

**St. Michael's Orthodox Church**  
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& 360 virtual tour and 4-part welcome

Gospel: Matt.19:16-26  
Epistle: 1Cor.15:1-11

September 4, 2022, Hieromartyr Babylas  
(Vavila), Holy Prophet Moses and Relics of  
St. Joasaph

**Schedule of Services**

**Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup>**, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

**Wednesday, September 7**, Great Vespers 4:00 p.m. Nativity of the Theotokos

**Thursday, September 8**, Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. Nativity of the Theotokos

**Saturday, September 10**, Great Vespers 4:00 p.m.

**Sunday, September 11**, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

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**Special Church Committee Meeting** will be held this Tuesday, September 6, at 5:45 p.m. **Please make every effort to attend!**

**Adult Education Weekly Class will be held on Wednesday, September 7, at 6:00 p.m.** We will explore the Feast of the Birth of the Theotokos and the beginning of the liturgical year. Following the presentation & the Q &A, we will be finalizing plans for our Festival and a group photo will be taken.,

**Wilkes-Barre Deanery Renewal** Retreat will be held on Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at the Holy Trinity Orthodox Church, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. **"Igniting the Flames of Renewal in your heart & in your parish"** Bill Marianes, our speaker, has inspired over 500 Orthodox parishes to discover and live their calling. **All Church Committee Members are expected to attend.**

**Perogi construction Project for our Festival** will be held on Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Center. **Please mark these important dates on your calendar of events and come out and help us!**

**The designated free-will basket** for our Annual Parish Festival & Car Show has been placed on the Tetrapod for the duration of August and September as seed money needed to get our Festival up & running. Our Festival will be held on Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 25.

**Coffee Hour for Sunday: September 4**, Ruth Lasichak & Roxanne Neutts, **September 11**, Vicky Kravetsky & Charrette Radionoff, **September 18**, Mary Ann Dubee & Susan Schlasta, **September 25** – Parish Festival

**Parish Festival: Donation List 2022** Venue Tents \$600.00, Advertisement see Fr. John, 6 cases of French Fries \$250.00, 10 Buckets of Potato Pancake Mix; \$40.00 per bucket, ~~Chicken Tenders, \$200.00, Pulled Pork donated.~~ ~~Hamburger Meat for Wimpies donated.~~ \$150.00, Oil for fryers \$150.00, Bottles of Water donated, Pepsi, & Diet Pepsi, Sprite, \$125.00, Hot Dogs/Sauerkraut \$75.00, Kielbasa for sandwiches donated. **Monetary Donations:** Kitchen Supplies (Aluminium Foil, Bags, Plastic Wrap, Paper towels, Containers) \$150.00 Ketchup/Mustard \$50.00, Paper products (Napkins, Paper Towels) \$100.00, Dish Detergent, Butter, Coffee/Creamers/Sugars/ \$100.00, All Bread Products (All Rolls, Rye Bread) \$150.00, Garbage Products (Bags) \$50.00, Plastic Utensils \$50.00. Mustard & Ketchup bottles, Napkins. **Please see George Petorak or Serge Radionoff and make your intention known. Please note, we will update the donation list weekly.**

**Parish Raffle (Seed Money) for Christmas in September Festival & Car Show** has been sent out. Please return the tickets ASAP. We need to establish seed money to get the Festival Up & Running. Five tickets were sent out to church members. 1<sup>st</sup> Prize \$1,000.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize \$500.00 & 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize \$250.00. **We thank you in advance for your support!**

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

**Theme Baskets for the Festival** are needed. Please contact Matushka Kathy this morning or during Coffee hour and let her know what you will be donating. **We have four Theme Baskets underneath the Church.** Please begin by bringing the Baskets to our Church basement next Sunday.

**Cookies and baked goods are needed for our Bakery Table.** Please begin baking and freezing your contribution to the Bakery Table. Please contact Gloria Shaw and Eva Demchak and let them know what you will be bring. **Baking Christmas cookies at St. Michael's Center will take place at a designated date and time in September.**

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

