## St. Michael's Orthodox Church 308 Walnut St. Jermyn, Pennsylvania 18433

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& 360 virtual tour and 4-part welcome

Gospel: Matt.4:18-23

June 26, 2022, All Saints of America

Epistle: Rom.2:10-16

## **Schedule of Services**

Sunday, June 26, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

<u>Tuesday, June 28</u>, Great Vespers 4:00 p.m. (Eve of the Feast of SS Peter & Paul) **Wednesday, June 29**, Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. (Feast of SS Peter & Paul)

Saturday, July 2, Great Vespers 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 3, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

## St. Michael's Mandatory Raffle

<u>1<sup>st</sup>. Prize Winner</u>: \$250.00 – Danita Eggelton <u>2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winner</u>: \$100.00 Samuel Mosley <u>3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Winner</u>: \$50.00 Brian Franchak

<u>The Second Organizational Parish Festival Meeting</u> will be held this Wednesday, June 29 at 6:00 p.m. at St. Michael's Center. George Petorak and Serge Radionoff are the lay Co-chair of the Festival and Fr. John being the Clergy Co-Chair of the Festival. <u>The Parish Festival & Car Show will be held on the last full weekend of September.</u>

Please mark this date on your calendar and plan to attend!

<u>Coffee Hour for Sunday:</u> <u>June 26</u>, Ruth Lasichak & Roxanne Neutts, <u>July 3</u>, Vicky Kravetsky & Charette Radionoff <u>July 10</u>, Maryann Dubee & Susan Schlasta <u>July 17</u>, Millie Telep & Dorothy Allen <u>July 24</u>, Matushka Kathy & Matushka Dolores and **July 31** Ruth Lasichak & Roxanne Neutts.

<u>Perogi Making Project</u> will be held on Saturday,16 beginning at 8:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Center. Please come out and help, as we prepare to get seed money for our Parish Festival with the Perogi Sale, to be held on Friday, July 22, from 11-4 p.m. <u>Please mark these dates on your calendar of events.</u> All Parishioners will be asked to work in making this festival a great success.

<u>In order to meet our growing financial obligations</u>, we are asking all our parishioners, when not in Church to send in their weekly offering envelops. <u>We thank you in advance!</u>

<u>If your Church Dues are in arrears</u>, please make an effort to send them to the Church as we began the New Year. The Annual dues are <u>\$160.00</u> per year. Please call Gloria Shaw at 570-954-3905 to get your balance. <u>May our Lord</u> <u>Jesus Christ continue to bless you for many years!</u>

<u>The 20th All-American Council</u> is scheduled to take place took place Monday, July 18th - Friday, July 22nd 2022 in Baltimore, Maryland at the Hilton Baltimore Inner Harbor Hotel. "Becoming Vessels of Grace" is the theme of the Council. All of the Parishes of the Orthodox Church in America, Monasteries and Seminaries will be represented.

Please remember in your prayers; Alexander Wanas who is recuperating at home; 604 Scranton-Carbondale Highway, Childs, Pa. 18433. Please send him a get-well card. Irene Leschak who is home receiving rehab:.229 Lackawanna Ave, Jermyn, Pa. 18433. Peter Senio is a guest at The Gardens of Green Ridge, 2751 Boulevard Ave, Scranton, Pa. Please remember in your prayers; John Drutarosky, who is a patient at the Carbondale Nursing & Rehabilitation Center 10 Heart Place, Carbondale, Pa. 18407 Please send him a get-well card!

<u>Feast of SS Peter & Paul:</u> on a single day the memory of the sufferings of both these Apostles is celebrated, though they suffered on separate days, but by the spirit and the closeness of their suffering they constitute one. Peter went first, and Paul followed soon after him. Formerly called Saul, and then Paul, having transformed his pride into humility. His very name (Paulus), meaning "small, little, less," demonstrates this. What is the Apostle Paul after this? Ask him, and he himself gives answer to this: "I am," says he, "the least of the Apostles... but I have labored more abundantly than all of them: yet not I, but the grace of God, which was with me" (1 Cor.15:9-10). And so, brethren, celebrating now the memory of the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, remembering their venerable sufferings, we esteem their true faith and holy life, we esteem the innocence of their sufferings and pure confession

## **Troparion** — **Tone** 4

O first-enthroned of the Apostles, / and teachers of the universe, / intercede with the Master of all / to grant peace to the world, / and to our soul's' great mercy.