



Saint Ann Maronite Catholic Church

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Thu – Fri : 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM | 1:00 – 4:00 PM

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday – 4:30 PM, Sunday – 10:00 AM

Thursday & Friday – 9:00 AM

Holy Days Of Obligation – 9:00 AM and 6:30 PM

CLERGY

Rev. Alaa Issa [Administrator]

Subdeacon Richard Thornton

CONTACTS

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| Parish office | (518) 272-6073 |
| Rev. Elias KHALIL (in Emergency) | (315) 580-2570 |
| Subdeacon Richard THORNTON, Sr | (518) 364-6645 |
| MCF: Subdeacon Richard THORNTON, Sr | (518) 364-6645 |
| Financial Committee: Mr. David Hannoush | (518) 272-6073 |
| Parish Council : Mr. Albert NAHAL | (518) 894-6011 |
| Organist: Brother Joshua ABATE, TOPSF | (518) 986-9222 |
| Daughters of St Ann: Mrs. Patti THORNTON | (518) 364-2645 |
| St. Maron's Men Society: Mr. Albert PATNODE | (518) 225-3335 |
| Lectors: Karen REZEY | |

BAPTISM & CHRISMATION: Preparation is required. We encourage this to begin at least one month before the Baptism.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements six (6) months in advance.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to our parish family. May you find spiritual nourishment among our community. Please be sure to register with our parish by calling the Parish House.

HOSPITAL VISITS, SICK CALLS & SHUT-INS: If someone is hospitalized, sick, in rest homes or unable to leave home, please let us know by calling the Parish House office.

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION: First & third Sunday of the month from 9:00 AM – 9:45 AM in the church hall.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 3:30-4:15 PM and by appointment.

DEVOTIONS: Eucharistic Adoration on the 1st Sunday at 9:00 AM. Rosary on the 3rd Sunday at 9:00 AM before the Divine Liturgy.



**Saturday
November 7, 2015
7 PM to 12 AM**

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BULLETIN Oct 31- Nov 1, 2015

READINGS Nov 1 - 8, 2015

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| Sunday | Consecration of the Church | |
| | Mt 16:13-20 | Heb 9:1-12 |
| Monday | Jn 17:1-8 | Heb 10:11-18 |
| Tuesday | Jn 17:9-13 | Heb 10:19-25 |
| Wednesday | Jn 17:14-19 | Heb 10:26-31 |
| Thursday | Jn 17:20-23 | Heb 10:32-39 |
| Friday | Jn 17:24-26 | Rom 5:12-16 |
| Saturday | Jn 15:15-21 | Rom 5:17-21 |
| Next Sunday | Renewal of the Church | |
| | Jn 10:22-42 | Heb 9:11-15 |

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

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| Sat | 31 Oct | 4:30 PM | For the living and deceased members of St. Ann |
| Sun | 01 Nov | 10 AM | For George YAMIN, <i>by John & Vicky Healy</i> |
| Sat | 07 Nov | 4:30 PM | |
| Sun | 08 Nov | 10 AM | For Gloria FLANNIGAN, <i>by Giova Cioffi</i> |
| Sat | 14 Nov | 4:30 PM | For Anna RICE, <i>by John & Vicky Healy</i> |
| Sun | 15 Nov | 10 AM | |
| Sat | 21 Nov | 4:30 PM | |
| Sun | 22 Nov | 10 AM | For Frieda KARRAT (30 th Anniversary) & James STOREY, <i>by Betty & Fred Karrat</i> |
| Sat | 28 Nov | 4:30 PM | For Anthony RICE, <i>by John & Vicky Healy</i> |
| Sun | 29 Nov | 10 AM | |

Please remember to submit your intentions for Divine Liturgies as early as possible.

MEMORIALS for the month of November

. **Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp** - In Memory of Peter, Rose & Anna Rose Rezey *by Mike & Karen Rezey*

. **Incense, Charcoal, Candles & Sanctuary Plants** - In Memory of Michael David Hannoush

Customary offering is \$15 per week or \$60 per month.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

for the week ending 18 Oct. 2015

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| First Collection | \$1041.00 |
| Fuel and Heat | 35.00 |
| Bishop's Appeal | 45.00 |
| World Missions | 143.00 |
| Total | \$1264.00 |

for the week ending 25 Oct. 2015

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| First Collection | \$2101.00 |
| Fuel and Heat | 75.00 |
| Bishop's Appeal | 228.00 |
| Total | \$2404.00 |

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

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| 01 Nov | Building Fund |
| 08 Nov | Fuel & Heat / Church Upkeep |
| 15 Nov | Assessment / Bishop's Appeal |
| 22 Nov | Charity Christmas Offering |
| 26 Nov | Thanksgiving |
| 29 Nov | Christmas Flowers |

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

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| Sun | 01 Nov | 9:00 AM | MCF / Eucharistic Adoration |
| Mon | 02 Nov | | All Souls' Day |
| Wed | 04 Nov | 6:30 PM | Parish Council |
| Sat | 07 Nov | 7:00 PM | Annual Hafli |
| Sun | 15 Nov | 9:00 AM | MCF / Rosary Prayer |
| Wed | 18 Nov | 6:30 PM | St Maron Men's Society Meeting |
| Thu | 19 Nov | 6:30 PM | Daughters of St. Ann Meeting |
| Thu | 26 Nov | | Thanksgiving |
| Sun | 29 Nov | 11:00AM | Monthly Breakfast |
| Wed | 02 Dec | 6:30 PM | Parish Council |
| Tue | 08 Dec | tba | Feast of the Immaculate Conception |

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE**Greeters & Intercessions Readers**

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| Sun | 01 Nov | 10:00AM | Patricia Thornton |
| Sun | 08 Nov | 10:00AM | Betty Karrat |
| Sun | 15 Nov | 10:00AM | Gerard Golden |
| Sun | 22 Nov | 10:00AM | Betty Karrat |

Lectors

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|-----|--------|---------|-----------------------------------|
| Sun | 01 Nov | 10:00AM | Mirvatte Hannoush / Greg Akiki |
| Sun | 08 Nov | 10:00AM | Mirvatte Hannoush / Carolyn Lalli |
| Sun | 15 Nov | 10:00AM | Rita Frangieh / Rosemary Patnode |
| Sun | 22 Nov | 10:00AM | Georgette Hannoush / Bob Stolar |

Hospitality

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| Sun | 01 Nov | Daughters of St. Ann |
| Sun | 08 Nov | Available |
| Sun | 15 Nov | A M Grady & J Brenenstuhl |
| Sun | 22 Nov | Karrat Family |

If unable to show up on the day assigned, it is your responsibility to switch with someone else.

POINTS OF INTEREST

Chorbishop John D. Faris. We thank Chorbishop Faris for his loving pastoral care of our community during his tenure as administrator of Saint Ann.

Father Elias Khalil. Bishop Gregory Mansour has appointed Father Elias Khalil as Administrator of Saint Sharbel Mission in Raleigh, North Carolina, effective 1 November. For various reasons, Father Elias will not go to Raleigh before 1 December.

Father Alaa Issa. The administrator of Mary, Mother of the Light, Tequesta, FL, has been appointed as the administrator of Saint Ann Church, replacing Chorbishop John Faris, and Parochial Vicar of Saint Louis Gonzaga Church on a part-time basis. This appointment is effective 1 November (with an arrival date of 1 December). We welcome Father Alaa with open arms!

Annual Hafli. Our 15th Annual Hafli will be held on Nov. 7 at the Italian American Community Center in Albany. Tickets are \$ 60 [Per Adults /Prepaid] \$ 65 [At The Door] and \$ 35 [Children Under 12]. For Reservations and Information please call Mr. Michel Boutros at (518) 961- 6338.

Congratulations. We congratulate Kristin Nicole HOTVET and her family on the occasion of her baptism on Saturday October 24. We welcome Kristin in our Christian family and we wish her a blessed and happy baptism.

MCF. Remember to bring your children to the Maronite Christian Formation this Sunday November 1 from 9 to 9.45 am.

Office closed. The office will be closed Oct. 27-31 while Fr. Elias visits his new parish in North Carolina.

All Saints Day Children's Party. November 1, after mass is our children's Halloween party. All children are invited to come to mass dressed as a saint. If you are in need of a saintly costume please contact Patty Thornton.

2016 Memorials. Memorials for the offerings used in the sanctuary are now available for a suggested donation of \$60 per month. You can arrange for your memorial by calling Fr. Elias during office hours.

2016 Liturgy Intentions. If you would like to offer a Divine Liturgy intention for your loved ones, call the parish office. In preparing your will, you may wish to arrange for the celebration of Divine Liturgies for yourself.

In Loving Memory of Abraham & Mary (Joseph) NACKLEY & daughters Mary, Catherine, Rose & EDITH

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| In Memory of the deceased members of The RICE & HEALY Families | In Memory of Michael-David HANNOUSH by his grandparents, Elias & Georgette |
| In Memory of The deceased members of The REZEY & NACKLEY, SEE & CLOUGH families | In Loving Memory of Our parents Claramae & Joseph KARAM requested by the KARAM family |
| In Loving Memory of Rose, Fr. Paul, Mike, Joe & Peter KORKEMAZ | In Memory of the deceased members of The TALARICO & DEEP Families |
| In Loving Memory of Dominic FARINA, Sr. requested by Edith FARINA & family | In Loving Memory of Dot RILEY & the deceased members of the RILEY, MANLEY & PETERSON families requested by Tom RILEY, Sr. |
| In Loving Memory of Joseph & Helen YAMIN JABOUR requested by Joe & Kathy JABOUR | In Memory of The deceased members of The TAMER & THORNTON families |
| In Loving Memory of Walter & Mary GOLDEN & the deceased members of the VOLKOMER & GOLDEN families | <i>for advertising info, Call the Parish office at: (518)- 272-6073</i> |



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