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Messenger

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Our Purpose

*To bring the light, love and joy of
Jesus Christ into this world – by living the written
word, sharing the living word, and loving without
exception.*

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How to Home-Bake Canned Beans

Norma Bagley, St James

1 large can beans	Pepper to taste
½ c brown sugar	Small onion
Ketchup to make juicy	Bacon

Mix all ingredients and place in casserole. Put onion in center. Spread bacon, 2 slices, across top. Bake 1 hour at 375 degrees.

Rump Roast

Hope Kier, St. Clements

1 rump roast 3 to 4 lb.	1 can beef consommé 1 jar prepared horseradish
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Season and brown roast. Pour consommé and horseradish over top of meat after it has been placed in the pressure cooker. Cook for about 35 to 40 minutes in the cooker. This also can be roasted in the oven very nicely, if you prefer.

Hot Chicken Salad

Helen Sutton, St Michael's

4 cups cubed chicken (or turkey)	1 cup chopped almonds
2 cups sliced celery	1 cup sharp cheese (grated)
2 cups mayonnaise	potato chips

Combine chicken, almonds, celery and mayo (this will be quite wet). Pour into a greased casserole. Sprinkle with the cheese and then sprinkle top with crushed potato chips. Bake in a 350 degree oven for 30 to 40 minutes. Serves 8

What's on the One Dollar Bill?

I came across this article, so I thought I would share it with you. I will give you a brief summary because it is a full page in length.

Take out a one dollar bill, and look at it. The one dollar bill you're looking at first came off the presses in 1957 in its present design. This so-called paper money is in fact a cotton and linen blend, with red and blue minute silk fibers running through it. It is actually material. We've all washed it without it falling apart. A special blend of ink is used, the contents we will never know. It is overprinted with symbols and then it is starched to make it water resistant and pressed to give it the nice crisp look.

They say that the number 13 is an unlucky number. This is almost a worldwide belief. You will usually never see a room numbered 13, or any hotels with a 13th floor. But think about this: 13 original colonies, 13 signers of the Declaration of Independence; 13 stripes on our flag, 13 steps on the Pyramid, 13 letters in "E Pluribus Unum, 13 stars above the Eagle, 13 bars on that shield, 13 leaves on the olive branch, 13 fruits, and if you look closely, 13 arrows. And, for minorities: the 13th Amendment.

I always ask people, "Why don't you know this?" Your children don't know this, and their history teachers don't know this. Too many veterans have given up too much to ever let the meaning fade. Many veterans remember coming home to America that didn't care. Too many veterans never came home at all.

Share this information with everyone, so they can learn what is on the back of the UNITED STATES ONE DOLLAR BILL, and what it stands for.....Otherwise, they will probably never know.

Rector's Reflections

The month of January finds us at St. Michaels busy preparing for our annual meeting. On January 13th, we will gather after the combined 9:30 service for brunch. We will then be called to order to consider the yearly business of our church as well as to elect new vestry members. Please plan to attend to make your voice heard.

As we move into a new year, we begin a "new direction" in fund raising and outreach. Every 5th Sunday, we will have one worship service followed by a breakfast prepared by members of our congregation. These breakfasts will afford us times of fellowship as well as serve as fundraisers. This Sunday, a spaghetti dinner will be served to the public as an outreach project. Mike Ham is chairing this effort.

I hope that you and those you love enjoyed a blessed Christmas and new year. May the peace of Christ be yours throughout this month and year to come.

Faithfully,

Father Wheeler+



WOMEN'S GUILD

The Women's Guild will meet on **Wednesday, January 9th**. Members are asked to bring their wedding pictures. It will be fun for us to guess who the bride or bride and groom might be, because, of course, there might be a few changes. Come and join in the fun. Lunch will be provided.

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, February 2nd: Shrove Tuesday

Pancake Supper from 5:00 – 7:00 pm

Meal includes: Sausages, Pancakes & Beverage
\$5.00 adults; \$2.00 college students with valid ID;
children 4 & under, free.

Wednesday, February 3rd: Ash Wednesday

Services at 9:30 am and 7:00 pm

Saturday, February 5th at 9:30 am

Coffee & donuts with Father Wheeler
Topic: Church History 3

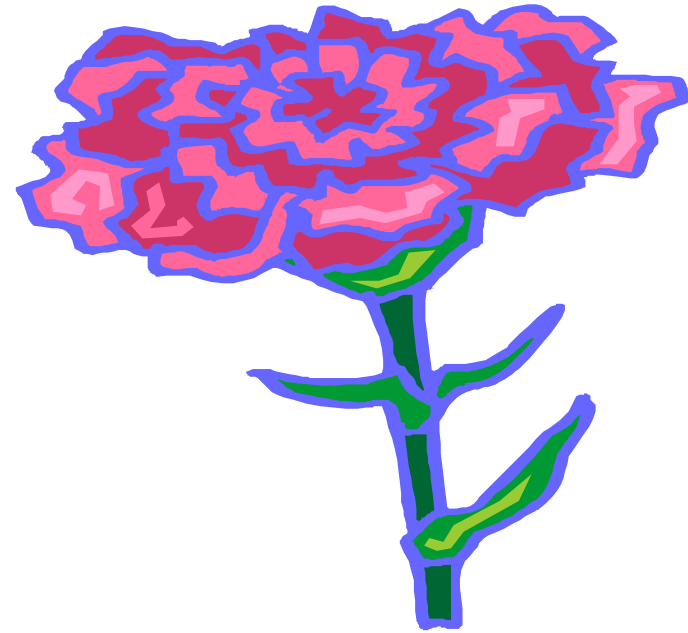
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JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

5TH Linda Seitz
9th Norma Crump
22nd Terri Wheeler
22nd Jack Bidell
25th Gladys Meacham
27th Norma Fox
29th Sonya Gardinier



Happy Anniversary

10th Mary & Dave Noonan