

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: 330-538-9822

Adult Daycare: 330-538-9822

Music Director: Micky Hafely 330-272-7557

Pastor: Rev. Tony Massad

Deacon: William George

Subdeacon: James Essad

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

1555 South Meridian Rd. • Youngstown, Ohio 44511

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Parish E-mail: parishoffice@stmaronyoungstown.org

Web: www.stmaronyoungstown.org



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 06 JUNE / 3RD SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / St. Dorotheus / St. Marcellin

4:30 PM

- + 10-yr Memorial for **James Mastronarde** by Family
- + Repose of **The deceased members of the Berringer & Thomas Families** by Larry & Diana Berringer
- + Repose of **Jake Rezek** by Parents & Grandparents
- + Repose of **John Abbas, Jr.** by Yvonne Marzano & Family

SUN 07 JUNE / 3RD SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / St. Susanna the Judean

08:30 AM

- + Repose of **The Deceased Members of the Ladas & Pappas Families, and Kristen Sheets** by Charles & Donna Zidian, and Family
- + Repose of **Leonard Carabelos** by Marian Welsch

11:00 AM

- + In celebration of our St. Maron Church **2026 Graduates**
- + Happy Heavenly Birthday to **Richard Anthony Beshara** by mom, Margo Beshara and Family
- + Repose of **Jonathan Zogbi** by Fr. Tony Massad
- + Repose of **William Michael** by Subdeacon James and Paula Essad

MON 08 JUNE / St. Cyrilla

NO LITURGY

TUE 09 JUNE / 8:30 AM / St. Pelagia of Antioch

NO LITURGY

WED 10 JUNE / 07:00 PM / St. Barnabas

NO LITURGY

THU 11 JUNE / 9:00 AM / St. Bartholomew

- + Repose of **Raymond Geitani** by The Farah Family

FRI 12 JUNE / 9:00 AM / THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS / St. Onuphrius

- + Repose of **Fred Merkich** by Yvonne Marzano

SAT 13 JUNE / 4TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY / St. Aquilina / St. Anthony of Padua

4:30 PM

- + Repose of **Joan Rezek** by Husband & Grandchildren
- + Repose of **Aaron Bella & Maryann Yazbek** by Family

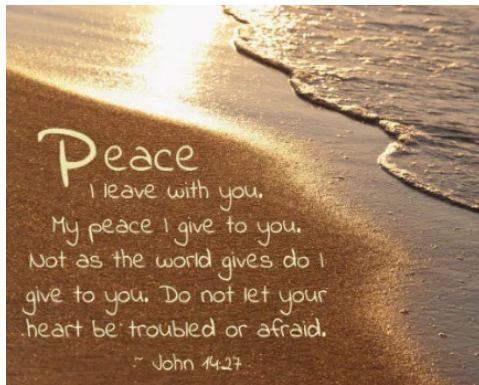
SUN 14 JUNE / 4TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / Elisha the Prophet

08:30 AM

- + Repose of **Gerry Kopp** by John Kopp & Family
- + Repose of **Alice Rohan** by Joe & Deebie Thomas & Family

11:00 AM

- + Repose of **Mary Koury** by Nina Hanna
- + Repose of **Saada T. Simon** by David T. Simon and the Simon Family



Remember in your prayers

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

Ann Detec, Marie Eckenrode,
Joann Knuth, Vail Rohan, Frank Santisi, Jr.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Prov 8:22-23,30-36; 1Cor 2:1-10;
Jn 14:21-27



Lectors - June 06 & 07

Saturday

4:30 pm: Carol Essad
/ Mike Dohar

Sunday

8:30 am: Thomas Calko
/ Theresa Calko

11:00 am: Meckenzie DePasquale
/ Makayla DePasquale

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Wis 7:7-14; 1Cor 2:11-16;
Lk 10:21-24



Lectors - June 13 & 14

Saturday

4:30 pm: Christopher Brocius
/ Mike Dohar

Sunday

8:30 am: Anne-Marie Luchansky
/ Brian Godsen

11:00 am: Rose Sahyoun
/ Zach Zidian

ALTAR SERVERS

THIS WEEK - June 06 & 07

Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers
Sun. - 8:30 am Ryan / Ava
11:00 am Sergio



NEXT WEEK - June 13 & 14

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

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
June 6 -12

Agnes Rohan, James Mastronarde,
Sydney Kern, Saker Abraham,
Assad J. Saadi, Anne David,
Josephine (Lumia) Moosally,
Khaleel Yacoub, Mary Shattawi Daniel,
Josephine Barkett, Nicholas Alexander,
Mary Ann Yazbek, Joseph Rouhana,
Yamile Sohaiby, Peter Gabriel,
Cameell Hanna, Charles Naghley,
Dolore Saker, Cecilia Y. Bees, Alan Mike

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

3RD SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

JUNE 06 & 07, 2026

SANCTUARY CANDLES - JUNE

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Our Father Thomas M. Joseph, Sr.**
by His Loving Children Joe, Yvonne, Rosemarie, and Tommy Jr.
- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Nasib & Yamile Sohaiby** by Betty Sohaiby
- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Jose N. Castro** by Betty Sohaiby

ALTAR WINE - JUNE

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Joan Rezek** by Husband

ALTAR BREAD - JUNE

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Nasib & Yamile Sohaiby and Jose N. Castro** by Betty Sohaiby

Happy Birthday!

- June 06 Jennifer Morton, Alex Halko
- June 07 Annette El-Hayek
- June 08 Benjamin Thomas
- June 09 Christopher Brocius
- June 10 Fabio Bassil, Daniel John Thomas
- June 11 Anthony Vross, Brian Zidian
- June 12 Fred Ciarniello, Lyla Marzano



Happy Anniversary!

- June 06 Joseph & Angela Chahine (34 Years)
- June 09 Joseph, Jr. & Ann-Marie Nohra (25 Years)
- June 10 Antoine & Sahar El-Hayek (37 Years)
- June 19 Tyler & Jennifer Morton (16 Years)
Mark & Stephanie Porter (22 Years)



THE EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Scholarship applications for K-12 and College are available. Starting the School Year 2026-2027, parents of public school students may apply for a scholarship. All applications are to be completed and returned **Electronically**, no later than June 14th, to stmaroneducationfoundation@gmail.com. For college applicants, transcripts must be official and sent directly from the college whether electronically or by mail to the church.



CONGRATULATIONS

... to Anthony Vross Jr. (son of Anthony & Christine Vross) and Samantha Ditosti, who were married on Saturday, May 30th. We extend our warmest wishes to the new Mr. & Mrs. Vross. May God bless them as they begin their life together in faith and love!



We extend our deepest sympathies to the family of **Ronald Yardas**, Brother of Bruce Yardas who passed away on Monday, May 25th. May God grant repose to the soul of Ronald and peaceful comfort to his family and all who knew and loved him.



Weekly Financial Report

05/31/2026

Offertory Collection (80 envelopes used of 258)	\$4,875.00
Candles	\$108.00
Needy (2 envelopes)	\$45.00
Online Offerings (9 envelopes)	\$595.00

Thank you for your generous donations!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- VBS 2026 - June 8th through 12th, 2026 (AH)
- Grape Leaves Festival Prep** - Tuesday, June 9th at 5:30 pm (MC)
- MYO Retreat Meeting** - Sunday, June 14th at 9:30 am (Multipurpose Room)
- Education Foundation Applications** - Due Sunday, June 14th, 2026
- Grape Leaves Festival Prep** - Tuesday, June 16th, at 10:00 am (MC)
- Festival Volunteers Meeting** - Thursday, June 18th at 6:30 pm (AH)
- MYO National Retreat** - June 23rd through 28th (University of Dayton)
- St. Maron Festival 2026** - July 11th & 12th, 2026 (MC)

Subdeacon Joseph and Joanne Simon invite you to a **Graduation Party** celebrating their son Alexander on Sunday, June 14th, at 2:00 pm, at the Rec Area. Congratulations to Alexander as he graduates from Ursuline High School!

FESTIVAL WISH LIST



Please remember to review our Festival Wish List in the foyer! We are approaching the weekend of our annual festival, and food preparations are under way! We are in need of a number of items, and we greatly appreciate any donations that you can help to provide. Our St. Maron parishioners have always been extremely generous, and we want you to know how much your donations are appreciated! Thank you!

FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS



Everyone should have received your raffle tickets and sponsorship letters for our upcoming Lebanese FunFest 2026. If you have not received yours, or if you need additional raffle tickets, please call the Parish Office.

BAKERS ARE NEEDED



We kindly ask that you follow the provided list: Pizzelles, Chocolate chip cookies, Oatmeal raisin cookies, Brownies, Pies, Bundt Cakes. We cannot accept any other items and definitely not ones that need refrigeration. Please bring your desserts in bulk, not individually wrapped, as we will take care of the cutting and packaging. Baked goods can be dropped off at the Maron Center on Friday, Saturday, & Sunday (July 10, 11 & 12).

CALLING ALL FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS



We kindly ask all interested participants to complete the forms found in the church's foyer or online, at your earliest convenience. Volunteers' meeting will be held on Thursday, June 18th, at 6:30 pm at the Antioch Hall. For more information, contact Anne-Marie (330-519-5048).



Join us at St. Maron Lebanese FunFest in Youngstown, OH, on Saturday, July 11th and Sunday, July 12th, 2026.

Experience the sounds, and flavors of Lebanon with two days of live entertainment, including performances by The House Band on Saturday from 6 – 10 PM and RDNA Band on Sunday from 4 – 7 PM. Savor authentic Lebanese cuisine, available for dine-in, takeout, and unwind at our full premium bar. Kids will love the bounce houses and family-friendly activities, and everyone can try their luck at our exciting \$3,000 raffle. With free admission and parking, there's no reason to miss it!



Happy Graduation

Yara Abi Ghanem

Daughter of Ziad & Nina Abi Ghanem - Boardman High School

Sami Abou Jaoude

Son of Elie & Rita Abou Jaoude - Boardman High School

Laura Awaida

Daughter of Rony & Amy Awaida - Howland High School

Tony Boulos

Son of Samir & Yolla Boulos - Youngstown State University

Anna Choufani

Daughter of Bassel & Zeina Choufani - Ursuline High School

Emma Choufani

Daughter of Bassel & Zeina Choufani - Ursuline High School

Carson James Scott

Son of Scott & Cara Essad - John Carroll University

Maria Zachea Joseph

Daughter of Thomas & Maryann Joseph - Youngstown State University

Alexander Simon

Son of Subdeacon Joseph & Joanne Simon - Ursuline High School

Emily Smith

Daughter of Tina Lenkey - Youngstown State University

JJ Sudetic

Son of Justin Sudetic & Mamie Yazbek - Mineral Ridge High School

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4pm - 11pm

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**SUNDAY
JULY 12**

12 pm - 8pm

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Baklawa, Pastries & More!



DINE IN OR TAKE OUT ONLY!



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Bakers are needed



A heartfelt thank you to all our generous bakers supporting the 2026 Festival!
We kindly ask that you follow the provided list below and refrain from any other items especially ones that need refrigeration.



- Pizzelles**
- Chocolate Chip Cookies**
- Oatmeal Raisin Cookies**
- Brownies**
- Pies**
- Bundt Cakes**



Please bring your desserts in bulk, not individually wrapped, as we will take care of the cutting and packaging.

Baked goods can be dropped off at the Maronite Center on Friday, July 10, Saturday, July 11, or Sunday, July 12.

We truly appreciate your help and delicious contributions!



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