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Saint Sharbel Maronite Church

Sunday of the Faithful Departed



CLERGY
 Father Simon El Hajj,
 Pastor
 Deacon Joe Chebli

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:
 Tuesday through Thursday
 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
 No office hours on Fridays.

LITURGY:
 Saturdays: 5:00 PM
 Sundays: 11:00 AM
 Web: saintsharbelnj.org
 yamarsharbel@gmail.com
 Church number:
 (732) 828-2055
 Priest phone:
 (412) 973-1763

CONFESSIONS:
 Sunday: 10:15 am to 10:50 am
 (before mass)
 Saturday: 4:15 pm to 4:50 pm
 (before mass)
 Also Available by Appointment

BAPTISMS:
 Please Call The Parish Rectory
 (non-parishioners sponsors
 must
 provide a certificate from their
 Catholic church)

MARRIAGES:
 Please Notify The Pastor
 At Least 6 Months Ahead of
 Time

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
 CLASS**
 October through May -
 Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:45 pm

Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 16,19-31.
 'There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames." But Abraham said, "Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us." He said, "Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house for I have five brothers that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment." Abraham replied, "They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them."

He said, "No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent." He said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."

إنجيل القديس لوقا 31-19:16
 قَالَ الرَّبُّ يَسُوعُ: «كَانَ رَجُلٌ غَنِيٌّ يَلْبَسُ الْأَرْجُوَانَ وَالكَتَّانَ النَّاعِمَ، وَيَتَنَعَّمُ كُلَّ يَوْمٍ بِأَفْخَرِ الْوَلَائِمِ. وَكَانَ رَجُلٌ مَسْكِينٌ أَسْمُهُ لَعَازَرُ مَطْرُوحًا عِنْدَ بَابِهِ، تَكْسُوهُ الْفُرُوحُ. وَكَانَ يَشْتَهِي أَنْ يَشْبَعَ مِنَ الْفُقَاتِ الْمَتَسَاقِطِ مِنْ مَائِدَةِ الْغَنِيِّ، غَيْرَ أَنْ الْكِلَابَ كَانَتْ تَأْتِي فَتَلْحَسُ فُرُوحَهُ. وَمَاتَ الْمَسْكِينُ فَحَمَلَتْهُ الْمَلَائِكَةُ إِلَى جِصْنِ إِبْرَاهِيمِ. ثُمَّ مَاتَ الْغَنِيُّ وَدُفِنَ. وَرَفَعَ الْغَنِيُّ عَيْنَيْهِ، وَهُوَ فِي الْجَحِيمِ يُقَاسِي الْعَذَابَ، فَرَأَى إِبْرَاهِيمَ مِنْ بَعِيدٍ، وَلَعَازَرَ فِي جِصْنِهِ. فَنَادَى وَقَالَ: يَا أَبَتَ إِبْرَاهِيمِ، إِزْحَمْنِي وَأَرْسِلْ لَعَازَرَ لِيَبْسُلَ طَرْفَ إِصْبَعِهِ بِمَاءٍ وَيُبْرِدَ لِسَانِي، لِأَنِّي مُتَوَجِّعٌ فِي هَذَا اللَّوْهِيْبِ. فَقَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ: يَا ابْنِي، تَذَكَّرْ أَنَّكَ نَلْتَ خَيْرَاتِكَ فِي حَيَاتِكَ، وَلَعَازَرُ نَالَ الْبَلَاءِ. وَالآنَ هُوَ يَتَعَزَّى هُنَا، وَأَنْتَ تَتَوَجَّعُ. وَمَعَ هَذَا كُلِّهِ، فَإِنَّ بَيْنَنَا وَبَيْنَكُمْ هُوَّةٌ عَظِيمَةٌ ثَابِتَةٌ، حَتَّى إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يُرِيدُونَ أَنْ يَجْتَازُوا مِنْ هُنَا إِلَيْكُمْ لَا يَسْتَطِيعُونَ، وَلَا مِنْ هُنَاكَ أَنْ يَعْبُرُوا إِلَيْنَا. فَقَالَ الْغَنِيُّ: أَسْأَلُكَ إِذَا، يَا أَبَتَ، أَنْ تُرْسِلَ لَعَازَرَ إِلَى بَيْتِ أَبِي، فَإِنَّ لِي خَمْسَةَ إِخْوَةٍ، لِيَشْهَدَ لَهُمْ، كَيْ لَا يَأْتُوا هُمْ أَيْضًا إِلَى مَكَانِ الْعَذَابِ هَذَا. فَقَالَ إِبْرَاهِيمُ: عِنْدَهُمْ مُوسَى وَالْأَنْبِيَاءُ، فَلْيَسْمَعُوا لَهُمْ. فَقَالَ: لَا، يَا أَبَتَ إِبْرَاهِيمِ، وَلَكِنْ إِذَا مَضَى إِلَيْهِمْ وَاحِدٌ مِنَ الْأَمْوَاتِ يَتُوبُونَ. فَقَالَ لَهُ إِبْرَاهِيمُ: إِنَّ كَانُوا لَا يَسْمَعُونَ لِمُوسَى وَالْأَنْبِيَاءِ، فَأَيْتَهُمْ، وَلَوْ قَامَ وَاحِدٌ مِنَ الْأَمْوَاتِ، لَنْ يَفْتَنُوا!».»

*****Sunday of the faithful Departed*****

Saturday, February 23 - 5:00 PM-
In memory of Sleiman Hajjar (40 Day Mass)
Req by the family
Sunday, February 24 -11:00 AM-
In memory of Samir Najib Baroud
Req by Wajdee & Fadi Baroud and their families

*****Sunday of the entrance into Lent*****

Saturday, March 2 - 5:00 PM-
In memory of Maroun, Saidi, & Angele Azar
Req by Mr. Khalil Azar & families.
Sunday, March 3 -11:00 AM-
Available

Ash Monday

Our Lent season begins Monday March 4.
Ashes will be distributed during the Divine liturgy
at 7:00 PM.

Remember

Ash Monday is a fasting and abstinence day.

*****Healing of the Leper*****

Saturday, March 9 - 5:00 PM-
Available
Sunday, March 10 -11:00 AM-
Available

****Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman****

Saturday, March 16 - 5:00 PM-
Available
Sunday, March 17-11:00 AM-
Available

*****The Prodigal Son*****

Saturday, March 23 - 5:00 PM-
Available
Sunday, March 24-11:00 AM-
Available

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday of the faithful departed
1 Thes 5:1-11/ Lk 16:19-31

Sunday of the entrance into Lent
Rom 14: 14-23/ Jn 2:1-11

Healing of the Leper
Rom 6: 12-23/ Mk 1:35-45

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman
2 Cor 7: 4-11/ Lk 8:40-56

Th Prodigal Son
2 Cor 13: 5-13/ Lk 15:11-32

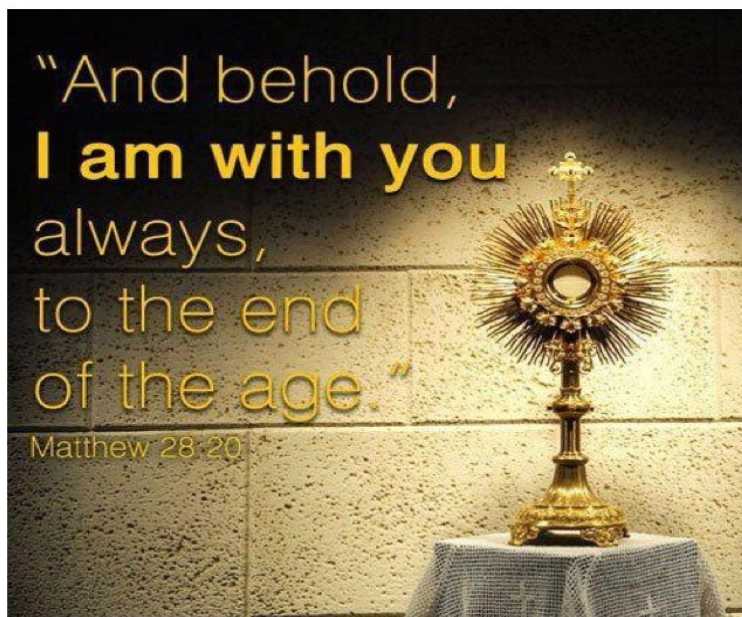


Weekly Collection: Saturday & Sunday
February 2-3, 2019 - **2,027.00**

Total Weekly Collection and assessments of 2019
\$24,730

Donation In Memory of ...

Candles, Hosts, and wine are donated in Memory of a
Azar & Baradhi deceased for the month of February,
2019.



**Eucharistic adoration takes place
in the Church every First
Thursday for ONE HOUR from 7:00
PM to 8:00 PM**

Arabic Classes	Joumana/Samira
Immaculate Conception SODALITY	Gretta Attal
Accountant	Rita Guirguis
Knights of Saint Sharbel	Charbel Ojeil
PARISH ORGANIST	Roukos Jacob
MYO/PIONEERS	Joyce/ Tony/ Grace
Religious Education/MCF	Deacon Joe Chebli
Knights of Mary	Samia Sassine
Choir	Nassif Maroun
MYA	Rawad Abi Mansour

Knaffeh Sale

Ladies Sodality thanks everyone for their generosity
Income sale: \$1,748.00
Expense sale: \$329.00
Net income: \$1,419.00

List of the activities in March

Falafal Sale

Ladies Sodality are having a falafel sale on the weekend
of

March 8 after Stations of the cross,

March 9 after Mass

March 10 after Mass

Fish Sale dinner

Fish sale dinner are offered by Maroun family on

Saturday March 16 after Mass

Foul & Hommos Sale

Knights of St Sharbel are having a Lebanese style dinner,
foul, balila, hommos & Tawle tournament on

Saturday March 23 after Mass

Sunday March 24 after Mass

Talent show

Pioneers of Mary are hosting a talent show for all
parishioners including dinner on

Saturday March 30 at 6:30 PM

Stations and Adoration of the Cross

The services will take place every Friday during the
lent season beginning Friday March 8 at 7:00 PM.

Bible Study

The church is offering Scriptural enlightenment and
enrichment during the lent season.
March 6 at 7:00 PM (English) "The Prodigal Son"
March 13 at 7:00 PM (Arabic) "الإبن الضال"

Knights of Mary

Motto: Think of others

All children Grade 3 to 7 are invited to meet

When: Friday March 1, 2019 at 6:30 PM

Where: in the church hall.

Knights of Mary organization will help your children to



- mature in human life through the interaction with others,
- develop their personalities;
- Help deepen their faith through living and sharing with others;
- Form them as disciples of Jesus Christ in their society by helping others.

MYO/Pioneers of Mary

**All youths Grades 8-12 are
invited to a meeting**

When: Saturday March 9, 2019 at 6:00 PM

Where: in the Church Hall.

MYA Meeting

All young adults between the ages 18 & 35 are
invited to a meeting

When: Saturday March 9, 2019 at 8:00 PM

Where: in the church hall.

Immaculate Conception Meeting

All ladies are invited to ladies sodality meeting

When: Friday March 8, 2019 at 8:00 PM

Where: in the church hall.

All ladies are encouraged to attend to learn
more about their faith and socialize.

Knights of Saint Sharbel Meeting

All men are invited to a men's group meeting

When: Saturday March 23, 2019 at 6:00 PM

Where: in the church hall.

All men are encouraged to attend to learn more
about their faith and socialize.