



ST. MICHAEL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

JULY 19
9 AM

Gospel Family Service



WE GATHER

(please stand)

OPENING SONG

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
Holy is the Lord, God Almighty

Worthy to receive glory
Worthy to receive honor
Worthy to receive all the praises

Praise Him
Praise Him and lift Him up

Praise Him
Exalt His name forever

Holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
Holy is the Lord, God Almighty

Priest: Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ. God's grace, mercy, and peace
be with you.

All: And also with you.

Let us pray:

**All: Loving God, whose word is life: Come to us with saving power to free our
praise, inspire our prayer and shape our lives. For the kingdom of your Son, Jesus
Christ our Lord, Savior, and Friend. Amen.**

SONG OF PRAISE

NO ONE ELSE LIKE YOU

You deserve the glory and the honor
And we lift our hands in worship
As we praise Your holy name
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And we lift our hands in worship
As we praise Your holy name

For You are great, You do miracles so
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There is no one else like You, there is no
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(please be seated)

Priest: The Lord is here.
All: God's Spirit is with us.

Priest: Let us pray:

**All: Lord God, help us see Jesus and hear his voice, that we may love him
in our hearts, think about him in our minds, and experience him in our
lives. Amen.**

WE LISTEN

THE PSALM FOR THE DAY

Psalm 121

- 1 I lift up my eyes to the hills; *
from where is my help to come?
- 2 My help comes from the LORD, *
the maker of heaven and earth.
- 3 He will not let your foot be moved *
and he who watches over you will not fall asleep.
- 4 Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel *
shall neither slumber nor sleep;
- 5 The LORD himself watches over you; *
the LORD is your shade at your right hand,
- 6 So that the sun shall not strike you by day, *
nor the moon by night.
- 7 The LORD shall preserve you from all evil; *
it is he who shall keep you safe.
- 8 The LORD shall watch over your going out and
your coming in, *
from this time forth for evermore.

THE GOOD NEWS

MATTHEW 13:24-30,36-43

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus put before the crowd another parable: “The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, ‘Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?’ He answered, ‘An enemy has done this.’ The slaves said to him, ‘Then do you want us to go and gather them?’ But he replied, ‘No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.’”

Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, “Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.” He answered, “The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. Just as the weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE TALK

THE ST. MICHAEL’S CREED

I believe in God the Father,
who created me and all the world.
I believe in God the Son, who saved me on the cross and loves me.
I believe in God the Holy Spirit, who is in me and gives me life.
I believe in one God, who lives forever and ever.

WE PRAY TOGETHER

(sit or kneel)

Celebrant: Jesus is alive—and that changes everything. Let's pray.

Thank you for knowing and loving each of us. Help us to hear your voice and follow you in your way of love.

Jesus, you are alive—live in us!

Jesus, we pray for our leaders in our communities, our country, and our world. Give them wisdom, courage, and hearts that seek peace and wholeness.

Jesus, you are alive—live in us!

Jesus, bless our families and friends. Help us to be kind, forgiving, and full of love.

Jesus, you are alive—live in us!

Jesus, be near to those who are sad or alone. Let your hope rise in them.

Jesus, you are alive—live in us!

Jesus, thank you that your love is stronger than death, and that those we love are safe with you.

Jesus, you are alive—live in us!

Celebrant: Living Jesus, thank you that you are alive. Live in our hearts, fill us with joy, and help us share your love. **Amen.**

WE FIND REST & RELEASE

Lord Jesus,
you are alive—and you are with us.
We're sorry for the ways we forget that,
the ways we hold on to fear or hurt.
Thank you that your love is stronger than all of it.
Lift us into new life again,
and help us live as your people. Amen.

Priest: May God forgive you, Christ befriend you, and the Holy Spirit renew and change your life. Amen

THE PEACE

Priest: The peace of Christ be always with you.

All: **And also, with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS, BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAY PRAYER:

Watch over this your child, O Lord.

Bless and guide (him/her) wherever (he/she) may be.

Strengthen and comfort (him/her) to do that
which is good and right.

May (he/she) feel the touch of Thy Divine Hand,
and receive the joy and power of the Holy Spirit,
that (he/she) may be blessed forever more,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN.**

ANNIVERSARY PRAYER:

O God, we ask that you pour your grace and
mercies on this (these) couple/s.

Guide them with your wisdom,

protect them with your love,

fill their home with your presence,

and may they grow in the grace and knowledge of

our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ all the days of their life. **Amen.**

HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERING

WE SHARE A MEAL TOGETHER

(sit or kneel)

Beloved, Jesus often met people at tables— not to judge them, but to welcome them. To break bread. To remind them they belonged. To show them the Father's love.

So come to this table— not because you've earned it, not because you've got it all together, but because you're hungry... hungry for grace, for peace, for the embrace of a Father who has been waiting for you all along.

This is the table where shame has no seat, where striving ends, and love is poured out like wine. Come. Let yourself be fed. Let yourself be known. Let yourself be fathered by God. The table is ready. And so is the Father's love.

The Priest says:

Loving God, we remember that on the night before he died, Jesus sat at a table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is my Body, given for you. Do this to remember me."

Then he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and shared it, saying, "This is my Blood, poured out for you and for all, for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, remember me."

Send your Holy Spirit upon this bread and this cup, that they may be for us the Body and Blood of Christ. And as we receive them, may we be filled with your love, renewed by your grace, and made one with Christ and one another. All this we ask in the name of Jesus, our Savior and our Friend. Amen.

JESUS' FAMILY PRAYER

(all pray together)

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

WE BECOME ONE

Priest: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

WE GO

(sit)

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim and demonstrate your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

CLOSING SONG

The Blessing

The Lord Bless you and keep you
Make His face shine upon you
And be gracious to you
The Lord turn His face towards you
And give you peace

A....men, A..men A.....men
A...men A...men A.....men

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Upcoming events

JULY-AUG 2026

WED
JUL 22



Noonday Prayer

12 PM

Zoom

WED
JUL 22



Compline

8 PM

Zoom

SUN
AUG 9

Welcome Sunday for new Director of Music Omaldo Perez & Sonia Perez

reception follows the 10:15 AM service
Church

SAT
AUG 15-16

EYC Annual Beach Party & Lock-In

2:30 PM - 9 AM

Quigley Hall (beach portion hosted by Holy Trinity
in Melbourne, 4-8pm transportation provided)

For more info on upcoming events, check out our
E-Messenger at stmichaelschurch.com or scan the QR code.



Due to improvements in
Rowe Hall
LITTLE LAMBS NURSERY
will relocate upstairs
June 28th-July 26th



Looking for ways to connect with
God & Your St. Michael's Family
during the crazy days of summer?

*Join us from
wherever you are*

**Noonday
Prayer & Compline**

**Every Wednesday
@12pm & 8pm on Zoom**



Join us for a special service during the summer months. We'll have a special service with a special message from the Pastor and a special offering for the summer months.



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