



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:** Eileen Hicks, Thomas McLamb, Dr. John Handley, Mary Joan Fredette-Hahn, and Michael Gamble. Ex-officio: Subdeacons Ron Foster and Chuck VanHuesen.

Knights of Columbus: Chris Cooper

Youth Advisors: Chuck and Marie VanHeusen **Altar Guild:** Betty Morgan

Sacristan: Ray Miller

**LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK
SEASON OF THE HOLY CROSS
SEPTEMBER 27-28, 2014**

2ND SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS

Readings: 1 Cor. 15:19-34; MT 24:1-14; Liturgy begins on page 606.

Sat. September 27 5:00 p.m. Special Intention.

Sun. September 28 10:30 p.m. +Margorie J. Barry by Ronnie & Kathy Criminger.

**NO WEEKDAY LITURGIES
OCTOBER 4-5, 2014**

3RD SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS

HOLY ROSARY SUNDAY

Readings: Phil 3:17-4:1; MT 24:23-31; Liturgy begins page 606.

Sat. October 4 5:00 p.m. +Nydia Andres & Healing Liturgy for Uldorica Andres by Bert Andres.

Sun. October 5 10:30 p.m. Chuck & Marie VanHeusen – 40th Wedding Anniversary.

Mon. October 6 NO LITURGY (Pastor's Day Off)

Tue. October 7 9:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory.

Wed. October 8 9:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory.

Thu. October 9 9:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory.

Fri. October 10 9:00 a.m. Souls in Purgatory.

OCTOBER 11-12, 2014

4TH SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS

Readings: 1 Thes. 5:1-11; MT 24:45-51; Liturgy begins on page 606.

Sat. October 11 5:00 p.m. Birthday Remembrances: Sheila Monsour and Mary Joan Hahn.

Sun. October 12 10:30 p.m. Deceased Knights of Columbus – St. Maron Council 12640.

Tithes & Offerings	\$1,666.00
Devotions	22.00
Fuel	40.00
	<u>\$1,728.00</u>

Building Fund (Restricted): \$5.00

God Bless You for Your Support

SANCTUARY CANDLE, BREAD & WINE – SEPTEMBER

In Memory of Father Peter Boulos by Chuck and Marie VanHeusen

OCTOBER IS AVAILABLE.

VOCATIONS CHALICE

Saturday			Sunday		
Sep	27	The Hahns	Sep	28	The Kennys
Oct	4	Chris Cooper	Oct	5	Ray Miller
Oct	11	The Cristes	Oct	12	Kathy Criminger
Oct	18	Mary Rorke	Oct	19	Nicole Jenkins
Oct	25	The Powers	Oct	26	Chris Cooper

READERS - VOLUNTEERS ACCEPTED

LOVE LUNCH: First Wednesday at the Salvation Army on Alexander Street.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING: First Sunday at 12 Noon.

ST. MICHAEL LADIES GUILD MEETING: Second Sunday at 12 Noon.

USHERS & GREETERS – SEPTEMBER: Bill Hoadley and Chris Cooper
OCTOBER: Guerrero Family.

REFRESHMENTS – SEPTEMBER: The Franklins and Grays.
OCTOBER: Mary Louise Barefoot and Lynn Vaughan.

BIRTHDAYS –SEPTEMBER: Joseph Palmer, Lou Mullin, Hope Weiser, Stephanie Tucker, Jonathan Tucker, Eddie Monsour, Saamara Kaylor, Kati Kenny, Chuck VanHeusen, Ben Jenkins, Lori Criste, Mary Louise Barefoot, Betty Morgan, Madison Monsour, and Ulrika Nesbitt. **OCTOBER:** Linda Lewis, Father Sam, Nick Crucet, Sheila Monsour, Mary Joan Hahn, Margarite Oplak, Randy Lewis, Nicole Andres, Honey Paoni, Patrick Kaylor, John Handley, Rick Criste, Kathy Criminger, Cid Guerrero, Ian VanHeusen, Zahran Holt, and Jake Guerrero.

ANNIVERSARIES –SEPTEMBER: Father Sam (Ordination); Bishop Gregory (Priesthood Ordination) Ralph & Billie Baggett; and Ben & Grace Jenkins (60th). **OCTOBER:** Thomas & Kim McLamb; Chuck & Marie VanHeusen (40th).

IN MEMORIAM –SEPTEMBER: Clo Katonah, Edward David, Arthur Williams, Josephine Oetjen, and Solomon Monsour. **OCTOBER:** Marilyn Fahey, Vera Matheson, Howard Alligood, John Ferrani, Joseph Monsour, Sr., Wayne Nesbitt, Sr., Arlene Barton, Brian Chase, and Bobby Ann Young.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS WHO ARE DEPLOYED:
Chaplain Tim Meier, Linda Kropik, Doug Weiser, and Peter Shamatta.

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.

PRAYER CHAIN: Contact for the prayer chain is Grace Jenkins at 910-323-0787.

COLLECTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER:
Weekend of October 18-19: World Missions.
Fuel and Building Funds at any time.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE AT HOME AND IN HOSPITALS: Jimmy Monsour, Ana Damian, Shirley Maxwell, Seminarian Philip Johnson, Bishop Stephen Doueih, Linda Lewis, Mel & Rose, Melody Butler Lindsey, Lorraine Petersen, Grace Jenkins, Randy and Marie Lewis, Phil Montaldo, Sal Scarpa, Joe McBride, Gordon Evans, Shannon Munnery, Maria Kenny, Father Paul Mouawad, Cathy Bentlage, Jim Purdue, Tommy Monsour, Theresa Abrams, Msgr. Gerald Lewis, Mary Gillam, and Patrick Chung. Those requesting special prayers may contact Grace Jenkins at 323-0787

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 27-28: Catechetical Weekend. Registration for Religious Ed.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

There are offering envelopes available in the entrance of the church if you would like to have a set for your contributions. Of course, if you prefer to contribute by check, they will be recorded that way.

REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS ED: We will be registering all children for religious education next weekend. Please be sure that your child(ren) are registered so we can begin this year’s curriculum

PASTOR'S CORNER

Thanks to all of you who: work, attended, and had anything to do with the celebration of our 40th last Sunday. Bishop Gregory had a great time and he said he was “the most relaxed he had been in a very long time.” God bless you all. Saturday’s cookout at the rectory was a success as you can see from the following photo. Sorry all our youth and young adults couldn’t be there.

Have A Blessed Week,

Father Sam



ICON OF EXULTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS



“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)
