

*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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**Liturgical Schedule for
The Week of September 17, 2017**

**Saturday September 16
Vigil~ Sunday after Exaltation**

4:00 PM [P] For the People

**Sunday September 17
Sunday after Exaltation**

10.00AM [A] +Harold R. Brink Jr. by
Lois and Sandra Brink

**Saturday September 23
Vigil~ 16th Sunday after Pentecost**

4:00 PM [P] For the People

**Sunday September 24
16th Sunday after Pentecost**

10.00AM [A] Health and Blessings for
Charlie Roth and family on the
occasion of his enlightenment

Baptism of Charlie 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, Mary Maronich, Fatima Eslami, Roger
Susanin, Father Phillip Scott, Lois Brink, Gabriella Yaskanich

Catholic Quotes

By nothing else except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ
has death been brought low: The sin of our first parent
destroyed, hell plundered, resurrection bestowed, the
power given us to despise the things of this world, even
death itself, the road back to the former blessedness
made smooth, the gates of paradise opened, our nature
seated at the right hand of God and we made children
and heirs of God. By the cross all these things have been
set aright... It is a seal that the destroyer may not strike
us, a raising up of those who lie fallen, a support for
those who stand, a staff for the infirm, a crook for the
shepherded, a guide for the wandering, a perfecting of
the advanced, salvation for soul and body, a deflector of
all evils, a cause of all goods, a destruction of sin, a plant
of resurrection, and a tree of eternal life. – St. John
Damascene

It is not the finest wood that feeds the fire of Divine love,
but the wood of the Cross. – St. Ignatius of Loyola

The crosses with which our path through life is
strewn associate us with Jesus in the mystery of His
crucifixion. – St. John Eudes

The Scripture readings for next week
(16th Sunday after Pentecost) are: 2
Corinthians 6:1-10 & Matthew 25:14-30

Working together with him, then, we entreat
you not to accept the grace of God in
vain. For he says,

“At the acceptable time I have listened to you,
and helped you on the day of salvation.”

Behold, now is the acceptable time; behold,
now is the day of salvation.

**Today as we begin our ECF program we are grateful to our catechists for their work teaching our
children about their faith!**

***How the desire of being crucified with Christ will keep a man in the narrow way though
he see others departing from it.***

A certain elder was once asked, how a monk can avoid being offended and disheartened, when he
sees others giving up the hermit life and returning to the world. He replied -- "Watch the dogs
which hunt hares. One of them only, perhaps, sees the hare and chases it. The others see nothing
but the dog in full chase, so they run with him for a while and then grow weary and give up. The
one that sees the hare goes on chasing it until he catches it. He takes no heed of the steep hills,
nor of the thickets, nor of the brambles in his way. Sometimes his feet are flayed and pricked with
thorns, yet he does not rest until he catches it. So it is with the monk who seeks Christ and gazes
steadfastly on the cross. He takes no notice of the things which vex and offend him. He cares for
nothing but attaining the goal of being crucified with Christ."

Thanks to everyone who contributed to hurricane relief. We raised \$667.00!

Of the narrow way which leads unto life.

A certain elder was once asked, "What is this which we read -- 'Strait and narrow is the
way?'" The old man replied, "The narrow way is that on which a man does violence to his
own imaginations, and cuts himself off from the fulfilment of his own will. This is the
meaning of that which was written of the apostles, 'Behold we have left all, and followed
Thee.'"

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of September 9 and 10	
Allentown	\$2530.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$2530.00
Palmerton	\$272.00
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Bills paid this week: No Bills	
Palmerton: No Bills	