

# The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

## St. Michael the Archangel

1703 Jackson Street, Scranton, PA 18504

**17TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
SEPTEMBER 16, 2018**

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

Low Mass: 8:00am

High Mass: 10:15am

#### Weekdays

Mon - Thu: 7:45am

Friday: 6:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am

### MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 8:00AM 16TH 17TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, II  
*John Michael Sherrick –Kathleen Sherrick*

SUNDAY 10:15AM *Pro Populo*

MONDAY 7:45AM 17TH STIGMATA OF ST. FRANCES, IV  
*Colin Chidester –His parents*

TUESDAY 7:45AM 18TH ST. JOHN CUPERTINO, CONFESSOR, III  
*Sr. Marie Bernarde –Jenn Cilia*

WEDNESDAY 7:45AM 19TH EMBER WEDNESDAY, II  
*Doggett & Gristina Families –Jeff Doggett*

THURSDAY 7:45AM 20TH ST. EUSTACE & COMPANIONS, MARTYRS, IV  
*Amanda Coffin –Mr & Mrs Mecteau*

FRIDAY 6:00PM 21ST ST. MATTHEW, EVANGELIST, II  
*George Coffin –Amanda Coffin*

SATURDAY 9:00AM 22ND EMBER SATURDAY, II  
*+ Andrew Toth –Mr & Mrs DeAngelis*

SUNDAY 8:00AM 16TH 18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, II  
*+ Louis Guzek*

SUNDAY 10:15AM *Pro Populo*

### DEVOTIONS

#### Confession

45mins before Mass

#### Benediction

Fridays: 5:00pm

Saturday: 8:00am

#### Daily Rosary

Mon-Thu: After Mass

Fri -Sun: Before Mass

Office Hours: Monday 9am -3pm, Friday 9am -3pm, Saturday 10am -Noon



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**Mass Intention Book:** The Mass intention book is now closed.

**Feast of St. Michael the Archangel:** The patronal feast of the parish will be celebrated on Saturday 29th September with the High Mass at 9:00am following the usual holy hour from 8:00am. Afterwards parishioners are invited take pot luck in the hall. Please contact Mrs. Joyce Kiefer for details of what items to bring.

**Parish finances:** After many enquiries regarding the financial cost of securing a second priest for the parish of St. Michaels the pastor wishes to address the subject. The Diocesan Compensation rate for a Parochial Vicar is calculated as \$31,140/year. The total income of the Parish is on average \$182,000/year. The total expenditure is averaged as \$180,000/year. This expense includes a contribution to the FSSP of \$30,352/year for one priest (94% of the actual rate for a Pastor). If the parish is to receive a Parochial Vicar it is clear that the annual income must increase by at least \$30,000/year. This is equivalent to an additional \$625/week. With our parish census now completed the pastor can report that the number of adults members of St. Michaels is 161. To secure the necessary increase to allow the parish to afford a Parochial Vicar it would be necessary for every member to increase their contribution by \$4/week. Since it is not always possible for everyone to increase their contribution if you can increase your contribution by just \$20/month it might make all the difference.

**No Mass on Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th September at St. Michaels due to the absence of the Pastor. However Mass will be offered at FSSP HQ, 450 Venard Road, South Abington at 9:00am on those days.**

## Prayers to be added to Low Mass during the month of September

### From the Mass for any Necessity

*Show us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, in Thy Clemency, Thy ineffable mercy, that Thou mayest cleave us from all our sins, and deliver us from the punishments which they have deserved.*

### For necessities of the Church

*O God, our refuge and our strength, Who art the source of devotion, hearken to the devout prayers of Thy Church, and grant that what we ask in faith, we may obtain.*