

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

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 14 SEP / 1ST SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Actual Feast)

- + Repose of **John J. Abbas, Sr.** by Wife Marie & Family
- + Repose of **Peter & Judy Dohar** by Michael & Georgia Dohar & Families
- + Repose of **Deceased Members of the Borak Family** by Bill & Louise Miller
- + Repose of **Jaime Cardenas Duran / Beatriz Ramirez Granados / Anabel Cardenas Ramirez** by Joe & Adriana Bishara, and Family

SUN 15 SEP / 1ST SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Shaina / St. Sassine

8:30 AM

- + Repose of **William Michael** by Albert † & Marie-Elizabeth Dohar
- + Repose of **Betty Joyce** by Steve & Marian Welch

11:00 AM

- + Repose of **Karimeh Rafidi** by Yvonne Marzano
- + Repose of **Helene D'Apolito** by Salloum & Rose Sahyoun

MON 16 SEP / St. Cyprian
NO LITURGY

TUE 17 SEP / 8:30 AM / St. Sophia and Her 3 Daughters

- + Repose of **Sunny & Shirley Sunderlin** by Family

WED 18 SEP / 7:00 PM / The Flight of the Lord Jesus to Egypt

- + Repose of **Micheline Nawfal** by Clara Nawfal

THU 19 SEP / 8:30 AM / St. Januarius

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

FRI 20 SEP / 12:00 PM / St. Eustatius and His Wife and Children

- + Repose of **Florence Vitullo** by Salloum & Rose Sahyoun

SAT 21 SEP / 2ND SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Quadratus, Bishop of Athens

- + 40-day Memorial of **Judy Essad** by Yvonne Marzano
- + Repose of **Sied & Jeanette Thomas** by Family

SUN 22 SEP / 2ND SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS / St. Phocas and His Companions

8:30 AM

- + Repose of **Gerry Kopp** by John Kopp & Family
- + Repose of **Nabeh J. & Frances E. Rouhana** by Family

11:00 AM

- + Repose of **Deceased members of Boutros Nawfal & Family** by Clara Nawfal
- + Repose of **Fady Chamoun** by Scott & Cara Essad

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Deut 17:14-20; 2Tm 2:1-10;
Mk 10:35-45



Lectors - Sep. 14 & 15

Saturday

4:30 pm: Patti Machuga
/ Carol Essad

Sunday

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

11:00 am: Roula Saab
/ Justine Truslow

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Joel 2:1,10-16a; 1Cor 15:19-34;
Mt 24:1-14



Lectors - Sep. 21 & 22

Saturday

4:30 pm: Christopher Brocius
/ Mike Dohar

Sunday

8:30 am: Thomas Calko
/ Therese Calko

11:00 am: Linda Awad
/ MCF (5th & 6th Grade)

ALTAR SERVERS

THIS WEEK - Sep. 14 & 15

Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers

Sun. - 8:30 am Joe / Anna

11:00 am Charbel / Christa



NEXT WEEK - Sep. 21 & 22

Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers

Sun. - 8:30 am Veronica / Volunteer

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, September 21-27

Thomas A. Albert, Shams Saadi, Msgr. Peter Eid, Odette Naffah, Jeanette Thomas, Emil Joseph, Rancie S. Kerella, Peter Joseph, Mary Khattar, Richard Abraham, Ann Nakley, Saada Abbas, Agnes Steere, Stella Abbas

"I AM THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE. THE ONE WHO BELIEVES IN ME WILL LIVE..."

-- John 11:25-26 NIV



Remember in your prayers

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

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

CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

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

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stmaronyoungstown

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



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

1ST SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS

SEPTEMBER 14 & 15, 2024

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 14 Harry Bukovinsky, Rami Chammas, Nicole Dohar, Ashlee Rohan, David Simon



Sep 15 Lori George, Kyle Sahyoun

Sep 16 Michael Dohar

Sep 17 Michael Mike, III

Sep 18 Ellyse Beshara, Victoria Boulos

Sep 19 Michael Mike

Happy Anniversary!



Sep 14 Michael & Georgia Dohar - 55 Years

Sep 17 Ziad & Nina Abi Ghanem - 19 Years

Sep 18 Michael & Rose DiFabio - 31 Years

Sep 20 Chris & JoAnn Healey - 44 Years

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

MCF Classes - Starting Sunday September 15th, between Liturgies
MYO Meeting - Sunday Sep. 15th, 5:30 - 8 pm (MYO Lounge)
Silver Bullets Club - Wednesday, Sep. 18th, 11 am (Liturgy, then Lunch)
Last Eucharistic Revival Faith Study - Thursday, Sep. 26th, 6:30 pm
MYA Meeting - Sunday, Oct. 18th, 7-10 pm (Rec area)
Blood Drive Donation - Saturday, Oct. 26th, 9 am to 2 pm (Maronite Center)
Saint Barbara's Party - Saturday, Oct. 26th, 11 am to 1 pm (Antioch Hall)
Education Foundation Dinner & Reverse Raffle - Sat., Nov. 2nd, 6 pm
50th Anniversary Celebration - Saturday, Nov. 16th, at 6 pm

MCF & ARABIC CLASSES REGISTRATION



Maronite Christian Formation Classes (MCF) 2025 will begin this Sunday, September 15th between the 8:30 am & 11:00 am liturgies.
 Please note that children must also attend MCF in order to qualify for Catholic school tuition allowances.
 Arabic Classes will begin Saturday, October 5th.
 We do need a count of the number of people attending, so please register as soon as possible.
 Online registration for both MCF & Arabic Classes is available at: [MCF 2025 Registration](#)

SILVER BULLETS CLUB



Everyone who is 60 years young and older is invited to participate in the St. Maron's Silver Bullets Club.
 The first meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 18th. Mass is at 11:00 am, and lunch to follow at the Antioch Hall.

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.

ALTAR SUPPLIES 2025



The 2025 Altar Supplies Schedule is almost full.
 Altar supplies memorial donations' availabilities:
April 2025 (Altar Bread)
June 2025 (Candles - 3 are available)
September 2025 (Altar Bread)
 Altar candles are \$20 each (3 available for each month), Altar wine is \$25, and Altar bread is \$45.
 Please call the parish office (Rhona) at 330-792-2371.

EDUCATION FOUNDATION DINNER



The St. Maron Education Foundation **Dinner & Reverse Raffle** will be held on Saturday, **Nov. 2nd** at The Maronite Center at 6 pm. You can purchase your tickets after liturgies on Saturdays and Sundays, or you can call the parish office at 330-792-2371.



The 2024 BOCCE season came to an end!!!

Congratulations to the St. Maron Bocce League 2024's Champions **"FuhGetAbocce"**

Thank you for your enthusiasm and excitement this season. Your sportsmanship made our season such a great success and really brought many people closer together.

ORDER OF ST. SHARBEL

October 13th is designated "Order of St. Sharbel Sunday" in the Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon of Los Angeles. The Order of Saint Sharbel is vitally important in providing support for educating our seminarians. You may enroll online at www.orderstsharbel.org or ask Father Tony for more information.

BLOOD DRIVE



St. Maron Church, Youngstown, along with the American Red Cross are hosting a blood Drive on Saturday, October 26th from 9am to 2 pm, at [the Maronite Center](#).
 For more info, call Laurece Chahine at 330-501-0185.

We extend our deepest sympathies to the family of **Aleda Bukovinsky**, Mother of JoAnn (Stephan), Harry and John Bukovinsky, who passed into eternal life on Thursday, Sep. 5th. Also, we extend our deepest condolences to the family of **Ida Michael** who entered into eternal life on Friday, Sep. 6th. May God grant repose to their soul and give comfort to their families.

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

9/8/24

Offertory Collection (87 envelopes used of 288)	\$4,424.00
Candles	\$156.00
Needy (5 envelopes)	\$75.00
Catholic University of America (3 envelopes)	\$16.00
Online Offerings (7 envelopes)	\$525.00

Thank you for your generous donations!



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



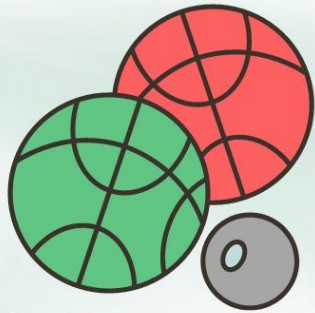
Join us on **Saturday, November 16th** for a night of celebration, and thanks to God for 50 years of priestly service for three faithful stewards working in the vineyard of the Lord:

Chorbishop Michael Kail
Fr. Anthony Salim
Fr. Joseph P. Amar

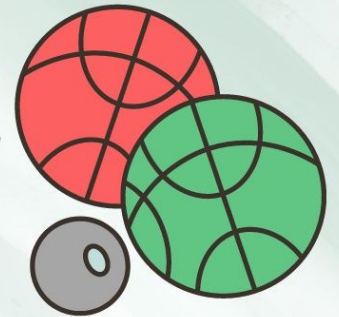
We will enjoy an evening of great food, good friends, and fellowship after celebrating Divine Liturgy at 4:30 PM with **Bishop A. Elias Zaidan**, and **Bishop Gregory Mansour**.

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 at tiny.cc/50th
 If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the parish office at 330-792-2371

We can't wait to celebrate with you and our beloved priests!



St. Maron
Bocce League 2024
CHAMPIONS



Congratulations

FUHGETABOCCE

Tony Vross - Chris Vross - Danny Thomas - Catherine Thomas
Gary O'Nesti - Faith O'Nesti - Danny Thomas Jr. - Ashley Thomas
Michael Thomas - Allison Thomas



THE PARISH OF
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MYO

12-18 YEARS OLD

SAVE
THE
DATES

**SEPTEMBER
15 SUN**
5:30-8PM
WHO DO YOU SEEK?

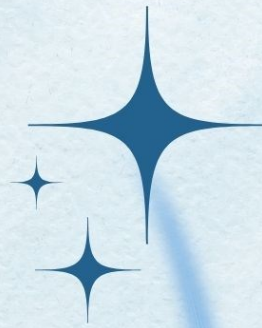
**OCTOBER
13 SUN**
5:30-8PM
WHO ARE YOU?

**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**



**SAINT MARON CHURCH OF YOUNGSTOWN
SILVER BULLETS CLUB**



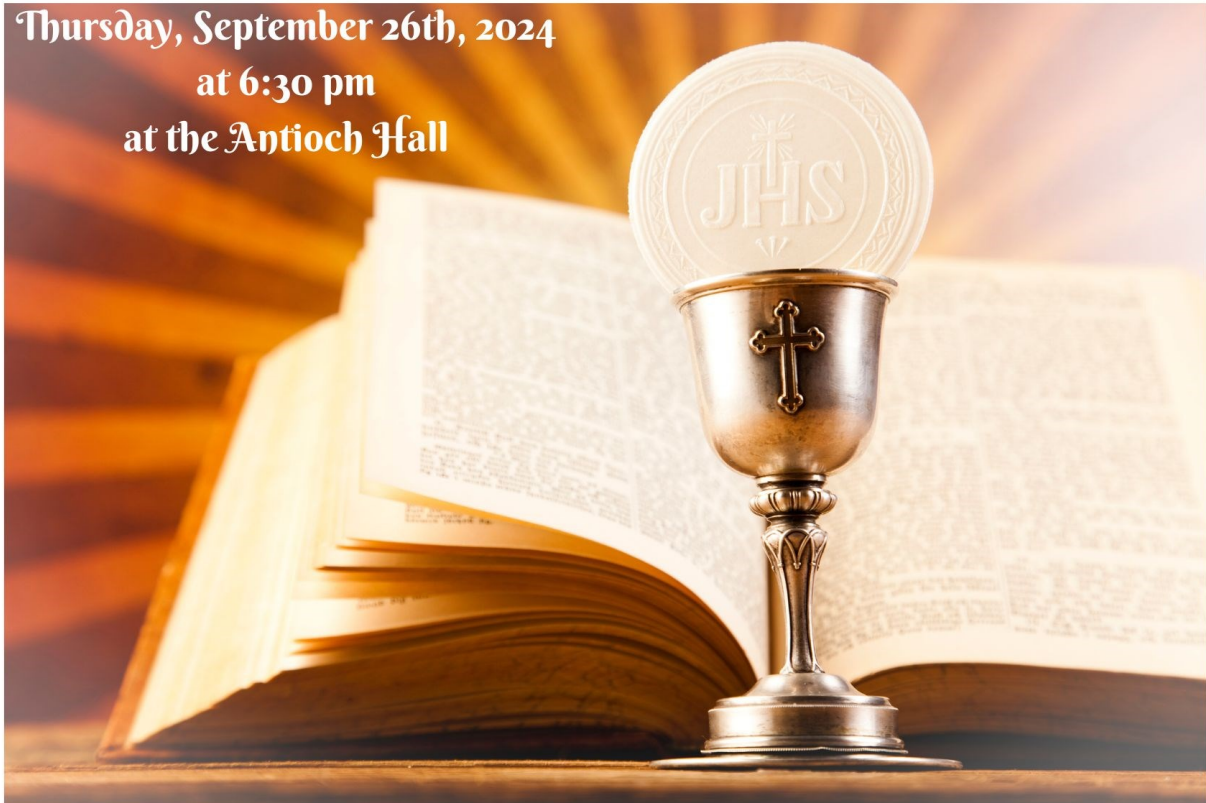
**JOIN US ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH
MASS AT 11:00 AM
LUNCH TO FOLLOW
AT THE ANTIOCH HALL**

Jesus and the Eucharist Study Session

Thursday, September 26th, 2024

at 6:30 pm

at the Antioch Hall



Join us as we grow and walk this sacred year together.



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Saint Maron



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**





Saint Barbara's Party

Put on a costume and come have fun

**Saturday, October 26th
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 19th

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





Education Foundation Dinner & Reverse Raffle



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

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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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