
M'lou Bancroft
Barbara Hart Bell
Blair Bossee
Marla Briggie
Sherrill Brown
Scott Calhoun
Cosette "Coco" Cathey
Diane Chancellor
Suzanne Charriere
Antoinette Chatham
Sheldon Clements
Thomas Connolly
Carlos Cuellar
Richard DeKnock
John Durham
Teresa Finitzo
Dick Frazar
Jody Guenther
Ralph Hawkins
Michael Hernandez
Josh Hight
Michael Hilliard
Danny Landeros
Jack Levens
Pete McCown
Mary Jo Mackin
Dimitri Margetis
David Martin
John Morelock
Diego Moreno
The Mullen's family
Edward Neiman
Keith Nix
Ed Packee
Bob Paddock
Sallie Plummer
Tassi Reppas
Cameka Robertson
Emerson Schorr
Brad Smith
Rene Somodevilla
Byrd Teague
Valerie Guenther Unger

The Collect of the Day: 7:30 AM

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of thy people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calleth us each by name, and follow where he doth lead; who, with thee and the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Day: 5:30 PM

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson *Acts 4:5-12*

The rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures *

and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; * for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *
you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.
Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

The Second Lesson *1 John 3:16-24*

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God’s love abide in anyone who has the world’s goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Gospel *John 10:11-18*

Jesus said, “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.”

The preceding text of the worship service contained in this order of worship is taken from the Book of Common Prayer 1979. The Book of Common Prayer alone is of authority in the worship of the Episcopal Church. This program is provided for convenience of use on this occasion.

Pray, Learn, Serve, & Give

Adults

saintmichael.org/adults

Dr. Tim Smith, Director of Formation, tsmith@saintmichael.org
The Rev. Dr. Andrew Grosso, Senior Associate for Discipleship,
agrosso@saintmichael.org

SUNDAY FORMATION CLASSES | 10 A.M.

Being a Blessing

Led by the Rev. Ken Brannon/the Rev. Dr. Chris Girata
Coke Room

This series explores ways we ourselves are transformed by God's love as well as concrete, everyday practices we can use to share that transformative love with others.

Stages of Faith

Led by the Rev. Mary Lessmann | Room 217

Mary will help us broaden our perspective of the ways God calls us to grow and hone our ability to discern God's call in our lives.

Parents Class: 30 Days to Understand the Bible

Led by Dr. Tim Smith | Room 224

Gain a solid understanding of the Bible in this class where together with other parents, we'll explore the Bible's structure, its rich history, and God's promises.



Events & Classes

CELEBRATING TONY BRIGGLE AND 50 YEARS OF MINISTRY

Today, April 21

9 a.m. Recognition in Traditional Service

10 a.m. Reception Cloister Garden

Join us in celebrating and honoring Tony Briggles 50 years of dedicated worship leadership. Tony will continue to serve Saint Michael even as he retires from leadership, helping guide the important transition to our next great chapter.



RECTOR'S BIBLE STUDY: THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Wednesdays | 10:30 a.m.

Chapel & Livestream

ALPHA COURSE

Led by the Rev. Ken Brannon and Justin Brooks

Tuesdays, Now – May 21 | 6:30 p.m. | Parlor



All are welcome to join us as we enjoy dinner, explore the central tenets of the Christian faith, and provide an opportunity to ask the tough questions.

PRIME TIMERS LUNCHEON

Thursday, May 2 | 10:30 am | Coke Room

Reservations required, includes lunch (\$12)

RSVP by calling Bonita Frederick 214-728-6440

Join the vibrant discussion on "Our Future as Prime Timers at Saint Michael" and enjoy our traditional fried chicken picnic.

FEAST OF SAINT MARK HOLY EUCHARIST

Thursday, April 25 | 6 p.m. | Saint Michael Chapel

A light reception will follow

*(incense will be used at this service)

The feast of Saint Mark celebrates one of the earliest testimonies we have to the Gospel of Christ and the ways this testimony has shaped the church. We are especially pleased to welcome back the Reverend Dr. Bill Clarkson, who served on the staff of Saint Michael and All Angels and was as the Chaplain at St. Mark's School of Texas. This year's service will also include musical offerings from members of the choir of St. Mark's School of Texas.

CONSTRUCTION UPDATES...

CONSTRUCTION UPDATES ARE LIVE ONLINE! saintmichael.org/construction-impact



Pray, Learn, Serve, & Give



Young Adults

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Youth

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Sam Moore, Director of Youth Ministries
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Pastoral Care

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The Rev. Greg Pickens, Associate for Pastoral Care,
gpickens@saintmichael.org



CARE GIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

Led by Gayl Braymer, gaylbraymer@gmail.com
Mondays, 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

GRACEFUL HEALING: NAVIGATING GRIEF WITH HOPE

Led by the Rev. Christian Basel
Wednesdays, Now – May 15 | 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.



Through scriptural reflection, personal experiences, and meaningful discussion, we will build an uplifting community and explore how faith offers us hope for those who have experienced loss. Scan to sign up or RSVP to Christian Basel at cbasel@saintmichael.org.

Mission & Outreach

saintmichael.org/outreach

The Rev. Robin H. Hinkle, Associate for Mission & Outreach,
rhinkle@saintmichael.org

SAINT MICHAEL FOOD BANK SUPER TEAM



Help our food bank partners with distributions to assist low-income families living on the edge of economic security. Contact Morgan Wood at mwood@saintmichael.org to join the team.

North Dallas Shared Ministries

Tuesday, April 23 | 1 – 3 p.m.

Aunt Bette's Community Pantry

Tuesday, May 7 | 1 – 5 p.m.

YOUTH GROUP

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8 p.m. | Youth Center

YOUTH MISSION WEEK

June 3 – 7 | Stephen C. Foster Elementary School



Saint Michael will run a week-long camp for Foster Elementary students with a creation theme. Youth volunteers are needed to lead sessions. Volunteers of all ages are needed to decorate. Adults are needed to chaperone and lead camp

Children & Families

saintmichael.org/cfm

Meghan Houk, Director of Children & Family Ministry,
mhouk@saintmichael.org



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024: CONCRETE & CRANES

June 16 – June 20 | 5:30 – 8 p.m.

Registration closes May 26!

CHILDRENS SOLEMN COMMUNION CLASS

April 21 & 28 | 10 a.m.

Led by the Rev. Mary Lessmann

Children ages 6 – 9 are encouraged to attend these two sessions where they will discover what happens during Holy Communion and prepare them for receiving. Children who complete this class will make their Solemn Communion at 9 a.m. church service on Sunday, May 12. For more information and to register, contact Meghan Houk, Director of Children and Family Ministry at mhouk@saintmichael.org.



WEEKDAY MEDITATIONS

EASTER SEASON:
NEW EPISODES WEDNESDAYS!



Once you've been transformed by God's love, you can't help but want to share it with others. This Easter, let's learn how to share that grace and love with our friends and neighbors.







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