



Saint Ann Maronite Catholic Church

Opening of the Liturgical Year Renewal of the Church

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Holy Valley- Lebanon
By Mikayla Boutors

MARONITE HISTORY

The Maronite College in Rome

Perhaps one of the most important results of the Papal legations to Lebanon in 1578 and 1580 was the founding of the Maronite College in Rome. Patriarch Michael el-Ruzzi had asked Pope Pius V in 1568 to establish a house in Rome as a school for Maronite students to learn theology so that on their return they would better serve the Maronites. However, at first, students were not sent. The two students who came in 1579 were put in the school for Neophytes in Rome. Four more students came in 1581 and joined the others. Eight more were sent in 1583, and four came from Aleppo in 1584. On February 9, 1582, Pope Gregory XIII erected a guest house in Rome for the Maronites and set aside 200 ducats as a pension for its support. In 1584, at the urging of Cardinal Caraffa, Pope Gregory XIII converted the guest house into the Maronite College, exclusively for Maronite seminarians and for the priest faculty that would care for them. Later that year Pope Gregory XIII added to the yearly income of the College, as did Pope Sixtus V. Cardinal Caraffa left his entire fortune to the College.

The impact and importance of the Maronite College cannot be underestimated. Students of the College were responsible for the spreading of knowledge in Europe about the East including its language, history, religions and institutions. From the College were graduated scholars whose works have been precious aids to European Orientalists. Besides returning to their country with many elements of Western culture, the Maronite alumni were of benefit to their compatriots by starting a renewal of intellectual activity in Lebanon. This movement reached its fullness with Patriarch Stephen Douaihi and the Assemanis. From Rome many alumni were attracted to France at the beginning of the 17th century and introduced Oriental studies there, thus spreading knowledge about Eastern Churches and cultures....

To be continued....



Join us for Children's Mass
& Harvest Brunch
by The Holy Family Society
November 19th 2017

BULLETIN Nov 11 - 12 /2017

Liturgical Schedule & Intentions				Readers & Greeter	Readings	Feast day
Sat	11 Nov	4:30 PM	For the donors of catholic Extension Society		E: Rom 5:17 -21 G: Jn 15:15-21	St. Mennas, M St. Martin, C
Sun	12 Nov	10:00 AM	In loving memory of Badoui Hanna Wakim by Wadih & Rita Frangieh & the family	Greeter: Patricia Thornton En: Betty Karrat Ar: Rita Frangieh	E: Heb 9:11-15 G: Jn 10:22-42	
Thu	16 Nov	12:00 PM	For the donors of catholic Extension Society		E: Heb 9:24-28 G: Jn 10:17-21	St. Matthew the Evangelist, Ap
Fri	17 Nov	12:00 PM	For the donors of catholic Extension Society		E: Heb 10:1-10 G: Mk 2:18-22	St. Gregory the Wonderworker, C

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

FINANCIAL CORNER

Oct 28 & 29 / 2017	564.00
Nov 04 & 05 / 2017	1,273.00
Fuel & Heat	156.00
Assessment	5.00
Bishop's Appeal	35.00
Parish Programs	10.00
Snow Removal	78.00
Patriarchal Charities	20.00
Missions	10.00
All Saints	25.00
Donation	1,000.00
TOTAL	\$3,176.00
Annual HAFLI	\$15,396.00

Thank you! شكرًا

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UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

12 Nov	Maronite Patriarchal Charities
19 Nov	Building & Grounds Maintenance
26 Nov	Snow Removal
03 Dec	Fuel & Heat

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

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS/ Save the Date

Sun	19 Nov	11:00 am	Religious Education & Children's Mass and Harvest Brunch
Sun	03 Dec	11:00 am	Religious Education
Wed	06 Dec	6:30 pm	Parish Council
Sun	10 Dec	11:00 pm	Christmas Party

Hospitality

Sun	12 Nov	Available
Sun	19 Nov	Harvest Brunch
Sun	26 Nov	Monthly Breakfast
Sun	03 Dec	Available

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

MEMORIALS for the month of November

Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp

In loving memory of Michael David Hannoush
by the Hannoush Family



Incense, Charcoal, & Candles

In loving memory of Sarkis & Foutine Frangie

By Pascal & Patricia & Petra Frangie

Customary offering is \$60 per month.



"Keep moving forward and you'll make it.

You are never too old to start something new."

Mikayla Boutros

Points of Interest

Hafli: Saturday, November 4, 2017

Thank you to everyone who pitched in and made this year's event the most successful one ever. Kudos to Michel Boutros and Georgette Hannoush who chaired the Hafli.

To those who chopped parsley, roasted eggplant, whipped hummus, cut bread, ran errands, marketed to the media, volunteered their precious time and financially supported the Hafli, a grateful "Thank you!"

The glittery evening provided guests with a fun escape and an opportunity to reconnect with friends and family. Proceeds benefit St. Ann's Maronite Catholic Church.

Holy Land Tour: All inclusive pilgrimage including meals, comfortable accommodations, modern bus transfers, professional tour guides and round trip airfare. This is an exclusive, small group that will be heading to the Holy Land from April 27 – May 7, 2018. This inaugural tour is limited to only 50 people. The all inclusive price is \$3900 pp. A deposit of \$1000 will secure your spot. Deposit must be made by Dec. 10, 2017 (made to Heart of Jesus Church). Contact Ferial Youakim (954) 328-2732 or ferial@byferial.com for more information. Sponsored by Heart of Jesus Catholic Church, Maronite Rite, in Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Religious Education: First Communion classes continue on Sunday, Nov. 19, immediately following Divine Liturgy. Please ensure children are present at Mass and Religious Education. Our topic will be Original Sin.

Children's Mass & Harvest Brunch: Sunday, Nov. 19, 2017

Please bring your children and grandchildren to a very special Children's Mass, followed by a Harvest Brunch, offered by the Holy Family Society. We look forward to seeing them on that day.

+ 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.

+ 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

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Rose, Fr. Paul, Mike, Joe &
Peter
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Families

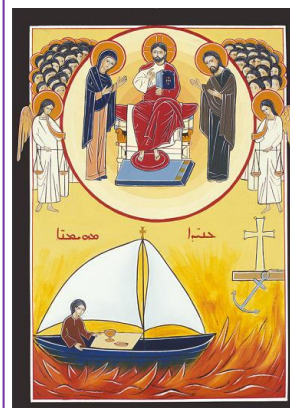
In Loving Memory of
Dominic & Edith FARINA
requested by their Family

In Loving Memory of
Joseph & Helen YAMIN
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requested by Joe & Kathy
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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



O God, May the dead
who rest in your hope
enter into the
happiness of your
saints. With them may
we rejoice eternally in
your sight and give
you glory and honor,
now and forever.

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