

**St. Michael the Archangel Orthodox Church
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Sunday Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. – Weekdays Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

General Confession 1st Sunday of month

Private Confession every Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or upon request

Epistle: 1 Cor 9: 2-12

Gospel: Matt 18: 23-35

AUGUST 12, 2018

COFFEE HOUR: There is a Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy Christian fellowship.

PRAYERS FOR THE HEALTH: Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Pat Federonko, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Gregory Harvilla, Ann Telep, Judy Wadysz, Barbara Sapick, Paul Sapick, Chuck Ealovega, Mary Lusko, Jestin Spears, Jacob Ruppert, Barbara Lamendola, Kenneth Chambers, Mildred Cislo, John Vasilco, Anna Hagopian, Michael Kerrigan, Tamara Perri, George Krett, Sister Mary Hickey, and Gregory Patrick.

DORMITION FAST - The Orthodox faithful observe the Dormition Fast (Falling Asleep of the Virgin Mary). This two (2) week FAST started on Wednesday, August 1st, to and including Wednesday, August 15th. Please keep this fast to the best of your ability. Included in this fast period is the Holy Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

UPCOMING CHURCH SERVICES:

Sunday, August 12th – Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.
Followed by Blessing of Fruit

Tuesday, August 14th – Vespers for Holy Feast of Dormition 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 15th – Divine Liturgy - Holy Feast of Dormition 10:00 a.m.
(Falling Asleep of the Holy Theotokos)
Followed by Blessing of Flowers

Sunday, August 19th – Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.
Followed by Blessing of Flowers

Wednesday, August 29th – Holy Feast of Beheading of St. John the Baptist 10:00 a.m.
STRICT FAST!

NEXT CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING: is scheduled for Sunday, August 26th after Divine Liturgy and Coffee Hour.

YOUTH GROUP DONATION:

Kerrigan Family (in Honor of Pat Hermes 60th birthday for August 10th) \$60.00
May God Grant him Many Years!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION!

ST MICHAEL'S BOOK CLUB: Next scheduled meeting will take place on Saturday, August 25, 2018, at 1:00 p.m. in the Church Cultural Center. The book is The Midnight Plan of the Repo Man by W. Bruce Cameron. Everyone is invited.

FROM HOLY HUMOR:

On the wall of the men's room at a Kansas truck stop were scribbled the words:

“If God be for us, who can be against us?”

Scrawled beneath, someone had added: “The highway patrol!”

Msgr. Arthur Tonne, *Jokes Priests Can Tell*