



THE TRUMPET

AN INSTRUMENT OF GOOD NEWS

JUNE 5, 2022
DAY OF PENTECOST

SMEC

Pentecost Paella Party

Sunday, June 5

5:15 pm Choral Evensong

6:00 pm Paella Dinner

CHILDREN'S
PROGRAMMING
AVAILABLE

**PENTECOST PAELLA & CHORAL EVENSONG—
ALL ARE INVITED!**

Come help St. Michael's celebrate Pentecost—the birthday of the church—on June 5. James Russell is making his delicious paella, and there will be music and fun for all ages.

At 5:15 pm, join the choir in the sanctuary for a lovely Chorale Evensong, followed at 6pm by a paella dinner party. Childcare will be available starting at 5pm and there will be refreshments in the courtyard.

If you didn't get a chance to RSVP, come anyway! Invite your family & friends!

Kitchen volunteers are needed since James is having shoulder surgery. Please email Randy Imhoff at randy.imhoff@gmail.com for more details and to volunteer. Thank you!

Wear red!

NOTES

The Seekers—UPDATED Meeting Space | Sundays

@10:00am | In person and via Zoom The Seekers begin meeting in Room 7 in the Education Wing beginning June 5. They are currently reading *After Disbelief: On Disenchantment, Disappointment, Eternity, and Joy*, by Anthony T. Kronman, in which the author finds middle ground between the extremes of faith and atheism. What a great time to join the group! Contact Harriett Choffel at harriettchoffel@me.com or Phyllis Bles at phyllis.bles@gmail.com for more info. Here's the Zoom link: bit.ly/SeekersZoomLink, Passcode: 541706.



Congratulations to Class of 2022 Graduates in the SMEC Community!

David Haslund Johnson, son of Karen Haslund, graduated from UTMB Galveston, TX with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing. He plans to complete a nursing internship in critical care/transplant care in Houston this fall.

Alex Moody, son of Karen & Bob Moody, graduated with a PhD in radiological sciences/medical physics from University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio on May 21.

Jackson Russell, son of Margo & James Russell, graduated from Westlake High School. He will attend Texas A & M University in the fall to study engineering.

SUNDAY AT A GLANCE

JUNE 5, 2022
DAY OF PENTECOST

- 7:45 am Holy Eucharist: Rite I
- 9:00 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II
Sunday School, Family Life Ctr
- 10:00 am Taco Sunday | Parish Hall
Seekers | Rm 7, Education Wing
- 11:00 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II
Sunday School, Family Life Ctr
- 12:45 pm Bible Study w/Fr. John | Zoom
- 5:00pm Childcare
- 5:15 pm Choral Evensong | Sanctuary
- 6:00 pm Pentecost Paella Party!
Courtyard & Parish Hall

Watch the 9:00 & 11:00 am services
www.st-michaels.org/worship-online

Readings for June 5, 2022:
Genesis 11:1-9; Acts 2:1-21
John 14:8-27; Psalm 104:25-35, 37

SMEC PARISH RETREAT FOR EVERY ONE

AUGUST 26-28
\$75 PER FAMILY
SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

REGISTER AT
BIT.LY/SMECPARISHRETREAT

Camp Allen
Navasota, TX



SMEC Parish Retreat for Every One

On August 26-28, St. Michael's has reserved treehouse cabins at Camp Allen for a parish retreat. All are welcome, whether you're a family of 1 or 10! Bring you

Register here: bit.ly/SMECParishRetreat. Cost is \$75/family & scholarships are available. Email Family Minister Amanda with any questions: amanda@st-michaels.org.

A successful Del Valle Book Drive, thanks to your extravagant generosity! Friday the 13th of May was a fortunate day, the culmination of the St. Michael's annual (with a slight pandemic interruption) book drive for Del Valle Elementary School. Harriett Choffel and Gail Reid, of the Outreach Commission, organized this year's effort—1500 children's books were donated not only by many SMEC members but also by Half Price Books and BookPeople. Wow! On Friday, new parishioners Steve Bedell and Carl Olsen helped load and deliver the books to the school library. Joseph Maines, the principal, and Marianne Alves, the librarian, were on hand to receive this contribution to the education of Del Valle children, and gave a big thanks for our support.

—Christine Havens, Director of Communication



FAMILY LIFE

Sunday School @9:00 & 11:00 am Sunday School is a place where children and their families can practice being compassionate in a community that values love and compassion. 9:00 and 11:00 am in the Family Life Center. Drop your children, ages 3 years through 5th grade, off with Ms. Amanda, our family minister, at the front doors of the church, and you will be reunited in the sanctuary in time for communion together as a family.

SUMMER @SMEC



GRACE & GRITS | JUSTICE CAMP-IN
JUNE 26-29, 2022
INCOMING 6TH GRADERS & UP



MAKE WAVES | VACATION BIBLE CAMP
AUGUST 1-5, 2022
3 YEARS-5TH GRADE

Our 2022 Student Ministry Camp is four days (9am-9pm) of exploring the biblical mandate of Grace and Mercy while discovering our personal passions surrounding justice.

This year's summer camp will explore topics of diversity, inclusion, equity, and justice all while engaging with Austin's grassroots and social service organizations.

An incredible mixture of EPIC fun, workshops with local leaders, and community building hijinks, we are striving to build a community of students with hearts fully tethered to justice and mercy.

Registration fee: \$495, scholarships are available.

WE CAN NOT WAIT for VBC! Join us August 1-5, from 1-4 pm each day, for the most exciting week in Family Ministry. Games, stories, crafts, games, music, friends, and more fun than this description can contain.

\$25 Registration fee includes T-shirt and snacks.

Please email amanda@st-michaels.org for scholarship info.

Click here to register and to volunteer:
<https://stmichaelsfamily.churchcenter.com/registrations>

PLUG INTO OUTREACH

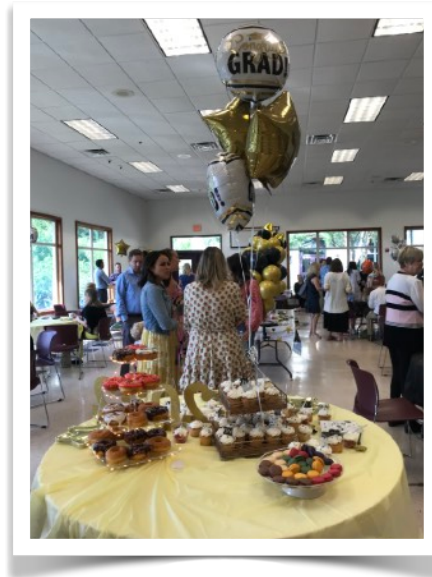
St. Michael's Community Garden Needs Your Helping Hands! The SMEC Community Garden, which is on the far side of the day school is in need of more friends to help with this ministry that provides fresh veggies to people in Austin who often don't have access to affordable, healthy food. Gardeners of all ages are invited to volunteer: plant seeds, water, weed, or harvest. Great for families and individuals! Interested? Contact Beth Michaels at 512-751-8396 or ebethmichaels@gmail.com.

Trinity Center Volunteers Needed St. Michael's have committed to provide sack lunches one time per month through December for Trinity Center. We need five people/families to make a total of 40 sack lunches each month. These can be delivered directly to Trinity Center or Harriett Choffel can assist you with delivery. Remaining dates available: September 1; November 1; December 1. If you're interested, contact Marsha Hart (mhartsales@outlook.com or 713-805-2243).

Outreach Partners St. Michael's Outreach partners for 2022 are the following organizations: Seminary of the Southwest, Trinity Center, Refugee Services of Texas, Casa Marianella, Pauli Murray Scholarship, Episcopal Relief and Development, St. Michael's Day School, El Buen Samaritano, One Good Turn, Nicole's Place, St. Francis Ministries, Honduras Mission Project, Del Valle Book Project, and the SMEC garden. Throughout the year, we will try to establish deeper relationships with several of these organizations and offer ways for the parish to "plug in" and participate. Stay tuned!

DAY SCHOOL PHOTOS OF THE WEEK

Our day school held their graduation ceremony in the sanctuary on May 25! Congratulations to the students and the parents! Thanks to Gail Reid for these lovely photos.



FORMATION & FELLOWSHIP

Spring Bible Study: Genesis 1-11 | Sundays @12:45 pm & Tuesdays

@noon Fr. John invites you to explore the first eleven chapters of the book of Genesis—from the Creation to the Tower of Babel. Sessions are on Sundays at 12:45 and on Tuesdays at noon. Zoom info: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84620183719?pwd=ait6RFhzZFIRY2RxR0FqWTFFvZ0JmUT09>, Meeting ID: 846 2018 3719; passcode: bible.



St. Michael's Book Club Looking for fellowship and conversation? Love reading? Join the SMEC Book Club! The group meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 2:30pm via Zoom. The group is on summer hiatus until September. Please email Rhoda Silverberg at rmorrillsilverberg@icloud.com for more information and for the Zoom link.

St. Michael's Women's Potluck Email Becky Brindley at rbbrindley@yahoo.com or Gail Reid at reid.gail@gmail.com for more information.



Morning Prayer: Tuesdays @9:00 am You're invited to Morning Prayer each Tuesday morning at 9:00 am. Please note the Zoom link and passcode: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81346686555?pwd=MHFKdmlwWXRnZlVZM2tlb04wUFVHUT09>. **Passcode:** prayer.

Centering Prayer: Tuesdays @6:30 pm This ministry is available every Tuesday night at 6:30 pm. Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/158321072?pwd=SE9Zc0hscE13REM1U1lWYjIVU3YyZz09>; passcode: 541706. Please email Phyllis Blees with questions: phyllis.blees@gmail.com. For more about contemplative prayer, click this link: [Heart of Texas Contemplative Outreach](#).

Evening Prayer: Wednesdays @4:30 pm All are welcome to join each Wednesday at 4:30 pm for prayer and conversation. Use Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88082768969> and passcode 826364.

Thursday Afternoon Bible Study @1:00 pm This informal group discusses the Daily Office readings—drop in anytime! Led by Mary Healy, mary.r.healy@gmail.com. Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87035409217?pwd=b3RVWmJwOGFRTHGvK0dXMTB3UEM0Zz09>. Meeting ID: 870 3540 9217. Use this passcode: biblestudy.

MINISTRIES

Stephen Ministry Occasionally, worry, pain, anxiety or loneliness feel relentless. Jobs, unemployment, family, or eldercare may bring unique highs and weighty lows. A caring Stephen Minister, a trained and confidential listener, not a therapist or friend, may be best equipped to hold your concerns with you for an hour each week, offering understanding, support and prayers.

Learn more at www.st-michaels.org/stephen-ministry. If you'd like a Stephen Minister, please contact Jeff Robinson (jarobinson100@gmail.com), Julie de Wette (julie@losmadrones.com), or Fr. John Newton (jnewton@st-michaels.org).

Altar Guild The Altar Guild is always looking for women and men to join this ministry. This group makes sure that the sanctuary is clean and readied for services and other liturgical events that happen at St. Michael's. If you are interested in serving or for more information, please contact Gail Reid at reid.gail@gmail.com.

Photography Ministry Our photographers take on the role of capturing the special moments in the parish, may they be during worship, parish gatherings, or special events. If you're interested in helping with St. Michael's photography ministry, please email our director of communications, Christine Havens at chavens@st-michaels.org. If you have any photos of community life or at-home worship that you'd like to share, Christine welcomes those, too. Please send via email at the highest resolution possible.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYERS

Please email Christine Havens at chavens@st-michaels.org with prayer requests or to receive the weekly Prayer Chain emails.

Parish Prayer List

For Hannah, who is facing surgery.

For Beth Greenlee and her daughter, Elizabeth Turner.

For Dale, recovering from chemo and radiation.

For Carrie H., who is having abdominal surgery to remove a tumor.

For Joe, for healing, health, and recovery.

For all those participating in our Tiny House build this Saturday at Community First Village.

For all victims of gun violence, especially holding up in prayer the communities of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and of Uvalde, Texas, after the recent shootings.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: All Saints', Crockett; Christ Church, Jefferson; Christ Church, Nacogdoches

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Anglican Church of Southern Africa

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ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS

Sponsoring altar flowers is a wonderful way to honor loved ones or celebrate an occasion. They are printed here and in the worship bulletins. Your dedication can be emailed to: chavens@st-michaels.org.

Send donations using Venmo to *saint-michaels-austin* (use 2207 if prompted for a phone number) or send a check to the church office at 1500 N. Capital of Texas Highway, 78746; put "altar flowers" as the memo.

FOLLOW ST. MICHAEL'S ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Facebook: @St.Michaels.Austin

Instagram: stmichaels_atx

Twitter: StMichaelsEpiscopal @StMichaelsATX

YouTube: St. Michael's Episcopal Church Austin, TX

THE TRUMPET SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Have a submission for the Trumpet? Please send your ideas, stories, or photos to Christine Havens, Communications Assistant, (chavens@st-michaels.org) by 12:00 pm on Wednesdays. We recommend running stories beginning two weeks prior to your event.

Your extravagant generosity is appreciated.

Use Venmo to give to saint-michaels-austin (use 2207 if prompted for our phone number).