



Saint Ann Maronite Catholic Church

Season of Glorious Pentecost

*10th Sunday of Pentecost – **Feast of St. Charbel***

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MARONITE LITURGY

Symbols in the Divine Liturgy

The Liturgy, as an effort towards salvation which extends across ritual actions and mystical signs, is full of symbols. These guide us to matters beyond the visible. The Liturgy makes use of symbols to lead to the truth that is not seen and to enable those who are of one faith to connect with each other.

The Liturgy par excellence is the Sacrifice of the Mass called the Divine Liturgy. It consists of two parts: The Liturgy of the instructive Word, and the *Qurbono*, or Liturgy of the Eucharist. Its structure comprises expressions and symbols all of which are connected to the person of Jesus Christ, the Trinity and the plan of salvation. The symbol and the expression are external signs which point to that which is symbolized, and through it, the community of believers is transported from the physical to the spiritual and from the tangible to the reality of the kingdom of God.

Before delving into its spiritual, theological and ecclesial concepts and dimensions, we should, for the sake of an efficacious and active participation, explain its Eucharistic components, symbols and expressions. This will deepen our understanding of the liturgical celebration making it more fruitful.

... to be continued

BULLETIN July 16 - 17 /2016

Liturgical Schedule & Intention				Readers & Greeter	Readings	Feast day
Sat	16	4:30	For the donors of Catholic Extension		G: Mt 23:1-12 E: Acts 20:17-24, 28, 32, 35	Scapular of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
Sun	17	10:00	Lena Joseph – 40 Day Mass by the family & the Daughters of St. Ann In loving memory of Rita Scharg by Rolla Mooney	Greeter: Karen Rezey En: Rosemary Patnode Ar: Georgette Hannoush	G: Mt 12:22-32 E: 1 Cor 12:1-11	St. Marina, C
Thu	21	12:00	For the donors of Catholic Extension		G: Lk 12:1-5 E: Acts 21:40-22:10	
Fri	22	12:00	For the donors of Catholic Extension		G: Lk 12:6-9 E: Acts 22:17-29	St. Nohra, M St. Mary Magdalene, C

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

FINACIAL CORNER	
Jul 9 & 10 / 2016	
First Collection	1181.00
Grounds Maintenance	186.00
Air Conditioning	25.00
Assessment	50.00
Memorials	100.00
TOTAL	\$1,542.00

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UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS			
Tue	26 Jul	6:30 PM	Feast of St. Ann, preceded by the novena.
Sat	27 Aug	8:00 AM	Trip to Yankee Stadium
Sun	11 Sep	11 AM - 5 PM	Parish Picnic

	Hospitality	
Sun	17 Jul	Daughters of St. Ann – 40 Day Mass
Sun	24 Jul	Available
Sun	31 Jul	Available
Sun	07 Aug	Available

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

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS	
17 Jul	Bishop's Appeal
24 Jul	Parish Programs
31 Jul	Support for Assessment
07 Aug	Air Conditioning

"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 consider sending a check or donating online.** Your support helps us to continue our mission.

MEMORIALS for the month of June	
+ Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp	
In loving memory of Michael David Hannoush requested by the Hannoush Family	
+ Incense, Charcoal, & Candles	
For the health of the Michael Rezey Family requested by Michael and Karen Rezey	
Customary offering is \$60 per month.	

The most deadly poison of our times is indifference. And this happens, although the praise of God should know no limits. Let us strive to praise Him to the greatest extent of our powers.

St. Maximilian Kolbe

Points of Interest

REMINDER. + Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp/ + Incense, Charcoal & Candles are available. For your donation/ Please call or speak with Father Alaa.

Our Lady of Lebanon Shrine: Annual pilgrimage – Save the Dates! Sunday Aug. 14 to Tuesday Aug. 16. Plan to join us this year. Double room \$195. For reservations, call Maureen Lewis at 315-735-7891.



Bus Trip to Yankee Stadium: August 27th to attend the New York Yankees v/s Baltimore Orioles game. Bring your glove! Seats are in rows 8 to 12, field level – the home run section. The bus leaves St. Ann at 8:00 am. The cost is \$150 per person. For more info, contact Mike Rezey at 339-9468.

50 Year Celebration: Join Bishop Gregory Mansour and the entire community at a celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the presence of a Maronite Bishop in the US. Friday, October 7, Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral of our Lady of Lebanon. Banquet follows at 8:00 pm at the NY Marriott at Brooklyn Bridge. Lodging is available at the Marriott. Details to follow.

Summer is Here: Vacations are necessary for reviving our spirit & bodies. Some of you may be traveling out of the country or just out of town. While you are enjoying this time away, remember your parish commitment. Expenses do not take a vacation. Bills still need to be paid. During the summer, the collection tends to drop, so please remember to make up your weekly contribution and have a safe and restful summer. God bless you for your generosity.

Congratulations!: Michael & Karen Rezey on the birth of their granddaughter Rosalynn .. and .. Clayton & Carol Shufelt on the birth of their grandson Braxton Michael Reed.

+ **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:** 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 Claramae
& Joseph KARAM
requested by the
KARAM Family

In Loving Memory of
Rose, Fr. Paul, Mike, Joe
& Peter
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In Memory of the
deceased members of
The TALARICO &
DEEP Families

In Loving Memory of
Dominic FARINA, Sr.
requested by Edith
FARINA & Family

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Dot RILEY & the deceased
members of the RILEY,
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Families requested by
Tom RILEY, Sr.

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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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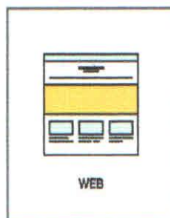
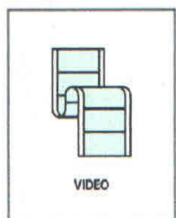
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