

# Sacrament of the Eucharist

## St Michael

### Weekday Masses

|                                      |             |        |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------|
| St Michael's                         | First Sat   | 6:30am |
|                                      | Wed, Fri    | 6:30pm |
| St Cecilia's                         | Tues, Thurs | 6:00pm |
| St Michael's Chaplet & Novena on Wed |             | 5:30pm |

### Weekend Masses

|  |         |        |
|--|---------|--------|
| St Michael's                                   | Sat     | 6:30pm |
|  | Sun     | 7:30am |
| St Cecilia's                                   | Sat     | 5:00pm |
|  | Sun     | 5:00pm |
| St Theresa's                                   | Sun     | 9:30am |
| Spanish Mass (St Cecilia's) (once per month)   | 11:00am |        |
| OLMC (Lluengo) <b>First Sun</b>                | 9:30am  |        |
| Eucharistic Service <b>Third Sun</b> (Lluengo) |         |        |
|  |         | 9:30am |

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|----------------------------|---------------------|----------|
| <b>Confession</b>          | St Cecilia's Sat    | 4:30pm   |
|                            | Or by appointment   |          |
| <b>Intercessory Prayer</b> | St Michael's on Fri | 9am-12pm |

### Eucharistic Adoration

|              |      |                 |
|--------------|------|-----------------|
| St Cecilia's | Tues | 6:30am- 6:00pm  |
| St Theresa's | Wed  | 12pm - 6:00pm   |
| St Michael's | Thur | 6:30am - 6:30pm |

**Benediction:** Every First Friday 7:00pm - 9:00pm

## St Joseph

### Weekday Masses

|           |           |        |
|-----------|-----------|--------|
| St Joseph | Mon - Fri | 6:00am |
|           | First Sat | 7:00am |
| St Jude   | Thur      | 6:00pm |

### Weekend Masses

|           |     |        |
|-----------|-----|--------|
| St Joseph | Sat | 6:30pm |
|           | Sun | 6:00am |
|           | Sun | 8:30am |
| St Jude   | Sat | 5:00pm |

## Classifieds

### DON'T BE AFRAID IF YOU:

- \* **Cannot see far**
  - \* **Itchy eyes**
  - \* **Glare problems**
  - \* **Cataracts**
  - \* **Blurred vision when reading**
  - \* **High blood sugar and pressure**
- "Come in for a **FREE EYE TEST** at the **EYE DOCS.**"  
**Call the EYE DOCS now at 753—2044**



## Notices

**The Parish** will be hosting the Life in the Spirit Seminar starting on Sunday April 15th at St. Cecilia's at 2:00pm. Registration is free. Forms are available at the back of the church or the parish office.

**St. Theresa's Family Day** will be held on Sunday 29th April starting with mass at 9.30am. The EYE DOCS will also be there giving free eye test. There are lunch tickets at the back of the church. All are welcome.

**Anyone interested** in going to the Feast of La Divina Pastora in Siparia on Sunday 22nd April please contact Mr. Ramie at 662-4969 or 495-0609. The cost is \$100.00



# St Michael's Messenger



Sunday 08th April 2018

Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

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## Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Cluster of St Joseph / St Michael

Entrusted to the Pastoral care of the Carmelite Friars

Serving the communities of St Joseph, St Jude,

St Michael,

St Cecilia, St Theresa

Our Lady of Mt Carmel

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### Parish Visiting Hours

St Michael's

Mon - Fri 8am -12noon

1pm— 4pm

St Joseph

Mon - Fri 8am - 1pm,

2pm - 4pm

### Priest Visiting Hours

St Michael

Wed 3:30pm - 5pm

St Joseph

Tues 5pm - 6pm

Thurs 4pm - 5pm

Please call to make  
Appointment with Priest.

## Know Your Faith

Today we celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy  
Some messages from Our Lord to St Faustina



I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the divine floodgates through which grace flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. *Diary* 699 [Note: confession does not have to be done on the Sunday itself. Beforehand is fine]

Mankind will not have peace until it turns with trust to My Mercy. —St. Faustina's *Diary* 300  
He who refuses to pass through the door of My mercy must pass through the door of My justice... *Diary* 1146

My Heart overflows with great mercy for souls, and especially for poor sinners. If only they could understand that I am the best of Fathers to them and that it is for them that the Blood and Water flowed from My Heart as from a fount overflowing with mercy. *Diary* 367

These rays shield souls from the wrath of My Father. Happy is the one who will dwell in their shelter, for the just hand of God shall not lay hold of him. I desire that the first Sunday after Easter be the Feast of Mercy. *Diary* 299

## Pray with the Scriptures



### April 2018

3rd—Dominic Johnson  
4th—Seeta Narine  
6th—Timothy Abelto  
7th—Colin Ollivier  
8th—George Tang Choon  
12th—Ina Boodoo  
14th—Marguerite Pantin Cooper  
17th—Anne Wyatt  
19th—Nazim Smith  
20th—Joyce Agnes Francis  
20th—Tyrone Gonzales  
22nd—Jada Villaroel  
24th—Pernell Vialmosa  
24th—Elizabeth Bento  
25th—Michael Hernandez  
27th—Peter Villaroel

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|----------------------|---|---|
| <b>Sun 08th Apr</b>  | <b>Acts 4:32-35</b><br><b>1 John 5:1-6</b>            | <b>Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24</b><br><b>John 20:19-31</b> |
| <b>Mon 09th Apr</b>  | <b>Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10</b><br><b>Hebrews 10:4-10</b> | <b>Ps 40:7-11</b><br><b>Luke 1:26-38</b>                |
| <b>Tue 10th Apr</b>  | <b>Acts 4:32-37</b><br><b>John 3:7-15</b>             | <b>Ps 93:1-2,5</b>                                      |
| <b>Wed 11th Apr</b>  | <b>Acts 5:17-26</b><br><b>John 3:16-21</b>            | <b>Ps 34:2-9</b>  |
| <b>Thur 12th Apr</b> | <b>Acts 5:27-33</b><br><b>John 3:31-36</b>            | <b>Ps 34:2,9,17-20</b>                                  |
| <b>Fri 13th Apr</b>  | <b>Acts 5:34-42</b><br><b>John 6:1-15</b>             | <b>Ps 27:1,4, 13-14</b>                                 |
| <b>Sat 14th Apr</b>  | <b>Acts 6:1-7</b><br><b>John 6:16-21</b>              | <b>Ps 33:1-2,4-5,18-19</b>                              |

## Meditation on Sunday Scriptures

AS GOOD A WITNESS AS I WANT TO BE

"WITH POWER THE APOSTLES BORE WITNESS TO THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD JESUS." —ACTS 4:33

Our secular humanistic society hardly notices when we Christians proclaim that Jesus is risen from the dead. Our message of the Resurrection is effortlessly ignored and often militantly denied and ridiculed. We clearly lack power as witnesses for the risen Lord.

The Holy Spirit, Who is Power (Lk 24:49; Acts 1:8), will give us the power that we lack. All we need do is obey Him (Acts 5:32). Traditionally, the Holy Spirit has given us power by giving communal and economic commands. The Spirit commands us to devote ourselves to the communal life (Acts 2:42) and to accept His grace to be of one mind and heart (Acts 4:32). He commands many of us to hold things in common (Acts 4:32; 2:44). He commands not a few of us to liquidate our property and to give the proceeds to the Church (Acts 4:34ff).

How much do you believe in the risen Christ? How powerful do you want to be as His witness? Maximum power is available to you. Obey the Spirit and especially His communal and economic commands.

## Kids Corner

The Sick  
Corner



Patrice Ali  
Gerald Bennett  
Dianne Dennis  
Annie Clarke  
Monica Barnes

Lynn Harewood  
Gertrude Noreiga  
Matilda Noreiga  
Michail Ramsumair-  
Derek Solomon

If you know any sick that wish to be visited, please contact the parish office and submit the information

