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**Gospel: Matt. 9:1-8**  
**Epistle: Rom. 12:6-14**

**July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016**  
**St. Germanus Bishop of Auxerre**

**Schedule of Services**

**Sunday, July 31<sup>th</sup>**, Matins 8:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

**Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup>**, Great Vespers 6:30 p.m. (**Eve of the Feast of Transfiguration of Christ**) Blessing of Wheat, Wine and Oil.

**Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup>**, Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. (**Feast of the Transfiguration of Christ**) followed by the blessing of Grapes and Fresh Fruit. **Great Vespers 6:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup>**, Matins 8:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

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**The New Stained Glass Windows** – Lower-Level of new addition have been installed and they include: St. Stephen the Protomartyr, SS. Martha & Mary the sisters of Lazarus, and the Protomartyr George. Thank you to our donors: **Steve and Martha Myshak**, and may our Lord grant them many years!

**New Parish Web-site:** Take a 360 virtual tour of our Parish, St. Michael's Center, and Parish Cemetery. Please log in at [www.stmichaeljermyn.org](http://www.stmichaeljermyn.org). The beauty captured is beyond words. "Come and See."

**Protodeacon Gabriel Petorak** had to cancel his trip to the Ukraine, because of the untimely death of his traveling companion Bill Malos who passed away last Sunday. The money in the amount of \$700.00 was wired to St. Mary's Church in Dubranich by Western Union as well as the money collected for the poor family in the village in the amount of \$100.00. **May his memory be eternal!**

**Heat & Air Collection** will be taken this morning during the second offering. Please use the special envelopes. We thank you in advance for your support!

**The next Christmas in September Parish Festival Organizational Meeting** will be held this Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Our Annual Parish Festival will be held on Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup> will be the Classic Car Show. More information will be forthcoming as it develops. **A new Group Photo will be taken!**

**Christmas in September Raffle Tickets** have been sent out to all as a means of raising seed money for our Parish Festival. Please take time out this week and return them back to our Church. May our Lord Bless you for your good works and generosity.

**(Kundlas) BBQ Chicken, Ribs, & Pork Chops Dinner** will be held on Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at St. Michael's Center from 12 - 3 p.m. Take out only. This is a Fundraiser for seed money for our Christmas in September Parish Festival and Car Show. Please see Mary Mathena for tickets this morning.

**Theme Baskets for our Parish Festival** are being accepted underneath the Church. Please take time out and begin planning your theme basket and bring it to Church. We thank you in advance! **Last year we had over 110 theme baskets!**

**2016 Christmas in September Donation List:** Tent \$600.00, Children's Activities and Entertainment \$500.00, Advertisement - see Fr. John, Entertainment for Saturday Band \$300.00, Potato Pancake Mix \$45.00 per bucket (10 buckets), ~~5 cases of French Fries \$200.00~~, Propane for fryers \$150.00, Oil for fryers \$150.00, Monetary Donations: Kitchen Supplies \$150.00, Paper products \$150.00, Coffee/Creamers/Sugars/ \$100.00, All Bread Products \$150.00, Garbage Products (Bags) \$100.00. **For donations please see George Petorak.**

**June, 2016 Income: \$18,026.00; June Expense: \$14,219.94 (+\$3,806.06)**

**Please remember in your prayers: Olga Sviatko and Michael Klaptach** are guests at the Wayne Woodlands Manor, in Waymart. **Ann Butler** is a guest at Elm Croft Mid-Valley, 89 Sturges Rd., Peckville, PA 18452. **Ann Ferenchak is in the Rehab Center in the Carbondale Nursing Home, Rm. 406.**

**Hostesses:** Sunday, **July 31<sup>st</sup>**: Jean Malec, Barbara Nayduch, Ann Narcoonis; **August 7<sup>th</sup>**: Melanie Wanas, Marilyn Petorak, MaryAnn Serafini; **August 14<sup>th</sup>**: Karen Wanas, Matushka Dolores Petorak, Millie Telep; **August 21<sup>st</sup>**: Dorothy Allen, Debbie Bernosky, Ann Butler; **August 28<sup>th</sup>**: Eileen Brzuchalski, Maryann Dubee, and Kay Fedirko.

***"The Dormition Fast begins this Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup> and will end with the celebration of the Divine Liturgy on Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>."***