

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

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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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 31 MAY / 7TH SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION / St. Petronilla / St. Hermias
4:30 PM

+ Repose of **The Deceased Members of the Berringer & Thomas Families** by Larry & Diane Berringer
+ Repose of **Vincent Morgione** by Loretta Morgione & Family

SUN 01 JUN / 7TH SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION / St. Justin Martyr

08:30 AM

+ Repose of **Ray Najem** by Family
+ Repose of **Raymond Braun** by Jane Abou-Chedid

11:00 AM

+ In Prayer for **The Health of the Joseph & Elizabeth Manser Family** by Liz Manser
+ Repose of **Thomas and Freda Gabriel** by Marie Ecknerode

MON 02 JUN / The Four Evangelists
NO LITURGY

TUE 03 JUN / 8:30 AM / St. Awtel
+ Repose of **Virginia George** by Emmalyn Borak

WED 04 JUN / 7:00 PM / St. Erasmus (Elmo)
+ Repose of **Halim Lahoud** by the Farah Family

THU 05 JUN / 08:30 AM / St. Conon and His Son Conon
+ Repose of **Daniel McCauley** by James & Paula Essad

FRI 06 JUN / EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - 11:00 AM / St. Dorotheus, Bishop of Tyre
DIVINE LITURGY - 12:00 PM / St. Marcellin Champagnat
+ Repose of **Jim Borak & Bill Burwig** by Virginia Burwig

SAT 07 JUN / PENTECOST SUNDAY / St. Susanna, the Judean
4:30 PM

+ Repose of **Robert Root** by Barbara Sardich
+ Repose of **Thomas Dohar** by Victoria Rance

SUN 08 JUN / PENTECOST SUNDAY / Discovery of the Nails of Christ / St. Cyrilla

08:30 AM

+ Repose of **Simone Basile** by Hekmet & Jean Estephan
+ Repose of **Michael Mike, Jr.** by Dennis & Lisa Judy

11:00 AM

+ Repose of **Little Richie Beshara on his 55th Birthday** by Mother Margo, and Sisters Laurece & Nawal
+ Repose of **Tony Khazzaka** by Yvonne Marzano



Remember in your prayers

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

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

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Lev 19:1-2,11-18; Eph 1:15-23;
Jn 13:31-35



Lectors - May 31 & June 01

Saturday

4:30 pm: Carol Essad
/ Mike Dohar

Sunday

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

11:00 am: Kalyn Sharrow
/ Zach Zidian

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Gen 11:1-9; Acts 2:1-21;
Jn 14: 15-20



Lectors - June 07 & 08

Saturday

4:30 pm: Charles Zidian, Jr.
/ Madeline Clarke

Sunday

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

11:00 am: Rose Sahyoun
/ Linda Awad

ALTAR SERVERS

THIS WEEK - May 31 & June 01

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



NEXT WEEK - June 07 & 08

Sat. - 4:30 pm Delaney / Volunteer
Sun. - 8:30 am Joe / Anna
11:00 am Charbel / Christa

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
May 31 - June 06

Aniece James Galip, Kenneth Emch,
John Zidian, Michael Alexander,
Alma Michael, Amy Muchantif,
Margaret Kolan, Angeline Beshara,
Rose Ferris, Sarah Wakin,
Anna Beshara, Ida Beshara,
Daniel Cononico, Helen Rezek,
Lucille T. David, Joseph Francis,
Joseph Aniece Matta,
Agnes Rohan, Sydney Kern
James Mastronarde

CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

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

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

7TH SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

MAY 31 & JUNE 01, 2025

SANCTUARY CANDLES - JUNE

- ♦ In Loving Memory of **Beloved Son Little Richie Beshara**
by Margo Beshara
- ♦ In Loving Memory of **Beloved Brother Richie Beshara**
by Nawal Beshara Cuddy
- ♦ In Loving Memory of **Beloved Brother Richie Beshara**
by Laurece Chahine

ALTAR WINE - JUNE

- ♦ In Loving Memory of **Jo Ann Rezek** by Children & Grandchildren

ALTAR BREAD - JUNE

- ♦ In Loving Memory of **George & Laurece Tabet,**
Norman & Gandura Tabet
by Abraham Tabet

Happy Birthday!

- May 31 Richard Chahine
- Jun 01 Fred George
- Jun 02 Joe Karkafi, Ryan Spelich
- Jun 03 Antoine El-Hayek, JoAnn Rohan, Marise Sahyoun
- Jun 04 Kathleen Boulos, Nicholas Morgione
- Jun 05 Nawal Rajeh, Dianne Wyant
- Jun 06 Jennifer Morton



Happy Anniversary!

- Jun 01 Daniel & Victoria Antonucci (6 Years)
- Jun 02 Thomas & Maryann Joseph (41 Years)
- Jun 05 Brad & Beth Marzano (21 Years)
- Jun 06 Joseph & Angela Chahine (33 Years)



BAKERS ARE NEEDED

We kindly ask that you follow the provided list and avoid any items that need refrigeration: Lebanese Macarons, Namoura, Ghraybeh, Pizzelle, Chocolate chip cookies, Oatmeal raisin cookies, Brownies, Pies, Bundt Cakes. Please bring your deserts in bulk, not individually wrapped, as we will take care of the packaging. Baked goods can be dropped off at the Maronite Center on Friday, Saturday, & Sunday (July 11, 12 & 13). We truly appreciate your help and delicious contributions!



FESTIVAL WISH LIST

Please remember to pick up our Festival Wish List in the foyer! We are quickly 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!



Weekly Financial Report

05/25/2025

Offertory Collection (73 envelopes used of 288)	\$3,563.00
Candles	\$115.00
Shrine of OLOL (1 envelope)	\$20.00
Catholic Communication Campaign (5 envelopes)	\$90.00
Needy (1 envelope)	\$10.00
Online Offerings (4 envelopes)	\$250.00

Thank you for your generous donations!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Steak Fry - Saturday, May 31st (5- 9 pm) at the Rec. Area
MYO National Meeting - Sunday, June 15th (Between liturgies)
VBS - Exploring the Maronite Divine Liturgy - June 16th through 20th
Graduate Liturgy - Sunday, June 22nd at 11 am
St. Maron Lebanese FunFest - July 12th and 13th (Maronite Center)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

ST. MARON'S STEAK FRY!

St. Maron Church invites you to our \$30 Steak Fry on Saturday, May 31st, from 5 PM to 9 PM at the church pavilion. Come enjoy "Live Music" and a 14 oz Certified Angus Prime NY Strip Steak served with a baked potato with all the fixins', sautéed mushrooms and onions, seasonal vegetables, dessert, and coffee and water (chicken breast can be substituted). A cash bar will be available with beer, wine, and pop, and our bocce courts will be open for play! This is an eat-in-only event. Cash and credit cards are accepted. Tickets can be ordered online at tiny.cc/steakfry or call 330-792-2371.



ST. MARON PARISH BOCCE LEAGUE 2025

It's June, and that means Bocce is back! The St. Maron Parish Bocce League 2025 kicks off this week with evening games Monday through Thursday—so Get your teams ready, bring your A-game, and join us for another summer of fun, faith, and friendly competition under the evening skies. We can't wait to see everyone out on the courts—Let's roll!



PENTECOST SUNDAY

It is a celebration of the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles. The color red symbolizes the work of the Holy Spirit and the command that we set the world on fire with God's love. Therefore, we ask that parishioners wear red to liturgies next weekend, June 7th & 8th, to celebrate the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Exploring the Maronite Divine Liturgy

Children (Ages 4 through 12) are invited to join us for a week of fun, fellowship, prayer & spiritual growth, on Monday, June 16th through Friday, June 20th, from 9 am to 1:45 pm (Lunch and snacks are provided) Cost is \$20 per child or \$50 for a family of 3 or more children Bring a friend, or two, or ten! Friends are always welcome! Please register by Sunday, June 1st, at tinyurl.com/bibleschool25



GRADUATE LITURGY

We will be honoring our 2025 graduates on Sunday, June 22nd at the 11:00 am Divine Liturgy. If you, your child, or a family member has graduated from high school, college, grad school, etc., please submit their name and school/program to the church office by June 13th in order for us to list their names and schools in the parish bulletin. You may call the office or send the information in an email. We will have a special blessing for them and a cake after the liturgy to congratulate them on their accomplishments!



FESTIVAL RAFFLE TICKETS

Everyone should have received your raffle tickets and sponsorship letters for our upcoming Lebanese FunFest 2025. If you have not received yours, or if you need additional raffle tickets, please call Marilyn at 330-550-7806.



CALLING ALL FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS

We kindly ask all interested participants to complete the forms and return them to the office at your earliest convenience. This will help us begin the scheduling process. For more information, please call Anne-Marie Luchansky at 330-519-5048.



GRAPE LEAVES

We are asking everyone to start picking grape leaves if you have access to them, and to snip the stems and bring them to the church to start preparing. If you know of a place where we can pick some, but are not able to do it yourself, let us know the location and we will send someone to pick. We will be needing at least 6000 grape leaves. So let's get collecting!





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Bakers are needed



A heartfelt thank you to all our generous bakers supporting the 2025 Festival!

We kindly ask that you follow the provided list below and avoid any items that need refrigeration.

Lebanese Macaroons

Namoura

Ghraybeh

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 packaging.

Baked goods can be dropped off at the Maronite Center on Friday, July 11, Saturday, July 12, or Sunday, July 13.

We truly appreciate your help and delicious contributions!



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Bocce League 2025

We are excited for our 2025 St. Maron Bocce League beginning June 2nd!
Games are from June to August, Mon. - Thurs. evenings* (occasional Fridays).

Mixed league teams of at least 8 players up to 15 players.

Registration is just \$225 per team, and no court fees!

We have room for 8 - 10 more teams.



Seasoned player or a beginner? Join us for a great time on the court!
We have two covered outdoor courts connected to a beautiful pavilion with
tables, chairs, and convenient restrooms.

Register online at <http://tiny.cc/Bocce>

Contact the office at 330-792-2371

for more information.

Visit us on Facebook at: [St. Maron Bocce FB](#)



This is our church league, and all are welcome.

We have a fun, family atmosphere.

We pray the Lord's Prayer before every game.



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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL • 2025

for
ages
4-12



Monday - Friday, June 16 - 20, 2025
9:00 AM - 1:45 PM
(lunch & snacks provided)

Children ages 4-12 are welcome to join us as we learn about worshipping God through our Maronite Divine Liturgy with prayer, music, crafts, games, and more! Each day begins with Divine Liturgy (Mass) at 9:00 AM.

COST: \$20 per child or \$50 for a family of 3 or more

REGISTER AT: tinyurl.com/bibleschool25
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 1, 2025

For more information, contact the church office at 330-792-2371



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