

Sat. Jan. 30 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51; Mk 4:35-41  
8:00 AM >Francisco Plazola by Family  
5:30 PM >Timothy Kuhn by Nettie Kunh-Verde  
Sunday Feb. 1 Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71; 1 Cor 13:4-13; Lk 4:21-30  
8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM >Agnes Quinn by Dennis & Eileen McGrath  
12:00 PM >Paulina Avila by Family  
7:00 PM For all infant Souls by Simon & Teresa Vu  
Mon. Feb. 2 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3; Mk 5:1-20  
8:00 AM In Thanksgiving from the Lu Family  
Tues. Feb. 3 Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40  
**NO MASS**  
Wed. Feb. 4 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32; Mk 6:1-6  
Birthday Blessing Candelario Lu by Family  
Thurs. Feb. 5 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13  
6:00 PM Tuyen Nguyen by Family  
Fri. Feb. 6 Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18; Mk 6:14-29  
8:00 AM Orphan Souls by Simon & Teresa Vu  
Sat. Feb. 7 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119; Mk 6:30-34  
8:00 AM >Francisco Plazola by Family  
5:30 PM >Raquel Velasco by Family

**SUNDAY - JANUARY 31**

**SACRAMENTAL PARENT MEETING**

8:30 AM -10:00 AM - 5:30 PM--Faith Formation & RCIA Fam.  
11:30 AM - CRHP Women #6-- Room 106/107  
1:30 PM - Hispanic Ministry Bible Study--Mazaika Hall  
3:00 PM - Youth Group Gathering--Youth Room  
5:30 PM - 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal--Sanctuary

**MONDAY - FEBRUARY 1**

**SACRAMENTAL PARENT MEETING**

6:30 PM - FF grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> --Rooms 103-107, 201 & 202  
6:30 PM - Worship Commission--Library  
7:00 PM - Adult Bible Study--Room 203

**TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 2**

7:00 PM - Men's CRHP Meeting--Room 202  
7:00 PM - Pro-Life Committee--Room 203  
7:30 PM - Boy Scout Meeting--Room 106/107

**WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 3**

**SACRAMENTAL PARENT MEETING**

7:00 PM - FF grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> --Rooms 103-107, 201 & 202  
7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal -- Sanctuary  
7:30 PM - Legion of Mary--Library

**THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 4**

6:30 PM -Council of Catholic Women--Room 106/107  
7:00 PM - RCIA Meeting--Mazaika Hall  
7:00 PM - Music Ministry Language Support--Room 103

**FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 5**

8:30 AM - Anointing & Holy Hour--Sanctuary  
9:00 AM - Legion of Mary--Library  
3:00 PM - Divine Mercy--Chapel  
7:00 PM - Hispanic Ministry Meeting--Library  
7:00 PM - Cubs Scouts--Rooms 103-107, Narthex


**SATURDAY - FEBRUARY 6**

8:30 AM - OLPH Novena--Sanctuary  
10:00 AM - Confirmation Retreat - M/H, 201-203, 106/107  
6:30 PM - Multicultural Rosary--Chapel

**Morning and Evening Prayer**  
will begin 20 minutes prior to the Daily Masses

**Remember In Prayer**

Francisco Carrillo, Pat Mitchell, Sandy Champion, Christine Williams, Ygancio V. Lopez, Becky Ramirez, Madison Ramirez, Grace Botello, Arthur Vega, Phyllis Murphy, Cindy Crowley, Ralph Feliciano, Matt Chandler, Mary Ellen Seddon, Lance Shope, Mark Dally, Bill Dunlop, Ernestine Fincher, Vince LaCarter, Dan Ponto, Allison Zwaschka, Rose Uvalle, Mickie Remediz, Marcelino Garcia Jr., Irene Tapia, Ferman Cavazos, Nina Garza, Charles Moncrief, Rosalinda Garcia, Lillian Baron, Ana Garca, Bertha Sanchez, Blanca Chavez, & Billy Jack Grider

	<p><b>SANCTUARY CANDLE</b> The candle is burning for the next 2 weeks In Memory of Altargarcia Maria Leal From her children</p>
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If you would like to donate the sanctuary candle in memory of someone or in celebration of a special occasion, please call the office and schedule a date. The donation is \$25.00.

	<p><b>ALTAR FLOWERS</b> The Flowers this weekend are donated In Celebration for the 48<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Joe &amp; Sista Flores</p>
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If you would like to donate flowers in memory of someone or in celebration of a special occasion, please call the office and schedule a date. The weekly flower donation is \$35.00 each X 2.

**PLEASE REMEMBER ST. MICHAELS  
YOUR HOME PARISH IN YOUR WILL!**

<b>LAST WEEKS COLLECTION 01/24/2010</b>	
Regular Collection	\$15,926.50
Children's Collection	\$148.05
Immaculate Conception School Subsidy	\$2,145.00
Envelopes	329
Attendance	2422
Thank you to all those who donate. God will bless you.	

**SILVER LEAVES LUNCHEON**

We will be having our bi-monthly potluck luncheon on February 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Michaels the doors open at 10:30am. All retired Catholics of Grand Prairie are welcome. For more info. call Dolores Martin at 972-262-7631



**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

All bulletin announcements must be written and in the church office by 12 noon on Monday, all pulpit announcements written and in the office by Thursday. [smgptxdorice@sbcglobal.net](mailto:smgptxdorice@sbcglobal.net)

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### WE THANK GOD FOR YOU PAT ARNOLD!!!

Throughout St. Michael's 25 year history, God has blessed our Parish with many, wonderful volunteers. In fact, St. Michael's would not even be here without the countless men and women who give of their precious time, talent and treasure. It is at this time we would like to thank Pat Arnold for leading St. Michael's Marriage Ministry for 25 wonderful years. Pat is retiring from the Marriage Ministry and turning the reigns over to Karla Arriaga who will continue to do a wonderful job thanks Karla! For two and a half decades nervous brides and anxious grooms could count on Pat's calm, loving manner as she helped them prepare for the biggest event of their lives. But the Marriage Ministry is only one way Pat has helped out. Pat also served on the Parish Advisory Council, soothed broken hearts by creating our very special Consolation Ministry, welcomed Catholics to their new home through RCIA and Catholic Can come Home there was even a time when Pat cleaned the Pastor's house! Please join us in our thanks and prayers for all Pat has given to St. Michael's through her own love of our Lord Jesus Christ. God Bless you Pat!!!



### ST. MICHAEL PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE

We are in need of the following baby items: wipes, formula, food, bath items, bottles, diapers up to 12-months, clothing sizes newborn to 24 months and unexpired baby item coupons.

### YOUNG ADULT NEWS

**February 2** - Young Adult Adoration, Praise and Worship at St. Joseph Richardson at 7 pm

**February 7** - Youth leading the Mass at 7 pm, choir practice at 5:30 pm.

**February 20-21** - Bake Sale and breakfast burritos. Proceeds go toward our summer retreat.

**August 20-22** - Young Adult Retreat at Mt. Lebanon, Cedar Hill. Young Adult is open to all 18-39 years old single/married. Please call Betty or Jon at 972 602 4785.

### POSITION AVAILABLE:

St. Michael's is seeking a part-time coordinator for music and liturgy. Experience in choir directing and liturgy required. Please submit resume by Jan. 25, 2010 to: St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church, Atten: Coordinator of Music & Liturgy Search, 2910 Corn Valley Road, Grand Prairie, TX 75052.

### BISHOP KEVIN FARRELL IS BLOGGING

Our own Bishop Kevin Farrell has entered the world of Social Media. Follow *Bishop Farrell's Blog* and learn more about the Church's stance on the issues and events of the day. You can find the bishop's blog on the diocesan website at [www.cathdal.org](http://www.cathdal.org).

### CATHOLICS CAN COME HOME

Have you been away from the Church for a while? Have you ever thought about returning? If so, we would like to welcome you back. We have a special ministry for people who have been away from the Church. Please join us for a 4-week series that will begin on Tuesday, February 9 at 7 p.m. in the Church Library. We would like to address your questions and make you feel at home once more in the Catholic Church. For more information, please call Pat Arnold at 972-264-0772 or BeBe Cantu at 972-262-6590.

### BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Pledge Weekend, in support of the 2010 Bishop's Annual Appeal, will be held at all weekend Masses next Sunday. Please be generous in your pledge. Each and every pledge will make a difference, no matter the size, and remember, God will surely bless you for your generosity

## VALENTINE DINNER DANCE.

### TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Saturday Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> 6:45pm – 10:00pm,

Cost: \$10.00 per person

Entrée-Chicken Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread, Drink and Dessert.

Sponsored by the

Youth Group and Fall Festival Committee.  
Babysitting available in the nursery 0-5y and Youth Room 6-12.

### RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Suggested min. donation \$10.00 per child for the evening.

For reservations please email Neen Ponto at [neenponto913@sbcglobal.net](mailto:neenponto913@sbcglobal.net) or cell # 214-734-2623

### TV MASS FOR SHUT-INS

Heart of the Nation is now broadcasting the Catholic TV Mass in Dallas/Ft. Worth on KFWD-TV Ch. 52, Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m.

KFWD-TV is available over-the-air on digital TV channel 52 as well as on local cable and satellite services. Viewers should check cable and satellite listings to find the correct channel number for "KFWD".

Bishop Farrell is grateful to Heart of the Nation for providing this televised Mass for shut-ins, the physically challenged, sick and hospitalized and the incarcerated. All who are involved in these ministries are asked to please share this information with those you serve.

### SANTA CLARA OF ASSISI CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Invites you to an Open House on  
Wednesday, February 3, 2010  
6:00 pm-7:00 pm

321 Calumet Avenue  
Dallas, Texas 75211  
214-333-9423

Our goal for the 2010-2011 School Year  
is to reach 200 students.

### GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY

We provide a place for people to mourn and they realize they are not alone in their grief. For information and meetings times call:

Pat Arnold 972-264-0772  
Timo & Elia Rodriguez 972-264-2778  
Gilda Branch 972-262-2485



## The Bishop's 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Catholic Pro- Life Dinner!

The Most Reverend Kevin J. Farrell, Bishop of Dallas, invites you to attend this inspiring event benefiting the Catholic Pro-Life Committee on Saturday, April 10, 2010, at the Hilton Anatole Dallas, 2201 Stemmons Freeway. Our

growing attendance at this favorite annual event has moved us into a larger room this year – the Trinity Ballroom! Please reserve your seats early to enjoy a silent auction, car raffle, an exciting first-ever live auction and our Keynote Speaker, **Daniel Cardinal DiNardo**, Archbishop of Galveston-Houston, and Chair of the U.S. Catholic Bishops' Committee on Pro-Life Activities.

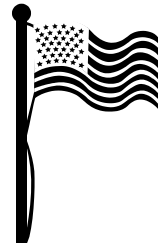
Also featured will be Special Guest **Abby Johnson**, former Planned Parenthood Director in Bryan, Texas. We welcome and thank this year's honorary chairs for the dinner, **John and Patti Cody**, of St. Rita Parish.

The evening begins with a Silent Auction and pro-life exhibits at **5:00 p.m.**, followed by a seated banquet at **6:30 p.m.**, with remarks by Bishop Farrell; a keynote speech by Cardinal DiNardo; a testimonial by Abby Johnson; and recognition of the 2010 Bishop's Pro-Life Award Recipients. Reservation price is \$75 for an individual ticket, \$750 for a table of 10, and \$60 for a student ticket. Ticket price includes parking. Premium tables with tickets for a private reception with Bishop Farrell, Cardinal DiNardo and Abby Johnson are available for \$1,000 and up. Spanish translation headsets will be available.

Make your reservation call our office at 972-267-LIFE (5433). [The Bishop's 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Catholic Pro-Life Dinner: "The Splendor of the Gospel of Life"](#) marking the 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the landmark papal encyclical *Evangelium Vitae* (*The Gospel of Life*) by Venerable Pope John Paul II.

### UD OFFERS SUMMER PROGRAMS IN ITALY

Building upon 40 years of experience with its famous Rome Semester, UD offers summer programs abroad for college students, teachers, families, and high school students. **Summer 2010** offerings include: *Eternal Cities 2010 (June 16-29)*, the study tour led by Art Professor Lyle Novinski which will share four days in Rome with the *Rome Reunion (June 17-21)* and then go on to Siena, Assisi, and Southern Italy. Prof John Norris, Brian Schmisek and others will lead *School of Ministry* courses at the beautiful Rome campus. English Profs Greg Roper and Andrew Moran will guide teachers in an intense study of *Shakespeare's Baroque Rome (June 24-July 3)* and high school students through *Shakespeare in Italy (July 6-23)*. Learn more at [udallas.edu/travel](http://udallas.edu/travel), email [udsummer@udallas.edu](mailto:udsummer@udallas.edu) or call 972-721-5181 Discounts for alums, teachers, family groups. Credit may be earned. Programs are filling rapidly; deposit deadline March 1.



### FLAG POLE PROJECT

The Parish Council of St. Michael's has approved placing flag poles on the corner of Warrior Drive and Corn Valley. Richy Drake of Boy Scout Troop 388, chartered by St. Michael's has undertaken this task. The Scouts and Leaders will install the poles. Your help is needed in covering the cost for this project to be completed by the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of St. Michael's. Thank you for your generous donation.

### YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Looking for a reason to buy new furniture? Here's a way to get what you want and help someone in need at the same time. The St Michael Youth Group is in need of a gently used well made sturdy couch or two. We've already lost one kid who sank down in the middle of the one we have. We're still looking for him. Please contact Neen Ponto 214-734-2623 to donate.



*In Romans 12:13 we are told:  
Share with God's people who are  
in need. Practice hospitality.  
This congregation certainly obeys  
that command.*

As you are probably aware, next Sunday is the FOOTBALL Super Bowl. Our church will also have our S-O-U-P-E-R Bowl (of Caring) Help our Youth Group break our record again and reach our goal of collecting \$4000 this year during Souper Bowl of Caring on February 6 & 7. Remember, everything collected stays right here at St Michael to benefit our own food pantry St. Vincent de Paul. Please dig deep and give what you can.

The Souper Bowl of Caring is a grassroots, faith-based crusade against hunger. We are joining other churches, schools, organizations and individuals across the country to fight hunger and poverty by collecting dollars in soup pots next Saturday/Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, founder and executive director said, "It is a way for young people to put God's love into action by developing a heart for helping others. The goal is for these young people to see they can make a difference and for them to continue contributing through volunteerism when they reach adulthood."

In 2009, over 13,000 groups raised over \$10 million for soup kitchens, food banks and other helping charities. Our collection will go to St. Vincent de Paul. May God bless our gifts.

### "Help us Stop the Silent Killer Heart Disease"

#### St. Michael the

#### Archangel Youth Group

Cordially invites you to help us by dressing in Red for Mass and stopping by to pick up information from the information table.

**Saturday, February 6<sup>th</sup> &  
Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>**

Come by and register or just pick up information after all Masses.

For information call Esmeralda Rodriguez at 972-891-4678.

