



St. Michael's  
Episcopal Church  
COLORADO SPRINGS

# The Archangel Newsletter & Events

MAKING CHRIST KNOWN WITHIN AND BEYOND OUR WALLS

JANUARY & FEBRUARY 2023

Each lifetime is the pieces of a jigsaw puzzle.  
For some there are more pieces.  
For others the puzzle is more difficult to assemble.

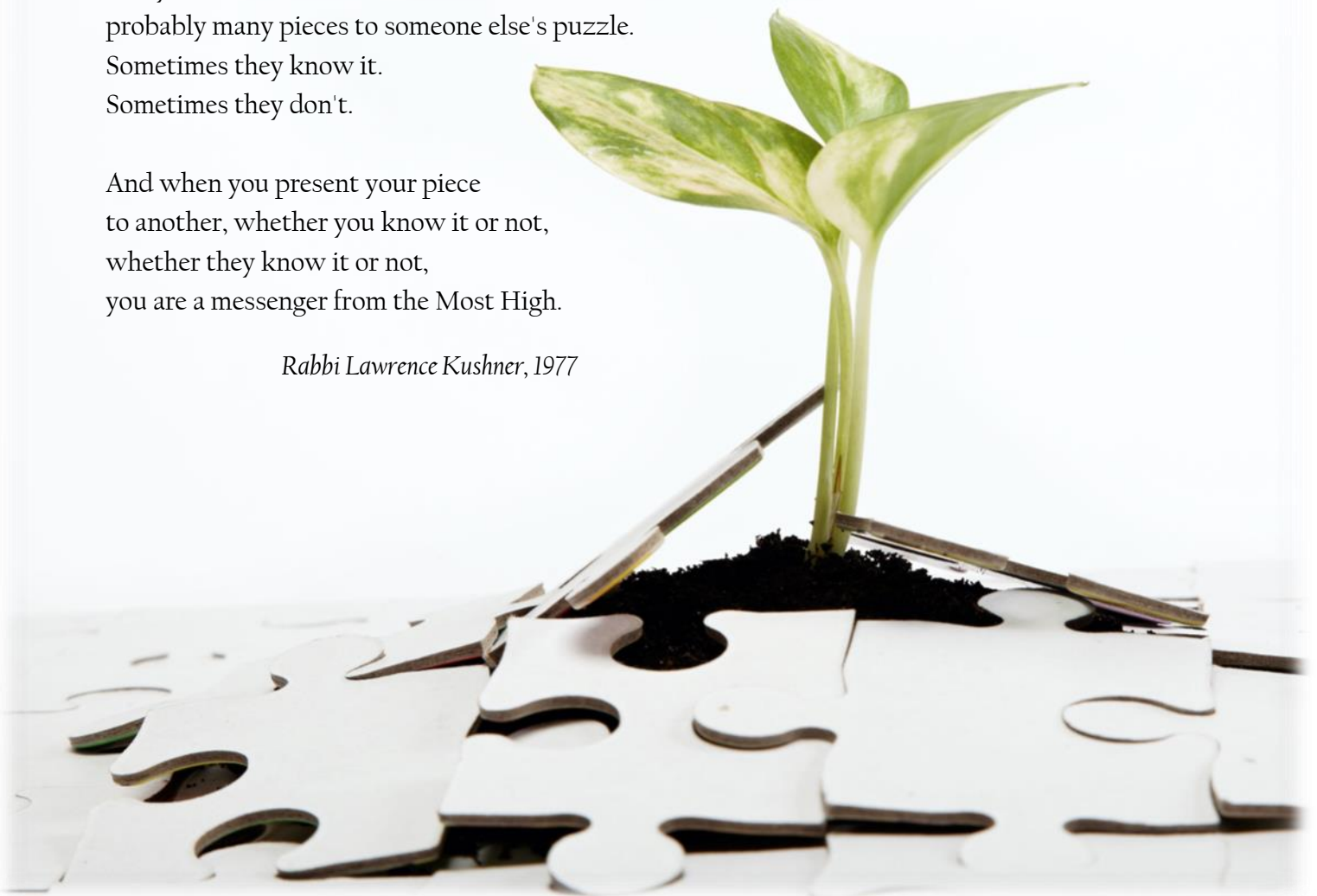
Some seem to be born with a nearly completed puzzle.  
And so it goes.  
Souls go this way and that.  
Trying to assemble the myriad parts.

But know this. No one has within themselves  
All the pieces to their puzzle.  
Everyone carries with them at least one and  
probably many pieces to someone else's puzzle.  
Sometimes they know it.  
Sometimes they don't.

And when you present your piece  
to another, whether you know it or not,  
whether they know it or not,  
you are a messenger from the Most High.

*Rabbi Lawrence Kushner, 1977*

*The season of  
Epiphany  
at St. Michael's*



# FROM THE RECTOR

Dear Friends,

It's hard to believe on February 1, I'll celebrate my third anniversary at St. Michael's. *Where has the time gone?* With all the moving puzzle pieces, some days it feels like I just arrived and other days it feels a *little* longer than three years. Thank you for loving and supporting me and my family over the past three years. We feel so blessed to be a small part of this place we call *St. Michael's*.



As I look around, I'm mindful that the ripples from the pandemic can still be felt - but it is my hope that we are settling into a *new normal*. Every day I am inspired and proud of the many ways we are living into our faith *beyond our walls*. What started as a catch phrase to purchase livestreaming equipment during the pandemic two years ago has galvanized our community to live into our faith in new, exciting, and impactful ways. Your love of God and commitment to our spiritual home continues to energizes me, one another, and all who walk through our doors. Our gifted staff, volunteers, and talented lay leaders also continue to lean into innovative ways to do ministry and they lead with their hearts in all they do. We have such gifted leaders among us!

As I look back on all that we experienced as a community in 2022, I am grateful for the many ways we were able to share profound experiences together. Several weeks ago the vestry gathered at my home for a meal, to pass our 2023 budget, and have a tacky Christmas gift exchange. While enjoying dinner, each vestry member shared their favorite part of the year. I was struck by how everyone chose something different as well as *why* it was meaningful. It was a good reminder that as Christians we are called to constantly looking where we've been so we can be prepared for what is to come.

With a new year upon us, and we enter into the season of Epiphany (January 6 through February 21), I pray that you and your loved ones have a happy, healthy, and meaningful new year. As a community we'll continue to piece together the jigsaw puzzles that are our lives and cultivate new growth wherever we can. I invite you to join us and one another for fellowship, formation, and bring along a friend who may be looking for a spiritual home. May God continue to bless and watch over our community. Happy New Year & I'll see you soon!

Faithfully in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rev. Matt Holcombe". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

The Rev. Matt Holcombe

## One more thought ...

When is the last time you invited someone to church? This was the question raised to an online community of church leaders across the country. Surprisingly the answers from clergy and the church leadership were, "Never," "Once, but they didn't come," and my favorite, "That isn't my job!"

It got me thinking about our community and how many people reading this have invited someone to church in the past year?

If you've been thinking about asking someone to church or one of our many events BUT you have been waiting for a "sign" - Consider this your sign!



When you ask, be prepared to share a few things you like about your spiritual home. You may get turned down, like I was by our neighbor last weekend, but it plants a seed and opens the door for God ... *(and it's good practice for the next person you invite to church.)*

## January & February Worship Schedule

**8:00 AM Holy Eucharist : In-person**

**10:30 AM Holy Eucharist : In-person & Livestreamed with Children’s Chapel**

<b>January 1</b>	Lessons & Carols	10:00 AM *	
<b>January 8</b>	Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>January 15</b>	Second Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>January 22</b>	Third Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>January 29</b>	Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>February 5</b>	Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>February 12</b>	Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>February 19</b>	Last Sunday after the Epiphany	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *
<b>February 22</b>	Ash Wednesday	12:00 PM	7:00 PM *
<b>February 26</b>	First Sunday in Lent	8:00 AM	10:30 AM *

### Wednesday Healing Service

Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayers is every Wednesday at 12:00 PM in the Chapel downstairs. This 30 minute mid-week worship service includes scripture, a short homily, healing prayers, anointing with Holy Oil, and Holy Eucharist.

### ASL Sundays

We are grateful to have an American Sign Language Interpreter with monthly at the 10:30, January 15 & February 5.



### Worship Online

Did you know you can worship at St. Michael’s online ... anytime ... anywhere? The easiest way to watch online is by going to the homepage of our website. Links to watch on YouTube or Facebook can be found on the main page. If watching through your TV, save St. Michael’s as one of your favorites or subscribe so you never miss a worship service.



[stmikeschurch.com](http://stmikeschurch.com)



[youtube.com/@stmikeschurch](https://youtube.com/@stmikeschurch)



[facebook.com/stmikeschurchCOS](https://facebook.com/stmikeschurchCOS)

### Gluten Free Wafers

Do you prefer or need a gluten free wafer and wine? We have a new Gluten Free station available every Sunday during both worship services on the far left side of the altar rail. Please notify a member of the clergy or acolyte and they will offer you a gluten free wafer and wine.



## January is Wellness Month

Our Sunday Forum Series continues in 2023 with our clergy, special guests, and leaders from our parish. The Sunday Forum occurs from 9:15 - 10:10 AM in the main church sanctuary. Join us in-person or online for these faith based conversations to help you on your spiritual journey.

\*To watch online visit [www.stmikeschurch.com](http://www.stmikeschurch.com) and click on the Sunday Forum viewing links to watch in real time or to watch previously recorded conversations.



### Spiritual Wellness

#### Sunday 9:15 AM, January 8, *The Well*

Come learn more about *The Well* at St. Michael's and the numerous resources available to help you grow spiritually. Did you know *The Well* is both a physical and virtual place of nourishment, engagement and support for one's spiritual journey and well-being? Join the imagining team to learn about the meditative, mindful and creative environments available for anyone to explore and deepen their spiritual life in person or virtually.



### Mental Wellness

#### Sunday 9:15 AM, January 15, Jeanne Wickham

Join the Rev. Matt Holcombe with special guest Jeanne Wickham; Counselor, LPC, LAC as they discuss anxiety, grief, and depression. Jeanne specializes in trauma and PTSD at Riverbend Counseling and helps clients find meaning, purpose, and healing.

### Mental Wellness

#### Sunday 9:15 AM, January 22, David Galvan

Join the Rev. Matt Holcombe with special guest David Galvan, St. Michael's Mental Health First Aid Trainer in Residence. David has been teaching, training and facilitating conversations with students and adults about whole-person health since 2010. David was one of our Sunday Forum guests in 2022 and we are delighted to welcome him back for a conversation about mental health, suicide prevention, and helping those around us with hope and healing.



Every year, in accordance with the Canons (or rules) of the church, St. Michael's gathers as a parish for an annual meeting. This provides us an opportunity to look back at the amazing work God has done in our community and to prepare for the year to come. We elect new vestry members and share vital aspects and important information essential to carrying out our mission and ministries.

## ***Save the Date***

### **Annual Meeting: Sunday 9:15 AM, January 29**

Parish Members Running for Election:

*Pictured Top Row (Left to Right)*

**Russ Howell** - Senior Warden

**Mike Mapes** - Junior Warden

**Danny Raider** - Junior Warden

**Regina Winters** - Vestry Ballot

*Pictured Bottom Row (Left to Right)*

**Ruth Morrison** - Vestry Ballot

**Rod Sato** - Vestry Ballot

**Lee Kulbitski** - Vestry Ballot

**Bob Poli** - Vestry Ballot



In preparation for the 2023 Annual Meeting the Vestry has adopted new Bylaws to allow two Junior Wardens. The term limits for wardens have been updated to allow a 2-year-term limit. The updated bylaws have been posted on the website per the Canons: [www.stmikeschurch.com/annualmeeting](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/annualmeeting). In addition, the Vestry has adopted a 2023 budget which will be shared during the annual meeting. The Annual Meeting will be held in the church and will also be livestreamed.

**Special Voting Announcement:** Active members of St. Michael's that are known to the treasurer are eligible to vote for vestry members. Electronic voting will be open January 23 and close on January 29 at 10:00 AM. Individuals attending in-person on January 29 may vote in-person with a paper ballot. One vote per member. Questions about voting? Email [support@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:support@stmikeschurch.com)

## **What is the Vestry?**

The vestry is the elected lay leadership team (or executive team) at St. Michael's. The vestry is comprised of 9 individuals plus a Senior Warden, Junior Wardens, and Treasurer. The clergy also sit on the vestry but are non-voting members. The primary responsibility of the vestry is to oversee the finances and property of St. Michael's in addition to being ambassadors, liaisons for ministry, and helping with strategic decisions for the continued vitality of our spiritual home. Vestry members serve three-year terms while wardens may serve up to two years.

In the fall of 2022 we started to explore and invited you to think about what it means to live with purpose. In February we will continue thinking about the ways we can use our values, beliefs, and faith to discover or rediscover how God is calling us to show up and be seen with a greater sense of purpose in our life. Join the clergy and one another on Sundays at 9:15 AM in-person or online.



## Purposeful Planning

**Sunday 9:15 AM, February 5**

“For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord.” (*Jeremiah 29:11*). Have you ever wondered what those plans are? Have you ever found yourself lost or feeling alone, despite being surrounded by people? With our lives busier than ever, planning can take a back seat with unintended or unfortunate consequences. How do you make a plan, stick to it, and update it as time goes on? Join our clergy as we unpack what it means to plan faithfully and purposefully.

## (Re)Discovering your Gifts

**Sunday 9:15 AM, February 12**

Did you know that our gifts are the identification and cultivation of our unique abilities and skills used in building the Kingdom of God? Join The Rev. Matt Holcombe as we talk about gifts, discernment, vocation, and you will complete your very own, “Spiritual Gifts Inventory.” Best of all everyone will receive an A+ on this in class assignment. If you already know some of your spiritual gifts, join us to see if they have changed or been updated by God.



## Spiritual Gifts in the Bible

**Sunday 9:15 AM, February 19**

Jesus performing miracles often comes to mind when we think about spiritual gifts in the Bible. But did you know the Bible is full of faithful people in the Old and New Testaments that had a variety of gifts? Join the clergy as we take a closer look at Moses, Elijah, Elisha, Sarah, Paul, Lydia, and several other Biblical figures and their spiritual gifts.

## “Simply Gorge-ous Concert”

**Royal Gorge Philharmonic & Organist, Daniel Foster**

**Saturday, February 25**

**4:00 PM at St. Michael’s**

The Royal Gorge Philharmonic continues the concert season into 2023! After successful full house performances in November 2022, the orchestra returns with a concert featuring Organ Soloist, Daniel Foster. The concert will begin with Arcangelo Corelli’s inspiring and quick-paced Concerto Grosso, Opus 4 with organ continuo and strings. The lush and tranquil Rhosymedre by Ralph Vaughn Williams offers a mood of the peaceful English countryside, then the first half concludes with George Frideric Handel’s Organ Concerto in Bb Major, HWV 294. The second half



features the famous and brilliant Serenade for Strings by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, and closes with the famous and powerful Allegro from Charles Marie Widor’s Fifth Organ Symphony with Daniel Foster at the consol. The concert will include approximately an hour and a half of music, plus an intermission. Gerald Willis, Conductor. *Advance ticket purchased required.*

**Visit [www.stmikeschurch.com/music](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/music) for tickets!**



### **Adult Choir Rehearsal Thursdays, 6:30 - 8:00 PM Resumes January 12**

Our Adult Choir rehearses weekly on Thursday evenings and sings 2 or 3 times a month at the 10:30 AM service. We are always looking for new members. Interested? Email [Amalia@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:Amalia@stmikeschurch.com) for more information. On Sundays when the choir sings we will also practice between the morning services. All are welcome!

### **Cherub Choir Rehearsal Spring Practice**

Our children’s Cherub Choir will be singing this Spring at a 10:30 AM Service. Rehearsal dates will be announced in the Children & Youth Weekly eNews. Please contact Amalia or Owen if you have any questions. We can’t wait to hear our young musicians sing!

## Sacred Water CARE OF CREATION



In recent decades the Episcopal Church has invited congregations to adopt a *Care of Creation* which is a commitment to practicing loving formation, liberating advocacy, and life-giving conversations as individuals, congregations, and dioceses around the earth and its resources. In recent years St. Michael's has been prayerfully discerning how we can be better stewards of the earth and our resources. Since 2020 we have converted 90% of the light fixtures in the building to LED and recently upgraded all our thermostats to be more energy friendly. We've installed more drip lines with our irrigation system, repaired leaks, and have less than 1,200 square feet of manicured grass. However, the call to do more is knocking on our door.

Water is central to both our Christian theology and to our survival. Each week we pray for God's earth and all who call it home. We pray for those who need rain and those who have too much rain. In recent months we have formed a "Creation Team" at St. Michael's with individuals committed to eco-justice. Our Creation team has been trained to facilitate the JustFaith Program of "*Sacred Water: Oceans & Ecosystems.*" **Sacred Water is a small group experience that will guide participants in discerning how they can better care for the earth's waters.** Through prayer and spiritual practices, participants will explore their relationships with water in both Christian Scriptures and their daily lives. Participants can expect to leave Sacred Water better equipped to restore the health of our oceans, waterways, and ecosystems through advocacy, grassroots organizing, and daily decision-making. The Sacred Water small group will be a 10-week small group experience. Registration is required. Questions: Contact Jon Numair at [jnumair@verizon.net](mailto:jnumair@verizon.net)

### Sacred Water Inquiry Session

Sunday, January 15

9:15 - 10:10 AM - All are welcome!

### Sacred Water Small Group Sessions

Tuesdays (*Beginning February 7*)

6:00 - 8:00 PM - Please register!

Register: [www.stmikeschurch.com/signup](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/signup)

### 2022 Outreach Grants Awarded

- ASD20 Family Center \$1,000 + \$1,300 Gift Cards
- Care & Share Food Bank \$1,600
- Colorado Relief Fund Club Q \$1,000
- Family Promise \$2,000
- Habitat for Humanity \$500 + Volunteer Day
- Hats & Mittens for Schools \$150
- InsideOut \$3,000 + School Supplies
- Kairos \$1,500
- Laundry Love \$3,000
- The Lord's Dinner \$4,000
- Mercy's Gate \$5,000 + Donations
- Spiritual Journey \$500
- Creation Care \$250
- Partners in Housing \$4,000 + Donations







## Youth Ski Trip January 28 - 29 Monarch Ski Resort

Middle & High Schoolers are invited to join us for a ski weekend & retreat! There is no better way to beat the cold of winter than by diving into it head on! Our friends at Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp will be hosting us on Saturday and sending us on our way to ski all day long on Sunday. The cost of this trip is \$120 per participant.

This includes 4 meals, lodging, a lift ticket, and lots of fun! Scholarships are readily available. Visit [stmikeschurch.com/youthski23](http://stmikeschurch.com/youthski23) for info. and to register.

## Youth Confirmation Classes Starting February 12

High Schoolers interested in Confirmation are invited to join us for Confirmation classes beginning in February. The sacrament of Confirmation is available to youth entering 10th grade in the Fall of 2023 or are 15 years of age. Confirmation classes are once a month and culminate with regional Confirmation on July 9, 2023 in Pueblo.

### Confirmation Class Schedule:

- Sunday, February 12, 12:00 - 2:00 PM
- Sunday, March 19, 12:00 - 2:00 PM
- Sunday, April 16, 12:00 - 2:00 PM
- Sunday, May 14, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

**Register: [stmikeschurch.com/youthconfirmation23](http://stmikeschurch.com/youthconfirmation23)**



## Youth Council

### Monthly on Sundays

### January 22 & February 26

Our Youth Council is a team of high school aged servant leaders that engage in service opportunities, plan retreats, and provide vision for our youth programs. All high schools are invited to join. Go to [stmikeschurch.com/ycapp](http://stmikeschurch.com/ycapp) to fill out the application and learn more.



## Evergreen Lake Ice Skating Saturday, February 25

Youth are invited to ice skate on the largest outdoor ice rink in Colorado! This all day event will be full of fun, adventure, and of course, ice skating. Bundle up and pack a lunch. \$25 covers skate rental and admission for your youth. Scholarships are readily available if needed. Register & learn more:

**[www.stmikeschurch.com/signup](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/signup)**





## Parent Sunday School Monthly at 9:15 - 10:10 AM *All parents are invited!*

Once a month beginning in February! Parent Sunday School is an opportunity for parents with children in the house to come together and deepen their faith through relationship, conversation, and learning. Speakers are brought in to present engaging material, and kick off discussion! Check out the CYF Weekly eNews to learn more about our spring speakers.

## Children & Youth Sunday School Sundays 9:15 - 10:10 AM Beginning January 8

On the 6 Sunday's leading up to Lent Relationships with **God, Yourself, and Those Around You**. These three types of relationship make up most of what it means to be a human in this world. Learning from a young age how to seek out and create healthy relationships in these three realms will propel our young people to live their fullest lives and be their fullest selves. This series will focus these relationships through the lenses of trust, forgiveness, resilience, joy, sadness, kindness, and authenticity. Join us on Sunday mornings from 9:15 – 10:10 AM in St. Andrew's!



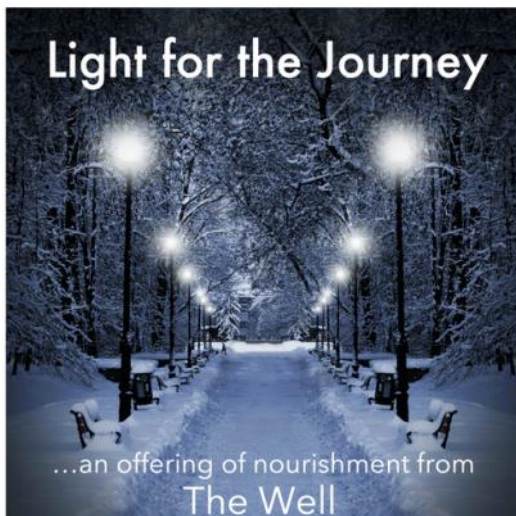
## YES Service Trip to Kansas City, MO June 4 - 10, 2023 *Registration Now Open!*

YES (Young Episcopalians in Service) is back and will be travelling to do important and meaningful work in Kansas City this summer. This week long service experience is open to rising 7th graders to graduating seniors. This trip will have around 30 youth from all over the diocese and is an exciting opportunity for our young

people to integrate service into the development of their lives with Christ. Plus... Owen will be one of the adult leader on the trip! The cost is \$400 per participant. This cost will be offset with grant money and fundraising. Email Owen for more details and/or if your youth is interested [owen@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:owen@stmikeschurch.com).



## CLASSES & GROUPS



### Light for the Journey

Thursdays, January 12 (6-weeks)

6:30 - 8:00 PM

This small discussion group is for those still drawn to Jesus but struggling in the cultural currents defining Christianity, for those in the process of deconstruction and reconstruction, and for all who feel alone in the darkness while navigating an evolving faith. Connect with other fellow wanderers and seek out the Light along the journey and within ourselves. Sponsored by *The Well* at St. Michael's. Questions contact [scowell99@msn.com](mailto:scowell99@msn.com).

Register: [www.stmikeschurch.com/thewell](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/thewell)

**Gather: Pikes Peak  
Young Adult Ministry  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays  
7:00 - 8:00 PM**



Are you a young adult looking to for a community to dive deeper into your faith? Our St. Mike's young adults have partnered with Gather to engage in fellowship, worship, and discussion about faith and the world around us. Reach out to Owen for more details. Gather meets at **The Peel House** @ First Lutheran Church, 1515 N Cascade Ave. Questions? Contact: [owen@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:owen@stmikeschurch.com)

**Caregivers Support Group  
1st & 3rd Saturdays  
2:00 PM**

Our Caregivers Support Group offers support, help, and commraderie for caregivers to a spouse, child, parent or friend. All are invited to attend and join this group. For more information contact Bill Daughton, Caregivers Support Group Leader at (719) 373-3590



### The Space Between Us

**February 27 (Mondays in Lent) 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

TSBU is a communication workshop that dives into the foundation communication topics of empathetic listening and conflict resolution, as well as provides strategies to better understand ourselves and others. This class is facilitated by Owen Copps, St. Mike's Director of Children, Youth, & Young Adult Ministries and is limited to 15 participants. Open to all (parishioners & friends) Visit [stmikeschurch.com/tsbu23](http://stmikeschurch.com/tsbu23) for more information and to register. Check out what participants from our fall class have said:



*"This was a great class and I'm grateful to have learned more about myself as well as how to be a better listener and communicator."*

## Welcome New Members

A special welcome to all the new members of  
St. Michael's Episcopal Church.  
We are so glad you are here.

Jason Holpuch, Kristen Petersen  
Jennifer Carpenter, Richard Koshak,  
Nathaniel Koshak, Joseph Person, &  
Kim Person

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## Newcomer Classes

**9:15 - 10:10 AM**

**January 15: Episcopal 101**

**February 19: Who we are & Campus Tour**

**March 19: Get Connected & Involved**

Our Newcomer Classes will resume after the holidays.

Let's Get  
Connected



You can attend all of them or just those you wish. These are stand-alone classes that you can take in any order. This class is designed for all newcomers, but ALL are welcome to join. No sign up or registration required.

Questions: [linda@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:linda@stmikeschurch.com).

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## People Who Read

**3rd Wednesday, 6:00 PM**

The People Who Read meet on the third Wednesday of the month from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. Books selections alternate between fiction & non-fiction, with a different host each month in their home at church in St. Mary's Hall. Questions? Contact [Jennie@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:Jennie@stmikeschurch.com)

**January 18** - Host: Kathy Dailey

*Harlem Shuffle* by Colson Whitehead

**February 15** - Host: Guy Theriot

*Braiding Sweetgrass* by Robin Kimmerer

**March 15** - Host: Charlotte Mapes

*Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus

**April 19** - Host: Jennie Wandfluh

*The Beekeeper of Aleppo* by Christy Lefteri



## Valentine's Day Potluck Tuesday, Feb. 14 5:30 PM

Let's celebrate love & St. Valentine together with a Pasta Potluck! Mark your calendar for February 14th, 5:30PM. Bring your favorite pasta dish to share and we will supply salad, bread, dessert and wine.

Families, singles, and couples welcome!

Please register: [stmikeschurch.com/signup](http://stmikeschurch.com/signup)

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## Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Tuesday Feb. 21 5:30 - 7:00 PM

We will be hosting our annual pancake supper with pancakes, laughter, and plenty of syrup. All are welcome with a suggested donation of \$5 per person. No RSVP required. You can also get pancakes to go by stopping by the Gathering Space between 6:00 - 7:00 PM. We hope to see you soon and don't forget your name tag! ALL Men of the church are invited to help set up, serve, and clean up (4:30 – 8:00 PM).

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## Weekday Opportunities

Tuesday 8:00 PM Compline Online

Wednesday Bible Study, 12:30 PM

Thursday Celtic Spirituality, 6:00 PM

Thursday 8:00 PM Compline Online

Friday Celtic Spirituality, 9:00 AM

Friday Evening Prayer, 7:00 PM Online

## Stewardship 2023 Update



During the month of December our Vestry members hand-delivered over 200 ornaments to homes that made a 2023 pledge, representing over \$731,920 in pledges to support the mission and ministry of our spiritual home. We are grateful for each pledge and appreciate

your ongoing commitment. We are still short \$23,080 of our goal and are still waiting to hear from several dozen homes. It is our hope by the annual meeting on January 29 we will have reached our goal and will not need to make cuts to our ministries. If we haven't heard from you yet, email [treasurer@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:treasurer@stmikeschurch.com) or complete your pledge online: [stmikeschurch.com/stewardship](http://stmikeschurch.com/stewardship).

## Nametags (Please)!

Thank you for wearing your nametag while at church so friends and new faces can get to know you! Need a new nametag? Fill out a form at the Welcome table on Sunday Mornings or email [diane@stmikeschurch.com](mailto:diane@stmikeschurch.com).

## Volunteers (Please)!

Each Sunday we need over 20 volunteers to ensure our Sunday services and hospitality run smoothly. We could use your help. Can you help? Sign up online or call the church office with questions: 719-598-3244

[www.stmikeschurch.com/signup](http://www.stmikeschurch.com/signup)

*A Christmas to remember ... Thank you!*



# BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

## January Birthdays

January 1 Juliet Llaña  
 January 2 Jacob Calhoun  
 January 2 Alan McPeak  
 January 2 Rachael Verlinde  
 January 3 Jessica Bennett  
 January 4 Jocelyn Pettigrew  
 January 5 Deegan Carton  
 January 6 Dave Harriman  
 January 6 Laura Seidl  
 January 6 Brett Wandfluh  
 January 7 Jason Cumby  
 January 8 Patrick Jenkins  
 January 9 Ginny Anderson  
 January 10 Meggie Kean  
 January 11 Linda Council  
 January 11 Jason Lett  
 January 12 Lindsey Kellen  
 January 13 Sally Creely  
 January 14 Christopher Kean  
 January 14 Jon Numair  
 January 14 John Priest  
 January 15 Sean Cabrera  
 January 15 Sophia DeJoia  
 January 15 Mike Fink  
 January 15 Diane Groom  
 January 16 Darlene Greenhut  
 January 16 Neil Pettigrew  
 January 17 Richard Wiedey  
 January 18 Jeanne Gau  
 January 18 Diane LaCroix  
 January 18 Pamela Partrick  
 January 19 Sofia Dickerman  
 January 19 Asher Kolodzej  
 January 19 Rev. Angela Lerena  
 January 20 Michael Weidner  
 January 21 Griffon Frank  
 January 21 Emma Phillips  
 January 22 Jinn Birkes  
 January 22 Danny Cowell  
 January 22 Catherine Gollan  
 January 22 Braden Sears  
 January 22 James Verlinde  
 January 24 Emily Darling  
 January 25 Audrey Houser  
 January 25 Audrey Smullen  
 January 27 Linda McPeak  
 January 27 Kim Person  
 January 28 Luke Brooks  
 January 28 Bill Daughton  
 January 28 Robert Jager  
 January 28 Chad Spencer  
 January 28 Levi Sutherlin  
 January 28 Matthew Waidelich  
 January 28 Robert Wettemann  
 January 29 Les Krohnfeldt  
 January 29 Gus Wood  
 January 30 Pamela Buick  
 January 30 Erin Capell  
 January 31 Allie Holcombe

## February Birthdays

February 1 Paul Anderson  
 February 3 Matthew Chernak  
 February 3 Bruce Nicklas  
 February 3 Amelie Pachter  
 February 3 Sarah Tucker  
 February 5 Carl Nesbitt  
 February 5 Rev. Debbie Womack  
 February 7 Jeff Smullen  
 February 8 Grace Morrison  
 February 10 Ainsley Trevillian  
 February 12 Rev. Lanny Geib  
 February 12 Jenna Lowenberg  
 February 15 Kathleen Foster  
 February 15 Arlo Middlebrook  
 February 16 Diana Fink  
 February 17 Carmen Kolodzej  
 February 17 Caleb Trevillian  
 February 18 Steve Crowe  
 February 18 Thella Geib  
 February 18 Mary Lett  
 February 19 Lisa Cumby  
 February 20 Guy Theriot  
 February 21 Nydia Segal  
 February 21 Ellanor Wandfluh  
 February 21 Carissa Warren  
 February 22 Dan Shepherd  
 February 24 Loretta Vail  
 February 24 Andrew Wettemann  
 February 25 Jack Braley  
 February 25 Tom Neill  
 February 25 Samantha Valko  
 February 26 Josh Fenton  
 February 26 Alicia Holcombe  
 February 27 Jan Hill  
 February 27 Caroline Marshall  
 February 28 Debra Deverell

## January Anniversaries

January 2 Mary Beth & Steve Shively  
 January 7 Diane & Jerry Verlinde  
 January 8 Cassie & Matt Sears  
 January 11 Amalia & Patrick Dobbins  
 January 16 Bernie & Diane LaCroix  
 January 21 Jenny & Steve Liebowitz

## February Anniversaries

February 4 Bob & Gerry Forster  
 February 10 Katy & Ryan Kolodzej  
 February 14 Ed & Patti Hanemann  
 February 14 Kelly & Russ Howell  
 February 18 Christine & Henry Hudson

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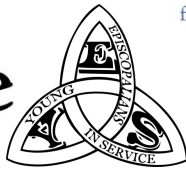
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