



# St. Michael the Archangel Catholic School

The mission of St. Michael the Archangel Catholic School is to educate the minds, bodies, and spirits of a culturally diverse community of lifelong learners who exemplify Catholic values.

February 16, 2016

## Calendar of Upcoming Events

Wed.	Feb. 17	<b>School Mass</b> 8:00 am – All families are invited to attend.
Fri.	Feb. 19	<b>Stations of the Cross</b> 1:20 pm & 2:05 pm – All families are invited to attend.
Fri.	Feb. 19	<b>Fish Fry</b> 4:00-8:00 pm – School hall.
Sat.-Sun.	Feb. 20 & 21	<b>St. Michael Parish Mass</b> 5 pm (Eng.); 8 am (Eng.), 9:30 am (Eng.), 11 am (Sp.)
Tues.	Feb. 23	<b>Coffee with the Principal</b> 8:00 am – All parents are invited to attend.
Thurs.	Feb. 25	<b>Exclusion Day</b> Please ensure all tuition and fees are paid.

### Volunteering at the School

Any family that is receiving a financial aid package is required to fulfill a 12 hour (6 by 1/31 and 6 by 4/30) service commitment in order for funds to be applied. Thank you for your time and commitment so far this year. There is much work to be done, and we cannot do it without you. Please contact us with any questions.

### VIRTUS Bulletins

Please remember to stay current on your VIRTUS certification by reading and responding to the monthly bulletins. To see if you have missed any, log on to [virtus.org](http://virtus.org), click “Training Compliance,” then “Training Report.”

### February Freeze Tuition Rate

Throughout the month of February we would like to offer families *this year’s* published tuition rate when registering for *next year*. When you register in February with the accompanying fee, you will be locked into this year’s rate for the entire year. Remember, families must reapply for financial aid every year. **Twelve families** have already taken advantage of this opportunity to save money on next year’s tuition.

### Free Homework Help

The Chicago Public Library offers free homework help to students. Check [chipublib.org](http://chipublib.org) for details.

### Used Paper Needed

We are looking for paper that is blank on at least one side. Your donations of paper and other materials add up to make a big impact. Thank you!

### Chicago Museums

Thanks to our parent volunteers who chaperone on field trips. Many expressed interest in bringing their children to museums on their own time. Check museum websites for information on days that are free to Illinois residents. The Field Museum is free to all IL residents throughout the whole month of February.

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