



St. Michael the Archangel Maronite Catholic Church

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**A Community of Prayer,
Love and Fellowship.
We Welcome You!**

“The Eastern Churches are the treasures of the Catholic Church” Saint John XXIII

Divine Liturgy Schedule: Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Daily Liturgy Schedule: Tuesday through Friday at -9:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: First Tuesday of Month 6:30 p.m. Benediction at 7:00 p.m.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: If you wish to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Church Office.

Mystery of Reconciliation: In order to provide greater availability, the Mystery of Reconciliation is normally celebrated one half hour before Divine Liturgy and by appointment.

Mystery of Crowning: Engaged couples must be registered, active members of the parish. Please make an appointment with the pastor at least six months prior to the requested date of marriage.

Inquiry Sessions: For those interested in finding out more about what it means to be Catholic, or seeking information toward the possibility of becoming members of the Catholic Church, please call the Church Office for more information.

Hospital Calls – If someone is in the hospital, please call the Church Office to inform Father Sam.

Parish Trustees: Chairperson – Lynn Vaughan, Members: Dr. John Handley, Mary Joan Fredette-Hahn, Michael Gamble, Rick Criste, & Cristina Francescon. Ex-officio: Subdeacons Ron Foster and Chuck VanHuesen.

Knights of Columbus: William Hoadley **Ladies Guild:** Lynn Vaughan

Youth Advisors: Chuck and Marie VanHeusen **Altar Society:** Ladies Guild

Young Adult Advisor: Michael Gamble **Sacristan:** Ray Miller **Organist/Choir Dir:** Francis Younger

**LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK
SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION**

APRIL 27 – 28, 2019

2ND SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

NEW SUNDAY (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

Readings: 2 Cor. 5:11-21; John 20:26.11; Liturgy begins on page 386.

Sat. April 27	5:30 p.m.	All The Caregivers.
Sun. April 28	10:30 a.m.	All The Caregivers.
Mon. April 29	NO LITURGY (Pastor's Day Off)	
Tue. April 30	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.
Wed. May 1	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.
Thu. May 2	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.
Fri. May 3	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.

MAY 4 – 5, 2019

3RD SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

OUR LADY OF LEBANON – MAY CROWNING

Readings: 2 Tim. 2:8-13; Luke 24:13-35; Liturgy begins on page 315.

Sat. May 4	5:30 p.m.	+The Faithful Departed.
Sun. May 5	10:30 a.m.	The Youth of the Parish.
Mon. May 6	NO LITURGY (Pastor's Day Off)	
Tue. May 7	9:00 a.m.	Your Intentions.
	6:30 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
	7:00 p.m.	Rosary and Benediction.
Wed. May 8	9:00 a.m.	Thanh Vo (BD) by Han Nguyen.
Thu. May 9	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.
Fri. May 10	9:00 a.m.	The Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.

MAY 11 – 12, 2019

4TH SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

MOTHER'S DAY

Readings: Heb. 13:18-25; John 21:1-14; Liturgy begins on page 315.

Sat. May 11	5:00 p.m.	Mothers of the Parish.
Sun. May 12	10:30 a.m.	First Communion & Our Mothers.

Tithes & Offerings	\$2,422.00
Holy Thursday	243.00
Good Friday/Holy Land	370.00
Fuel	100.00
Candles	<u>98.00</u>
	\$3,233.00

Building Fund (Restricted): \$80.00

God Bless You for Your Support

SANCTUARY CANDLE, BREAD AND WINE – APRIL

In Memory of James Monsour, Jr., by Steve & Rosalie Berti.

MAY is available.

VOCATIONS CHALICE

Saturday			Sunday		
April	27	The Piners	April	28	Connie Reidlinger
May	4	TBA	May	5	Mary Louise Barefoot
May	11	TBA	May	12	Marie Reale

READERS – Contact Subdeacon Ron Foster (910) 818-8682.

Saturday			Sunday		
April	27	Chris Cooper	April	28	Bill Hoadley
May	4	TBA	May	5	TBA
May	11	TBA	May	12	TBA

BREAKFAST PROGRAM: We will be sponsoring Operation InAsMuch. We are up again on Tuesday, 4 June 2019, 7:00 a.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING: First Sunday at 12 Noon. Contact Grand Knight William Hoadley at (910) 867-1010.

ST. MICHAEL LADIES GUILD MEETING: Second Sunday at 12 Noon. Contact President Lynn Vaughan at (910) 391-0662.

USHERS & GREETERS – APRIL: Chris Cooper.

REFRESHMENTS – APRIL: Neil & April Milan. **MAY:** The Fosters

ROSARY is prayed every 2nd weekend of the month 30 minutes prior to Liturgy.

BIRTHDAYS – APRIL: Callie Comlan, Simone Opalak, Jacob Lang, Phil Montaldo, and Brandon Phillips. **MAY:** CJ Guerrero, Jessica Piner, Ralph Baggett, Patti Reynolds, Lynn Vaughan, Kimberly Nesbitt, Marie Lewis, Reagan Hurley, Connie Perdue, Ed Vaughan, Ron Foster, Bert Andres, Wayne Nesbitt, Jr., Lorraine Petersen, Kara Gamble, Kane Gamble, Xaviar Hurley, Neil Piner.

ANNIVERSARIES – APRIL: Thomas and Emily Opalak. **MAY:** Neil & April Milan; Paul & Arielle Kuemmerlein; John & Ines Page; and Rick & Lori Criste.

+IN MEMORIAM: All those who have died in Christ.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS WHO ARE DEPLOYED& THOSE IN UNIFORM:

Chaplain Tim Meier, Austin Miller, Scott Miller, and Jacob Lang.

PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS, OUR SISTERS, AND FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD, RELIGIOUS LIFE AND OTHER MINISTRIES OF THE CHURCH.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL MINISTRIES: St. Michael’s has been asked to contribute 32 oz. jars of jams or jellies and sample size personal toiletry items. Please place your items in the basket located at the entrance to the Church. March: 55lbs.

PRAYER CHAIN: Contact for the prayer chain is Lucy Zahran at 910-868-1147.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE AT HOME AND IN HOSPITALS: Pray for all who have called in to the prayer chain. May they have a speedy recovery. Please let us know if anyone needs to be taken off the list.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Classes are on Wednesday nights at 6:30 p.m. Adult discussion group will meet as usual at 6:30 p.m. as well.

RELIGIOUS GOOD STORE: The Ladies Guild has opened a religious goods corner in the parish hall. The inventory is limited but the items have been requested in the past, so they decided to stock on a limited basis. Special orders are also available. Please see any of the ladies or Fr. Sam.

MOTHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE ENVELOPS: They are in the pews. Please print clearly. A separate sheet will be inserted in the bulletin.

VOCATION CHALICE SIGN UPS: For the Saturday Vocations Chalice please contact Darlene Darling @ 910-483-8845 or Freida Fadel @ 910-484-2280. For the Sunday Vocations Chalice please contact Ingrid Franklin @ 910-867-8090.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND FOR CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS.

PASTOR'S CORNER:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your remembrance of me during this Season of Resurrection. Your cards, gifts and special collection are appreciated. Thank you for your continuous prayers on my health. I will be having surgery this coming Tuesday (the 30th). Please check the bulleting and website for outer announcements.

God Bless and Have A Blessed Week,



DATES TO REMEMBER

MAY

- May 5 - May Crowning/ Our Lady of Lebanon
Administering the Sacrament of Confirmation
- May 12 - Mother's Day and First Communion
- May 28 - Opening Night – SwampDogs
- May 30 - Ascension of Our Lord (Holy Day of Obligation)

JUNE

- June 9 - Pentecost Sunday
- June 16 - Father's Day

NEW SUNDAY



ASCENSION



PENTECOST



HOLY TRINITY



 "The Church (like so many other things in life) is not so much something we inherit from generations past or take over from our predecessors as it is something on loan to us from future generations" (Matthew Kelly)
