

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

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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

1555 South Meridian Rd. • Youngstown, Ohio 44511

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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 16 MAR / HEALING OF THE BLIND MAN / The First Council of Constantinople / St. Papas

4:30 PM
+ Repose of **Paul** by Carol Essad

SUN 17 MAR / HEALING OF THE BLIND MAN/ St. Patrick

8:30 AM
+ Repose of **Betty Joyce** by Subdeacon Albert Dohar & Marie-Elizabeth Dohar

11:00 AM
+ Repose of **Dr. Elias Saadi** by Dominic Gangale Family

**MON: 18 MAR / St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Doctor of the Church
NO LITURGY**

TUE: 19 MAR / St. Joseph the Virgin, the Spouse of Mary - 8:30 AM
+ Repose of **Edward Patrick Mulholland** by Daughter Barbara Brothers

**WED: 20 MAR / St. Photina the Samaritan Woman
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ONLY 7:00 - 9:00 PM - NO LITURGY**

THU: 21 MAR / St. Synesius, Bishop of Ptolemais - 8:30 AM
+ Repose of **Jake Rezek** by Parents & Grandparents

FRI 22 MAR / Temptation of Jesus in the Wilderness / St. Sergius Paulus - 12:00 PM
+ Repose of **Shirley Sunderlin** by Victoria Rance

**SAT 23 MAR / HOSANNA SUNDAY (Palm Sunday) / St. Rafka
4:30 PM**

+ Two-year Anniversary Memorial for **Walt Sardich** by Family
+ Repose of **Eileen Galip** by Husband Ron & Family
+ In prayer for **The Essad Family** by Carol Essad

**SUN 24 MAR / HOSANNA SUNDAY (Palm Sunday) / St. Artemon, Bishop of Seleucia
11:00 AM**

+ Special Intention for all the Children of the St. Maron Parish Families
+ For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Maron Parish

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Is 46:6-8, 16-18, 2 Cor 10:1-7;
Mk 10:46-52



Lectors - Mar. 16 & 17

Saturday

4:30 pm: Carol Essad/
Chris Brocious

Sunday

8:30 am: Beverly Mike-Nard/
Vince Talley

11:00 pm: Linda Awad/
Gr. 3 & 4

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Zec 9:9-12,14-15a,16-17, Phil 1:1-13;
Jn 12:12-22



Lectors - Mar. 23 & 24

Saturday

4:30 pm: Mike Dohar/
Madeline Clarke

Sunday

11:00 pm: Zach Zidian/
Gr. KG & 1

Altar Servers - Mar. 23 & 24

Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers

Sun. - 11:00 am Volunteers

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, Mar. 16 - 22:

Salim Hayek, Mary Hickie Sabo, Joseph Thomas Rushwin, George "Chipper" Saadi, Robert M. Essad, Joann Nakley, Hasebee Zeinny, Emily Bechara, Joseph P. Simon, Mary Donna Gabel, Frances Cefalu, Margaret Abraham, Margaret George, Thomas Gabriel, Bandar Kather, Miguel Cheiban, Josephine Hanna, Maron M. Fares, Edward Zougab, Alfred Scali, Mike Joseph, Maroon Abdalla, Beshara Stephen, Nasib Sohaiby, Isabell Alexander, John J. Stephens, Jr., Glen El-Hayek



Remember in your prayers -

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

Frank Santisi, Jr., Marie Eckenrode, Vail Rohan, John Abbas, Jr., Liz Manser, Ida Michael



CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

Website: <https://www.stmaronyoungstown.org>

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stmaronyoungstown



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

SANCTUARY CANDLES - MARCH

In Loving Memory of **Thomas M. Rohan** by Mother Freida Rohan
 In Loving Memory of **Karen Rohan** by Mother-in-Law Freida Rohan
 In Loving Memory of **Norman Bishara** by Family

ALTAR WINE - MARCH

In Loving Memory of **Donna Gabel** by Children, their Spouses
 & Grandchildren

ALTAR BREAD - MARCH

In Loving Memory of **Thomas E. Rohan** by Wife Freida Rohan

Happy Birthday!

Mar 16 Michael DiFabio, Carmen Dohse, Mariah Terlesky
 Mar 17 Vincenzo Marzano
 Mar 19 Sara Godsen
 Mar 20 Anthony Chamoun
 Mar 21 Croix Chammas, Maria Joseph, Erin Sardich
 Mar 22 Marie Basile, Cheryl Cucchiara, Donald Porter



EASTER FLOWERS If you wish to donate an Easter plant in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, you may do so by contributing \$15 per plant in the Easter Flower envelope in your packet, or place your donation in a plain envelope in the collection basket with the names of those you wish to remember, noting exactly how you wish the intention to read. Names will be listed on the special insert in the bulletin on Easter weekend. ***Intentions must be received by Friday, March 22nd in order for them to be listed in the bulletin.***



EDUCATION FOUNDATION NEWS -- Scholarship applications for college and trade school students are now being accepted through May 12th. For applications & more information go to: www.stmaronyoungstown.org/education-foundation/

Catholic grade school & high school assistance will be given to any students who regularly attend MCF, and submit the following information: student's name, school, grade, parent's names, and address. Call Nina Hanna if you have any questions: 330-207-3577.

Save the date for the **Education Foundation Dinner** on October 19th! More information to follow!

Please remember to bring your baked goods to Antioch Hall each Friday morning during the Fish Fry season. Thank you for all of your contributions!



Our **Spring Wine Taste** is only weeks away! Saturday, April 13th! Get your tickets now at www.tiny.cc/Wine, where you can also select your table & seats. Join us for an evening of amazing wines, delicious food, & lots of fun!



Weekly Financial Report

3/10/24

Offertory Collection (96 envelopes used of 288)	\$6162.00
Eparchial Developmental Appeal (1 envelopes)	\$50.00
Easter Flowers (1 envelopes)	\$360.00
Needy (4 envelopes)	\$70.00
Candles	\$101.00
Online Offerings (9)	\$570.00

Thank you for your generous donations!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Fish Fry - Every Friday in Lent, 3-7 pm
Easter Ka'ak Baking - Wed., Mar. 20th, 9:00 am
Hosanna Sunday Brunch - Sun., Mar. 24th, following 11:00 Liturgy
Eucharistic Revival Faith Study - Thur., Apr. 11th, 6:30 pm
St. Maron Wine Taste - Sat., Apr. 13th, 6:00 pm

FRIDAY LENTEN SERVICES

Join us in the church every Friday evening at 7:00 pm during Lent for Ramsho (evening prayer), Prayer of the Cross, and Benediction.

We are making the **EASTER KA'AK** on Wednesday, March 20th in Antioch Hall, beginning at 9:00 am. All are welcome to help!

Hosanna Sunday Brunch

Sunday, March 24, following 11:00 am Liturgy

Please join us for our Hosanna Sunday Brunch at the Maronite Center! Please purchase your tickets by this Tuesday, March 19th. We will have a brunch buffet, a raffle, children's entertainment & a visit by the Easter Bunny! Adults \$15, youth ages 7-12 \$10, and children 6 and under are free. Tickets may be purchased in the church office or online at: palmsundaybrunch.square.site



GREAT FRIDAY MJADRA DINNER Join us on Great Friday evening in Antioch Hall after our 7:00 pm services to enjoy a Mjadra meal. We are asking everyone to bring a pot of your own family recipe of Mjadra to share. We will provide salad and beverages.

Orders for MYO **EASTER KOLACHI** must be placed by Wed., March 20th. The kolachi rolls will be available for pick-up after all Liturgies on the weekend of March 23rd-24th. Order forms are in the foyer. Thank you for supporting our MYO youth!



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Sunday, March 24th - Hosanna Sunday (Sha'neenee)

Saturday Vigil Divine Liturgy, 4:30 pm
 Sunday Divine Liturgy, 11:00 am (with Procession) Brunch to follow

Monday, March 25th - Tuesday, March 26th - Wednesday, March 27th

Monday & Tuesday - Coming to the Harbor (Evening Prayer), 7:00 pm
 Way of the Cross through Mary's Eyes (Tuesday night after prayer)
 Wednesday - Rite of the Lamp (Divine Liturgy with Anointing), 7:00 pm

Thursday, March 28th - Thursday of the Mysteries

Divine Liturgy & Washing of the Disciples' Feet, 7:00 pm
 Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions, 8:00 pm - 12:00 am

Friday, March 29th - Great Friday of the Crucifixion (Jumma l'Azeemi)

The Signing of the Chalice, (Pre-Sanctified Liturgy), 12:00 pm
 The Solemn Burial of Our Lord, 7:00 pm
 Confessions heard & silent prayer, 8:30 pm - 12:00 am
 Mjadra Dinner in Antioch Hall 8:30-10 pm

Saturday, March 30th - Great Saturday of the Light (Sabt l'Noor)

Prayer of Forgiveness, 11:30 am
 Resurrection of Our Lord Divine Vigil Liturgy, 6:00 pm

Sunday, March 31st - Great Sunday of the Resurrection (Easter)

Easter Sunday Divine Liturgy, 11:00 am
 Easter Gifts for the children given after Divine Liturgy

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