

## St. Michael's Messenger

April 27, 2025



The Rector's Corner

Dear Brothers and Sisters of St. Michael's,

"Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen..." (Luke 24:5b)

My message is short this week. Rejoice and celebrate the Risen Lord! The fast is over and the feast is here! Please know that The Rev. Canon Stephen Rhoades will be our guest Celebrant and Preacher on Sunday (yes, for both services). Please welcome Canon Rhoades and please keep on celebrating! I will return to St. Michael's on Monday, April 28. If there is a pastoral care emergency, please call my cell at 864.430.2221.

Have a great week, everyone. Alleluia, the Lord has risen!

Faithfully,

Fr. Dan

OUR GUEST PRIEST: Please welcome The Reverend Canon Stephen Rhoades who is our celebrant and preacher Sunday, as Fr. Dan enjoys some rest. Cn. Stephen has served congregations in Florida and Illinois. Prior to being named The Canon of the Ordinary by Bishop Daniel, Cn. Stephen was the Rector of St. James in Greenville. Fr. Dan returns tomorrow.

**GREENVILLE DRIVE NIGHT:** On Friday, June 20 @ 6:45 pm, we are going to see the Greenville Drive play with fireworks after the game. You must pay when you sign-up to reserve a ticket. **DEADLINE to sign-up is Sunday, May 4**. If you have any questions and/or to pay see Bob Cook.

**MAY ECM MEETING:** The men will meet Thursday, May 8, for a Mexican feast. A social will begin at 6:30 and dinner at 7. Please sign-up on the ECM bulletin board, so we know how much food to purchase. The cost will be split among those attending.

ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION: The altar flower chart and dedication sheets are posted on the bulletin board. 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 are \$40, Greenery is \$20 and special request may cost more.

**2025 COFFEE HOUR HOSTS:** The sign-up sheet is on the parish hall bulletin board. Please consider serving in this wonderful ministry. Hosting is easy and makes a big contribution to welcoming guests and enhancing our parish fellowship. If you have any questions about serving, call the office at 864.859.6296.



We welcome all to help in the cleaning of the Highway that St. M's has adopted on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>June 7 at 9am</u>. We will meet at the church. Adults only please as we are working along a busy highway. Remember your work gloves. After the pickup, plan to join us for a late breakfast somewhere local! If you plan on participating, please call John Dickey at 269-2686 or sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board so that John knows who to notify if the clean-up is postponed.





| 04/24 | 6:00  | April Meet 'n' Eat       |
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| 04/25 |       | Church Office Closed     |
| 04/27 | 9:30  | DOK Meeting              |
| 04/30 | 11:00 | Mid-Week Healing service |
| 04/30 | 4:30  | Choir Practice           |
| 05/07 | 11:00 | Mid-Week Healing service |
| 05/07 | 4:30  | Choir Practice           |
| 05/08 | 6:30  | ECM Cinco De Mayo Social |
| 05/11 |       | Happy Mother's Day!      |
| 05/11 | 11:30 | Finance Meeting          |
| 05/14 | 11:00 | Mid-Week Healing service |
| 05/14 | 4:30  | Choir Practice           |
| 05/15 | 6:00  | Vestry Meeting           |
| 05/18 | 9:30  | DOK Meeting              |
| 05/21 | 11:00 | Mid-Week Healing service |
| 05/21 | 4:30  | Choir Practice           |
| 05/22 | 6:00  | May Meet 'n' Eat         |

# ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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## **APRIL**

26 Michael Pulley

## MAY

- 4 Dee Bradley Nancy Owens
- 6 Becky Keating
- 8 Nathan Carroll13 Alison Johnson
- 19 Sharon McKinney

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

#### **SERVING SUNDAY 04/27/25**

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Canon Stephen Rhoades

Organist & Choirmaster: Nancy Owens Special Music: Susan Wallace & Tony Burns

Altar Guild: Ethel Lawler Eucharistic Ministers:

8:30 Sarah Mikell 10:30 John Dickey

Lectors: 8:30 Jeri King

10:30 April Morris

Acolytes: 8:30 Jay Achterhoff

10:30 JoAnn Hicks

Greeters: 8:30 Robbie Lake

10:30 Bob & Ellie Cook

Vestry Open-up Church: Robert Pinkston Vestry Lock-up Church: Ellie Cook