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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<u>Liturgical Schedule for</u> <u>The Week of September 30, 2018</u>

<u>Saturday September 29</u> <u>Vigil~19th Sunday after Pentecost</u>

4:00 PM [P] For the People

<u>Sunday September 30</u> 19th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM [A] +Stephen Wursta by Eleanor Wursta

Monday October 1
Protection of the Theotokos

7:00 PM [A] For the people

Saturday October 6 Vigil~20th Sunday after Pentecost

4:00 PM [P] For the People

<u>Sunday October 7</u> 20th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM [A] +Charles Hysick by Anna, Penelope and Charlie Roth

The readings for next Sunday are: Galatians 1:11-19 and Luke 7:11-16

Prayer List: In your kindness, please remember the following persons in prayer Carol Baran, John & Alicia Sefcik, Barry Mondichak, 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, Frank Susanin, Nicholas Yackanicz, Josephine Wilk, Maryann Wilk, Barry Hoffman, Chet Greene, Mary Maronich, Fatima Eslami, Roger Susanin, Father Phillip Scott, Lois Brink, Gabriella Yackanicz

From the Saints

The Lord remained silent before Pilate and Herod; He made no attempt to justify Himself. You must imitate His holy and wise silence when you see that your enemies accuse you, with every intention of certain conviction; they accuse only with the purpose of hiding their own evil intention under the guise of judgment. + St. Ignatius Brianchaninov

Do not claim to have acquired virtue unless you have suffered affliction, for without affliction virtue has not been tested. + St. Mark the Ascetic

To deny oneself means to give up one's bad habits; to root out of the heart all that ties us to the world; not to cherish bad thoughts or desires; to suppress every evil thought; not to desire to do anything out of self love, but to do everything out of love for God. + St. Innocent of Alaska

God loves us more than a father, mother, friend, or any else could love, and even more than we are able to love ourselves. + St. John Chrysostom

Candy Sale! Our Christmas candy sale is underway. Brochures are in the back of the church where the bulletins are. Last day to order candy is November 8th. Please support the candy sale as it subsidizes the ECF program and is a nice financial benefit to our parish. If you like candy, buy a lot! If you don't like candy, buy some anyway and give it as a nice gift. Thanks to everyone who is involved in the candy sale and thanks in advance for your support of this fundraiser. Last day to order is November 11!

Sunday, November 11- Saint Michael's Day Celebration: Come and enjoy the company of your fellow parishioners on our patronal feast. There is a signup sheet to

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of September 22 and 23	
Allentown	\$1004.00
Total Bills	\$300.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+704.00
Palmerton	\$136.00
Total Bills	\$0.00
Offerings Vs. Expenses	+\$136.00
Bills paid this week: Cleaning: \$300.00	
Palmerton: No Bills This Week	

bring food items in the vestibule. It's important that we spend time together as a parish family so please try to make time to attend.

Thanks for your generosity to Father Yuri's family! St. Michael's collected \$1043.00 and Saints Peter and Paul collected \$185.00. May God bless you for your generosity!

The Building Fund collected \$104.00 this week.

How the abbot Sisois taught a brother that the desire of vengeance separates a man from God.

There was a certain brother who had suffered an injury at the hands of another. Coming to the abbot Sisois, he explained the wrong which he had suffered, and then said, "My father, I

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- St. Ignatulus of Antioch --

desire to be avenged." The old man begged him to leave his avenging in the hands of God, but he persisted, saying, "I cannot rest until I have well avenged myself." Then Sisois said to him, "Since your mind is altogether made up with regard to this matter, I need not reason with you. Let us, however, pray together." Thus saying, he arose and began to pray in these words: "O God, Thou art no longer needful to us. We do not require Thy care of us. We ourselves are willing, yea, and are able to avenge ourselves." As soon as the brother, who had desired vengeance, heard these words, he fell at the old man's feet and begged for pardon. "As

for him with whom I was angry," he said, "I shall not in any way contend with him.