



Saint Ann

Maronite Catholic Church

6th Sunday of the Resurrection

Our Lady of Lebanon

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MARONITE LITURGY

The Sign of the Cross

The Sign of the Cross, gestures and words, is a declaration of faith in the Triune God: The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. And, when we use holy water with these words at the entrance of the church or at home, it is to remind us of our baptism, where the love of God has crowned us, and the grace of the Son has redeemed us, and the fellowship and indwelling of the Spirit has given us life. In a particular way, our baptism brought us into communion with the death of Jesus and His resurrection and gave us the ability to triumph over trials and to rise to new life. Through the expression of St. Paul "...you have taken off the old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed, for knowledge, in the image of its creator" (Colossians 3:9-10). All of this means that we are constantly living under the influence of the divine event consummated on the day of our baptism.

to be continued

BULLETIN Apr 30- May 1 /2016

Liturgical Schedule & Intention				Readers & Greeter	Readings	Feast day
Sat	30 Apr	4:30 PM	In loving memory of Anne Patti, by Rosalyn Hennessy		G: Mt 17:24-27 E: Phil 2:19-30	St. James, Son of Zebedee, Ap
Sun	01 May	10:00 AM	In loving memory of Ellen Deeb, by Evelyn Hakim and her daughter Barbara.	Greeter: Bob Stolar En: Gerard Golden Ar: Diana Hannoush	G: Lk 24:36-48 E: Rom 10:1-13	Jeremiah the Prophet, C
Thu	05 May	6:30 PM	In loving memory of Selman and Jamileh Frangie by John & Nezha Kaddo	Holy Day of Obligation	G: Mk 16:15-20 E: Acts 1:1-14	Ascension of Our Lord
Fri	06 May	12:00 PM	In loving memory of Selman and Jamileh Frangie by John & Nezha Kaddo		G: Jn 3:12-15 E: Phil 4:8-14	St. Dominic Savio, C

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

FINACIAL CORNER	
Saturday Apr 23 – 4:30 pm	281.00
Sunday Apr 24 – 10 am	587.00
Fuel Collection	20.00
Catholic Home Missions	94.00
Mother's Day	50.00
TOTAL	\$1,032.00

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS			
Sun	01 May	10 AM	May Crowning
Thu	05 May	6:30 PM	Ascension Thursday
Sat	07 May	Noon 4:30 PM	Reception of the Relics of St. Charbel Evening Prayer (<i>Ramsho</i>) & Adoration
Sun	08 May	10 AM	Procession with the relics & Divine Liturgy celebrated by Most Rev. Gregory Mansour & Bishop Edward Scharfenberger, followed by a reception in the Hall.
Sun	22 May	10 AM	First Communion
Sat	11 Jun	11 AM to 5 PM	Lebanese Food Festival Hudson Shores Park

Thank you! شكرًا
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UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS	
01 May	National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon
08 May	Air Conditioning
15 May	Bishop's Appeal
22 May	Catholic Communications Campaign

"Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap." (Luke 6: 38)

"I give thanks to my God always on your account for the grace of God bestowed on you in Christ Jesus, that in him you were enriched in every way, with all discourse and all knowledge. " (1 Corinthians 1:4- 5).

If you are traveling or unable to come to church, **please help us by sending a check or donating online.** Your support helps us to continue our mission.

Hospitality		
Sun	01 May	May Crowning
Sun	08 May	Reception for Bishop Gregory Mansour
Sun	15 May	Carolyn Lalli & Beverly Traa
Sun	22 May	First Communion

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

MEMORIALS for the month of May	
+ Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp	
For family and world peace, requested by Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Mastan	
+ Incense, Charcoal, Candles & Sanctuary Plants	
in loving memory of James Traa by his wife Beverly Traa	
Customary offering is \$60 per month.	

POINTS OF INTEREST

REMINDER. + Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp/ + Incense, Charcoal, Candles & Sanctuary Plants are available. For your donation please call or talk to Father Alaa.

Relics of St. Charbel. The relics of St. Charbel will be at St. Ann's on May 7 - 8. The relic which is coming is a Class I relic - taken from the body of Saint Charbel. Relics of Christian Saints fall into categories: the First Class Relic is the body or a portion of the body of a Saint (bone, flesh, or hair). These are considered so precious that they are rarely entrusted to individuals, and are placed in Faith Communities.

If you would like a keepsake of your visit, you can purchase a rosary in the Church and touch it to the Blessed Relic when you approach the altar. There will also be Holy cards and Blessed oil & incense available, for a small donation.

Visit of Bishops Gregory Mansour & Edward Scharfenberger. On Sunday, May 8, His Excellency Bishop Gregory Mansour will be celebrating the Divine Liturgy followed by a procession with the Relics of St. Charbel and blessing with sacred oil. Bishop Edward Scharfenberger, of the RC Diocese of Albany, will be celebrating with Bishop Mansour. After the liturgy, the church will remain open for adoration of the relics.

There will be an opportunity to meet and visit with both bishops in the Church Hall following the Liturgy. Anyone who wishes to help with preparations for the gathering should call Georgette Hannoush at 489-1606.

Eparchy of St. Maron 50 Years: Join Bishop Mansour for the Eparchy's Golden Anniversary. Tuesday, May 3 at the NY Athletic Club. Check www.stmaron.org for more details. The dinner is expected to sell out quickly.

Food Festival. Volunteers are needed for our annual festival to be held on June 11. Please contact Betty Karrat 518-225-6277.

+ **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 at (561) 273-5867.

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

In Loving Memory of Abraham & Mary (Joseph) NACKLEY & daughters Mary, Catherine, Rose & 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 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	In Loving Memory of James TRAA Requested by his wife Beverly Traa and the Family



*Be merciful, just
as your Father is
merciful. (Luke 6: 36)*

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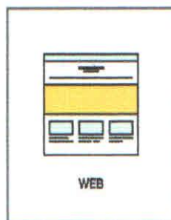
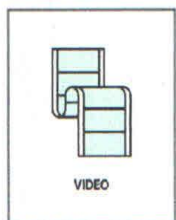
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