St. Michael School Celebrated the 2022 Grandparents' Day with the 18th Annual Faith Rally "God's Everlasting Love...Hold On and Love One Another!" FAITH-FUN-FAMILY! Catholic Schools across the United States come to together during Catholic Schools Week to celebrate Catholic Education. St. Michael School observe the week with school Mass, faith-filled activities for students, families, and community members. Through these events, we focus on the value of Catholic Education in our young people and its contribution to the Church. local communities, and the nation.

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St. Michael School celebrated Mass during Catholic's Schools Week with the entire student body attending, PK3-8th grade. Following Mass, we recognized some special people that contribute to making St. Michael what it is today. Each year our school honors a person who is an outstanding believer and supporter of Catholic education. This year, we honor a special couple, they have generously given their time, talents and service to our school for many years. They are involved, supportive, and dedicated in helping the school in all aspects. They have been seen at sporting events cheering on our Saints. The family offers the community a beautiful Christmas event with lights and decorations on their farm in lota. Members and supporters of the St. Michael Church and school and the grandparents of Brayan Jasso, a current 6th grade student at St. Michael the **St. Michael School Supporters of the Year are Mr. Gerard and Mrs. Dana Frey.**

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Annually, the faculty selects a teacher to honor as the St. Michael Teacher of the Year. In doing so, we honor one of our teachers who promotes our school's mission, keeps current with best practices in education, leads in implementing school wide activities, contributes to the spiritual growth of students, embodies Christian values, and is a model for not only students but the school community. In the words of his colleagues, he has developed a wonderful STEM program and has a wonderful way with the students, pushing them to think way beyond the textbook and outside the box. He spends a lot of his personal time with Robotics and Quiz Bowl, he goes above and beyond. As an integral part of this faculty for 21 years, he always working hard finding



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ways to help students succeed. He is married to Katherine and has two grown sons, Matthew and Timothy, married to Kennedy. He is also a proud grandfather of Ellie and Bennett. Our students and

St. Michael are blessed to have him as part of our family. St. Michael Teacher of the Year is Mr. Tim Miguez.

We have many support staff members that play important roles in the daily activities of our school. We appreciate each one of them, however, we have one special support staff member that goes above and beyond while doing her job. She demonstrates dedication and loyalty to St. Michael, its' students, families, faculty and staff through her actions and willingness to be a team player. She has been part of the St. Michael family for 11 years. Our Support Staff of the Year has been selected by the faculty and staff. In the words of her colleagues:



"She is involved in all aspects of our school and does a great job! She works tirelessly and is always willing to take on any project. She is always happy to assist with anything we need." "Our school is lucky to have her, she does so much to show our community just how awesome our school is, and she does a fantastic job!" It is evident that this person loves her job and St. Michael. She is the wife of Kevin Broussard and they have two beautiful daughters, Ashton and Kelsey, which are both alumni of St. Michael. **Our Support Staff of the year is Mrs. Holly Broussard.**

Our week of celebration ended with a two-day Faith Rally celebration, "God's Everlasting Love...Hold On and Love One Another!" The students' performances were amazing and uplifting, from PK3-8th grade! The students performed songs, dances, and cheers proclaiming their love for lesus and the joy of celebrating their faith for the grandparents, parents, family, and friends. Grandparents' Day is one of the most spiritual uplifting days of the school year because our students proudly entertain their grandparents, family and friends. They celebrate their love for them and for Jesus! After the Faith Rally, grandparents were able to visit their grandchildren in their classrooms. The generosity of our grandparents has been a wonderful gift to the school through the years. This year; our grandparents and other guests lovingly contributed over \$12,000 in an offering from the heart that will be used to fund a fence that will surround our playground equipment, which will keep our students safe and extend the longevity of the playground equipment.

St. Michael students and teachers celebrated 100th day of school on January 25th. Teachers and faculty dressed to celebrate 100 days of learning. We have amazing teachers and faculty members that make coming to school fun and exciting.



St. Michael's Robotics Team competed in the Louisiana Robotics State Tournament and won 2nd "Champions Award" out of 45 teams in the state. The

competition included robotic

design, programming, engineering project, and teamwork. Mr. Tim was awarded Coach/Mentor Award (Robotics). Congratulations to our Robotics Team and Mr. Tim.

2nd Quarter ended and Principals List and Honor Roll were announced during morning announcements. We have some hardworking students that strive for excellence, and we are so proud of them. As a treat, students that earned the **Principal's List were treated to pizza for a job well done!** We are proud of all our students and their academic achievements.

St. Michael Saints 4H competed in the Pet ID Show and did a great job. 4H members placed in multiple categories in the pet competitions. The also attended the Livestock Show and did an outstanding job with multiple ribbons being won.

St. Michael School Jr. Beta held their induction ceremony for new members and their officers. Makism Scarborough; President, Charlotte Prevost; Vice President, Lucy Meche; Secretary, Anna Hunt; Treasurer, Kate Ardoin; Chaplain. Students who maintains A's and B's on their quarterly report card are eligible to become a member of the Beta Club.

We have an amazing STEM Lab which foster 21st century skills in the future leaders of our community. STEM offers students hands on, project-based learning using space featuring robots, 3D printers and laser cutters. Students are inspired to use their imagination and think outside the box. Students are encouraged to learn, explore, collaborate, create and problem solve. This project-based learning, fosters critical thinking skills, requires tools, technology materials, equipment, and a tremendous amount of consumable resources. Our St. Michael community is amazing, they supported the STEM lab by donating to the lab through the Amazon Wish List.



St. Michael's 2021 basketball season has come to an end. Congratulations to our St. Michael 8th/7th grade girls basketball team for winning the League Championship. They are an outstanding group

of girls which consists of 8th graders and 7th graders. They worked hard this season and we are so proud of their success. Congratulations to all of our basketball teams and thank you to our amazing coaches for sharing their time and talents with St. Michael School. Now on to Saints baseball, softball, golf and track.

In-House and new student registration has been opened for the 2022-2023 school year. With heartfelt appreciation, we thank you for choosing St. Michael School and entrusting your precious children to us. We are proud of our school and our dedicated faculty and staff. We are blessed to have the opportunity to serve the families of St. Michael and the children entrusted to our care. God bless St. Michael, God keep St. Michael!

God Bless, Your Servant in Christ, **Terri Hebert**, Principal



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> Krewe de PreK Mardi Gras Parade Thursday, Feb. 24, at 2:00 in the gym

Mardi Gras Holiday Friday, Feb. 25 - Tuesday, March I Return to school on Wed., March 2

Ash Wednesday Mass Wednesday, March 2, at 8:45 a.m.

4th Quarter Begins Monday, March 21

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