

*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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**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  
Mehalschick Family, Doris Smicker & family, Peter Skimbo &  
Family, Nicholas Yackanicz, Josephine Wilk, Maryann Wilk, Barry  
Hoffman, Chet Greene, Mary Maronich, Fatima Eslami, Roger  
Susanin, Father Phillip Scott, Lois Brink, Gabriella Yaskanich

**Catholic Quotes**

"I deem it my duty to call your attention to the shortness of this  
life, and the certainty of death, and the dreadful judgment we  
must all undergo, and on the decision of which a happy or a  
miserable eternity depends. The impious has said in his heart,  
'There is no God.' He would willingly believe there is no God;  
the passions, the corruptions of his heart would fain persuade  
him there is none. The stings of conscience betray the  
emptiness of the delusion; the heavens proclaim the existence  
of God, and unperverted reason teaches that He must love  
virtue and hate vice, and reward the one and punish the other."  
Bishop Charles Carroll (First Bishop in the United States)

"The world divorced from the God who created and  
redeemed it inevitably comes to a bad end. It's on the wrong  
side of the only history that finally matters." Cardinal Francis  
George

"If a soul is not clothed with the teachings of the Church he  
cannot merit to have Jesus seated in him." St. Jerome

"He who does not embrace the teaching of the Church does  
not have the habit of faith." St. Thomas Aquinas

The Scripture readings for next week  
(Seventh Sunday after Pentecost) are:  
Romans 15:1-7 & Matthew 9:27-35

We who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the  
weak, and not to please ourselves; let each of us please  
his neighbor for his good, to edify him. For Christ did  
not please himself; but, as it is written, "The reproaches  
of those who reproached thee fell on me." For whatever  
was written in former days was written for our  
instruction, that by steadfastness and by the  
encouragement of the scriptures we might have  
hope. May the God of steadfastness and  
encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with  
one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together  
you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of  
our Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome one another, therefore, as Christ has  
welcomed you, for the glory of God.

**truck or trailer to help move tables** and chairs, we'd like your help! **Volunteers** are needed to help (1-2 hour  
shifts) with food service, drinks, setup/cleanup, welcoming, and parking. If you can help, please contact Fr  
Jerome at [holydormition@gmail.com](mailto:holydormition@gmail.com) or [570-401-8684](tel:704018684).

**The pilgrimage schedule:** 10am Matins, 11am-1pm and 3-5pm Food Service, 11:30am Holy Anointing for  
Healing, 1pm Divine Liturgy, 3:30-4:30pm Children's Program, 4-4:30 "Transfigured by Peace" (talk by Fr  
Jerome), 5pm Vespers.

**Volunteers Needed! To lead the Rosary before Liturgy. The more people sign up to lead the Rosary, the  
less frequently each team has to do it. Please see Will or sign up on the sheet in the back of the church.**

**How the abbot Lucius rebuked certain brethren who showed that they lacked  
discretion, and taught them a better way.**

Certain brethren once came to the abbot Lucius, and the old man asked them, "What work  
are you wont to do?" They said, "We do no work, but, according to the saying of the apostle,  
we pray without ceasing." Then said the old man, "Do you never eat?" And they replied,  
"Truly, we do eat." Then Lucius said, "And who does your praying for you while you eat?"  
They were silent. Then he asked them "Do you never sleep?" When they confessed that they  
slept, he asked, "And who does your praying for you while you sleep?" They could find no  
answer to give to him. Then he said, "I see that you do not perform what you boast. I will  
show you how to pray without ceasing. Sit working in the morning up to the accustomed  
hour; weave mats and make baskets. Meanwhile keep praying in these words: 'Lord,  
according to thy mercy pardon my offences and do away with my iniquity.' When you have  
finished a few baskets sell them for money. Give a portion to the poor, and keep the rest to  
buy your food. When, then, you eat or sleep, the poor whom you relieve are filling in the gaps  
in your ceaseless round of prayer."

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of July 8 & 9	
Allentown	\$1054.00
Total Bills	\$461.64
Offerings Vs. Expenses	<b>+\$592.36</b>
Palmerton	\$115.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	<b>+\$115.00</b>
<b>Bills paid this week:</b> Church Envelopes: \$411.24; Bulletins \$50.40	
<b>Palmerton: No Bills</b>	

The  
**2017 Pilgrimage for Peace will be held Sunday  
August 6** at Holy Dormition Friary,  
Sybertsville. **Desserts** for the bake sale (nothing  
that needs refrigeration) can be brought  
on Saturday August 5, 10am-2pm. If you have a

**Liturgical Schedule for  
The Week of July 16, 2017**

**Saturday July 15**  
**Vigil~ 6th Sunday after Pentecost**

4:00 PM [P] For the people

**Sunday July 16**  
**Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

9:30 AM [A] + Paul F. Yaromy by  
Warren Getz

**Saturday July 22**  
**Vigil~ 7th Sunday after Pentecost**

4:00 PM [P] For the people

**Sunday July 23**  
**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**

9:30 AM [A] +Roslyn R. Hosak by  
Irene Geusick

**After the Saturday and Sunday  
Liturgies we will bless vehicles  
for the feast of St. Elias**