



Your e-connection with St. Michael's Episcopal Church

May 26, 2016

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#### St. Michael's Worship Times

**Sundays:**  
**8:00 a.m. Rite I**  
**10:00 a.m. Rite II**

For additional service information, events and activities, please visit our website by [clicking here](#).

**Summer  
Church School  
Schedule**



#### Living in the Spirit

by Bonnie Factor

I noticed a woman cleaning the public restroom and in passing, I thanked her for making everything so nice. The look in her eyes shined brighter than the smile on her face. As I walked out without another thought, I was overcome by tears of pure joy. We had both been blessed in a public restroom.

I noticed the three cubes of cheese, I got this. "Eat a little something and you'll feel better." Three more bites and my husband would see another day. This was an intense, self-imposed responsibility in which I had no control. Then in prayer, I noticed, "the bread of heaven and the cup of salvation." No cheese needed.

Living in the Spirit, for me, is the attention to the events, the flow of each day and the willingness to have my course changed. Some of the events are "biggies" but mostly subtle. They are important and rarely on my "to do list." I noticed that the peace I seek seems connected to my willingness to serve. Imagine in each day, "the peace that passes all understanding."  
 Philippians 4: 6, 7





### Age 3 yrs - 3rd grade

**Begins June 5**

Drop off at 10:00 a.m.  
downstairs in  
Classroom #6.

### Grades 4 & 5

**Begins June 5**

Worship with your  
families.

### Jr. & Sr. High

**Begins May 29**

Worship with your  
families. There will be  
occasional trips to  
local establishments  
after the 10:00 a.m.  
service for the Sr.  
High group.

Nursery care is  
available downstairs  
for children from ages  
newborns to 3 yrs.old.

Coffee & Fellowship  
after each service.

## All Parish Brunch To Honor Our Military

We will be offering a brunch (sponsored by Heinen's Food Store, Barrington) on **May 29** (after the 10:00 a.m. service) for all men and women who are currently serving or have served in the military. This will also include all parishioners who would like to attend in support of our military.

Please invite other military friends as your guests. We would appreciate volunteers to participate in preparing some food dishes. If you can help please contact Clark at 847-726-8600 or [clark@parkersystems.com](mailto:clark@parkersystems.com).



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## In the Parish Family



Thank you to our choirs for another inspiring year of excellent music. Bless you all.

**Those who have asked for our prayers:** Elizabeth, George & Julie, Michele, Ann, Peter, Jean & Mike, Darryl, Cindi, Nancy, Thom, The Blass family, the Craft family, Doris, Jim & Harold, Jessica, Terry, the Adams-Lanham family, Greg, Jean, Amy, Eddie, Amy.



Second Wednesday  
of each month:

**Eucharist with**

## FROM THE YOUTH PASTOR



**Nate Nesbit**

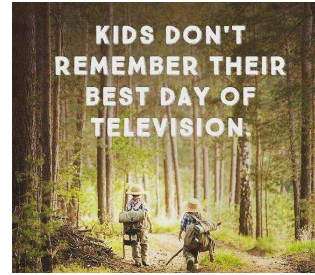
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## Healing Prayers 7:30 p.m.

This worship experience focuses on individual needs for restoration of mind, body, and soul. All are welcome.

## Camp Chicago Here We Come

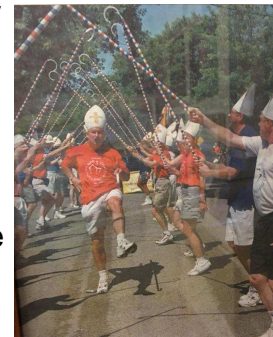
Our hope at Camp Chicago is to give our campers the best week of their entire year. We want them to have fun and know what it means to laugh so hard you're gasping for air. We want them to feel challenged and know they can dare to attempt new things. We want them to make lasting friendships. And we want them to know they are loved by God and called to a life of purpose and meaning.



We are offering 3 sessions this summer from June 26 - July 15 for campers aged 7-17. Click [here](#) for additional information.

## Grab Your Crosier - Here Comes the Parade

Join the **Marching Miters** this year for the 4th of July parade! Our fearless leader Randy Lewis will lead us once again in showing St. Michael's spirit to the community. There will be a short practice on Sunday morning the 3rd of July either before or after church, and then before the parade on the 4th. Come join us. Email Leslie Yerger at



[JLYerger@comcast.net](mailto:JLYerger@comcast.net) if you can march. Come one, come all - it is lots of fun!

## Quick Links



[Our Website](#)



[Parish Profile](#)  
(via website)



## Barrington Giving Day: Back to School

St. Michael's is working with other Barrington churches to help the community collect and distribute new & gently used clothing for school-aged children. The green Jeans Wagon has been set out by the Community Room. Click [here](#) for additional information and sizes most



[Little Angels  
Preschool](#)



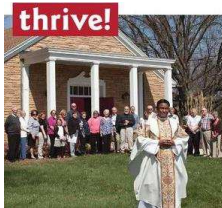
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Vestry Meeting  
Summary  
May 16, 2016.  
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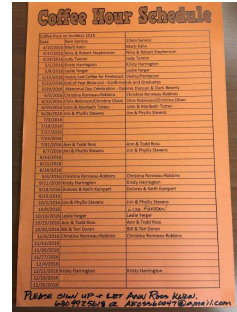


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front foyer or  
online [here](#).

needed. Questions: Contact Carol Schmidt at (847) 865-5096 or at email [cj3s@live.com](mailto:cj3s@live.com).

## Coffee Hour - Easy and Fun

Do you know that fellow parishioners are in charge of the coffee hours each week? Since the beginning of the year, people have been volunteering to do the coffee making and provide some small snacks each Sunday. It's easy and fun talking to all of the parishioners who happen by on a Sunday morning. Consider signing up for a Sunday or two during the year - **sign up poster on kitchen wall**. Detailed instructions are provided. You can provide a small amount of snacks and there is a budget so you can be reimbursed. Contact **Ann Ross** at [aross60047@gmail.com](mailto:aross60047@gmail.com) or 630-992-5618.



**Thank you**  
From Ann Ryba

One of the joys of being an organizer and "asker" at St. Michael's is witnessing the loving, caring and eager response to helping fellow members of our church family. I wish to extend a hearty thank you to all the members of our beloved church family who stepped up so readily to cook, clean and create a lovely funeral reception for long-time member Rob Blass. There are so many good servants in this place, and on behalf of Peggy, Jonathan, Sarah and Elizabeth, we thank you for being there to serve.



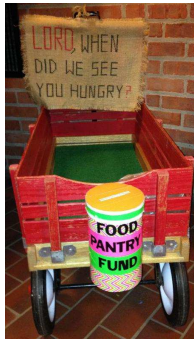
**Save the date!**

# St. Michael's RibFest

Saturday, July 16 at 4:00 p.m.

## Little Red Wagon

Feeding the Hungry



Collections in May will go to Barrington Township Food Pantry. Especially needed: white rice (1 lb bags), pancake mix, maple syrup, mayonnaise (small), salt & pepper. Thank you!

## Building Access System

Reminder, please use the Community Room doors for entrance into the building during parish office hours. There is a buzzer located on the left hand side that you can use to ring the parish office. We are currently unable to allow access from the main doors on Dundee Avenue. We are currently scheduling times for the doors to be unlocked for ministry meetings. When we are closer to completion, the exterior doors will be re-keyed and access codes will be issued as needed. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact [Ray Kean](#), Chair of Buildings & Grounds or [Kim Lessner](#), Operations Manager. Thank you for your patience.



## ECW Altar Guild Conference

June 11 at Calvary Episcopal Church in Lombard  
The Episcopal Church Women, Diocese of Chicago will host "Vestments: A Display of Historical, International and Contemporary Garments" on June 11, 8:30 - 1:30. The conference is open to all interested individuals and guests. [Online registration here.](#) A printable form is available on the [ECW website.](#)

## Remembering This Week

**Birthdays**

- 5.29  
Michele Phillips
- 5.30  
Victoria Mueller  
David Buckley, Sr.  
Justin Cesario
- 5.31  
Jenn Mears  
Rob Wisnowski
- 6.1  
Barb Hubbard  
John Henry  
David Trautwein
- 6.2  
Andie Evans  
Taylor Renshaw
- 6.3  
Craig Anderson
- 6.4  
Carrie Garbarek  
Sean Doran

**Anniversaries**

- 5.29  
Cooper & Tim  
Raynor
- 5.31  
Vicki & Joe Ridges  
Betsy & Harry  
Wintringer
- 6.1  
Renee & Matt Blue
- 6.2  
Lisa & John Allen

**Rest in Peace**

- 6.2  
Helen McKee
- 6.3  
Ethel Shepherd
- 6.4  
Joseph Badenoch



**St. Michael's Vestry**

[vestry@stmichaelsbarrington.org](mailto:vestry@stmichaelsbarrington.org)

David Buckley, Jr., Senior Warden; Leslie Yerger, Junior Warden  
Ray Kean, Randy Lewis, Jay Younger, Christina Roennau-Robbins, Pat Kane, Len  
Azzaro, Marti Kahn, Lou Longo, Dolores Kampert, Ann Ross, Jim Stevens, Rob  
Wisnowski. John Davis - Treasurer, Craig Anderson, Clerk  
Hayden Harris, Youth Representative

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**Clergy and Staff**

The Rev. Jack Fleming, Interim Rector; The Rev. Elizabeth (Betsy) Ward, Assisting  
Priest; The Rev. Laurie Michaels, Deacon; The Rev. Judith Heinrich, Deacon; Caren  
Hunter, Director of Little Angels Preschool; Mark Sikkila, Organist & Director of Music;  
Sara Lloyd Torbeck, Director of Children's Music; Nate Nesbit, Youth Pastor; Julie Allord,  
Family Ministries; Kim Lessner, Parish Operations; Nancy Holmes, Parish  
Administrator/Rector's Assistant; Rich Hornickel, Sexton

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St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 647 Dundee Avenue, Barrington, IL 60010

The Parish Office is open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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