

Saint Michael the Archangel & Saints Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Churches

"I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and him crucified." 1 Corinthians 2:2

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Confessions:
Saturdays [P] 3:15-3:45 PM
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and by appointment
Baptisms and Weddings:
See Father Frank

If you are looking for a spiritual home, please know you are always welcome to be a part of our Parish Family.
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Candy Sale: Our annual Christmas candy sale is beginning. Brochures are available at the church entrance. Last day to order is November 6. Remember that the candy sale is a major fundraiser for our parish. The more candy you buy the more you help our parish!

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Saint Michael's Potluck Dinner is on Sunday, November 6 after Liturgy. Please sign up in the vestibule to bring a dish or desert to the dinner. And please plan on attending the dinner to enjoy fellowship with your parish family!

The Scripture readings for next week (Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost) are: **Ephesians 2:14-22 & Luke 8:26-39.**

¹⁴For he is our peace, who has made us both one, and has broken down the dividing wall of hostility, ¹⁵by abolishing in his flesh the law of commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new man in place of the two, so making peace, ¹⁶and might reconcile us both to God in one body through the cross, thereby bringing the hostility to an end. ¹⁷And he came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near;¹⁸ for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. ¹⁹So then you are no longer strangers and sojourners, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, ²⁰built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, ²¹in whom the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord;²² in whom you also are built into it for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit

NOW IS THE TIME!!! The Holiday season is quickly approaching and now is the time to purchase your holiday shopping and holiday gifts using our script program! Orders will be placed every other week. The next order to be placed will be on Monday, October 24th. Even if Janice is not in church you can call her or email her with your order. Her cell # is [484-553-3828](tel:484-553-3828). Her email is jmk@cbheritage.com. Order forms are available in the back of the church and in the church community center. Simply make your selection and call or email Janice. She will place your order for you and you can make your payment to St. Michael's BC Church the following Sunday when your cards will be delivered! It is that easy! If you would like on-line access for ordering, simply follow the instructions on the attached! 'TIS THE SEASON! HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR ST. MIKES through your everyday and holiday spending. You can also spread the word to your family & friends!

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of October 15 & 16	
Allentown	\$1762.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$1762.00
Palmerton	\$95.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$95.00
Bills paid this week: None	
Palmerton: No Bills This Week	

Stewardship: The Eparchial Appeal has begun! Our goal is \$10,000 however Service Electric Cable Company has given us \$4,000 toward the Appeal. This means our goal is effectively \$6,000. There are 57 families registered at Saint Michael's. This means that if every family gave \$106.00 we would meet our goal. Please consider giving to the Appeal. By doing so you promote the Gospel by subsidizing seminarian and deacon education; eparchial youth camps; providing food for the seminarians at the seminary of our Mother Church in Mukachevo and other programs. **Please make checks payable to "Eparchy of Passaic" and send the check directly to the Eparchy, NOT to the church**

Our parish families offer condolences to the family of Anna Samok who fell asleep in the Lord on Friday. She will be buried from Saints Peter and Paul on Wednesday at 10:00 A.M. **May her memory be eternal!**

Liturgical Schedule for The Week of October 23, 2016

Saturday October 22
Vigil~ Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

4:00 PM [P] John Samok by Janette Youse

Sunday October 23
Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM [A] For the people

Saturday October 29
Vigil~ Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

4:00 PM [P] For the people

Sunday October 30
Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM [A] + John & Dolores Hysick by Anna & Penelope Roth

Prayer List: In your kindness, please remember the following persons in prayer: Carol Baran, John & Alicia Sefcik, Shirley Balascak, Loretta Brosky, Antoinette DeFronzo, Dolores Flannery, Theresa Pinto, Patrice Danyluk, Hoyt Walter, Rosalie Walter, Kristin & Bobbie Di Giacomo & family, The Mehalshick Family, Doris Smicker & family, Peter Skimbo & Family, Nicholas Yackanicz, Josephine Wilk, Maryann Wilk, Barry Hoffman, Chet Greene, Lila Smerkanich., Fatima Eslami, Roger Susanin, Father Phillip Scott, Lois Brink, Gabriella Yaskanich

Catholic Quotes

"The greatest challenge of the day is: how to bring about a revolution of the heart, a revolution which has to start with each one of us." Dorothy Day

"You don't think your way into a new kind of living. You live your way into a new kind of thinking." Father Henri Nouwen

"Fairy tales are more than true; not because they tell us that dragons exist. but because they tell us that dragons can be beaten." G.K. Chesterton

"Conversion to Christ, believing in the Gospel ultimately means this: To exit the illusion of self-sufficiency in order to discover and accept one's own need — the need of others and God, the need of his forgiveness and his friendship." Pope Benedict XVI

"There are in truth three states of the converted: the beginning, the middle, and the perfection. In the beginning, they experience the charms of sweetness; in the middle, the contests of temptation; and in the end, the fullness of perfection." Pope St. Gregory I

