

# 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

Office: 330-792-2371

Parish E-mail: [parishoffice@stmaronyoungstown.org](mailto:parishoffice@stmaronyoungstown.org)

Web: [www.stmaronyoungstown.org](http://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 19 APR / GREAT SATURDAY OF THE LIGHT / St. Timon, the Deacon**  
**11:30 AM** Prayer of Forgiveness

**6:00 PM / THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION (Vigil Liturgy)**  
+ For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Maron Parish

**SUN 20 APR / THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION / St. Nathanael, the Hermit**  
**11:00 AM**  
+ For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Maron Parish

**MON 21 APR / St. Anselm, Doctor of the Church**  
**NO LITURGY**

**TUE 22 APR / 8:30 AM / St. Theodore of Sykeon**  
+ Repose of **Shirley P. Bennett** by Bruce & Rosemarie Yardas

**WED 23 APR / 7:00 PM / St. George**  
+ Repose of **The Holy Souls in Purgatory** by John Abbas, Jr.

**THU 24 APR / 8:30 AM / St. Saba, the Commander**  
+ Repose of **Gerry Kopp** by Warren Cousins

**FRI 25 APR / 12:00 PM / St. Mark, the Evangelist**  
+ Repose of **Camilia Saliba Lander** by Salloum & Rose Sahyoun

**SAT 26 APR / 2ND SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION / Pope St. Anacletus I**  
**4:30 PM**  
+ Repose of **Walt Sardich** by Family  
+ Repose of **Richard Marinelli** by Julie & Jeffrey Palusak

**SUN 27 APR / 2ND SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION / St. Simon, Brother of the Lord**  
**08:30 AM**  
+ 1-yr Anniversary of **Gerry Kopp** by John Kopp and Family  
+ Repose of **Nabeh & Frances Rouhana** by Family

**11:00 AM**  
+ Repose of **Ghassan Ghossain** by Sister Renee Ghossain and Family  
+ 40-day Memorial of **Rosemarie Cheff** by Family

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Jon 2:1b-3, 4b,5,7-11; Phil 2:1-11  
Mt 28:1-10

**Easter Liturgy (Vigil) - Saturday, Apr. 19**

**6:00 pm:** Salma Hallett  
Mia Abi Ghanem  
/ Christa Farah  
Seminarian

Jon 2:1b-3, 4b,5,7-11; 1 Cor 15:12-26  
Mk 16: 1-8

**Easter Liturgy - Sunday, Apr. 20**

**11:00 am:** Madeline Clarke  
Ghassan Rajeh  
/ Seminarian  
Seminarian



## NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Is 52:7-12; 2 Cor 5:11-21;  
Jn 20:26-31



**Lectors - Apr. 26 & 27**

**Saturday**

**4:30 pm:** Christopher Brocius  
/ Madeline Clarke

**Sunday**

**8:30 am:** Anne-Marie Luchansky  
/ Salma Hallett

**11:00 am:** Kalyn Sharrow  
/ MCF (5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

## ALTAR SERVERS

**THIS WEEK - Apr. 19 & 20**

Sat. - 6:00 pm Charbel / Veronica  
Joe / Anna  
Sun. - 11:00 am Ryan / Ava

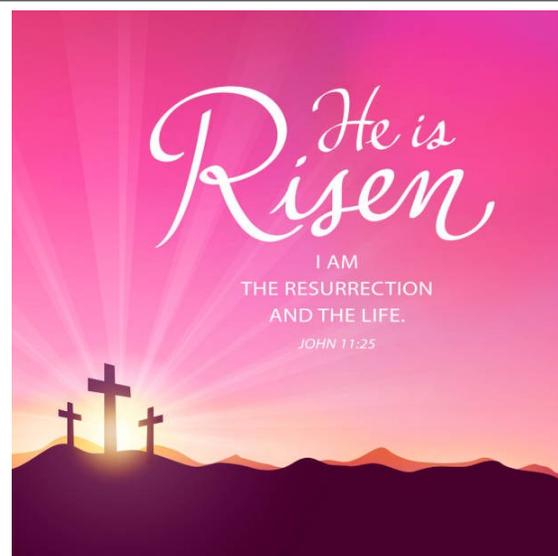


**NEXT WEEK - Apr. 26 & 27**

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

**Ushers:**

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



*Remember in your prayers*

**SHUT-INS AT HOME:**

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



*Please pray for*

the following people who have died  
in the past years

Apr. 19 - 25

Rose Rushwin, Haceba Nohra,  
Sam Simon, Edward Farris, Sr.  
Joseph Thomas, Paul C. Michael,  
Tannous Abbas, Mike Barkett,  
Tom Stephan, Sid Shaheen,  
Thomas S. Gabriel,  
Florence Amon, Martha Salvador,  
Angeline Simon, Theresa (Rose) Joseph,  
Soltanie Barkett, Sab Fares,  
Albert Essad, Daher Daher,  
Dohar Dohar, Ann N. Fire,  
John Kathar, Michael G. Ellis,  
Elizabeth Beshara, Anton Saadey,  
Ased Achkar, Edith Welch,  
Josephine C. Thomas, Robert Lepera

## CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

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

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/stmaronyoungstown](https://www.facebook.com/stmaronyoungstown)

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



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

## SANCTUARY CANDLES - APRIL

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Thomas M. & Mary Zakia Joseph**  
by Their children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren
- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Vince L. Marzano, Sr. & Vince Marzano, Jr.**  
by loving wife and mother, Yvonne Marzano and brothers, & Families
- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Joni B. Craven, Helene D'Apolito & Birdie Vantell** by Yvonne Marzano

## ALTAR WINE - APRIL

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Henry & Elizabeth Hanna** by Nina Hanna

## ALTAR BREAD - APRIL

- ◆ In Loving Memory of **Joseph Hanna** by Nina Hanna

## Happy Birthday!

- Apr 19 Margo Beshara
- Apr 20 Judi Banna, Vincent El-Hayek, Paul Pancoe
- Apr 21 Donald Santisi
- Apr 22 Shelby Krause, William Rohan, Ed Sargent
- Apr 23 Antoine Chahine, Trena Dohar, Mark Porter
- Apr 24 Gia Antonucci
- Apr 25 Hadi Chammas, Vivian Nohra, John Scrocco



## Happy Anniversary!

- Apr 22 Darren & Patti Machuga (30 Years)
- Apr 24 Maroun & Rhona Farah (15 Years)
- Apr 25 K. Anthony & Patricia Hayek (14 Years)



# Thank You!

We at St. Maron Parish are very blessed to have parishioners who are so giving of their time and talents, and who contribute so much to make our parish a true family.

**THANK YOU** to Rose Sahyoun and Marilyn Mastronarde and their crew for baking the best kaak.

**THANK YOU** to Linda Awad and her family who put together such a wonderful Hosanna brunch for our children, and donated baskets, decorations, and food for the event.

**THANK YOU** to our MYO advisor team, especially Deacon William who coordinated another successful Kolachi sale & prepared the food for the Hosanna brunch, Rosa Calabria for her hard work in helping with MYO projects, and the Kolachi sale, and the entire "Kolachi Crew", the parents, and the youth members who helped.

A Special **THANK YOU** to everyone in our parish we thank you for making St. Maron a very special home for our faith, families and community.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- Red Cross Blood Drive** - Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> (9am-2pm) (Antioch Hall)
- Night at the Races** - Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6 pm (Antioch Hall)
- The Shrine's Lebanese Food Festival** - Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup> (11am - 5pm)
- Knights of St. Maron Dinner** - Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm (Antioch Hall)
- Silver Bullets** - Wednesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 11 am (Antioch Hall)
- Memorial Day Picnic** - Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm (Rec Area)
- Steak Fry** - Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup> (6 - 9pm) at the Rec. Area
- VBS - Exploring the Maronite Divine Liturgy** - June 16<sup>th</sup> through 20<sup>th</sup>
- St. Maron Lebanese FunFest** - July 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> (Maronite Center)

## RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



St. Maron Church, Youngstown, is hosting a blood Drive on Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 2 pm, at the Antioch Hall. Come to give blood April 14-30, 2025 and get an exclusive Red Cross T-shirt, while supplies last. Plus, get a chance to win a \$5,000 prize! There will be three lucky winners. Join Us and Save Lives...

## NIGHT AT THE RACES



Get ready for an electrifying night on Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 6 pm at the Antioch Hall! Experience the excitement as you buy and name a horse for just \$10, place \$2 bets, and cheer on your favorites in a series of thrilling races, including a special auction race. Race sponsorships are available for \$25, offering a great opportunity for individuals or businesses to show their support. Alongside the races, enjoy a variety of delicious food and drinks, including hot dogs, pizza, chips, popcorn, soft drinks, water, and beer. This fun-filled event promises a night of excitement, friendly competition, and plenty of chances to win—all while supporting a great cause. Gather your friends and family for an unforgettable evening. To buy a horse, sponsor a race, or make a donation, visit [tinyurl.com/nightattheraces25](http://tinyurl.com/nightattheraces25) or contact the parish office at (330) 792-2371.

## THE 3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL LEBANESE FOOD FESTIVAL



The Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon presents their Annual Lebanese Food Festival on Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup> (11 am - 5 pm).

## THE KNIGHTS OF ST. MARON



All male members of the St. Maron church are welcome to join us at our upcoming spring dinner that will take place on Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm, and become a member of the knights of St. Maron. Please RSVP by Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, to Deacon William at 330-787-2937 or to the parish office at 330-792-2371. You may include your dues payment of \$100, or payments will also be accepted at the door.

## MEMORIAL DAY PICNIC



Please join us as we kick off our Parish summer season with a Memorial Day "Backyard" picnic on Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup> at the Rec Area! Picnic starts at 1:00 pm. We ask each family to please bring a dish or dessert to share. Sign up sheets in the foyer so we know how much food to prepare. Remember to bring your yard games, backgammon boards, cards, etc. Let's all enjoy a fun family day together!

## THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The KofC will be at our parish collecting donations on the weekend of May 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>. You have always been generous, and they are greatly appreciative.

## MARONITE YOUTH ORGANIZATION



On behalf of the MYO group, we would like to thank Deacon William, the parents, and all adults volunteers, and everyone who purchased our Kolachi & encourage our group. Thank you for your continuous support.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



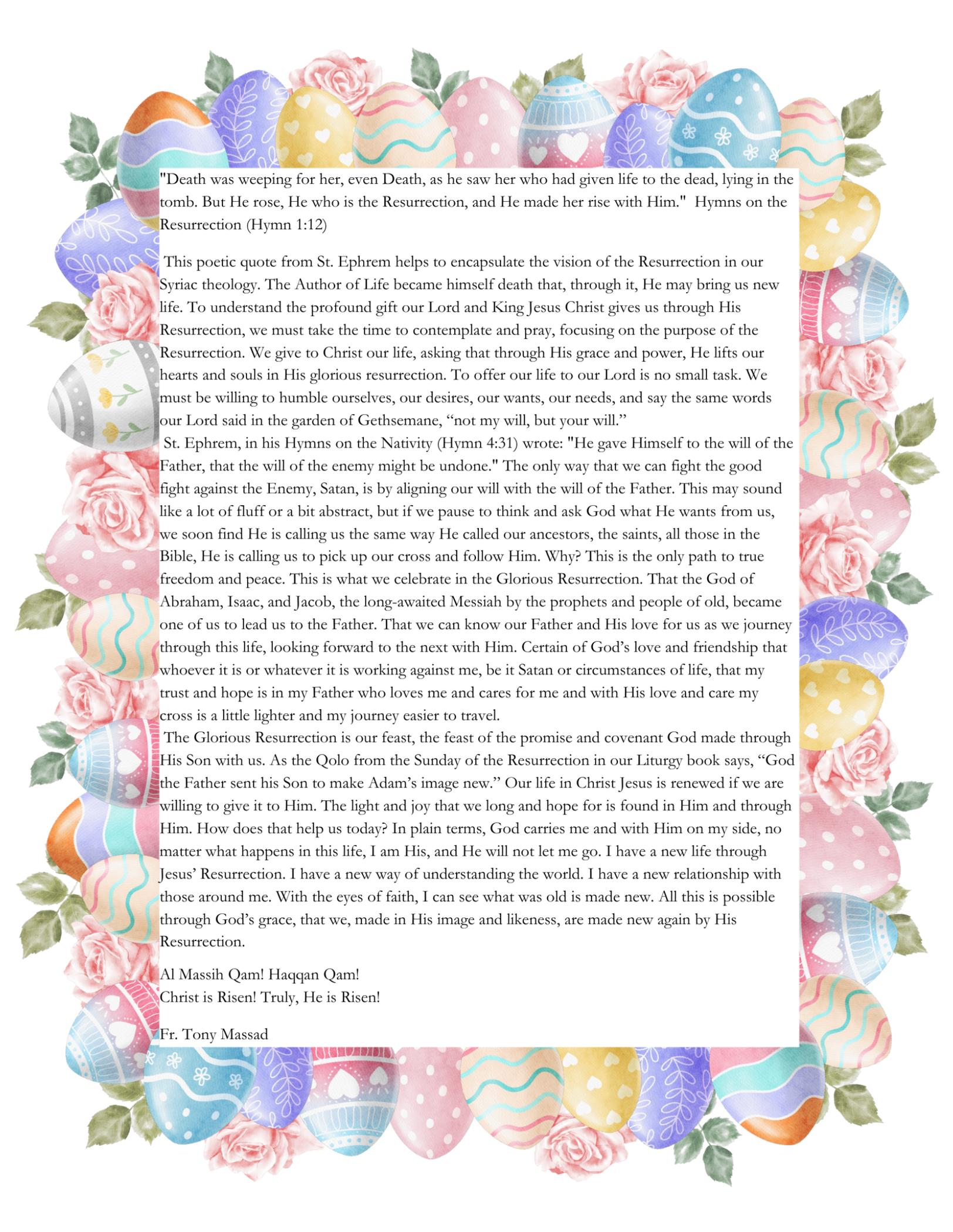
Children (Ages 4 through 12) are invited to join us for a week of fun, fellowship, prayer & spiritual growth, on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> through Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, from 9 am to 1:45 pm (Lunch and snacks are provided) Cost is \$20 per child or \$50 for a family of 3 or more children Bring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

## Weekly Financial Report

04/13/2025

Offertory Collection (118 envelopes used of 288)	\$7,397.00
Candles	\$172.00
Easter Flowers (4 envelopes)	\$190.00
Easter Offerings (2 envelopes)	\$600.00
Eparchial Developmental Appeal (1 envelope)	\$10.00
Needy (7 envelopes)	\$170.00
Online Offerings (8 envelopes)	\$685.00

Thank you for your generous donations!



"Death was weeping for her, even Death, as he saw her who had given life to the dead, lying in the tomb. But He rose, He who is the Resurrection, and He made her rise with Him." Hymns on the Resurrection (Hymn 1:12)

This poetic quote from St. Ephrem helps to encapsulate the vision of the Resurrection in our Syriac theology. The Author of Life became himself death that, through it, He may bring us new life. To understand the profound gift our Lord and King Jesus Christ gives us through His Resurrection, we must take the time to contemplate and pray, focusing on the purpose of the Resurrection. We give to Christ our life, asking that through His grace and power, He lifts our hearts and souls in His glorious resurrection. To offer our life to our Lord is no small task. We must be willing to humble ourselves, our desires, our wants, our needs, and say the same words our Lord said in the garden of Gethsemane, "not my will, but your will."

St. Ephrem, in his Hymns on the Nativity (Hymn 4:31) wrote: "He gave Himself to the will of the Father, that the will of the enemy might be undone." The only way that we can fight the good fight against the Enemy, Satan, is by aligning our will with the will of the Father. This may sound like a lot of fluff or a bit abstract, but if we pause to think and ask God what He wants from us, we soon find He is calling us the same way He called our ancestors, the saints, all those in the Bible, He is calling us to pick up our cross and follow Him. Why? This is the only path to true freedom and peace. This is what we celebrate in the Glorious Resurrection. That the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, the long-awaited Messiah by the prophets and people of old, became one of us to lead us to the Father. That we can know our Father and His love for us as we journey through this life, looking forward to the next with Him. Certain of God's love and friendship that whoever it is or whatever it is working against me, be it Satan or circumstances of life, that my trust and hope is in my Father who loves me and cares for me and with His love and care my cross is a little lighter and my journey easier to travel.

The Glorious Resurrection is our feast, the feast of the promise and covenant God made through His Son with us. As the Qolo from the Sunday of the Resurrection in our Liturgy book says, "God the Father sent his Son to make Adam's image new." Our life in Christ Jesus is renewed if we are willing to give it to Him. The light and joy that we long and hope for is found in Him and through Him. How does that help us today? In plain terms, God carries me and with Him on my side, no matter what happens in this life, I am His, and He will not let me go. I have a new life through Jesus' Resurrection. I have a new way of understanding the world. I have a new relationship with those around me. With the eyes of faith, I can see what was old is made new. All this is possible through God's grace, that we, made in His image and likeness, are made new again by His Resurrection.

Al Massih Qam! Haqqan Qam!  
Christ is Risen! Truly, He is Risen!

Fr. Tony Massad

# 2025 Easter Flower Donations

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*In loving memory of...*



**John T. Abbas, Sr.** by his wife Marie and Children  
**The Deceased Members of Abi-Salloum Family** by Tamine Abi-Salloum  
**William & Isabelle Alexander** by William & Janice Alexander  
**My Sister Adwane Warchol** by Marie & David Basile  
**Our Son David J. Basile** by Mom, Dad, and Families  
**Nazih & Patty Banna** by Jessica Banna  
**Nazih & Rose Banna** by Jessica Banna  
**My parents Rick & Judi Banna** by Jessica Banna  
**Nazih & Rose Banna** by Richard & Judi Banna  
**Robert & Helen Wimer** by Richard & Judi Banna  
**Chuck Beshara, and Tom, Rose, & Jennie Abeid** by Paulette Beshara and Family  
**Jaime Cardenas Duran** by Joe & Adriana Bishara, and Family  
**Beatriz Ramirez Granados** by Joe & Adriana Bishara, and Family  
**Anabel Cardenas Ramirez** by Joe & Adriana Bishara, and Family  
**Jim Borak** by Emmalyn Borak  
**Aleda and Joseph Bukovinsky** by Children, Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren  
**Saada and Michael Beshara** by Bukovinsky Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, and Great-great Grandchildren  
**Aunt Rema Beshara Lansing** by Bukovinsky family nieces and nephews  
**Uncle Richard M. Beshara** by Bukovinsky family nieces and nephews  
**Uncle Sam and Aunt Connie Beshara** by Bukovinsky family nieces and nephews  
**Uncle Harry Beshara** by Bukovinsky family nieces and nephews  
**Uncle Joseph Beshara** by Bukovinsky family nieces and nephews  
**Richard Anthony Beshara** by Bukovinsky family cousins  
**Our beloved parents, Katherine and Lawrence Stephan** by Larry & Jo Ann Stephan  
**Our beloved sister, Frances Stephan Jordan** by Larry & Jo Ann Stephan  
**The Deceased Members of the Calabria Family** by Joe & Rosa Calabria  
**The Deceased Members of the Mediati Family** by Joe & Rosa Calabria  
**The Deceased Members of the Saadey Family** by Kenneth & Linda Carano  
**The Deceased Members of the Carano Family** by Kenneth & Linda Carano  
**Emile Chahine** by Laurece & Joe Chahine, and Family  
**Richard M. Beshara** by Laurece & Joe Chahine, and Family  
**Richard A. Beshara** by Laurece & Joe Chahine, and Family  
**Joe & Aleda Bukovinsky** by Laurece & Joe Chahine, and Family  
**Hoda Chedid** by Laurece & Joe Chahine, and Family  
**John & Fran Dohar** by Fred, Annie, and Joe Ciarniello  
**Fred & Mary Ciarniello** by Fred, Annie, and Joe Ciarniello  
**Rizzie D. & Genevieve M. Yazbek** by David & Madeline Clarke  
**Albert & Barbara Dohar** by David & Madeline Clarke  
**Godparents Ferris George, Joan Mullen & Sr. Gabriel O.S.U** by David & Madeline Clarke

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Ginny Jones by John & Cheryl Cucchiara  
**The Deceased Members of the Dohar – Julian Families** by Mike & Georgia Dohar, and Families  
**George & Elizabeth Ellis** by Their Family  
**Albert & Barbra Dohar** by Their Family  
**The Deceased Members of the Ellis Family** by Their Family  
**The Deceased Members of the Abraham Family** by Their Family  
**Basile & Amira Estephan** by Hekmat & Jean Estephan  
**Robert & Beverly Hilderbrand** by Hekmat & Jean Estephan  
**Joseph Faraj** by Hekmat & Jean Estephan  
**James & Katherine Essad** by Subdeacon James & Paula Essad  
**James & Florence Carson** by Subdeacon James & Paula Essad  
**Jeanne R. Essad** by her husband Michael Essad, Sr.  
**Ed & Carmella Farris** by Edward & Phyllis Farris  
**Phil & Joan Colonna** by Edward & Phyllis Farris  
**Edward & Carmella Farris** - with Love, by John & Laurie Farris  
**Joseph & Florence Sosnowski** - with Love, by John & Laurie Farris  
**The Deceased Members of the Garono Family** by Betty Garono  
**The Deceased Members of the Saadey Family** by Betty Garono  
**Florence Vitullo** by Betty Garono  
**Deacon Joe & Betty Nohra** by Albert & Tabby George  
**Ferris & Liz George** by Albert & Tabby George  
**Msr. William Bonczewski** by Brian & Patricia Godsen, and Family  
**Salim & Maoune Mikhael** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Joseph Hayek** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Aleda Bukovinsky** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Richard Beshara** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Rema Lansing** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Sami Beshara** by Matthew & Salma Hallett  
**Joe and Rose Hanna** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Joe Hanna** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Ease Hanna** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Henry and Elizabeth Hanna** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Shahwan and Busma Koury** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Mary Koury** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Victoria Koury** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Hassane El Khoury** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Marcy & Leah Petruzzi** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**John & Anna Stephens** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**John N. Bishara** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon

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**Bill & Sadie Lewis** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Joe & Eleanor Beshara** by Nina Hanna, and Tony & Sara Rochon  
**Alex K., Bessie, & Joseph A. Hayek** by Alex K. Hayek Family  
**Joseph M. & Phillip Hayek** by Rosette & David Hayek  
**John & Josephine Jakubek** by Family  
**Thomas M. & Mary Zackia Joseph** by Children & Grandchildren  
**Terry Khoury** by Antoine Khoury  
**Alan Joseph Mike** by Joseph & Amanda Khoury  
**Yousef "Joseph" Khoury** by Joseph & Amanda Khoury  
**Alice Rohan** by Joann Knuth and Family  
**Dr. Richard F. Marinelli** by Wife Beverly  
**The Deceased Members of the Galip & Marinelli Families** by Beverly Marinelli  
**Vince Marzano, Sr. & Vince Marzano, Jr.** by loving mother & wife Yvonne and brothers, and Family  
**Alberta (Birdie) Vantell** by best friend Yvonne Marzano  
**Richard & Mary Dohar** by Marilyn Mastronarde  
**George Sr. & Alice Rohan** by Marilyn Mastronarde  
**Zina Herrera** by Marilyn Mastronarde  
**Vincent Morgione** by Tom & Vinetta Metzinger  
**John & Joanne Metzinger** by Tom & Vinetta Metzinger  
**The Deceased Members of Galip & Morgione Families** by Loretta Morgione  
**The Deceased Members of Nakley Family** by Sue Nakley  
**Grandpa Anthony J. Saadey** – Love, Ava & Anton Parvini  
**Farid Rafidi** by Sami & Rita Rafidi  
**Karimeh Rafidi** by Sami & Rita Rafidi  
**Sleiman Sleiman** by Sami & Rita Rafidi  
**Argent Sleiman** by Sami & Rita Rafidi  
**Joseph Sleiman** by Sami & Rita Rafidi  
**Our Godfather Joe M. Hayek** by Salma & Nawal  
**Maoune & Selim Mikhael** by Family  
**Ray J. Timarko** by Samira, Samia, and Ghassan  
**Bill & Billie Beshara** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira  
**Freddy Beshara** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira  
**The Deceased Members of the Rajeh Family** by Family  
**The Deceased Members of the Michael Family** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira  
**Our Aunts Mountaha, Takla, Ramza, and Adelle** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira  
**Dr. George Saadey & Anthony Saadey** by Ghassan & Samia Rajeh  
**Russell Saadey III** by Ghassan & Samia Rajeh  
**Uncle Richie Beshara** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira  
**Dr. Elias T. Saadi** by Ghassan, Samia, and Samira

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Edward Rance, Sr. by Rhonda Rance  
Tony & Jennie Accardi by Anthony & Sara Rochon  
Margaret Rochon by Anthony & Sara Rochon  
Stephen Rochon by Anthony & Sara Rochon  
Andrew & Sarah Kocak by William & Karen Rohan  
The Deceased Members of the St. Maron Parish by Waleed & Roula Saab, and Family  
Anthony Saadey, Sr. by Family  
Jiddi Eli Saadi – Love, Michel Arz Saadi  
The Deceased Members of Banna & Sahyoun Families by Salloum & Rose Sahyoun  
All Parishioners of St. Maron Church by Chelsey Santucci  
Simon Sarkis by Family  
Barbara & John Acerra by Family  
Nasib & Jamile Souhaiby, and José N. Castro by Betty Souhaiby  
Saada “Tita” Simon by Joseph & Lori Stephan  
Stephan B. Stephan by Joseph & Lori Stephan  
Ferris & Elizabeth George by Neil & Mary Beth Taylor  
Mr. & Mrs. Nasef J. Thomas by Mark & Elizabeth Thomas  
Mr. & Mrs. Richard P. Killmeyer by Mark & Elizabeth Thomas  
Deceased Loved Ones by David & Michele Touvelle  
Carol Vasbinder by Steve & Bridgette Vasbinder  
The Deceased Members of the Saadey Family by John C. Vitullo  
The Deceased Members of the Vitullo Family by John C. Vitullo  
Joseph & Helen Saadey by Karen Warg and Family  
Charles B. & Josephine E Thomas by Children, Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren  
Joseph A. & Doris D. Warino by Joe & Linda Warino, and Family  
John & Barbara Acerra by their Family  
Rizzie & Genevieve Daboul Yazbek by Amelia, Marian, and Sarah Yazbek  
Mamie H. Daboul & Son Robert F. Daboul by Amelia, Marian, and Sarah Yazbek  
Lloyd M. Yazbek by Amelia, Marian, and Sarah Yazbek  
T.A. & Rita Haralla & Son Bob by Amelia M. Yazbek  
Raymond Coury & William Walker by Amelia M. Yazbek  
Joe & Millie Kenney by Joe & Ginny Yazbek  
Rizzie & Pudgie Yazbek by Joe & Ginny Yazbek  
Lloyd Yazbek by Linda B. Yazbek and Family  
Mary Beth Morton by Linda B. Yazbek and Family  
Norman & Sadie Bishara by Linda B. Yazbek and Family  
Rizzie & Genevieve Yazbek by Linda B. Yazbek and Family

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**John N. & John Charles Bishara** by Linda B. Yazbek and Family  
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**6 PM**

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**Saturday, April 26th**

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