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Gospel: Luke 16:19-31 October 20, 2019
Greatmartyr Artemius & child Artemy

Epistle: 2Cor.9:6-11

Schedule of Services

Sunday, October 20th, Obednitisa 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, October 26th, Great Vespers 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, October 27th, Obednitisa 8:00 a.m.

<u>Parish Festival & Car Show & Financial Report Meeting</u> was held this past Tuesday evening. The gross income came to a total of: \$36,355.78. The net income for the Church: \$26,800.00 and \$1,000.00 to St. Michael's Center. We thank everyone for your support!

<u>Multifamily Flea Market to be held on Saturday, October 26th</u>, from 7a.m. to 4p.m. at St. Michael' Center. You can purchase a table by contacting Rachel at 570-650-9934. Table rentals will go directly to St. Michael's Orthodox Church. \$20.00 per table. <u>Please join us!</u>

<u>St. Michael's Day Dinner</u> celebrating 110th Anniversary of our Church (1909 – 2019) will be held on Sunday, November 10 at 11:30 a.m. at St. Michael's Center. Please see Mary Mathena this morning for tickets \$12.00 adult. Children \$5.00 Menu: <u>Turkey Dinner Buffet with all the trimmings</u>, <u>Salad Bar</u> and desert.

<u>Choir Rehearsal</u> will be held this Tuesday, October 22nd, at 6:30 p.m. James Latimer will be directing. Please make every effort to attend!

A Solid Oak Hand Carved Processional Cross blessing has been rescheduled at a later date, following a Sunday Divine Liturgy in loving memory of Eleanor (Deak) Phillips), offered lovingly by Sister Sarah Jubinski.

St. Tikhon's Seminary 2019 Fall Lecture Series, "In Honor of the 50th Anniversary of the Autocephaly of the Orthodox Church in America." October 22nd, Archpriest Thomas Soroka; "Autocephaly & Mission" October 29th, Archpriest Alexander Rentel; "Autocephaly and the Canonical Tradition"

Speaking the Truth in Love: Addressing Contemporary Sexual Issues with the Resources of the Orthodox Tradition; November 7-9, held at St. Tikhon's Seminary & Monastery, with the blessing and guidance of His Eminence Michael Rector of St. Tikhon's Seminary & Archbishop of New York and New Jersey. Please save the date a full schedule with be forthcoming.

<u>Mountains</u>" on Saturday, November 23, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Center. It will cover the period between the Feast of Nativity and the Feast of Resurrection through photos and discussion. <u>A complimentary breakfast buffet will be served at 9:30 a.m.</u> The speaker will be Bonnie Burke, and will cover these questions: How did our ancestors survive the very long, very cold winter months in the Carpathian Mountains? How did they stay warm? What did they wear? What did they eat and how were the foods prepared? What were the social activities and how did they stay busy? <u>Please see Dorothy Allen if you plan on attending, there is no charge.</u>

Special Heat & Air Collection will be taken next Sunday during the second offering. Please use the special envelopes distributed this morning. We thank you in advance!

<u>Please remember in your prayers: Annabel Franchak</u> who is guest at the Wayne Woodlands Manor, in Waymart., Pa. <u>Peter & Helen Senio</u> who are guests at; The Gardens of Green Ridge, Rm. #101, 2751 Boulevard Ave, Scranton, Pa., <u>Marie Derkash</u> & <u>Ann Butler</u> are guests at the Oakwood Terrace, 400 Gleason Dr. Moosic, Pa. 18507 <u>Mary Slenska</u>, Allied Rehab, and <u>Irene Kiehart</u> is a guest at the Atria at Farmington, 111 Scott Swamp Rd, and Rm.14B Farmington, CT 06032.

<u>Sunday Hostesses: October 20</u>, Ruth Lasichak, JoAnn Lasichak, Charette Radionoff, <u>October 20</u>, Susan Schlasta, Helen Grancey, Vicky Kravetsky, <u>October 27</u>, Jean Malec Mary Ann Serafini, Theresa Krenitsky.

<u>Thought for the Day</u>: "The best and most beautiful things in this world cannot be seen or even heard, but must be felt with the heart." -Helen Keller