

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
Sundays: [A] 9:00-9:30 AM
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-fifth Sunday after Pentecost) are: **Ephesians 4:1-6 & Luke 8:41-56.**

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, ²with all lowliness and meekness, with patience, forbearing one another in love, ³eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. ⁴There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call, ⁵one Lord, one faith, one baptism, ⁶one God and Father of us all, who is above all and through all and in all.

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of October 22 & 23	
Allentown	\$1876.00
Total Bills	\$974.93
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$901.07
Palmerton	\$232.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$232.00
Bills paid this week: Furnace:\$252.00; Phone:\$25.21; Gas (Rectory): \$13.47; Gas (Center):\$10.25; Auto Insurance: \$674.00	
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**

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 ismk@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!

Bible Study begins November 10 at 10:00 AM and November 11 at 7:00 PM. There is still time to sign up! See Father Frank!

Liturgical Schedule for The Week of October 30, 2016

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

Saturday November 5 Vigil~ Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

4:00 PM [P] For the people

Sunday November 6 Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM [A] Paul Stockmal by the Stockmal Children

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

"If, however, you seek Jesus in all things, you will surely find Him." *Thomas a Kempis*

I thank God for His goodness to me. Apart from heaven, this (prison camp) is the one place where I wish to remain. Here we are all equal: Poles, Jews, Ukrainians, Russians, Latvians and Estonians. Of all these here I am the only priest. I cannot even imagine how it would be here without me. Here I see God, who is the same for us all, regardless of our religious distinctions. Perhaps our churches are different, but the same great and Almighty God rules over us all. When I celebrate the Divine Liturgy, they all join in prayer." *Blessed Emilian Kowcz*

"God does not hide behind clouds of impenetrable mystery.... He has shown Himself, He talks to us and is with us; He lives with us and guides us in our lives." *Pope Benedict XVI*

"Every time we perform a good action we increase the grace in our souls. That's the Divine Justice. And, correspondingly, every good action we perform, deserves from God, and He always rewards, with happiness." *Father John Hardon*