

Saint Ann Maronite Catholic Church

Season of the Holy Cross

6th Sunday after Exaltation of the Cross



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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

The Fraction, Consignation, Intinction, Commixture, and Elevation

This rite is complicated, yet complete. Through symbolic action, it embodies all that preceded, particularly the death and resurrection of the Lord. In the narrative of the eucharistic institution, the Church remembers the Last Supper of the Lord, His passion and saving death. With grief, she sings the story of His passion. She remembers His resurrection, especially when invoking the Holy Spirit. She turns her eyes to the resurrection, for it is the Holy Spirit who raised the Lord Jesus from the dead. He is the living Spirit who provides life; thus the invocation of the Holy Spirit is a new resurrection achieved through a new Pentecost. All the above is symbolically embodied by the celebrant in the rite of fraction, consignation, intinction, commixture and elevation: the bread placed on the paten has become the Body of the Lord, and the wine in the cup, His blood. The Body and Blood, separated on the paten and in the cup, symbolize the death of the Lord and His passion. Likewise, the fraction [breaking] of the bread symbolizes the death of the Lord and His passion. The consignation of the Body and Blood symbolizes their unification accomplished by the Lord, through His death and resurrection, between His divinity and our humanity. The celebrant, in the concluding prayer, states this when he says:

"You have united, O Lord, your divinity with our humanity..."

Lastly, the celebrant takes the broken bread, the living Body of the Lord, and places it on the paten, above the cup of the living Blood. He then elevates them, symbolizing by this elevation the resurrection, ascension, and glorification of the Lord. This rite takes place before communion, in preparation for the community to participate in the life-giving Eucharist. The Eucharist revitalizes the congregation; it brings a new life to and makes it an active and living congregation, witnessing to the living and risen Christ who is forever glorified.

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18th Annual Hafli



Lebanese Dinner Sat, Nov 2, 2019

BULLETIN Oct 19 – 20 /2019

Liturgical Schedule & Intentions <i>Please remember to submit your intentions for Divine Liturgies as early as possible</i>				Readers & Greeter	Readings	Feast Day
Sat	12 Oct	4:30 PM	<i>For the sick.</i>		E: 1 Cor 4:14-21 G: Mt 22:1-14	<i>St. Aaron of Antioch, M</i>
Sun	13 Oct	10:00 AM	<i>In loving memory of Elias BouDiwan & John ElKoury by Jad Elkhoury & Georgtte Kerbaj.</i>	Greeter: Betty Karrat En: Mikayla Boutros Ar: Georgette Hannoush	E: Gal 6:1-10 G: Mt 25:14-30	<i>St. Shallita Artemius, M</i>

Prayer of the Week

Prayer for Vocations

LORD of the Harvest,

BLESS young people with the gift of courage to respond to your call.
Open their hearts to great ideals, to great things.

INSPIRE all of your disciples to mutual love and giving—
for vocations blossom in the good soil of faithful people.

INSTILL those in religious life, parish ministries, and families with the confidence and grace to invite others to embrace the bold and noble path of a life consecrated to you.

UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and sacrament, so that we may cooperate with you in building your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace. Amen.

— Pope Francis

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 “Pray to me, and I will listen to you” (Jeremiah 29: 12)

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS/ Save the Date

Sun	Oct 20	11 am	Religious Education – Br. Joshua and Mrs. Lalli
Tue	Oct 22	6:30 pm	St Charbel Evening Prayer
Sat	Nov 2	7 pm	Annual Hafli
Sun	Nov 24	11:00 am	Thanksgiving Lunch by the Holy Family Society
Sun	Dec 15	10:00 am	Children’s Mass followed by Christmas Party

Hospitality

Sun	20 Oct	Holy Family Society
Sun	27 Oct	Monthly Breakfast
Sun	03 Nov	Available
Sun	10 Nov	Holy Family Society

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

MEMORIALS for the month of October 2019

Altar Bread, Wine & Sanctuary Lamp

*In memory of Donald & Edith Patnode & Son Vincent.
By Patnode family*

Incense, Charcoal, & Candles

*In Memory of Abraham, Mary Joseph- Nackley & Daughters Mary, Catherine, Rose, Lena & Edith.
By Patnode family*

STEWARDSHIP

Sep 28-29 / 2019	839.00
Oct 05-06 / 2019	786.00
Oct 12-13 / 2019	1057.00
Fuel	135.00
Grounds Maintenance	20.00
Bishop’s Appeal	35.00
Parish Programs	205.00
World Mission, Patriarch, Thanksgiving	15.00
Assessment	95.00
Memorials	240.00
Pancake Breakfast	130.00
TOTAL	\$3,557.00

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

20 Oct	World Mission Sunday
27 Oct	Snow Removal
03 Nov	Fuel & Heat
10 Nov	Maronite Patriarchal Charities

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: the 18th Annual Hafli (Lebanese Dinner) will be held on **Saturday, Nov. 2 at the Italian American Community Center in Albany**. You, along with your family and friends, are what make this event so successful. To better showcase our supporters, we are producing an Evening Program Book. Please consider promoting your business, honoring the memory of a loved one, or showing your support for our community by sponsoring our Hafli. Your help is needed to keep the doors of our church open. the weekly income from collections and donations is helpful but is not enough to maintain our church and pay the bills. It is the time to show your love to this small church with big heart. Please do not wait call the office for your reservation and for Sponsorship.

Thanksgiving Luncheon: Please Join the Holy Family Society for their 2nd 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 of 2020 are ready if you 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 Fr. Fared SALAMEH & the deceased members of the SALAMEH Family by SALAMEH Family	In loving memory of James TRAA Requested by Beverly TRAA
In loving memory of Ted & Ellen DEEB Requested by Their family	<i>Available</i>
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