



ST. MICHAEL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

AUGUST 2
9 AM

Gospel Family Service



WE GATHER

(please stand)

OPENING SONG

He Reigns Forevermore

Sing praises to the King
For He is the King of Kings
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For He is the King of Kings

All hail King Jesus
All hail Emmanuel
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Sing praises to the King
For He is the King of Kings
Sing praises to the King
For He is the King of Kings

He reigns forever
He reigns forever
He reigns forever and evermore

Give Him glory for He's the King
Give Him glory for He's the King of
Kings

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Kings

All hail King Jesus

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

I Will Bless Thee Oh Lord

With my hands lifted up,
And my mouth filled with praise,
With a heart of thanksgiving,
I will bless Thee oh Lord.

I will bless thee oh Lord,
I will bless thee oh Lord,
With a heart of thanksgiving,
I will bless Thee oh lord.

With my hands lifted up,
And my mouth filled with praise,
With a heart of thanksgiving,
I will bless Thee oh Lord.

I will bless thee oh Lord,
I will bless thee oh Lord,
With a heart of thanksgiving,
I will bless Thee oh lord.

Bless the Lord, Oh my soul
And all that is within me
Bless His Holy Name

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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.

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.

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

Jesus withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, “This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves.” Jesus said to them, “They need not go away; you give them something to eat.” They replied, “We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish.” And he said, “Bring them here to me.” Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

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

AUG 2026

SUN
AUG 2

First Day of School Cheer Squad Sign-Making (round 2)

following the 10:15 service
Quigley Hall

SUN
AUG 2

Honoring Ella Eagen

Following the 10:15 service
Quigley Hall

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.





SIGN MAKING

**GET CREATIVE
AND SPREAD
THE GOSPEL**

We're making posters to welcome and encourage the students of Lake Silver Elementary on their first day.

Join us for a fun poster-making sessions where we'll craft colorful, inspiring posters filled with words of encouragement and affirmations.

Let's show the students of Lake Silver Elementary how much we believe in them and help kick off the school year with positivity and excitement!

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2ND
FOLLOWING THE
10:15 AM SERVICE
LOCATED IN QUIGLEY HALL



CHEER SQUAD

**YOU'RE
AMAZING**

Kick off the school year with excitement!
Join us at Lake Silver on the first day of school to cheer on our amazing students. Let's create an unforgettable start to the year with fun, laughter, and school spirit.

Be part of the cheer squad and help us make this day special for everyone!

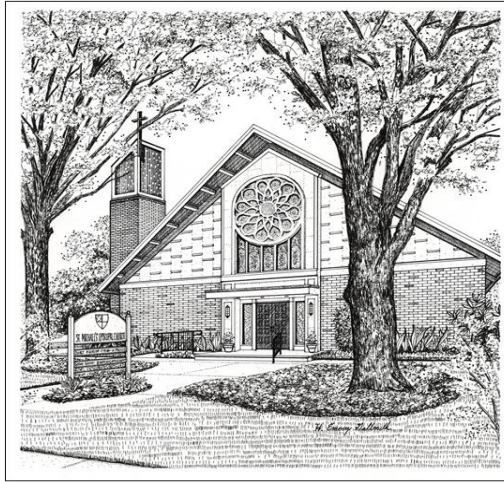
AUGUST 11TH
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LAKE SILVER ELEMENTARY



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