



December 25th, 2022

# St. Michael

Catholic Church

## Welcome/Bienvenidos



### Parish Staff

Fr. Wilner Durosier, C.S.

**Administrator**

Fr. Juan Lorenzo  
Vicar

Ramiro Hernandez  
Deacon

Sister Gema  
SSVM DRE

Sister Regina  
SSVM

Sister Providentiae  
SSVM

Sister Maria De Jesus  
SSVM

Mickey Shames  
Bookkeeper

Kristy Haislip

Parish Admin. Assistant  
Patricia DeLaRosa

Relig Ed. Admin. Assistant

### Regular Mass Schedule

Daily Mass 7:30am Confessions 8 am

Saturday Mass 5:00pm English & 7:00pm Spanish

Confessions 4:30 & 6:30 pm

Sunday Mass Times: 8:30 am-English; 10 am & 12 pm-Spanish;  
1:30 pm-Creole 7 pm Holy Child-Spanish

Confessions Any Other Time by Appointment

### Parish Information

408 Heard Bridge Road, Wauchula FL 33873

parishoffice@stmichaelwauchula.org

www.stmichaelwauchula.org

Phone: (863) 773-4089 \* Fax: (863) 773-5641

In case of Sacramental Emergency,

Please dial 1/2-English/Spanish, then Ext. 8

Lk 2:1-14

“Do not be afraid; for behold, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Christ and Lord.

“No teman. Les traigo una buena noticia, que causará gran alegría a todo el pueblo: hoy les ha nacido, en la ciudad de David, un Salvador, que es el Mesías, el Señor.

### Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9 am-4 pm

Appointments Available

The office will be closed daily from  
12-1pm for lunch.

La oficina estará cerrada todos  
los días de 12:00 a 13:00 para el  
almuerzo.

### Religious Education Office Hours

Monday to Friday

9am - 1pm & 5-8pm

(863) 773-4089

Option 1/2, English/Spanish

Option 5 for Religious Education

Office.

### Outreach Office Hours

Monday thru Friday


available by appointment only

317 N 6th Ave


Wauchula, FL 33873

(863) 222-3198

Please leave a message, someone will  
return your call as soon as they can.



**A Way to give  
Thanks to God**



**for all the blessings that he gave  
you in 2022!**

**We Need Your Help!**

At our current rate of contributions, St. Michael church will not be able to meet our Diocese of Venice Catholic Faith Appeal (CFA) goal before January 1, 2023.

**What Can *You* Do To Help?**

- \* If you have not yet donated to the CFA this year, please donate soon!
- \* If you write a check, please indicate "CFA" on your check.
- \* If you give cash, please place it in an envelope, seal it, and be sure that "CFA" is indicated on the envelope. (Your name is optional.)
- \* If you already pledged a certain monthly amount to the CFA, please continue to contribute as pledged.

**\* If you are able, please increase your monthly pledge donation for December.**

**NOTE: You can place your CFA donation in either the collection basket during mass or give it to a volunteer who will be collecting donations outside of the church**

Please:

\* Do not reduce your regular donation to the parish by placing all or part of it into the CFA collection. Our parish needs to have a steady flow of income to pay its normal bills.

\* Pray for the success of this year's CFA funding raising campaign.



Thank you!



**Pope Francis December Prayer Intention  
Religious Discrimination and Persecution**

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

**Intención de oración de diciembre del Papa Francisco  
Discriminación y persecución religiosa**

Oramos por todos aquellos que sufren discriminación religiosa y persecución; que se reconozcan sus propios derechos y dignidad, que nacen de ser hermanos y hermanas en la familia humana.

**Pap Francis Desanm Entansyon Lapriyè  
Diskriminasyon relijye ak pèsekisyon**

Nou priye pou tout moun ki soufri diskriminasyon relijye ak pèsekisyon; se pou yo rekonèt dwa yo ak diyite yo, ki soti nan frè ak sè nan fanmi imen an.

**Gift Shop Hours  
Horario de la tienda de regalos  
Orè magazen kado**

Sundays \* 10:30 am - 1 pm  
Domingos \* 10:30 am - 1 pm  
Dimanch \* 10:30 am - 1 pm

Call Mrs. Rita @ 863-781-2228, leave a message and she will get back with you.  
Llame a la Sra. Rita al 863-781-2228, deje un mensaje y ella se comunicará con usted.  
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CLOSED 12/23 through 12/26/2022.  
CERRADO DEL 23/12 al 26/12/2022.  
FÈMEN 23/12 jiska 26/12/2022.



Below is information regarding the upcoming "Surviving Divorce" support program being offered at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. Meetings are weekly from 6:30-8:00pm beginning January 24, 2023, in the Education Building, a free-standing building far left of the church. Cost is \$25 per person.

Please contact Bob & Chris Smialek for additional information and to register.



**Support Program for Separated or Divorced Catholics**  
**12 Session Video-based Peer Support Group**  
**Begins January 24, 2023 at Our Lady of Lourdes in Venice**

For details or to register  
[bobandchrissmialek@icloud.com](mailto:bobandchrissmialek@icloud.com)

815 275-5305

DIOCESE OF VENICE IN FLORIDA

# Eucharistic Congress

*The Word Made Flesh - John 1:14*

## *Youth Rally*

Friday, March 24, 2023

5:00 p.m-10:00 p.m.

## *Keynote Speaker*

Father Timothy Anastos

## *Music*

The Vigil Project



Bishop  
Frank J. Dewane

## *Eucharistic Congress*

Saturday, March 25, 2023

9:00 a.m.- 6:00p.m.

Renowned National Speakers

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Mass & Eucharistic Procession





Men's and Women's  
Breakouts



Caloosa Sound Convention Center  
and Luminary Hotel  
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941-484-9543



**Activies for December 2022**  
**Actividades de Diciembre 2022**

						24 Christmas Eve English Mass 5 pm Spanish Mass 9 pm
25 Christmas Day English Masses 8:30 am & 12 pm Spanish Masses 10 am & 1:30 pm	26 Office Closed 	27 6 pm-HOL-Doctrine for adults	28 6 pm -Hall-Catechism Classes	29	30 Office Closed, Solemnity of Mary Weekend 	31 New Year's Eve
1 New Year's Day	2 Office Closed 	3 6 pm-HOL-Doctrine for Adults	4 9 am-Outreach Center-CCW Baby Program	5 6 pm - CCD, Classes	6	7 8 am-Hall, Parent's Doctrine, English 12 pm, Mini XV 2 pm-XV, Rivera 6 pm-Hall, Parent's Doctrine, Spanish
8	9 6 pm-CCD, Classes	10 6 pm -HOL, Doctrine for Adults 6 pm-CCD, Classes	11 6 pm-CCD, Classes	12 6 pm-CCD, Classes	13 6 pm-Hall, St. Paul, Formation Classes	14 2 pm-XV, Vaquero
15 10 am -Hall, Emaus Women's GRP 4 pm-Hall, Monthly Baptism Class All paperwork must be to the office no later than January 9th, 2023	16 Office Closed, MLK Day NO CCD CLASSES 	17 4:30 pm-HOL, CCW Jr's Meeting 6 pm-HOL, Doctrine for Adults 6 pm-CCD, Classes	18 6 pm-CCD, Classes 7 pm Young Adult Meeting	19 6 pm-CCD, Classes	20 6 pm-Hall, Catechist Formation Night	21 10 am-Montly Baptisms



We need ALL VOLUNTEERS within our parish to stop by or call the office for an appointment to go over newly required paperwork.

This is a requirement from the Diocese of Venice, and needs to be completed before Christmas.

Feel free to call (863) 773-4089, Option 1 English/2 Spanish, then Option 1 again for the Parish Office.

Nou bezwen TOUT VOLONTÉ nan pawas la pou pase oswa rele biwo a pou yon randevou pou revisé dokiman yo ap bezwen yo.

Necesitamos TODOS LOS VOLUNTARIOS dentro de nuestra parroquia para pasar o llamar a la oficina para una cita para revisar la documentación requerida recientemente.

Este es un requisito de la Diócesis de Venecia, y debe completarse antes de Navidad.

No dude en llamar al (863) 773-4089, Opción 1 Inglés/2 Español, luego Opción 1 nuevamente para la Oficina Parroquial.

Sa a se yon kondisyon ki soti nan Dyosèz Venice, epi yo bezwen konplete anvan Nwèl la. Ou lib pou rele (863) 773-4089, Opsyon 1 Angle/2 Panyòl, apresya Opsyon 1 ankò pou Biwo Pawas la.

# VOLUNTEER

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2022 Christmas Message from Bishop Frank J. Dewane

Merry Christmas!!

In this joyful Christmas Season, we celebrate the birth of Our Lord Jesus Christ into the world and into our lives. Out of love for us, God, Our Father, sent to us his only Son, in the flesh, born in humble surroundings.

With his coming, Jesus brought each one of us redemption and the offer of salvation. This wonderful gift gives us joy, confident hope, and abiding peace in a world that needs healing.

Let us celebrate this gift in the true spirit of Christmas. Christ is the light that leads us out of the darkness. Take the time to let the light of Christ shine in your life and the lives of those around you.

May the grace and peace of Our Savior remain with you and your family, today and always.

Have a Very Blessed and Merry Christmas!

+Frank J. Dewane  
Bishop of the Diocese of  
Venice in Florida



¡¡Feliz Navidad!!

En este alegre Tiempo de Navidad, celebramos el nacimiento de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo en el mundo y en nuestras vidas. Por amor a nosotros, Dios, Nuestro Padre, nos envió a su Hijo único, en la carne, nacido en un ambiente humilde.

Con su venida, Jesús trajo a cada uno de nosotros la redención y la posibilidad de la salvación. Este maravilloso regalo nos da gozo, esperanza confiada y paz duradera en un mundo que necesita sanación.

Celebremos este regalo con el verdadero espíritu de la Navidad, permitiendo que Cristo llene nuestros corazones mientras compartimos su amor, alegría y paz entre nosotros y con todo el mundo.

Que la gracia y la paz de Nuestro Salvador permanezca con usted y su familia, hoy y siempre.

¡Que tengan una muy Bendecida y Feliz Navidad!

+ Frank J. Dewane  
Obispo de la Diócesis de  
Venice en Florida





Jwaye Noel,

Nan sezon Nwèl la ak kè kontan sa a, nou selebre nesans Jezikri, Seyè nou an, nan mond lan ak nan lavi nou. Nan lanmou pou nou, Bondye, Papa nou, te voye sèl Pitit li a ban nou, nan kò a, ki fèt nan yon anvionman enb.

Avèk vini-l nan, Jezi te pote redanmsyon ak sali pou nou chak. Gwo bèl kado sa-a ba nou lajwa, lespwa konfyans, ak lapè nan yon monnd ki bezwen gerizon.

Se pou nou selebre kado sa a nan vrè lespri Nwèl la, se pou kite Kris la ranpli kè nou pandan n ap pataje lanmou li, lajwa, ak lapè youn ak lòt ak lemond antye.

Se pou favè ak lapè Sovè nou an rete avèk ou menm, ak fanmi ou, jodi a e toujou.

Pase yon Jwaye Nwèl ak anpil benediksyon !

+ Frank J. Dewane  
Monseigneur Evêque du Diocèse de  
Venice, Florida

**To all who have obtained a missal for the year 2023, we are pleased that you are studying the books. However, please remember to donate a minimum of \$5 per book, to cover the cost of the books. Place in an envelope, stating "Missals" and put in the clear box in the back of the sanctuary.**

**A todos los que han obtenido un misal para el año 2023, nos complace que estén estudiando los libros. Sin embargo, recuerde donar un mínimo de \$5 por libro para cubrir el costo de los libros. Colóquelo en un sobre, indicando "Misales" y póngalo en la caja de madera en la parte trasera del santuario.**


**Pou tout moun ki te jwenn yon misal pou ane 2023 la, nou kontan ke w ap etidye liv yo. Sepandan, tanpri sonje bay yon minimòm \$5 pou chak liv, pou kouvri pri liv yo. Mete nan yon anvlòp, ki endike "Missals" epi mete nan bwat bwa a nan do a nan Tanp lan.**

Anniversary Masses - All couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, or more than 50 years of marriage are invited by Bishop Frank J. Dewane to an Anniversary Mass in their honor. The Masses will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on February 4 at St. Leo the Great Parish, 28290 Beaumont Road, Bonita Springs and at 11:00 a.m. on February 18 at Epiphany Cathedral, 350 Tampa Avenue, Venice. **Please contact your local parish office for reservations no later than a week prior to the event you choose to attend.**

**Give  
Thanks!  
for a little  
and you will  
find a lot**

If you own, or know someone who owns a business, who would like to advertise in the bulletin; please have them contact Kristy Haislip at the Church Office (863) 773-4089. Feel free to send pdf's or jpeg's of your business cards or advertisement logos to [kristy.harthaislip@stmichaelwauchula.org](mailto:kristy.harthaislip@stmichaelwauchula.org)

Si usted es dueño, o conoce a alguien que tenga su propio negocio, y que le gustaría anunciarse en el boletín; pídale que se comuniquen con Kristy Haislip en la Oficina de la Iglesia (863) 773-4089. Siéntase libre de enviar sus tarjetas de presentación pdf o jpeg o logotipos publicitarios a [kristy.harthaislip@stmichaelwauchula.org](mailto:kristy.harthaislip@stmichaelwauchula.org)

St. Michael Parish Collections Report for :	Week of 12/12- 18/2022	
St. Michael	\$ 4,543.73	
Holy Child	\$ 448.00	

Please assisting us with meeting our monthly obligations.  
Por favor ayudarnos a cumplir con nuestros compromisos mensuales.

## Mass Intentions for the Week Intenciones de misa para la semana



Sat. 12/24

5 pm- + Bernard & Lois Reuter  
By: Reuter Family

7 pm- + Sr. Santiago-  
Carranza, Eternal Rest

Sun. 12/25

7:30 am- Novena Mass for Life, for  
a greater respect for all human  
life, CCW

10 am- +Franz A., Mary Helen,  
Franz Aa., Jr, Ullrich &  
Herman Rehberg

12 pm- Conversion of Sustaita  
Family, by Maria  
Virgin Mary for favors  
received by Anonymous

1:30 pm-  
7 pm (Holy Child)-

Mon. 12/26

7:30 am- +Deceased of the  
Manual Garza Family, by  
the Graza Family, (In Eng &

Span, Brother is coming)

Tues. 12/27

7:30 am- Christamas 19th  
B-day, by The Wood  
Family

Wed. 12/28

7:30 am- Dennis & Erika Wood's 28th  
Ann. , by the Wood Family

Thurs. 12/29

7:30 am- Christman 23rd  
B-Day, by Wood Family

Fri. 12/30

7:30 am- Virgin Mary for Fa-  
vors Received, by Anonymous

Sat. 12/31

5 pm- +Franz A. Ullrich, by  
Barbara Ullrich Sutton  
7 pm- Gema Gallima, 3rd  
B-Day, by Gallima Family





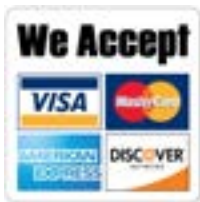
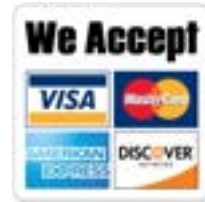
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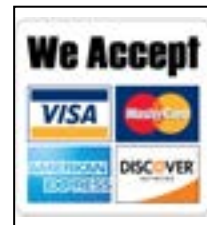
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