

*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,  
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, 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**

“If [the disease of sin] is natural, then it cannot be cured.  
Thus, it would remain always, no matter how hard you worked  
to rid yourself of it. If you accept this thought, you will lose  
heart, and say to yourself: this is how it is. For this is that  
woeful despair, which, once it has been introduced into  
people, they have given themselves over to lasciviousness, to  
work all uncleanness (Ephesians 4: 19). “I shall repeat again:  
Maintain the conviction that our disorderliness is not natural to  
us, and do not listen to those who say, ‘It is no use talking  
about it, because that is just how we are made, and you  
cannot do anything about it.’ That is not how we are made,  
and if we undertake to cure ourselves, then we will be able to  
do something about it.” + St. Theophan the Recluse

“Do not fall into despair because of stumbling. I do not mean  
that you should not feel contrition for them, but that you  
should not think them incurable. For it is more expedient to be  
bruised than dead. There is, indeed, a Healer for the man who  
has stumbled, even He Who on the Cross asked that mercy  
be shown to His crucifiers, He Who pardoned His murders  
while He hung on the Cross. ‘All manner of sin,’ He said, ‘and  
blasphemy shall be forgiven unto men,’ that is, through  
repentance.” St. Isaac of Syria

**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  
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.

**The Raffle is Here! Don’t forget to participate and support it!**



**Stewardship Appeal:** The annual eparchial  
stewardship appeal is ongoing. The goal for  
Palmerton is \$1000.00 and for Allentown  
\$10,000.00. Your contributions help to fund the  
proclamation of the Gospel through youth camps,  
World Youth Day subsidies, education of deacons  
and other programs. The parishes will receive a  
40% rebate if we make or exceed our goals. Thank  
you for your generosity in promoting the Gospel  
through your contributions to this appeal.

Today we welcome our new pastor, Father Stepan  
Dolepa! Father Stepan will be responsible for all  
pastoral matters such as Liturgies and sick calls. Father  
Hosak will be administrator of both parishes and will be  
responsible for financial matters. Please refer any  
questions or issues to Father Stepan who will relate  
them to Father Peter. Please welcome Father Stepan  
warmly! ***May God grant his priest servant Stepan,  
peace, health and happiness for many years!***

Please join us for refreshments after the  
Sunday Liturgy to welcome Father Stepan and  
say goodbye to Father Frank.

Sacrificial Giving for the Weekend of October 13 & 14	
Allentown	\$1011.35
Total Bills	\$2578.97
Offerings Vs. Expenses	<b>(-\$1567.62)</b>
Palmerton	\$-
Total Bills	\$-
Offerings Vs. Expenses	<b>\$-</b>
<b>Bills paid this week: Alarm Monitoring: \$540.00; Property Insurance; \$2000.00; Phone: \$38.97</b>	
<b>Palmerton: No Bills This Week</b>	

**Liturgical Schedule for  
The Week of October 21, 2018**

*Saturday April 28*  
*Vigil~22nd Sunday after Pentecost*

**4:00 PM [P]** Anna Samock by Mike Samock/  
Panachida for Frank Susanin

**Sunday October 21**  
**22nd Sunday after Pentecost**

**10:00 AM [A]** Health & Blessings for  
Father Stepan

**Saturday October 27**  
**Vigil~23rd Sunday after Pentecost**

**4:00 PM [P]** For the People

**Sunday October 28**  
**23rd Sunday after Pentecost**

**10:00 AM [A]** For the People

The readings for next Sunday are:  
Ephesians 2.4-10 and Luke 8:26-3

The Sunday readings for next week  
are: Acts 16:16-34 and  
John 9:1-38