



St. Michael's Messenger

March 31, 2024

CALENDAR

03/28	6:00	Maundy Thursday Service
03/29	6:00	Stations of The Cross
03/31	10:30	Easter Day Service (One Service)
04/01		Easter Monday-church office closed
04/04	6:30	April ECM Social
04/13	12:00	ECW Spring High Tea
04/14	11:30	Finance Meeting
04/17	6:15	Choir Practice
04/18	6:00	Vestry Meeting
04/20	9:00	Adopt A Highway
04/21	9:30	DOK Meeting
04/24	5:15	Choir Practice
04/25	6:00	April Meet 'n' Eat

ST. MICHAEL'S MEMORIAL COLUMBARIUM

The St. Michael's Memorial Columbarium Committee would like to remind you that you can purchase a niche at any time. The cost per niche is \$500 and will accommodate the cremated remains of two people. Niches will have names and birthdates engraved for those that have purchased the right to use the columbarium. For complete information on this ministry, please see Rick Parnell.

Welcoming all to a relationship with God through Christ; serving in our community



ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

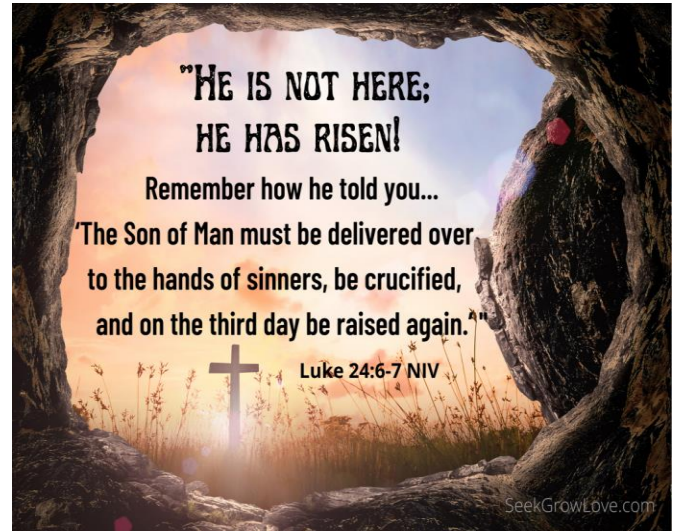
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Pantry Items

Bar Soap	Cereal	Peanut Butter
Canned Beans (black, kidney, baked, etc.)	Grits	Rice (1-2 pounds)
Canned Fish (tuna, salmon, etc.)	Jelly	Saltine Crackers
Canned Fruit (apple, peaches, pears, etc.)	Jiffy Muffin Mix	Soup
Canned Meals (beef stew, ravioli, etc.)	Juice	Spaghetti Noodles
Canned Meats (chicken, ham, etc.)	Laundry Detergent (powder or pods)	Spaghetti Sauce
Canned Vegetables (potatoes, peas, corn, green beans, carrots, etc.)	Macaroni & Cheese	Toilet Paper
	Oatmeal	



SERVING EASTER SUNDAY 03/31/2024

Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Schnatterly
 Organist & Choirmaster: Nancy Owens
 Altar Guild: Valarie Burgin & Anita Valentin
 Eucharistic Minister: Mark Pesnell
 Lector: Elaine Parnell
 Acolyte: Tom McCabe
 Torches: Summer Robbins & Zoe Wyatt
 Crucifer: John Dickey
 Greeter: Rick Parnell
 Vestry Open-up Church: Teri Swann
 Vestry Lock-up Church: Mark Chapman

ECW SPRING HIGH TEA: Our 4th Annual Spring Tea will be held Saturday, April 13th from 12:00 to 2:00 in the Parish Hall. Dress in your Sunday best, hats preferred but not required. All women are invited for tea, food, door prizes, lots of fun and good fellowship. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. To purchase your \$10 ticket, see Marie or Valarie.

APRIL ECM: All men join us on Thursday, April 4th for a Low Country Boil and a good time of fellowship. A social begins at 6:30 and dinner at 7:00. Please be sure to sign-up, so that we have enough food. The cost of the meal will be split between those attending.

ADOPT A HIGHWAY DAY: We welcome all who to help in the cleaning of the Highway that St. M's has adopted on Saturday, April 20th at 9 am. We will meet at the church. Adults only please as we are working along a busy highway. Remember your work gloves. Plan to join us for a late breakfast somewhere local! If you plan to participate, please call John at 269-2686 or sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board so that he knows who to notify if the clean-up is postponed.

MASTER SCHEDULE: Tia is putting the Master Schedule together for the next quarter of 2024. If you are a server and know of dates that you cannot serve from May through August, please email that information to office@stmec.org.

ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS FOR 2024: The altar flower chart and dedication sheets are posted on the parish hall bulletin board. We still have dates available. Here's how to sign-up: Put your name on the altar flower chart then on the dedication sheet, write your name and how you want your dedication to read in the bulletin for the date you select. Please remember you need to put your name in both places! **Altar flowers now cost a minimum of \$40. Greenery is now \$20 and special request may cost more.**

APRIL MEET 'N' EAT: This month's social will be held at Heat of Powdersville, 9898 Anderson Rd. in Piedmont, SC 29673 on Thursday, April 25th @ 6pm. To view a menu, you can visit their website heaton81.com. A signup sheet is posted in the Parish Hall. Please come join us for good food and great fellowship.



Maundy Thursday, March 28th
6:00pm Eucharist

Good Friday, March 29th
6:00pm Stations of The Cross Service

Easter Day, Sunday, March 31st
10:30am Easter Service (One Service Only)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



APRIL

- 1 Baker Cleveland
- 2 Ellie Cook
- 4 Ethel Lawler
- 6 Jean Jordan
- 9 JoAnn Hicks
- 26 Michael Pulley

**May God Bless You
On Your Birthday!!**

Memorial Tree

The Memorials Donor Tree located on the wall in the Narthex of the church was begun in Dec. 2005 as a means to acknowledge memorial gifts and donations to St. Michaels. Leaves of the tree can be used to memorialize or honor family, friends, loved ones, etc. In order to have a leaf added to the tree, simply make a monetary donation in an amount that YOU deem appropriate. Donations should be sent to Treasurer, Bob Cook, marked "Memorials Tree". Please know that donation amounts are known only to the Treasurer, just as with stewardship pledges. You may also donate some item or service that the church needs. Senior Warden Mark Pesnell or Junior Warden Mark Chapman can help with information on these needs. Please provide the Church Administrator, Tia LaMance with the exact wording you would like on the leaf. The leaves will hold up to 4 lines of typed.

Please pray daily in our search for a new Rector.