



THE TRUMPET

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EASTER SUNDAY

CHRIST IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!

RESURRECTION LIVING AT ST. MICHAEL'S!



HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES

April 10 Good Friday Noon Livestream

April 12 Easter Sunday 10:30 am Livestream

All services, whether livestream or prerecorded, will be available to watch on the St. Michael's homepage, www.st-michaels.org, or on Facebook.

NEWS

SHARING YOUR STORIES In the upcoming weeks, we would like to share your stories in a number of ways—in future issues of the Trumpet and on Facebook—while we have to maintain social distance. If you post something on your Facebook page or on Instagram, please consider tagging St. Michael's, so that we can see it more easily. Just type @St.Michaels.Austin anywhere in your post (it should become a blue link) and viola! Please send these to Christine Havens, Admin and Communication Assistant, at chavens@st-michaels.org. Photos should be sent at the highest resolution possible. Please keep videos to about 5 min.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES SUNDAY, APRIL 19 On the Sunday after Easter, join Fr. John at 12:00 pm to discuss the Gospel According to John. Even if you are new to the class, it is never too late to join; we pick back up with John 19. Use this link: <https://zoom.us/j/417206348>; Meeting ID is 417-206-348.

FRIDAY MORNING PRAYER VIA ZOOM Led by Fr. John **each Friday at 10:00 am**. Please email jnewton@st-michaels.org for the Zoom meeting link and ID.

TUESDAY VIRTUAL BIBLE STUDY AT 1 PM Mother Minerva will lead the weekly Tuesday Bible Study, at 1 pm, via Zoom, beginning on April 7. Please email Minerva@st-michaels.org for the Zoom link and meeting ID.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION AVAILABLE One of our parishioners, Sally Lombardo, is offering free spiritual direction to St. Michael's parishioners during this time. Sally has an MDiv from Truett Seminary at Baylor and a Certificate in Spiritual Direction. Sally lives in Barton Creek and is happy to meet via FaceTime. If you are interested, please email Sally at shlombardo@gmail.com.

CENTERING PRAYER IS NOW MEETING ONLINE This ministry is available every Tuesday night at 6:30 pm. Please email Phyllis Blees with questions: phyllis.blees@gmail.com or for the Zoom meeting link and ID.

Seekers Book Discussion Group on Zoom The Seekers are currently reading *Inspired* by Rachel Held Evans and meeting via Zoom at 11:30 am each Sunday. Please email Phyllis Blees at phyllis.blees@gmail.com for the Zoom meeting info.

FAMILY MINISTRY

STORYTIME WITH FAMILY MINISTER LIZZIE ON FACEBOOK LIVE | THURSDAYS AT 1:00 PM Join us for the reading of two books that are fun for the whole family. While this event, like worship, is "live," the recording stays up on the St. Michael's Facebook page, so you can tune in whenever you're ready for some comedic relief and sweet tales. *Lasts about 20 minutes.*

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL IS POSTED TO FACEBOOK | SUNDAYS AT 11:30AM Rev. Hope and Family Minister Lizzie take turns leading a special message for kids, a story from the Bible, our favorite songs, and our five-finger prayer—just like we would do in Children's Chapel in person! *Lasts about 20 minutes.*

SUNDAY SCHOOL VIA ZOOM | SUNDAY 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM All kids (with a parent in the room) 5th grade and below are invited to join us for this time together where we make a craft (supply list sent out the week before), check in with each other, sing our favorite songs, and say prayers for each other. Parents must email Lizzie (lizzie@st-michaels.org) for the link to join. All welcome!

STUDENT MINISTRY

EYC (EPISCOPAL YOUTH COMMUNITY) MEETING FOR APRIL 5 EYC will be taking place virtually from 3:00 - 4:30 pm. Join in via Zoom by emailing Luis Rivas, Student Minister, at Lrivas@st-michaels.org.

AUSTIN AREA EYC ON INSTAGRAM! Follow [@austin_eyc](https://www.instagram.com/austin_eyc) on Instagram to stay connected to future opportunities for virtual worship and fun with other Episcopal youth from around the city. The next virtual event will be Thursday morning: Join in for Morning Prayer via Instagram Live at 10:30 am followed by a group activity in Zoom at 11 am. Direct Message on Instagram for the Zoom link.

ST. MICHAEL'S IS ON TWITCH TV Follow [stmichaels_atx on Twitch.TV](https://www.twitch.tv/stmichaels_atx) for livestreams including Bible Study, virtual videogame sessions and more to come!

All events scheduled later than May 3 will occur as planned unless they are in conflict with government or diocesan guidelines. Stay tuned for updated information every week.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYERS

New Prayers

For Saul, brother of Erin Larue, who has been rehospitalized in El Paso with an ongoing heart ailment.

For Jerry Martinez, father of Jerilynn Sparks, and his partner.

For Sondra & Duane Crowley, who are almost fully recovered from COVID-19.

For Debbie Houser's 93-year-old mother, Lee, that she remain safe and healthy; for her friend, Candy, who has cancer, prayers for her health and wellbeing.

COVID-19 Related

Mary Hermes' daughter, Karen, who is a flight attendant; she has tested positive and is still symptomatic.

For Kory Killough, son of Lisa and Kirk, who is unemployed.

For Jerilynn Sparks, who lost her job, and the Sparks family.

For all those without employment at this time.

For Greg Stiles, in Philadelphia, who is in the vulnerable, high-risk population.

For Greg and Kelly's daughter, Amanda, who is pregnant.

For Hannah M.

All of our hospital workers, including J'aime, and Patty who works in Yale's ICU, and all who are keeping services for us.

Prayers for Taylor, pilot for major airline and is flying in/out of affected cities.

Theda Maxwell, Rebecca Brindley's mother, who is quarantined in a nursing care facility, and Bill, her brother-in-law, who is being tested for the virus, and for her sister, who cannot be with him.

Miriam Carillo, and Alfred Carrillo, sister and brother of José, whose livelihoods have been affected by the public emergency.

For Ed Erdman.

RESOURCES

This is by no means an exhaustive list of available resources. Please feel free to email Christine Havens (chavens@st-michaels.org) with suggestions.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Episcopal Diocese of Texas: www.epicenter.org

The Episcopal Church: <https://episcopalchurch.org/>

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Article from the Office of Government Relations:

<https://episcopalchurch.org/posts/ogr/misinformation-disinformation-fake-news-why-do-we-care>

PRAYER

Society of Saint John the Evangelist: <https://www.ssje.org/>

Mission of St. Clare–Daily Office: <https://missionstclare.com/english/index.html>

iACT's Daily Dose of Hope: <https://interfaithtexas.org/category/the-daily-dose-of-hope/>

GROCERIES, PHARMACY, AND OTHER DELIVERY SERVICES

HEB Senior Grocery Delivery (via Favor): <https://favordelivery.com/seniors>

Special Shopping Times for Vulnerable Populations–USA Today Article: <https://www.usatoday.com/story/money/2020/03/17/coronavirus-shopping-stores-introduce-time-for-vulnerable-elderly-pregnant/5074064002/>

MEDICAL

One Good Turn: <https://www.onegoodturn.org/covid-19-resources>

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE–INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES

United Way Emergency Food and Other Assistance: connectatx.org/

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE-BUSINESSES

Small Business Association Disaster Relief: <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/>

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