

Maronite Synaxarion

Sunday, July 10
8:30am

Msgr. Bill by Subdeacon Paul and Gena Boulos
Ray Hanna by Our Lady of the Cedars Caregivers
Leo, Sr. (23rd anniv. Of death) and Josie Michael by
Barbara and Larry Taylor

11:00am

Adiby Hamad-Forty day liturgy جناز الاربعين by the Hamad
Family
Nabhia Tannous Silfani and Nabih and Mouna Silfani by The
Silfani Family
Antoine, Leila and Marie Therese Ghorayeb by the
Ghorayeb Family

The Massabki Brothers,
Martyrs

Monday, July 11
No Service

St. Benedict

Tuesday, July 12
No Service

St. Rofina, St. Seconda, and
St. Suzanna, Martyrs

Wednesday, July 13
Rosary led by Deacon Tom at 6:00pm

St. Innocent I, Pope.
Joel, the Prophet

Thursday, July 14
No Service

St. Bonaventure,
Doctor of the Church

Friday, July 15
No Service

St. Kyriakos, and his
Mother Yolitta, Martyrs.

Saturday, July 16
10:00am Divine Liturgy

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Sunday, July 17
8:30am

David Massoud by Deacon Bob and Barbara Foster
Dale Johnson by Subdeacon Paul and Gena Boulos
Adiby Hamad by Sandy Hamad

11:00am

Adiby Hamad by Deacon Tom and Bernie Maroon
Mona Nemer (1 year anniversary) by Noha Nemer
Josephine Hadley by Patti Jo Staeger

St. Marina, the Nun of
Qannoubine

Please don't forget to offer intentions for your Loved ones; living or deceased.

We believe in the power of the Eucharist.

(If possible, please indicate which Sunday liturgy time you would prefer)



Welcome New Parishioners
Please register at our parish office

DIVINE LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday	8:30am. & 11:00am
Monday	No Service
Tuesday	6:00pm
Wednesday	6:00pm
Thursday	No Service
Friday	6:00pm
Saturday	10:00am

CONFESSION

Available following Saturday
Divine Liturgy
or by appointment

SACRAMENTS

Baptism & Chrismation
Contact the Parish Office

Marriage
Contact the Parish Office at least
6 months before the wedding

Sick Calls & Anointing
Notify Parish Office or Call
Deacon Thomas Maroon

DEACON Thomas Maroon, Sr.
(330) 239-3634

DEACON Bob Foster (Retired)

SUBDEACON Paul Boulos

CAREGIVERS Chuck Abraham
(330) 256-5201

www.Ourladyofthecedarschurch.org

Banquet. Hall / Caterer:
Tangier's – Angelica George
(330) 418-4778

Contact Fr. Ronald directly
(330) 509-0098.

Contact Fr. Eid via email, calling, or
text message. If you receive
voicemail, he will return your call

Our Lady of the Cedars of Mount Lebanon

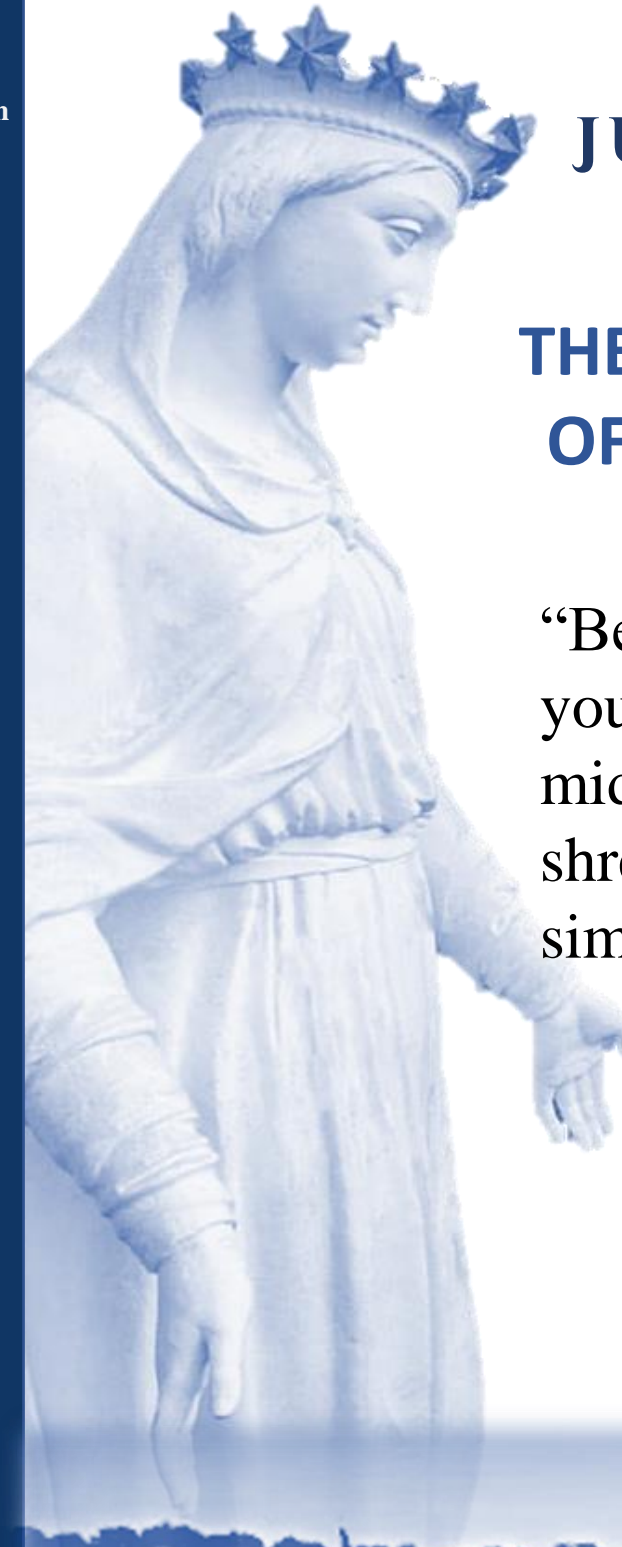
MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS TUESDAY – FRIDAY 9:00AM – 1:00PM



JULY 10, 2022

**THE SIXTH WEEK
OF PENTECOST**

“Behold, I am sending
you like sheep in the
midst of wolves; so be
shrewd as serpents and
simple as doves.”

Matthew 10:16

507 SOUTH CLEVELAND-MASSILLON ROAD, FAIRLAWN, OHIO 44333

READINGS

THIS SUNDAY

1 Corinthians 12:12-13, 27-30
Matthew 10:16-25

EPISTLE READERS

Sunday, July 10

8:30am Chuck Abraham 11:00am Sara Sabbagh

Sunday, July 17

8:30am Paul Boulos 11:00am Mike Kelley

Sunday, July 24

8:30am Tom Jesser, Jr. 11:00am George Zogbi

Sunday, July 31

8:30am Cheryl Christ 11:00am Monique Binkley

Sunday, August 7

8:30am Chris Abraham 11:00am John Jesser

Coming Events

Parish Advisory Board Meeting –
Sunday, July 10 9:45-10:45

Ladies' Guild Meeting - TBA

Men's Club Meeting - TBA

Caregivers' Meeting - July 17

Next First Friday Mass and
Adoration will be held on
Friday, September 2, 2022

Counting our Blessings

Weekly Collection

July 3, 2022 \$2,410.00

Electronic Giving

If you would like to make your Sunday
contributions, or give a donation please scan
the QR Code below:



**Festival Banners 2ft. x 3ft.
for \$200.00.**

**Put any advertisement you
would like on it.**

**Please contact Roger
Hamad for details.
(330) 338-9719**

6th Sunday of Pentecost Matthew 10:16-25

One of Matthew's great characteristics was his love of orderly arrangement. It was Matthew's custom to collect in one place all the material on any given subject, even if it was spoken by Jesus on different occasions. Matthew was the systematizer of his material. For example, in the sermon of the mountain at the beginning of his Gospel he gave the summary of the doctrine of Jesus and at the end of his Gospel, again on a mountain he gave the last commandments of Jesus. This passage is one of the instances where Matthew collects his material from different times and places. Here he collects the things which Jesus said on various occasions about persecution.

No one can read this passage of the Gospel of St. Matthew without being deeply impressed with the honesty of Jesus with us, his followers. He never hesitated to tell people who love him what they might expect if they followed him. It is as if he said: "Here is my task for you, do you accept it?" This is not the world's way to win adherents. The World will offer people roses all the way, comfort, easy advancement and the fulfillment of their ambitions. Jesus offered his followers hardship and death and yet the proof of history was that Jesus was right. In their heart of hearts, people love a call to adventure. During the Second World War, the British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, offered his country: "Blood, toil, sweat and tears."

Christ offered his disciples three kinds of trials:

First, the state would persecute them. They would be brought before councils, kings, and governors.

Second, the Church would persecute them. They would be scourged in the Synagogues. The Christians were and are those who turn the world up-side-down. (Act. 17:6) It has often been true that those with a message from God had to undergo the hatred and the enmity of their brothers in faith.

Third, the family would persecute them. Their nearest and dearest friends would think them as crazy and mad. Sometimes the Christian is confronted with the choice between obedience to Christ and obedience to family.

Finally, Christ had shown us by his crucifixion and death that glory and salvation must go through suffering and death. If the grain of wheat doesn't die it does not produce fruits. Trials, persecutions, suffering, reinforce our bonds to Christ and prepare our entrance into eternity.

No one can have a vision of God with a mortal body. "Who will separate me from this mortal body?" said St. Paul.

Our body has to undergo cleansing, purification in fire, metamorphosis, in order to see God face to face.

Some prophets used to run like crazy in the street crying and shouting: "Woe to me, I saw God and I am going to die". A death is not an end. It is the gate for eternal entrance. Suffering is most of the time a sign, or a mark of the closeness of God to us.

Amen



Our Lady of the Cedars of Mount Lebanon
MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH
MEN'S CLUB

In The Hopper Raffle

Congratulations!
to our

JUNE 2022
\$100 WINNERS

Kevin and Becca Hadley
John Jesser
Hadley Rose Morton

all tickets are entered again next month for another
chance to win
Good Luck!

Remember the \$50.00 TICKET is entered into the raffle
EVERY MONTH FOR 12 MONTHS

That means every month for one year you will have a chance to win \$100 and you will have only
purchased a \$50 ticket ONE TIME for 12 chances to win

We will pull 3 winners every month and all names are
re-entered for the next month

Ask a Men's Club member to purchase a ticket!

Please consider donating to our raffle baskets for the Lebanese Food Fair! If you own a business, we would appreciate you offering your products and services to our baskets! If you would like to donate, please only include new things (tags still on) - we will also accept any experiences, vouchers, gift cards, etc! Baskets for the raffle will also be accepted. Please drop off any donations at the Church. Direct any questions to Michelle Sahlani, Nancy Sahlani, and Violette Shamatta or to ladyofthecedars.fundraising@gmail.com
Thank You!

Our Lady of the Cedars of Mount Lebanon
MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH
MEN'S CLUB

In The Hopper Raffle

We are 3 Months Into Our Monthly Raffle
And we have given away nearly
\$1000

There are still 9 drawings to go and tickets are available

For a \$50 Ticket...

- 1.) You are assigned a lucky number
- 2.) Your name is entered into the raffle
- 3.) Whether you win or lose YOU AUTOMATICALLY are entered again the next month for another chance to win

Every month there are 3 winners each receiving \$100



Ask a Men's Club member to purchase a ticket

Our Lady of Mount Carmel



O most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein that you are my Mother.

O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succor me in this my necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. O show me herein that you are my Mother.

O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us that have recourse to thee. *(Repeat three times)*

Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands. *(Repeat three times)*

Amen.



Lebanese Festival

AUG. 5TH & 6TH

OUR LADY OF THE CEDARS

507 S. CLEVELAND-MASSILLON RD - FAIRLAWN

KA'AK BAKING DAY...

We are making ka'ak on Tuesday July 12th beginning at 9:30a.m. in the church hall. We need rollers, dippers, baggers and more! There is plenty to do and many hands make light work. So please come if you are able, any amount of time would be appreciated.

As always, thank you for all you do for the church,
Mary Beth