

# Saint Ann Maronite Catholic Church

*Opening of the Liturgical Year  
Renewal of the Church*



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# WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We are blessed by your presence. The Maronite Church is one of 21 Eastern Catholic Churches in full communion with Rome. The Maronite Church dates back to the early Christians of Antioch where "they were called Christians for the first time" (Acts 11:26)

### *Some differences you may notice*

- + The Entrance dialog and Consecration are in Syriac Aramaic, the language of Jesus, Mary and the Apostles.
  - + The Sign of Peace begins at the altar and is carried to the congregants by peace bearers.
  - + Communion is by intinction and on the tongue. There is no communion in the hand.
- We hope and pray your experience is spiritually enriching.

## QURBONO The Book of Offering

### THE STRUCTURE OF THE NEW MARONITE QURBONO

#### *The Structure of the Anaphora*

#### *Invitation to Communion*

At this point, all that is left for the celebrant to do is to invite the congregation to receive the Mysteries. He elevates the consecrated offerings and proclaims; "Holy things for the holy". The expression is crystal clear and very ancient, dating back to the *Didache* in the second century. The "holy" intended here are those who are sanctified by baptism. They are the true "Christians" who bear this name with truth and merit. The response to the invitation is also crystal clear because their holiness is but a reflection of the holiness of the Trinity over them: "One Holy Father, one Holy Son, one Holy Spirit...blessed be the name of the Lord..."

#### *Conclusion of the Rite of Preparation for Communion*

The rite of preparation for communion is concluded with a prayer: "Make us worthy, O Lord God, to sanctify..." This prayer previously was a silent prayer reserved to the celebrant alone. We desired it here to be a public prayer for the whole congregation, in order to incite all the faithful to approach Holy Communion.

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## The 2nd Annual Thanksgiving Lunch

Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>

2019 at 11:00 am

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**BULLETIN Nov 09 – 10 /2019**

Liturgical Schedule & Intentions				Readers & Greeter	Readings	Feast Day
<i>Please remember to submit your intentions for Divine Liturgies as early as possible</i>						
<b>Sat</b>	09 Nov	4:30 PM	<i>For the good health of the parishioners of St. Ann</i>		E: Rom 5:17-21 G: Jn 15:15-21	
<b>Sun</b>	10 Nov	10:00 AM	<i>In loving memory of William Leahy And In loving memory of Benjamin Scheipe by Beverly Traa.</i>	Greeter: Rosemary Patnode En: Davia Boutros Ar: Diana Hannoush	E: Heb 9:11-15 G: Jn 10:22-42	<i>St. Moura, C</i>

## Prayer of the Week

### Prayer For Strength Pope St. John XXIII

Every day I need you, Lord, but today especially,  
I need some extra strength  
to face whatever is to come.

This day, more than any other day,

I need to feel you near me to strengthen my

Courage and to overcome any fear.

By myself I cannot meet the challenge of the hour.

We are frail human creatures and we need a Higher

Power to sustain us in all that life may bring.

And so, dear Lord, hold my trembling hand.

Be with me, Lord, this day and stretch out your  
powerful arm to help me.

May your love be upon me as I place all my hope  
in you. Amen.

“So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be  
dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you  
and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous  
right hand” Isaiah 41:10

### Prayer Requests:

Our heavenly father asks us to “Pray for one  
another” (James 5:16) and we are happy to join  
you in praying for your specific need. A book has  
been placed on a desk at the top of the main  
staircase. Please write your intention and the date  
in the book, or email us at  
[stannmaronitechurch@gmail.com](mailto:stannmaronitechurch@gmail.com) “Pray to me,  
and I will listen to you” (Jeremiah 29; 12)

### UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS/ Save the Date

Sun	Nov 17	11:00 am	<b>Rel. Ed. with Brother Joshua and First Communion Class – Mrs. Lalli</b>
Fri	Nov 22	6:30 pm	<b>St. Charbel prayer</b>
Sun	Nov 24	11:00 am	<b>Thanksgiving Lunch by the Holy Family Society</b>
Sun	Dec 15	10:00 am	<b>Children’s Mass followed by Christmas Party</b>

### Hospitality

Sun	10 Nov	<i>Holy Family Society</i>
Sun	17 Nov	<i>Holy Family Society</i>
Sun	24 Nov	<i>Thanksgiving Luncheon</i>
Sun	01 Dec	<i>Holy Family Society</i>

*Your responsibility: provide all supplies, clean up afterwards and remove the garbage*

### MEMORIALS for the month of November 2019

#### *Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp*

*In Memory of Peter, Rose, Anna Rose and Joe Rezey*

*By Mrs & Mrs Michael & Karen Rezey*

#### *Incense, Charcoal, & Candles*

*In Memory of Michael David Hannoush*

*By Hannoush family*

### STEWARDSHIP

<i>Nov 02-03 / 2019</i>	<i>737.00</i>
<i>Fuel</i>	<i>60.00</i>
<i>Bishop’s Appeal</i>	<i>40.00</i>
<i>Patriarchal Charities</i>	<i>10.00</i>
<i>Funeral Donation</i>	<i>325.00</i>
<i>Memorial</i>	<i>240.00</i>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,412.00</b>

*We are grateful for your contributions Your financial support makes a difference*

### UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

10 Nov	Maronite Patriarchal Charities
17 Nov	Building and Ground Maintenance
24 Nov	Support for Bishop’s Appeal
01 Dec	Fuel & Heat

## Points of Interest

**Mass Intentions:** All mass intentions should be directed to the pastor either by **email** to stannmaronitechurch@gmail.com, **phone** (518) 272- 6073 please leave your name, phone number and message and I will call you back as soon as possible, or **personal communication** after the weekend liturgies.

The same process applies for annual mass intentions. Thank you for your understanding and assistance.

**Annual Hafli:** Our Hafli was a huge success. Many thanks to all of the women, men and children whose hard work made this Hafli such a great success. Our volunteers worked diligently to make this dinner a great event filled with joy, music and delicious food.

We are deeply grateful to the Daughters of St. Ann for their time and delicious Lebanese mezza, as well as to all of our generous donors and program sponsors. Thank you to everyone who joined us. Without you this event would not be possible. God bless all of you.

**Thanksgiving Luncheon:** Please Join the Holy Family Society for their 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon on Sunday, **November 24 at 11:00 am**. Adults: \$10 Children under 12: \$5. If you cannot join us please consider mailing your donation to St. Ann Maronite Catholic Church/ memo- Thanksgiving Luncheon, to the church address. All proceeds benefit The Holy Family Society / Children programs.

**Offerings 2020:** The offerings for the year 2020 are ready. If you would like to donated for Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp / Incense, Charcoal, & Candles please call the church office.

### Pastoral Instruction

+ **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 Father Alaa Issa.

+ **CONFESSIONS:** By appointment.

+ **DEVOTIONS:** Rosary on every Sunday at 9:00 AM before the Divine Liturgy.

## In Loving Memory of Abraham & Mary (Joseph) NACKLEY & daughters Mary, Catherine, Rose, Lena & Edith

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 Frieda & John Karrat Evelyn & Thomas Hakim
In Loving Memory of Rose, Nabih, Fr. Paul, Mike, Joe & Peter KORKEMAZ The KORKEMAZ Family	In Memory of the deceased members of The TALARICO & DEEP Families
In Loving Memory of Dominic & Edith FARINA requested by their Family	In Memory of the deceased members of the TAMER & THORNTON Families
In Loving Memory of Joseph & Helen YAMIN JABOUR. William & Marilyn MARVIN requested by Joe & Kathy JABOUR	Prayer for Life Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn child that I have spiritually adopted, who is in danger of abortion. Bishop Fulton J. SHEEN
In Loving Memory of Walter & Mary GOLDEN & the deceased members of the VOLKOMER & GOLDEN Families	In loving memory of James TRAA Requested by Beverly TRAA
In loving memory of Fr. Fared SALAMEH & the deceased members of the SALAMEH Family by SALAMEH Family	<i>Available</i>
In loving memory of Ted & Ellen DEEB Requested by Their family	<i>Available</i>
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