

# THE PARISH OF Saint Maron

LITURGIES

## Weekdays

- 8:30 a.m. Tuesdays & Thursdays
- 7:00 p.m. Wednesday following with Holy Hour
- No Liturgy on Mondays (Except Holy Days)
- Fridays at noon; no liturgies on legal holidays

## Weekends

- Saturday evening at 4:30 p.m.
- Sunday morning at 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

## CONFESSION

Every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. • Wednesdays 8:00 p.m.  
Sundays 30 mins. before Liturgy, or by appointment

## COMMUNION CALLS FOR SHUT-INS

Conducted weekly. Please contact the Parish office to arrange for special visits.

## HOSPITAL CALLS

If someone is in the hospital, please call the Parish office.

**Maronite Center:** 330-792-7671

**Antonine Sisters:** 330-538-2567

**Adult Daycare:** 330-538-9822

**Music Director:** Micky Hafely 330-272-7557

**Pastor:** Rev. Tony Massad

**Deacon:** William George

**Subdeacons:** James Essad, Albert Dohar

**Director of Religious Education:**

Sr. Samia Abou-Shakra

## PRAYER LINE

Please call the office with names of family and friends in need of our prayers.

## MYSTERIES OF INITIATION (BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION)

Arrangements for these Mysteries must be preceded by instructional classes for parents and sponsors. (One sponsor must be an active Catholic and both sponsors must be 18 years or older.) It is desirable that classes be taken when a couple learns of pregnancy. Sponsorship forms are required for sponsors. Contact Fr. Tony Massad for instructions.

## MARRIAGES

The couple themselves should contact the Parish office at least **six months** in advance.

## FUNERAL LITURGY AND PRAYER SERVICES

*Have the funeral director contact the Parish Office directly.* Pastor must be consulted to set times for Prayer Service and Funeral Liturgies. The regular Parish Liturgy will be cancelled on the day of the funeral, on weekdays only.

## MARONITE CATHOLIC FORMATION (MCF)

From September to May

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# DIVINE LITURGIES



We pray the Rosary in church every Saturday at 4:10 pm and before weekday liturgies at 8:10 am on Tuesday and Thursday and at 11:40 am on Friday.  
We also pray the Rosary every Wednesday at 6:15 pm in the church and on Facebook.

**SAT 28 SEP / 3RD SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Chariton**

- + Repose of **Jane Vigorito** by Emilee Chahine
- + Repose of **Joseph A. Warino** by Mike & Georgia Dohar

**SUN 29 SEP / 3RD SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS**

**St. Romanos (Cyriacus), known as Rouhanna the Cantor**

**8:30 AM**

- + Repose of **Bill & Sadie Lewis Family** by Mark & Anne-Marie Luchansky
- + Repose of **Betty Joyce** by Julie & Jeffrey Palusak

**11:00 AM**

- + Repose of **Kamil, Rock & Tony Awaida, and prayer for the Health of Rony Awaida and his family** by Laure Awaida
- + Repose of the **Deceased members of Gerges Sadek & Family** by Clara Nawfal
- + Repose of **Dr. Elias Saadi** by Dr. & Mrs. Mounir Awad

**MON 30 SEP / St. Gregory the Illuminator**

**NO LITURGY**

**TUE 01 OCT / 8:30 AM / St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Doctor of the Church**

- + Repose of **Albert Dohar** by Sue Nakley

**WED 02 OCT / 7:00 PM / Sts. Cyprian and Justina**

- + Repose of **The Holy Souls in Purgatory** by John Abbas, Jr.

**THU 03 OCT / 8:30 AM / St. Dionysius the Areopagite, St. Mother Théodore Guérin**

- + Repose of **Jake Rezek** by Aleda Bukovinsky †

**FRI 04 OCT / EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - 11:00 AM**

**DIVINE LITURGY - 12:00 PM / St. Francis of Assisi**

- + Repose of **Paul Limongi** by Yvonne Marzano

**SAT 05 OCT / 4TH SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Paul the Simple**

**Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos**

- + 5<sup>th</sup> year Anniversary of **Jeanne Essad** by Michael Essad, Sr.
- + Repose of **Joe & Rose Hanna** by Nina Hanna
- + Repose of **Joe Bukovinsky & Richard Beshara** on their birthday by JoAnn & Larry Stephan

**SUN 06 OCT / 4TH SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Thomas the Apostle**

**8:30 AM**

- + Repose of **Nabeh J. & Frances E. Rouhana** by Family
- + In prayer for the **Health of the Joseph & Elizabeth Manser Family** by Liz Manser

**11:00 AM**

- + Repose of **Joe Elias Daniel** by Louis & Daniella Bassil and Family
- + Repose of **Elias Abi Nakhle** by Clara Nawfal

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Dan 7:9-14; Phil 3:17-4:1;  
Mt 24:23-31



**Lectors - Sep. 28 & 29**

**Saturday**

**4:30 pm:** Madeline Clarke  
/ Patti Machuga

**Sunday**

**8:30 am:** Vince Talley  
/ Brian Godsen

**11:00 am:** Joe Simon  
/ Alex Simon

## NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Gen 41:38-44; 1 Thes 5:1-11;  
Mt 24:45-51



**Lectors - Oct. 5 & 6**

**Saturday**

**4:30 pm:** Carol Essad  
/ Mike Dohar

**Sunday**

**8:30 am:** Anne-Marie Luchansky  
/ Beverly Mike-Nard

**11:00 am:** Zach Zidian  
/ MCF (3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade)

## ALTAR SERVERS

**THIS WEEK - Sep. 28 & 29**

**Sat. - 4:30 pm** Volunteers  
**Sun. - 8:30 am** Ryan / Volunteer  
**11:00 am** Charbel / Christa



**NEXT WEEK - Oct. 5 & 6**

**Sat. - 4:30 pm** Volunteers  
**Sun. - 8:30 am** Ryan / Volunteer  
**11:00 am** Alivia / Charbel

## Ushers:

**Sat:** Michael Essad, Bill Alexander, Buddy Rezek and volunteers, please  
**Sun:** John Farris and Volunteers, please



*Please pray for -*

the following people who have died  
in the past years, Oct. 5 - 11

George Nassif, Belinda Joseph,  
Rose Barak, Kalim Hayek,  
Nemtallah Hayek, Ciceban Mike Anton,  
Fahime Abraham, John c. Bishara,  
Mary Dohar, Mary George Kerola,  
Mary Abood, Catherine Nakley,  
William "Bill" George, George Zagorsky,  
Willie L. Lewis, Margie Layshock



*Remember in your prayers*

**SHUT-INS AT HOME:**

Marie Eckenrode, Liz Manser,  
Alice Rohan, Vail Rohan,  
Frank Santisi, Jr.

## CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

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Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/saintmaronyo>



For emergencies,  
please contact:  
Fr. Tony Massad at (810) 691-7055



**SANCTUARY CANDLES - SEPTEMBER**

In Loving Memory of **Nabeh & Frances Rouhana** by Family  
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**ALTAR WINE - SEPTEMBER**

In Loving Memory of **Nabeh & Frances Rouhana** by Family

**ALTAR BREAD - SEPTEMBER**

In Loving Memory of **Nabeh & Frances Rouhana** by Family

**Happy Birthday!**

- Sep 29 Yvonne Marzano, Jeremy Yardas
- Sep 30 Julie Dohar, Edward Saadi, Michael Sardich, Michele TouVelle
- Oct 01 Dany Bassil, James Rohan, Alex Stephan, Stephen Thomas, Anthony Vross, Jr.
- Oct 02 David TouVelle, William Yardas
- Oct 03 Anna Choufani, Emma Choufani, Karlina Estephan, Dennis Judy, Darren Machuga
- Oct 04 Thomas Banna, Beverly Saadey



**Happy Anniversary!**

- Sep 28 Robert & Roxanne Molnar - 16 Years  
Jeffrey & Julie Palusak - 27 Years
- Sep 30 Michel & Laura ElZighondy - 24 Years
- Oct 02 Thomas & Chelsie Rohan - 3 Years
- Oct 04 David & Michele TouVelle - 44 Years



We extend our deepest sympathies to the family of **Lloyd Yazbek**, husband of Linda (Bishara), father of Jennifer and Elizabeth, who passed into eternal life on Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. May God grant repose to his soul and give comfort to his family.

St. Maron Church, Youngstown has received a memorial contribution of \$ 10,000 in memory of Lloyd Yazbek from Dr. Jon Saadey.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

Join Us and Save Lives... Every Drop Counts...  
 St. Maron Church, Youngstown and the American Red Cross are hosting a blood Drive on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 2 pm, at the Maronite Center.



**ORDER OF ST. SHARBEL**

Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> is designated "Order of Saint Sharbel Sunday" in the Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon of Los Angeles. We will have a special brief on the Order that day. The Order of Saint Sharbel is vitally important in providing financial and spiritual support for educating our seminarians, who are crucial for the future of our Maronite Church. Please prayerfully consider joining the Order or donating to this worthy endeavor. You may enroll online at [www.orderstsharbel.org](http://www.orderstsharbel.org) or ask Father Tony for more information.



**JOB OFFER**

Asphalt Surface Enterprises, In. is looking for full-time general laborers. Some travel is required. Please contact Gabrielle at (330) 286-3517, if interested.



Weekly Financial Report	9/22/24
Offertory Collection (80 envelopes used of 288)	\$8,150.00
Candles	\$107.00
Online Offerings (6 envelopes)	\$275.00

**Thank you for your generous donations!**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- MYO Meeting** - Sunday, Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:15-8 pm (MYO Lounge)
- MYA Meeting** - Friday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>, 7-10 pm (Rec area)
- Blood Drive Donation** - Saturday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>, 9 am to 2 pm (Maronite Center)
- Saint Barbara's Party** - Saturday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>, 11 am to 1 pm (Antioch Hall)
- Education Foundation Dinner & Reverse Raffle** - Sat., Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6 pm
- 50th Anniversary Celebration** - Saturday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>, at 6 pm

**ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED**

If your child had their first communion, is active in MCF Classes, and want to serve on the altar, please contact Lisa Judy at 330-770-9490 or email at [lisajudy20@gmail.com](mailto:lisajudy20@gmail.com).



**SAINT BARBARA'S 2024 PARTY**

All kids ages 4-11, are up for a great party, celebrating St. Barbara, on Saturday October 26<sup>th</sup>, at the Antioch Hall. Kids under 4 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Costumes, Games, Candy, delicious lunch and lots of fun. Registrations are available online at [Saint Barbara's 2024](http://SaintBarbaras2024.com) or by contacting the parish office at 330-792-2371. Registration fee is \$5.00 per child.



**EDUCATION FOUNDATION DINNER**



The St. Maron Education Foundation **Dinner & Reverse Raffle** will be held on Saturday, **Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>** at The Maronite Center at 6 pm. You can purchase your tickets after liturgies on Saturdays and Sundays.

*"This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and celebrate!"*  
 Psalm 118:24

Join us on **Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>** for a night of celebration, and thanks to God for 50 years of priestly service for three faithful stewards working in the vineyard of the Lord: **Chorbishop Michael Kail, Fr. Anthony Salim, Fr. Joseph P. Amar**

We will enjoy an evening of great food, good friends, and fellowship after celebrating Divine Liturgy at 4:30 PM with **Bishop A. Elias Zaidan and Bishop Gregory Mansour**. Dinner will be held at 6 PM at the Maronite Center. Seats are \$20 for adults (13 & older), \$10 for kids (7-12 years) and free for children (6 & under). Reservations are online at [tiny.cc/50th](http://tiny.cc/50th)

**Maronite Youth Organization (MYO)**

Our Youth Group had an amazing experience, last Sunday. It was an evening filled with laughter, learning, and building incredible connections. The MYO will meet again on Sunday October 13<sup>th</sup>, at 5:15 pm. Special thanks to Kalyn Sharrow and Rhona Moussa-Farah. Our youth will be having an all day retreat on Saturday November 2<sup>nd</sup> in Cleveland, OH. Also, don't forget to register for the MYOLYMPICS retreat (February 21<sup>st</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup>) (youth ages 12-18) Registration is online at [MYOLYMPICS](http://MYOLYMPICS.com).



Congratulations to **Lillian Sandra Thomas**, daughter of Stephen Thomas and Lindsay Hellman, who celebrated her baptism in St. Maron Church on Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. May God continue to bless her, along with her family, as she continues her faith journey.



**St. Maron Annual Wine Taste**  
**Havana Nights**  
**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Saturday, January 18, 2025**



# Saint Barbara's Party

*Put on a costume and come have fun*

**Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>  
11:00 AM to 01:00 PM**

**St Maron Church  
Antioch Hall**

**Ages 4 to 11**

**GAMES – COSTUMES**

**FOOD**

**Reservations Required**

Entrance fee is **\$5.00 per child** and due upon reservation

**Kindly fill this form and return it to the Church's Office before Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Children #1 Name & Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Children #2 Name & Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Children #3 Name & Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Children #4 Name & Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Children #5 Name & Age: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note any food allergies**







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MARONITE YOUNG ADULTS

# SAVE THE DATES

OCTOBER **FRI**  
**18** 7-10 PM **BARBECUE FUN  
& AX THROWING**

NOVEMBER **SUN**  
**24** 5-8 PM **FRIENDSGIVING  
& GAME NIGHT**

DECEMBER **FRI**  
**20** 7-10 PM **CHRISTMAS  
NOVENA & PARTY**







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# MYO

12-18 YEARS OLD

SAVE  
THE  
DATES

**OCTOBER**

**13 SUN**

5.15-8PM

WHO ARE YOU?

**NOVEMBER**

**2 SAT**

10AM-9:30PM

TAKE A STEP BACK DAY  
RETREAT DAY IN CLEVELAND

**DECEMBER**

**21 SAT**

9AM-9PM

KOLACHI & WHY GOD?

**FEBRUARY**

**21 FRI - SAT - SUN**

**22 MIDWEST REGIONAL**

**23 RETREAT**





**MYOLYMPICS**

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## Education Foundation Dinner & Reverse Raffle



The dinner will be held on Saturday, November 2nd, 2024  
at The Maronite Center

You can purchase your tickets after liturgies on Saturdays and Sundays,  
or you can call the parish office at 330-792-2371



JOIN US TO CELEBRATE THE

**50**  
YEARS

**ANNIVERSARY**

of Priestly Ordination of

**Chorbishop Michael Kail**

**Father Anthony Salim**

**Father Joseph P. Amar**

**Saturday, 16 November, 2024**

**Divine Liturgy at 4:30 PM with**

**Bishop A. Elias Zeidan**

**&**

**Bishop Gregory Mansour**

**Dinner at 06:00 PM, at the Maronite Center**

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