



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

**LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK
NOVEMBER 17 – 18, 2018**

SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS BIRTH OF OUR LORD

ANNOUNCEMENT TO ZECHARIAH

Readings: Rom. 4:13-25; Luke 1:1-25; Liturgy begins on page 18.

Sat. November 17 5:00 p.m. +Simplicio & Maxima Pineda-Torres by Gregory and Marites Torres-Goulet.
Sun. November 18 10:30 a.m. +Rita Guzinski by the Reynolds and Fredette-Hahn Families.
Sun. November 11 10:30 a.m. All Our Veterans – Living & +Deceased.

**NO WEEKDAY LITURGIES
HAPPY THANKSGIVING
NOVEMBER 24-25, 2018**

CHRIST THE KING (LATIN RITE)

ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE VIRGIN MARY (MARONITE RITE)

Sat. November 24 5:00 p.m. +Faithful Departed.
Sun. November 25 10:30 a.m. Our Benefactors.

NO LITURGIES MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Wed. November 28 9:00 a.m. +All Souls by Thanh and Han.
Thu. November 29 9:00 a.m. Special Family Intention by MJ & Warren.
Fri. November 30 9:00 a.m. Special Family Intention by MJ & Warren.

DECEMBER 1 – 2, 2018

VISITATION OF THE VIRGIN TO ELIZABETH

Readings: Eph. 1:1-14; Luke 1:39-45; Liturgy begins on page 38.

Sat. December 1 5:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Liturgy for Warren & MJ Hahn.
Sun. December 2 10:30 a.m. +Gerald Nidy by Cristina Francescon.

Tithes & Offerings	\$3,164.00
Maronite Patriarchal Charities (To Chancery)	287.00
Candles	33.00
Special Events (50/50 Raffle)	167.00
Fuel	<u>100.00</u>
	\$3,751.00

Building Fund (Restricted): \$60.00

God Bless You for Your Support

SANCTUARY CANDLE, BREAD & WINE – NOVEMBER

In Memory of Gordon Evans by Marie Reale.

VOCATIONS CHALICE

	Saturday		Sunday
November 17	The Cristies	November 18	Ed Baez
November 24	The Montaldos	November 25	Marie Reale

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

	Saturday		Sunday
November 17	MJ Hahn	November 18	Bill Hoadley
November 24	Tom Piner	November 25	Ray Miller

BREAKFAST PROGRAM: We will be sponsoring Operation InAsMuch. We are up again on Tuesday, 4 December 2018, 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 Marie VanHeusen at (910) 988-3499.

USHERS & GREETERS – NOVEMBER: Lynn Vaughan & Mary Louise Barefoot.

REFRESHMENTS – NOVEMBER: Ray and Joanne Miller.

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

BIRTHDAYS – NOVEMBER: Ray Miller, Alex Hoadley, Madison Bigler, Dawn Hurley Kathryn Monsour, Claire Chapman, Gregory Goulet, Ishod Nesbitt, Albert Andres, Susan Fiden, Jessica Guerrero, Chris Cooper, Kittie Leaf, Colin Kenny, Marie VanHeusen, Ryker VanWy.

ANNIVERSARIES – NOVEMBER: Phil & Emma Montaldo; Subdeacon Ron (Ordination); Aniel & Anelique Comlan; Subdeacon Chuck (Ordination); Jake & Krista Lang; and Tom & Sheila Delahunty.

+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, CJ Guerrero, and Jake 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.

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.

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.

PASTOR'S CORNER:

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Ornaments for the Christmas Giving Tree are available in the Parish Hall.

It is time to begin our donations for the Thanksgiving Baskets Gift Cards. We purchase them for \$35.00 each. You may contribute all or part of this amount. **PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECKS PAYABLE TO ST. MICHAEL CHURCH.**

God Bless and Have A Blessed Week,

DATES TO REMEMBER

SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS BIRTH OF OUR LORD

- November 18 - Annunciation to Zechariah
- November 22 - Thanksgiving Day.
- November 25 - Annunciation 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

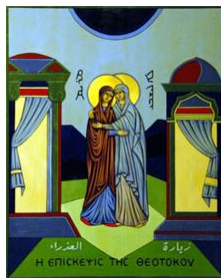
ANNOUNCEMENT TO ZECHARIAH



ANNOUNCEMENT TO ST. MARY



VISITATION OF MARY TO ELIZABETH



BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST



“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)
