



## 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:** Marie VanHeusen

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

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

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**LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK  
SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS CROSS  
OCTOBER 20 – 21, 2018**

**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS**

Readings: Gal. 6:1-10; MT 25:14-30; Liturgy begins on page 606.

Sat. October 20 5:00 p.m. +Uldorica Andres by Bert Andres.  
Sun. October 21 10:30 a.m. +Leonard "Shelby" Kannan by Carol & Chris Kannan.  
Mon. October 22 NO LITURGY (Pastor's Day Off)  
Tue. October 23 9:00 a.m. +Deceased Members of Magat Family.\*  
Wed. October 24 9:00 a.m. Robert Avriett (H) by Warren and MJ Hahn.\*  
Thu. October 25 9:00 a.m. +Gordon Evans by Marie Reale.\*  
Fri. October 26 9:00 a.m. +Gordon Evans by Lucy Zahran.\*

\*For the Intentions and Donors of the Catholic Extension Society.

**OCTOBER 27 – 28, 2018**

**SUNDAY OF CHRIST THE KING**

Readings: Rom. 12:9-21; MT 25:31-46; Liturgy begins on page 606.

Sat. October 27 5:00 p.m. +Dalmacio, Ricardo, & Rhoniel by Gregory and Marites Torres-Goulet.  
Sun. October 28 10:30 a.m. +Gordon Evans by Steve & Rosalie Berti.

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Tithes & Offerings \$2,110.00  
Candles 36.00  
Fuel 90.00  
\$2,436.00

Building Fund (Restricted): \$0.00

God Bless You for Your Support

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**SANCTUARY CANDLE, BREAD & WINE – OCTOBER is available.**

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**VOCATIONS CHALICE**

Saturday			Sunday		
October	20	Donnie Matheson	October	21	The Crimingers
October	27	The Fosters	October	28	Ivette Vega

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

Saturday			Sunday		
October	20	Tom Piner	October	21	Peter Paoni
October	27	Marie VanHeusen	October	28	Cristina Francescon

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**BREAKFAST PROGRAM:** We will be sponsoring Operation InAsMuch. We are up again on Tuesday, 4 December 2018, 7:00 a.m.

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

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**ST. MICHAEL LADIES GUILD MEETING:** Second Sunday at 12 Noon. Contact President Marie VanHeusen at (910) 988-3499.

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**USHERS & GREETERS – OCTOBER:** Ray and Joanne Miller.

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**REFRESHMENTS – OCTOBER:** Maries Reale and Lucy Zahran.

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**ROSARY** is prayed every 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend of the month 30 minutes prior to Liturgy.

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**BIRTHDAYS – OCTOBER:** Neil Milan, Father Sam, Sheila Monsour, MJ Hahn, Marguerite Opalak, Randy Lewis, Kevin Caliva, Nicole Andres, Honey Paoni, Courtney Phillips, John Handley, Rick Criste, Kathy Criminger, Lizzie Leaf, Cid Guerrero, Father Ian VanHeusen, Ann Grobosky, Jake Guerrero, Zahran Holt, and Ivette Vega.

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**ANNIVERSARIES – OCTOBER:** Chuck & Marie VanHeusen and Kevin & Hayne Caliva.

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

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

Chaplain Tim Meier, Austin Miller, Scott Miller, CJ Guerrero, Bill Talley and Jake Lang.

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

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**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.

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

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**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.

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**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.

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**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.

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**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.

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**PASTOR'S CORNER:**

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

As always you overwhelm me with your creativity and kindness. My birthday celebration was beyond words.

Thank you for all you did to make the milestone (75 years) of my life memorable. The hall was decorated so beautifully; and it was like being at the ballpark: popcorn, crackerjacks, and hot dogs included. The balloons added to the festivities.

Thank you for all the cards, letters, and gifts. All you do for me is extremely appreciated.

Always in my prayers.

God Bless and Have A Blessed Week,



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**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- October 26 - Pumpkin Carving – Parish Hall.
- November 1 - All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation) Liturgies: 12 Noon and 6:30 p.m.
- November 3 - “Good Stuff” (Yard Sale)
- November 4 - Consecration of the Church
- November 4 - Daylight Savings Time ends (Fall back).
- November 8 - Feast of St. Michael – Liturgy: 12 Noon.
- November 11 - St. Michael Luncheon for Patron Saint.
- November 11 - Renewal of the Church

**EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS**



**SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS BIRTH OF OUR LORD**

- November 18 - Announcement to Zechariah
- November 22 - Thanksgiving Day.
- November 25 - Announcement to Mary
- December 2 - Visitation of the Virgin to Elizabeth
- December 7 - Vigil of the Immaculate Conception: Divine Liturgy 6:30 p.m.
- December 8 - Immaculate Conception (Holy Day): Divine Liturgy 12 Noon
- December 9 - Birth of John the Baptist
- December 16 - Revelation to Joseph
- December 23 - Genealogy Sunday
- December 24 - Vigil of the Birth of Our Lord: Divine Liturgy 5:00 p.m.
- December 25 - Birth of Our Lord: Divine Liturgy 10:30 a.m.
- December 30 - The Finding of Our Lord in the Temple

**SAINT SHARBEL**



**SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL**



**CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH**



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“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)

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