November 10, 2024 The Renewal of the Church



Mass Time & Intentions

Epistle: Heb 9: 1	-12 Gospel: Mt 16: 13-20	
Sat Nov. 9 5:00 PM	Emil & Gloria Rizk Elias, Sadie & Joseph E. Joseph The Akiki Family	
Sun Nov. 10 9:30 AM	Emil & Gloria Rizk	
11:30 AM	Elias Michel Khoury (Anniv) Tanios Abounader -Anniv George Nader Boulos Chaiban Semaan & Claudette Mahfoud Samira Moussa Healing of Essa Dabbikeh	



WELCOME!

If you are a guest or visitor to Saint John Maron Church, we are happy to have you. PLEASE, make yourself at home. You Are Among Family.





SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Altar Bread, Wine and Sanctuary Candle burns this month for the soul of Souhad Hayek requested by the Family. May she rest in Peace.



TOTAL BASKET COLLECTION

November 3, 2024 \$2,803.00 Our gratitude to all who are supporting our parish. Your generosity is a blessing.



MASS IN HONOR OF ST. SHARBEL

The next St Sharbel Mass will be on Friday, November 22 at 7 PM followed by a procession and blessing with the oil of St. Sharbel. Please, share this news with your loved ones and friends. May the Lord through the intercessions of St. Sharbel bless you and yours.



November is the month of Thanksgiving. Worship and thanks to God Almighty for the abundant gifts He gives us. We thank Him for each and every parishioner and friends of our parish of St. John Maron. May the Lord continue to shower His spiritual gifts upon you as you keep singing your song of thanksgiving.

Enjoy Thanksgiving with your families and loved ones.



JOIN THE CHOIR MINISTRY

"The church choir is the heart of the church, singing praises to the Lord." Love to Sing? Join our Choir Ministry! We would love to have you join our music ministry if you enjoy singing or praising the Lord. Please contact our Choir director Bou Jaoude.



SICK OR IN NEED

If you or someone you know is sick or in need of a visit from clergy, please call the office. 716-634-0669



DONATE USING YOUR MOBILE DEVICE

In an effort to make it easier to donate to St. John Maron Church, scanning this QR Code leads the mobile camera to our Church's Donate landing site.



BIBLE QUOTE OF THE WEEK





ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Monday Nov. 18 Mass at 6:30 PM. Social gathering and meeting to follow.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education is now 10:30AM.

Nov. 10: Class, Grade 3 9:30 AM Mass Nov. 17 & 24: Regular Class <u>COFFEE HOUR</u> Nov. 10: Chris & Claudia Behlok Nov. 17: Andrea & Rob Setlik

Nov. 24: Narimane & Tony Mansour

Religious Education is gearing up for the Children's Christmas Party on December 14 and Christmas pageant on Sunday, December 15. More information coming soon!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights are hosting two events this month including the Keeping Christ in Christmas Religious Education competition. This weekend we are supporting and hosting the Church Autumn Spectacular. Most important, we are holding an Exemplification Ceremony for new Knights and invite all men of the parish to join. With that, we will be hosting the reception for the Bishop and the new Knights on November 23 at 7PM. All are invited to attend.



MARONITE YOUNG ADULT

The MYA will be holding a Friendsgiving on Wednesday, November 19 at 7pm in the education center. All young Adults between the age of 18-35 are welcome!

A Toy Drive in support of Saint Luke's Mission of Mercy will be hosted by the MYA. Unwrapped toys can be donated now through December 8.



MARONITE YOUTH ORGANIZATION

The MYO will be volunteering alongside St. Luke's Mission to hand out groceries on Saturday 11/16 from 9:30am-12pm. Location is Tarantino Foods, 530 Bailey Ave, Buffalo NY 14206. We will not be holding an MYO on the following day, Sunday 11/17.



WELCOME SAYEDNA

Saturday, November 23 - 5 PM Divine Liturgy with reception following in the Banquet Hall.

Sunday, November 24 -11 AM Divine Liturgy. Come in Peace O Shepherd

Bishop Gregory Mansour

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CEDARS HALL RENTAL

Our Cedars Hall is the perfect location for your personal and business events. It has state-of-

the-art audio-visual capability, ample free parking, full commercial kitchen, bar, and large bathrooms.

We are working on some restoration, and we will keep you posted when the Hall will be ready. For information, please contact Michael Khoury at 716-510-7465 or Joseph Mahfouz at 716-725-3185.



MASS AND ADORATION



Join us every <u>First Thursday</u> of the Month for 7 PM Mass, followed by Adoration and Procession of the Blessed Sacraments and anointing with oil. Mass will be celebrated on candle lights.



BIBLE STUDIES

"We will be hosting weekly Bible Study at the church education center, where we will be exploring the word of God together. More information will follow.





OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO our new Building Committee.

Henri Khoury George Atallah Salim Elmadawar If you have any questions concerning the buildings or the restorations, please reach out to one of our building committee members.





Jean Maalouf for contributing \$3500.00 and Anthony Atallah for contributing \$3200.00 toward the new sound system in the church. Fadi Issa and George Matar for electrical installation and painting. The Altar & Rosary Society for their donation of \$2500.00 toward the new Altar projectors and Fans. Michelle Boctor and Ellen Hawa for their monthly care of the Corporals and purificators.

