

**I will praise you
L O R D
for you have rescued me.**



Sat. April 17 *Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27; Jn 6:1-21*
8:00 AM †Marjorie Louise Delaney
by Jack & Noreen Haler
5:30 PM †George De la Cerda by Tovar Family
Sun. April 18 *Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Rv 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19*
8:00 AM Jerrie Williams by Becky Williams
10:00 AM †Guadalupe Rubalcaba by Family
12:00 PM †Beatriz Garza by Family
7:00 PM People of the Parish
Mon. April 19 *Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119; Jn 6:22-29*
8:00 AM Eric Anthony Tijerina by Family
Tues. April 20 *Acts 7:51—8:1a; Ps 31; Jn 6:30-35*
8:00 AM **No Mass**
Wed. April 21 *Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66; Jn 6:35-40*
8:00 AM Eric & Marcia Tijerina by Family
Thurs. April 22 *Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66; Jn 6:44-51*
6:00 PM †Hein Tu by Christina Sokolowski
Fri. April 23 *Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117; Jn 6:52-59*
6:00 PM †Lowell Morris by Friend
Sat. April 24 *Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116; Jn 6:60-69*
8:00 AM †Marjorie Louise Delaney
by Jack & Noreen Haler
5:30 PM †Pura Balitbit by Family

SUNDAY - APRIL 18

8:30 AM -10:00 AM - 5:30 PM--Faith Formation & RCIA Fam.
11:30 AM - CRHP Women #6-- Mazaika Hall
2:00 PM - Couples for Christ--Room 106/107
3:00 PM - Youth Group Gathering--Youth Room
5:30 PM - 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal--Sanctuary

MONDAY - APRIL 19

6:30 PM - Finance Meeting--Library
6:30 PM - FF grades 1st - 5th --Rooms 103-107, 201 & 202
7:00 PM - Adult Bible Study--Room 203

TUESDAY - APRIL 20

7:00 PM - SEP "Its Not Just Jenna"--Mazaika Hall
7:00 PM - Men's CRHP Meeting--Room 201
7:30 PM - Boy Scout Meeting--Room 106/107

WEDNESDAY - APRIL 21

8:30 AM - CCW Deanery Luncheon--Mazaika Hall
7:00 PM - FF grades 1st - 5th --Rooms 103-107, 201 & 202
7:00 PM - Choir Practice--Sanctuary
7:30 PM - Legion of Mary--Library

THURSDAY - APRIL 22

7:00 PM - RCIA Meeting--Mazaika Hall
7:00 PM - Music Ministry Lang. Support--Room 103/Sanct.

FRIDAY - APRIL 23

9:30 AM - Legion of Mary--Library
3:00 PM - Divine Mercy--Chapel
7:00 PM - Cub Scouts--Room 103/107
7:00 PM - Hispanic Ministry Bible Study--Mazaika Hall

SATURDAY - APRIL 24

8:30 AM - OLPH Novena--Sanctuary
9:00 AM - First Communion Workshop--M/H & more
5:00 PM - Multicultural Rosary--Chapel

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



Remember In Prayer

Arturo Vega, Sidney Wallace, Dominic Clesceri, Mary Lee Caruso, Linus Parker, John Rindt, Albert Hernandez, Richard Kuhlman, Charlie Aguilar, Cynthia S. Flores, David Paredez, Jonathan Benavides, Lulu Gambol, Jonathan Benavides, David Paredez, Elizabeth Rush, Lexy Lopez, Lucille Foster Sherman, Dean Bryant, Josephine Prado, Tino Nolasco, Eizabeth Cortez, Grace Botello, Mike Reeves, Mary Vasicek, Mark Dally, Vince LaCarter, Allison Zwaschka, Rose Uvalle, Marcelino Garcia Jr., Irene Tapia, Ferman Cavazos, Ana Garca, Bertha Sanchez, Blanca Chavez

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION 04/11/2010

Regular Collection	\$14,763.50
Building Fund	\$2,789.69
Children's Collection	\$56.01
Envelopes	299
Attendance	1848

Thank you to all those who donate. God will bless you.

RENEW YOUR SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING!

Join us for a showing of "It's Not Just Jenna" on **Tuesday, April 20th** in Mazaika Hall at 7:00pm. By viewing this short documentary about one girl's survival from Sexual Abuse you will automatically update your Safe Environment training obligation. For more information call Heather @ 972-262-0552.

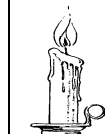
SILVER LEAVES LUNCHEON

We will be having our bi-monthly potluck luncheon on April 26th at St. Michaels in Grand Prairie, TX. Doors open at 10:30 am. All retired Catholics of Grand Prairie are welcome. For more information call Dolores Martin at 972-262-7631.



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The candle is burning for the next week
In Memory of †Altargarcia Maria Leal
From her Children



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.

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

FALL FESTIVAL 2010 RAFFLE PRIZES FOR THE 25th ANNIVERSARY Grand Prize!

The 2010 Chevy Camaro
2nd place is \$1500 Gift card
3rd place is PS3 Gaming System.

We are asking every parishioner to take on the responsibility of selling at least 10 tickets. Tickets are \$10.00 or 3 for \$20.00. Festival members will be in the Narthex the last weekend of every month until we begin selling tickets each weekend in July. You may also return sold tickets and stubs through the office during regular business hours during the week.

FALL FESTIVAL CRAFT FAIR & GARAGE SALE

Fall Festival is sponsoring a **Craft Fair & Garage Sale** on May 1st. The craft fair is from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. The cost of a table is \$25 and the tables will be inside in the Narthex (no garage sale items at craft fair). Please contact Karen Bond for the Craft Fair at 972-641-2222. The Garage Sale is from 7:00 am until 2:30pm the price for spaces will be \$20 for one, \$25 for 2 and \$30 for 3. Sign up sheets are in the Narthex, all spaces must be pre-paid. You may pay for your spaces in the church office. For more information please contact Sandy at 972-263-4113.

CRHP RENEWAL WEEKEND



The Men's retreat will be held on May 15/16, 2010 and the Women's retreat will be held on June 5/6, 2010. This Renewal Weekend is a 30 hour weekend that goes overnight Saturday to Sunday, and is presented by the Men and Women of our Parish. The Renewal Weekend is open to those who are 19 years of age and older. What to expect in the two day renewal: you will make many new friends, enjoy great food, time to reflect, spiritual growth and activities for fun and laughter. There will a table in the Narthex for you to sign up, starting this weekend April 9-10 for Men and on April 17/18 for women. If you have any questions please contact the Invitations Coordinators: Rob Streety 972-854-4528 & Mary Reeves 972-602-7861.

MULTICULTURAL PENTECOST CELEBRATION

St. Michael's is having a multicultural Pentecost Celebration. We would like to have all cultures represented here to be involved. We have a meeting scheduled on April 29th at 7:00pm in the Youth Room. Now is the time for every parishioner to show support for his or her cultural group by attending these meetings. For more information call Esmeralda Rodriguez at 972-891-4678.



OUR VOLUNTEERS AT WORK!!!
Thanks Tony for all your hard work.



3rd Sunday of Easter

The Book of Revelation uses highly symbolic language to communicate its message to the church in the first century as Christians were being persecuted. The author, who calls himself John (not the Gospel writer), wants to assure the community that Jesus lives, hope endures, and the final victory is theirs, if they are faithful to Christ. Turning away from him as a short-term expediency is not the solution, even though the allure of avoiding persecution may seem stronger than being true to Christ.

Some of the visions that John writes about, like the one we hear in today's second reading, are meant to reveal what is the final end for those who remain faithful and endure the trial. They surround the throne and cry out in praise of God. They live in blessedness. One of the great comforts of this vision is the way in which John describes the throng gathered around the throne of God: "They were countless in number" (Rev 5:11).

In the Gospel today, we hear of the miraculous catch of fish made by the disciples after Jesus' resurrection. Standing on the shore, he directs them to lower their nets one more time, even though they had been hard at it all night. The result is that they haul in an incredible catch. The underlying theme of this miracle, as well as the message revealed in the Book of Revelation, is that God's mercy is without end. Through the resurrection of Christ, God wills that all people be saved. While the visions of the second reading from Revelation reveal the final outcome, the story of the Gospel today reminds us that we disciples have to keep cooperating with God's grace to help bring others into the fold. Then the words of Revelation, "They were countless in number," will truly come to pass.

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COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

St. Michael's Council of Catholic Women is hosting the Dallas Deanery Council of Catholic Women's quarterly luncheon on April 21, 2010. Please join us for continental breakfast, guest speaker and lunch. Reservations are due by noon, Monday, April 19th. The price is \$8.00 for reservation and \$10.00 at the door. Please contact Catherine Morales for reservations at 214-534-4032 or cnamorales@aol.com.

Ladies, let's rekindle a tradition:

St. Michael's Annual Women's Retreat at **MONTSERRAT Jesuit Retreat House**

To all who have prayed at Montserrat, it holds a special place in our hearts. Physically it is a place made holier by the hundreds of people who come each year to pray. It is a place we are drawn to by the natural beauty, the silence, and the opportunity to listen to the God who loves us beyond our ability to understand. Come home again to be with God. **It is time. The next special date is April 29 to May 2.**

Cannot make it then? Come June 10 to June 13, but come. Penni Moening will arrange carpool for April 29 to May 2, call her at 972-266-2375 & leave message.

MONTSERRAT website: www.montserratretreat.org

Reservations: Greg Reibenspies; (940) 321-6020 Office;
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