

*The Endowment Fund Needs Your Help
to Keep the Youth Adventure Alive*

Enjoy a week
of total relaxation
and fun in a lovely
3 bedroom, 2.5
bath
TIME SHARE at
Chalet High, Bryce
Resort



Available the 7th
week of each
year... including
the President's
Day holiday or
trade for
another week or
place

**The Youth Endowment Fund is looking for benefactor to keep
the time share available for the youth or a buyer for the share.
Very favorable arrangements are offered.
For details, please talk to Dan Ancona – 703-507-7138**

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**St Michaels Youth Endowment Fund
Notice of Intent to Donate / Gift / Bequest**

- I, _____, want to become a benefactor of St. Marks youth by making this notice of intent to provide a donation, gift or bequest to the St. Michaels Youth Endowment Fund as part of my estate plan. The intended value of my donation, gift or bequest will be about \$_____.
- My name can be used as a sponsor of the Endowing the Endowment campaign.

Signed Name: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

**St Michaels Youth Endowment Fund
2016 Newsletter**

*"A debt to the past...
an obligation to the future...
Ensuring the mission of the Church"*

*Since 1996
Over \$80,000 made in Grants & Gifts
To support St Marks youth and young
adults in their Christian experience and
service to Jesus Christ.*

 Camps
 Mission Trips
 Fellowship
 Scouts
 Seminary
 Youth Gatherings
 Vacation Bible School
 Scholarships
 Camper Scholarships
 SUICIDE PREVENTION Special Needs
 Outreach

Your Gifts God's Work

The St Michaels Endowment Fund was established in lasting memory of Michael David Mower and Michael James Ancona to assist in outreach ministries to young people from the families of St Mark's Lutheran Church, the surrounding communities and worldwide; to help them know the message of Jesus Christ; and to bring glory to His name.

St. Michael's Endows the Future by

Valuing and Supporting Youth Ministry

The 31% of all 12th graders who attend religious services weekly and the 30% of high school seniors for whom religion is “very important” are significantly more likely than non-attenders and non-religious youth to:

- Have positive attitudes toward themselves
- Enjoy life as much as anyone
- Feel like their lives are useful
- Feel hopeful about their future
- Feel satisfied with their lives
- Feel like they have something of which to be proud
- Feel good to be alive
- Feel like life is meaningful
- Enjoy being in school



Promoting the Development of Future Leaders

A major focus of the St Michael's Endowment Fund is promoting calls for the ministry as a career decision thereby fostering and supporting future leadership in the church.



Stephanie Rosholt
Lutheran College
Scholarship



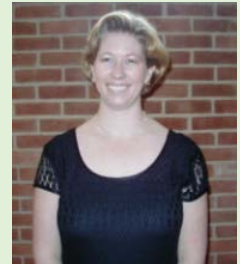
Jackie Stellar
Music Scholarship

The vast majority of those who trust in Jesus do so by the age of 18, thus St Michael's focus on youth ministry

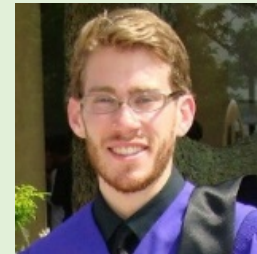


Michael Mathis
Roanoke College Scholarship

Tim Peterson
Presidential Classroom
Scholarship



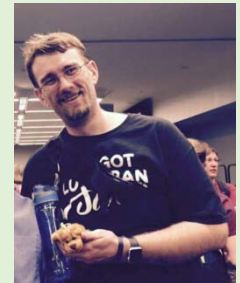
Andrea Doberman
Seminarian Scholarship



Carl Raezer
Music Ministry &
Seminarian Scholarship



Heidi Eickstadt
Seminarian Scholarship



David Essick
Seminarian Scholarship

Your Gifts Grow Daily to Nurture Youth in Christ