

St. Michael's Orthodox Church

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**Church Website: stmichaeljermyn.org
& 360 virtual tour and 4-part welcome**

Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

Sunday, November 28, Monk Martyr
Stephen, Martyr Irenarchus & seven
women martyrs.

Epistle: Eph.2:4-10

Schedule of Services

Sunday, November 28, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, December 4, Great Vespers 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 5, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

Annual Parish Meeting has been scheduled for next Sunday, December 5, following the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. Agenda will include our **Church budget for 2022, Election of Church Committee, & the future of St. Michael's Center.** **A vote will be taken on St. Michael's Center property.** Please plan to attend this extremely important meeting in the life of our Church. (3rd Reading)

Special Heat & Air Collection will be taken this morning. Please use the special basket designated for this end of the of the month offering. **We thank you in advance for your support!**

Thanksgiving Bread Sale was a huge success with over \$800.00 profit realized for St. Michael's Center. A Special thank you to all the volunteers who came out to help!

Perogi Project for Christmas will be held this Saturday, December 4, 8:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Center. Please come out and give us your stewardship of time and talent. **More information call Ruth Lasichak 876-1456**

Coffee Hour & hostesses: **November 28:** Matushka Kathy and Matushka Dolores., **December 5,** Ruth Lasichak and Roxanne Neutts, **December 12,** Vickey Kravetsky and Charette Radionoff, **December 19,** Maryann Dubee and Susan Schlasta.

A Special Thank You to Lydia Given for directing our Church choir this morning and offering her time and talent. **May our Lord continue to bless her for many years!**

The Advent - Pre-Nativity Fast began on November 15 until Friday, December 24. The Feast Day of Christmas will be held on Saturday, December 25 with the celebration of the 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy, & the singing of Christmas carols.

Christmas Poinsettias \$15.00 and \$20.00 are being accepted. \$10.00 for Christmas Candles. Please make an offering for your continued good health, or for the departed members of our family. **God bless you in advance for your donations.**

Christmas Flowers \$25.00 in memory of Alex & Elizabeth Hockin by families. **\$25.00 for Christmas candles** in their memory by their families. **Memory Eternal!**

\$100.00 donation in loving memory of Stephen Franchak, offered lovingly by Peter & Sarah Jubinski, **\$50.00** in loving memory of Steven Franchak, offered by Suzanne Serniak. **\$25.00** in memory of Ronald Sernak from Marie Sigman. **May their memory be eternal!**

Please remember in your prayers: Daniel Kitchura, 608 Washington Ave, Jermyn, Pa. 18433, who is home and recovering. **Please send him a "Get Well Card"**

Please remember in your prayers; Irene Leschak who is home receiving rehab: 229 Lackawanna Ave, Jermyn, Pa. 18433. **Helen Grancey** 102 Cleveland Dr. Jermyn, Pa. 18433 who is recuperating at home from surgery. **Please send them a "Get Well Card."**

Peter Senio is a guest at The Gardens of Green Ridge, 2751 Boulevard Ave, Scranton, Pa. **Please remember Peter in your prayers.**

If your Church Dues are in arrears, please make an effort to send them to the Church. The Annual dues are **\$160.00** per year. Please call Gloria Shaw at 570-954-3905 to get your balance.

Thought for the Day: "Conquer evil men by your gentle kindness, and make zealous men wonder at your goodness. Put the lover of legality to shame by your compassion. With the afflicted be afflicted in mind. Love all men, but keep distant from all men."

—*St. Isaac of Syria*

