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: 330-538-9822
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.

SAT 31 OCT/SUNDAY OF THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH/St. Epimachus
4:30 PM
+ In Prayers for **The Living and Deceased Members of The Essad Family** by Carol Essad
+ Repose of **John T. Abbas, Sr. & John T. Abbas, Jr.** by Family

SUN 01 NOV/SUNDAY OF THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH/ALL SAINTS
Sts. Cosmas & Damian
8:30 AM
+ Repose of **William Manser** by Joe & Linda Warino
+ Repose of **Antoinette Deeb AlJalkh** by Fr. Tony Massad

11:00 AM
+ Repose of **Jacqueline Coury** by Family
+ Repose of **Alfred & Sayde Gabriel** by Samir & Samira Gabriel
+ Repose of **M. Charlotte Mike** by Michael Mike, III & Family

MON 02 NOV / Commemoration of the Faithful Departed
NO LITURGY

TUE 03 NOV / 8:30 AM / Sts. Akepsimas, Joseph and Aithalas
+ Repose of **Joan Craven** by The children of Abe and Kay Abraham

WED 04 NOV / 07:00 PM / Sts. Vitalis and Agricola
+ Prayers for **The Homeless, The Poor, Foster Kids and End Abortion** by John Abbas, Jr.†

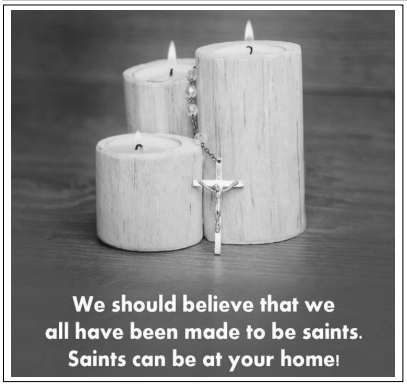
THU 05 NOV / 8:30 AM / St. Asya the Righteous
+ In Prayers for **The Living and Deceased Members of Bill and Helen Toth's family** by The children of Abe and Kay Abraham

FRI 06 NOV / 11:00 AM - EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
12:00 PM - DIVINE LITURGY / St. Paul, Patriarch of Constantinople
+ Repose of **Pat Casey** by Sue Nakley

SAT 07 NOV / SUNDAY OF THE RENEWAL OF THE CHURCH / St. Hieron
4:30 PM
+ Repose of **Mamie H. Daboul** by Marian & Sarah Yazbek
+Repose of **Shirley Sunderlin** by Julie Dohar
+ Happy Heavenly Birthday to **Jeffrey Chahine** by Wife Edna & Family

SUN 08 NOV / SUNDAY OF THE RENEWAL OF THE CHURCH / St. Michael
8:30 AM
+ Repose of **Steve Welcsh** by Fred George
+ Repose of **Michael Mike, Jr.** by Joe & Lynn Mike

11:00 AM
+ Repose of **Maryanne Samsel** by Family
+ Repose of **David Joseph Basile** by Mom & Dad, and Family



Remember in your prayers

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

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

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THIS WEEK'S READINGS
Is 54:1,3,5-8,10; Heb 9:1-12; Mt 16:13-20

Lectors - October 31 & November 01
Saturday
4:30 pm: Christopher Brocious / Madeline Clarke
Sunday
8:30 am: Charbel Farah / Christa Farah
11:00 am: Alexander Simon / Skylar Hollyman

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS
2 Mac 10:1-6a, 7b-8; Heb 9:11-15; Jn 10:22-42

Lectors - November 07 & 08
Saturday
4:30 pm: Madeline Clarke / Carol Essad
Sunday
8:30 am: Anne-Marie Luchansky / Michelle Cooper
11:00 am: Rose Sahyoun / MCF (Grade 5 &6)

ALTAR SERVERS
THIS WEEK - Oct 31 & Nov 1
Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers
Sun. - 8:30 am Ryan / Ava
11:00 am Volunteers

NEXT WEEK - November 07 & 08
Sat. - 4:30 pm Volunteers
Sun. - 8:30 am Charbel / Christa
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
October 31 - November 06

Emily Sam, Edward Beshara, Mae Alexander, Georgette Hanna Powers, Sultana Kathar, Jeanne Featsent, George Rushwin, Josephine Abbas, Michael Hage, Faris Alexander, Paul G. Michael, Robert P. Manser, Mary Catherine Rotar, Thomas Rohan, Jemala Matta, John Zakaria, Antoinette Gabriel, Edward Menaldi, Joseph Alexander, Virginia Jones, Nakeida El-Khoury

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

SUNDAY OF THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH

OCT. 31 & NOV. 01, 2026

SANCTUARY CANDLES - OCTOBER

- In Loving Memory of **Joseph Bukovinsky & Richard Beshara** by Bukovinsky Family
- In Loving Memory of **David Joseph Basile** by Mom, Dad & Family
- In Loving Memory of **David Joseph Basile** by Mom, Dad & Family

ALTAR WINE - OCTOBER

- In Loving Memory of **John Charles Bishara** by Family

ALTAR BREAD - OCTOBER

- In Loving Memory of **Amelia Yazbek** by Marian & Sarah Yazbek

Happy Birthday!



Nov 01 Bachir Abi Salloum
Nov 02 Joseph Mike III, Danny Mohn, Karen Rohan
Nov 03 Marilyn Mastronarde, Aaliyah Mike, Beverly Mike-Nard
Nov 04 Judy May
Nov 05 Chad Cleland- Beshara, Michael DiFabio, Sabine Moradian, Rita Rafidi, Robert Tyger
Nov 06 Sr. Mary Rafqa Boulos

Happy Anniversary!



Nov 02 Christopher & Danielle Bako (13 Years)
John & Elizabeth Chahine (24 Years)
Samir & Samira Gabriel (30 Years)
Nov 03 Nick & Silva Ghossain (32 Years)
Nov 05 Justin & Amanda Grewe (4 Years)

ST. MARON EDUCATION FOUNDATION



St. Maron's Education Foundation invites you to its Annual Fundraiser Casino Night on Saturday, Jan. 16, from 6 – 11 pm at The Maronite Center!
Join us for an exciting evening featuring casino-style gaming, an open bar, appetizers, and dinner, all while supporting our mission to provide scholarships and educational assistance to students in our parish.
Tickets are $90 per person, and reservations are strictly through the Parish Office by calling Rhona at 330-792-2371.
Tables are limited to 8 guests, so you may reserve individual seats or an entire table to ensure that you and your friends can sit together.
Seating is first come, first served, and tables will be filled one by one, front to back, so we encourage you to reserve your seats early.
We look forward to celebrating with you and supporting the education of our parish students!

Weekly Financial Report	10/25/2026
Offertory Collection (77 envelopes used of 258)	$4,703.00
Candles	$126.00
Energy Needs (2 envelopes)	$60.00
Online Offerings (5 envelopes)	$300.00

Thank you for your generous donations!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Bible Study - Every Tuesday, Oct. 20th till Dec. 8th at 6:30 pm (AH)
Christmas Pageant 1st Rehearsal - Saturday, Nov. 7th at 11 am (AH)
Red Cross Blood Drive - Tuesday, Nov. 10th (9am - 2pm) (AH)
MYA Thanksgiving Gathering - Friday, Nov. 20th
Christmas Wreath Making - Sunday, Nov. 22nd (2 - 4 pm) (AH)
Christmas Adult Party - Friday, Dec. 4th at 7 pm (AH)
Parish Christmas Pageant & Party - Sun., Dec. 6th after 11 Liturgy (MC)
Education Foundation Fundraiser - Saturday, Jan. 16th, at 6 pm (MC)

HEBREWS
THE NEW AND ETERNAL



Join us for our Bible Study which will explore the depth of God's plan of salvation and the fulfillment of the New Covenant in Jesus Christ. The Letter to the Hebrews beautifully presents Christ's priesthood and sacrifice, the heavenly liturgy, and the fulfillment of the promises of the Old Testament. Bible Study will take place on Tuesday evenings, beginning with a light meal at 6:30 pm, followed by study at 7:00 pm at Antioch Hall. Sessions are scheduled on November 3, 10, 17 & 24; and December 1 & 8.
Everyone is welcome! Signup sheet is in the church's foyer.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



St. Maron Church, Youngstown, is hosting a blood Drive on Tuesday, November 10th from 9 am to 2 pm, at the Antioch Hall.
Join Us and Save Lives…

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE



Starting November, we will be collecting non-perishable canned goods and foods for those less fortunate.
Please place your food donations in the box in the foyer. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

If you wish to donate poinsettia plants for the altar during Christmas time, in memory of a loved one or for any intention, you may do so by contributing $20 per plant. Have your contribution with your intention in an envelope dropped in the offertory basket or at the office.

MYO CHRISTMAS KOLACHI BAKE SALE!



Your choice of Nut, Poppy Seed, or Apricot, for $15 each!
Orders are due by Wednesday, Dec. 16th, and the rolls will be available for pickup after Liturgies on Saturday, December 19th at 5.30 pm and on Sunday, December 20th at 9.30 am & 12.30 pm.
Order forms are in the church's foyer, call the church office to place your order, or order online at **MYO Christmas Kolachi Order**.

WELCOME FR. PAUL NICHOLSON



We warmly welcome Fr. Paul Nicholson, who will be serving alongside Fr. Tony Massad at St. Maron Parish and the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon.
Fr. Paul is a priest who was ordained to the priesthood in 1997 by Bishop John Michael Sherlock. He completed his seminary formation at St. Peter's Seminary in London, Ontario, Canada, and has served in various parishes throughout southwestern Ontario.
In 2013, Fr. Paul was appointed a Missionary Preacher by Bishop Ronald Peter Fabbro, entrusting him with a special mission of evangelization. Through parish missions, retreats, conferences, and digital media, he has dedicated himself to proclaiming the Gospel, sharing the teachings of the Catholic Church, and helping people deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ. Fr. Nicholson served the Maronite Catholic Archeparchy of Cyprus for the last 3 years at St. George Kormakitis Maronite Church.
Welcome to our parish family, Fr. Paul! May the Lord bless your ministry among us.

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BIBLE STUDY

Hebrews

The New and Eternal Convenant

8 week Bible study focusing on the Letter to the Hebrews

The book of Hebrews reveals the depth of God's plan of salvation and the meaning of the New Covenant fulfilled in Jesus Christ. Often called the "Holy of Holies" of biblical theology, Hebrews examines themes central to the Catholic Faith, including Christ's priesthood, sacrifice, the heavenly liturgy, and the fulfillment of Old Testament promises.

Tuesday evenings, starting with a light meal at 6:30 pm and the study begins at 7:00 pm

November 3, 10, 17, 24

December 1, 8





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St. Maron Maronite Church

Children's Christmas Pageant

Sunday, December 6th, 2026

(At the end of the 11:00 am Divine Liturgy — in the Church)



Open to ALL children in the parish!

Little ones can be sheep or angels

Rehearsal Schedule:
Saturday, November 7th at 11:00 AM (Lunch provided)
Saturday, November 21st at 11:00 AM (Lunch provided)
Saturday, December 5th at 11:00 AM (Lunch provided & Dress Rehearsal)

Please contact:
Tresa Van Heusen at 910.988.6620 or info@monasticcreations.org
Or the office at 330.792.2371 or stmaronyoungstown@gmail.com
for more information.

Children's Christmas Pageant



Please fill out this form and return to _____.

Roles will be decided at the first rehearsal on _____.

Parents/Guardian: _____ **Email:** _____

Child #1

Name: _____ Age: _____ What role would the child like to play? Please list three options: 1st: _____ 2nd:_____ 3rd: _____

Child #2

Name: _____ Age: _____ What role would the child like to play? Please list three options: 1st: _____ 2nd:_____ 3rd: _____

Child #3

Name: _____ Age: _____ What role would the child like to play? Please list three options: 1st: _____ 2nd:_____ 3rd: _____

Child #4

Name: _____ Age: _____ What role would the child like to play? Please list three options: 1st: _____ 2nd:_____ 3rd: _____

Roles Neededin the Play:

Speaking Roles:
Narrator
Archangel Gabriel
Mary
Joseph
Innkeepers (3)
Shepherds (2)
Angels (2)
Kings (3)
Angel Choir (singing)

Non-Speaking Roles:
Star
Angels
Sheep (lambs)
Shepherds

MYO Christmas Kolachi BAKE SALE

Deadline to order is Wednesday, Dec. 16th
No Extras will be available
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Your choice: Nut, Poppy Seed, or Apricot

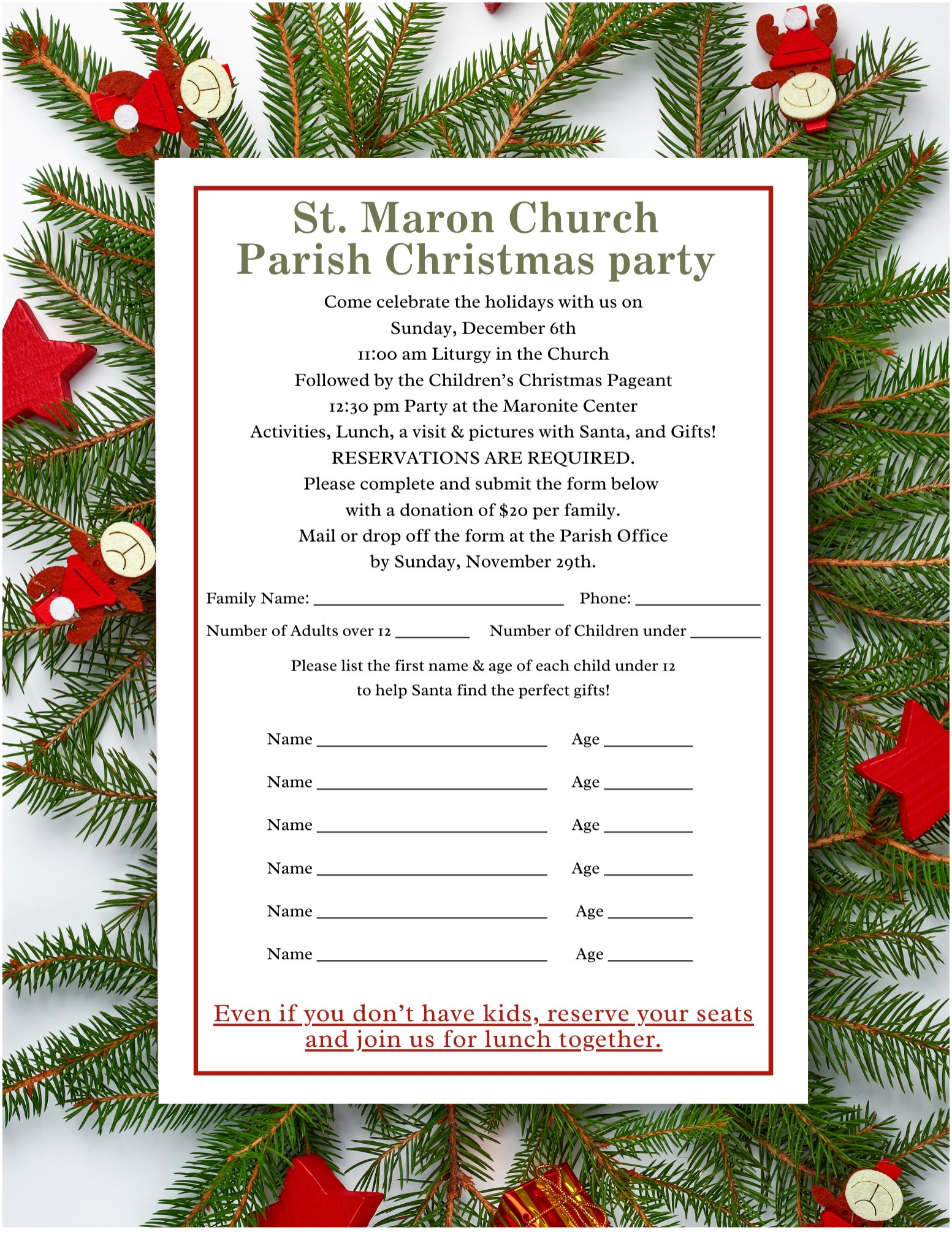
Pickup will be
after 4:30 Liturgy on Saturday, Dec. 19th
and after both liturgies on Sunday, Dec. 20th

Order Forms are available in the church's foyer and online.

Please submit your orders as early as possible.
You may drop your order forms in the offertory basket, at the office, or with Deacon William.

Any questions, call the church's Office at 330-792-2371


Christmas
Party
All Adults are welcome
Friday, December 4th, 2026
Starts at 7 PM - Antioch Hall
Food, Fun, & Music
Bring a Dessert to pass - BYOB
Please RSVP by email at
stmaronyoungstown@gmail.com
or call the Parish Office at 330-792-2371



St. Maron Church
Parish Christmas party

Come celebrate the holidays with us on
Sunday, December 6th
11:00 am Liturgy in the Church
Followed by the Children's Christmas Pageant
12:30 pm Party at the Maronite Center
Activities, Lunch, a visit & pictures with Santa, and Gifts!
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.
Please complete and submit the form below
with a donation of $20 per family.
Mail or drop off the form at the Parish Office
by Sunday, November 29th.

Family Name: _____ Phone: _____

Number of Adults over 12 _____ Number of Children under _____

Please list the first name & age of each child under 12
to help Santa find the perfect gifts!

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Even if you don't have kids, reserve your seats and join us for lunch together.

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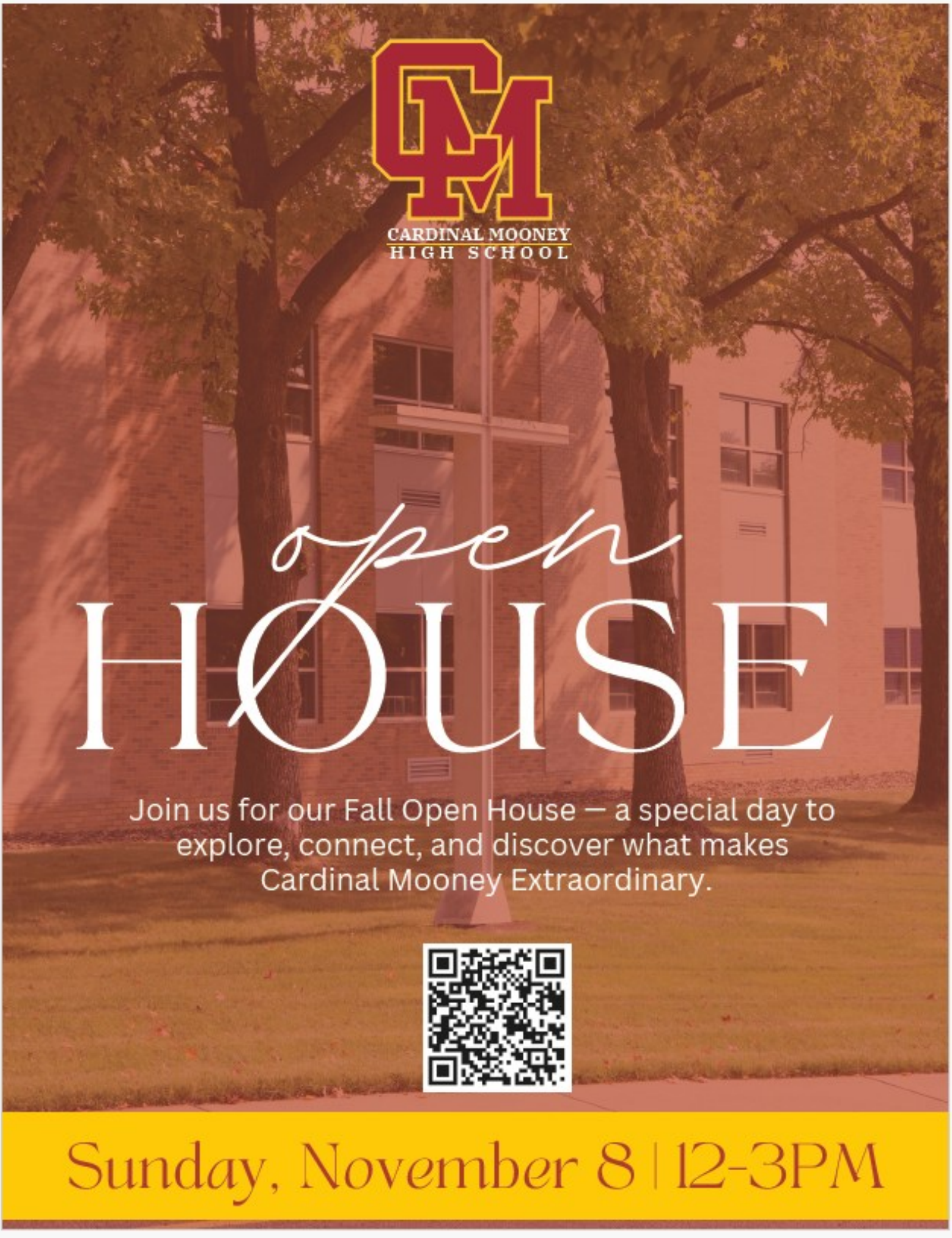











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