

#### 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

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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.

02 AUG / 9<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / Translation of the Relics of St. Stephan SAT 4:30 PM

- + Repose of Amelia Yazbek by Michael & Berni Sabelli
- + Repose of Richard Marinelli by Barbara Gabriel

03 AUG / 9TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / David, the Prophet SUN 08:30 AM

- + Repose of Anna Hammond by Frances Sarkis
- + Repose of **Gerry Kopp** by Elizabeth Colla

- + Repose of **The Girls at the Christian Camp in Texas** by Lorraine Palm
- + Repose of Wayne Kramer by Charles & Linda Bishara

04 AUG / St. John Vianney, the Curé d'Ars

**NO LITURGY** 

TUE 05 AUG / 8:30 AM / Moses, the Prophet

NO LITURGY

WED 06 AUG / 7:00 PM / The Transfiguration of the Lord

+ Repose of **Katherine Richards** by Fr. Tony

07 AUG / 08:30 AM / St. Doumit

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

08 AUG / 12:00 PM / St. Dominic / Pope St. Sixtus II

+ Repose of Jake Rezek by Sarah, George & Rebecca Clarke

09 AUG / 10TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / St. Matthias SAT 4:30 PM

+ Repose of Jane Vigorito by Nina Hanna

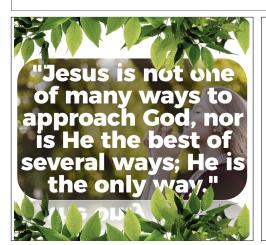
+ Repose of **Shirley Sunderlin** by Joe & Ginny Yazbek

SUN 10 AUG / 10<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF PENTECOST / St. Lawrence 08:30 AM

- + Repose of **John Luchansky** by Mark & Anne-Marie Luchansky and Family
- + Repose of William Michael by Remon Hayek

#### 11:00 AM

- + 1 Year-Anniversary of **Tony Khazzaka** by Nick & Silva Ghossain and Mike & Jizelle Wehbe
- + Repose of **Charles Zidian**, **Sr.** by Charles & Donna Zidian, and Family





Remember in your prayers

**SHUT-INS AT HOME:** 

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



#### CONNECT TO LIVE STREAMS:

Website: https://www.stmaronyoungstown.org Facebook: www.facebook.com/stmaronyoungstown Instagram: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/saintmaronyo">https://www.instagram.com/saintmaronyo</a>



#### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Is 61:1-4, 8-10a; 2 Cor 5:20-6:10;

Lk 4:14-21

Lectors - August 02 & 03

Saturday

4:30 pm: Carol Essad

/ Mike Dohar

Sunday

8:30 am: Anne-Marie Luchansky

/ Salma Hallett

11:00 am: Kalvn Sharrow

/ Linda Awad

#### **NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

2 Kings 1:2-8; 1Cor 12:1-11;

Mt 12:22-32

Lectors - August 09 & 10

**Saturday** 

4:30 pm: Christopher Brocious

/ Charles Zidian, Jr.

Sunday

8:30 am: Thomas Calko

/ Theresa Calko

11:00 am: Alexander Simon

/ Joe Simon

#### **ALTAR SERVERS**

THIS WEEK - August 02 & 03

Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers

Sun. - 8:30 am Ryan / Volunteer

11:00 am Volunteers

NEXT WEEK - August 09 & 10

Sat. - 4:30 pm Delaney / Volunteer

**Sun. - 8:30 am** Joe / Anna

11:00 am Kathryn / Volunteer

**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 August 02 - 08

Julia "Judy" Essad, Nieman Hanna, Sliman Joseph, Louis M. Ellis, James Miranda, Sam Beshara, Tony Khazzaka, Gladys Thomas, Frederick Stuart Beshara, Frank Baboka, Trena Dohar, Albert M. Bettross, Sr. Thomas C. Abraham, Rose Coury, Ronald Beshara, Evette Murphy, Vincent Marzano, Sr. Gerald C. Essad

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



#### **AUGUST 02 & 03, 2025**

#### **SANCTUARY CANDLES - AUGUST**

- ♦ In Loving Memory of **John & Fran Dohar** by Michael & Georgia Dohar & Families
- ♦ In Loving Memory of **Vincent L. Marzano, Sr.**by Loving Wife Yvonne Marzano
- ♦ In Loving Memory of Tony Khazzaka by Waleed & Rola Saab

#### ALTAR WINE - AUGUST

♦ In Loving Memory of **Tony Khazzaka** by Sue Nakley

#### **ALTAR BREAD - AUGUST**

♦ In Loving Memory of **Lloyd Yazbek** by Linda & Family

#### Happy Birthday!

- Aug 02 Samira Gabriel, Charles Zidian, Jr.
- Aug 05 Joseph Chahine, Jennifer See, Kamillie Truslow
- Aug 06 Kyle Estephan, Michael Thomas, Karen Warg
- Aug 08 Michelle Chahine, Jim Sharrow, Mamie Yazbek

#### Happy Anniversary!

- Aug 02 Louis & Daniella Bassil (33 Years)
- Aug 03 George & Nancy Thomas (39 Years)
- Aug 04 William & Theresa D'Angelo (19 Years)
- Aug 05 Meckenzie & Makayla DePasquale (2 Years)
- Aug 07 William & Janice Alexander (32 Years)
- Aug 08 Steven & Bridgette Vasbinder (27 Years)

William & Shana Yardas (16 Years)



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#### SAVE THE DATE!

The St. Maron Education Foundation Committee is excited to announce that its <u>Annual Fundraiser</u> is scheduled for Saturday, October. 11th from 6 to 11 PM at The Maronite Center.

#### **GOSPEL OF THE WEEK**

In this week's Gospel, we are drawn into a powerful and defining moment at the very beginning of Jesus' public ministry Returning to Galilee "in the power of the Spirit," Jesus goes to the synagogue of His hometown, Nazareth, and stands to read from the scroll of the prophet Isaiah. The passage He reads is full of hope and promise—good news for the poor, liberty for captives, sight for the blind, and freedom for the oppressed. Then, in a moment both stunning and bold, Jesus proclaims: "Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." With those words, He declares Himself as the longawaited Messiah and reveals the heart of His mission, not a political liberation, but a spiritual awakening, a renewal of God's covenant of love with His people. This Gospel challenges us to reflect not only on who Jesus is, but on what He brings into our lives. He comes to proclaim today, not yesterday, not tomorrow, but today, that God's mercy is real, that healing is possible, that the poor are heard, and that the brokenhearted are not forgotten. Are we ready to receive that message in our own lives?

Weekly Financial Report	07/27/2025
Offertory Collection (74 envelopes used of 258)	\$4,795.00
Candles	\$141.00
Needy (2 envelopes)	\$60.00
Online Offerings (5 envelopes)	\$300.00

#### Thank you for your generous donations!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Festival Thank you Picnic - Sat., Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> at 5.30 PM (Rec Area) MCF Classes - Starting Sunday September 14<sup>th</sup>, between Liturgies Education Foundation Fundraiser Dinner - Sat., Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm Save The Date - St. Maron Festival 2026 - July 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

#### ST. MARON BOCCE LEAGUE



Everyone is having so much fun!

Thank you to all the teams who have come out and enjoyed evenings at our bocce court.

Snacks and drinks are available during the games to keep the good times rolling!

There will be **NO GAMES** on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 7<sup>th</sup></u>, and <u>the day of the Assumption (Friday</u>, <u>August 15<sup>th</sup></u>) It's always a pleasure seeing you on the court!

#### ANNUAL ASSUMPTION PILGRIMAGE

The pilgrimage will be held at Our Lady of Lebanon Shrine in North Jackson from August 13th - 15th, 2025.

The Feast of the Assumption Liturgy will be held Friday, August 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm, followed by the Procession and Blessing with the Icon of Our Lady of Lebanon.

For more information you may call the Shrine at 330-538-3351, or go to the Shrine's website, <u>www.ourladyoflebanonshrine.com</u> for a full schedule of events.

# ASSUMPTION PILGRIMAGE HELP NEEDED



Thank

You!

Thursday, August 14th, beginning at 9.00 am at the Shrine If you are able to help for the day, or portion of the day, please call Rose at 330-565-7238

#### THANK YOU PARTY

Thank you for all those who worked so hard to make the festival such a great success!

The Thank you party will be held on Saturday, August 16th, at 5:30 PM at the Recreational Area.

Please RSVP to know the count by email: stmaronyoungstown@gmail.com, phone: 330-792-2371 or sign up sheet in the church foyer.

#### **ALTAR SUPPLIES**

The Altar Supplies 2026 Schedule is now open.

Altar supplies memorial donations can be reserved by the month, in memory of your loved ones: Altar candles are \$20 each (3 available for each month), Altar wine is \$25, and Altar bread is \$45

Please call the parish office at 330-792-2371.



PARISH

FESTIVAL

Thursday-Sunday

July 31, August 1–3, 2025

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Rides--Games--Huge Basket Raffle

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#### LIVE ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTLY

THURSDAY, JULY 31 6:30-9:30 PM NO FUNK NO JUSTICE BAND FRIDAY, AUG. 1 7:30-10:30 PM DR. ZOOTS BAND

SATURDAY, AUG. 2 8-11 PM CHRIS HIGBEE BAND
SUNDAY, AUG. 3 1-2:30 PM THE FERAL CATS BAND
6-10 PM OLD SKOOL BAND

FREE ADMISSION



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**AUGUST** 





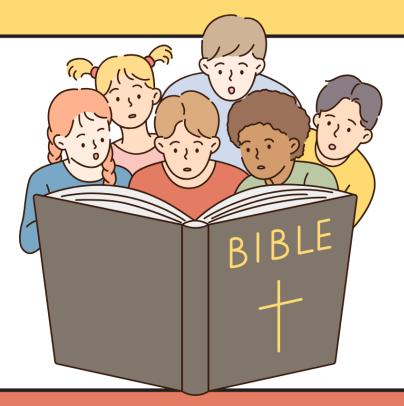
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# MCF Classes

Maronite Christian Formation Classes will begin Sunday, September 14th between the 8:30 am & 11:00 am liturgies.



Children must also attend MCF to qualify for Catholic school tuition allowances.

We need a count of the kids attending, so please register as soon as possible.
Online registration available

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