

November 24, 2024

Announcement to the Virgin Mary

Mass Time & Intentions

Epistle: Gal 3: 15-22

Gospel: Lk 1: 26-38



Sat Nov. 23 5:00 PM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For The Akiki Family By Dr. & Mrs. Michel Maouad For Antonios & Bahieh Mansour By Mr. & Mrs. Tony Mansour
Sun Nov. 24 11:00 AM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For Joseph Hanna, Sr. By Mona Hanna & Family For Peter & Nagib Betros By Rosemary Lunghino For Riyadh, Salim & Kamal Elias Abou-Jaoude By Kamal & Colette Jowdy For Semaan & Claudette Mahfoud By Joseph & Georgina AlMekhtifi For Boulos Chaiban By Hind Chaiban For Sarkis Ibrahim By Tony Ibrahim Essa Dabbikeh By Ferouz Dabbikeh

TOTAL BASKET COLLECTION

November 17, 2024

\$2,665.00

Our gratitude to all who are supporting our parish. Your generosity is a blessing.



A BLESSED THANKSGIVING

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.




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.

ALTAR BREAD, WINE & SANCTUARY LAMP

Anyone who wishes to sponsor the Altar Bread & Wine & Sanctuary Lamp in Thanksgiving or in memory of deceased loved one(s) for 2025 can call or email the office to request a specific month.



CONGRATULATIONS



Our congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Michael Gabriele on the Baptism & Chrismation of their son Matthew. May God, who created us out of His outpouring of love, grant the newborn Matthew, good health and long life so that he may grow in His Church to love, adore and praise Him. May He also grant Cynthia and Michael, the parents of Matthew, a good healthy life to raise him according to our Maronite Catholic Tradition.



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



MARONITE YOUNG ADULT ANGEL CHRISTMAS TREE

Please take an ornament from our tree and bring an age-appropriate unwrapped toy in support of Saint Luke's Mission of Mercy. Unwrapped toys can be donated now through December 8.



ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Our Annual Wine and Spirit Tasting will take place Friday, December 6 at Addy's Wine and Spirits on Transit Road from 6 – 8 PM. Appetizers and dessert will be served. It is a fun event! Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at the entrance to the church. Hope you can join us for fun & friendship! Bring your friends and family.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education is now 10:30AM.

- Nov. 24: **10 AM Regular Class**
- Dec. 1: No Class-Thanksgiving Break
- Dec. 8: Regular Class, Grade 6/7 Liturgy
- Dec. 14: Children's Christmas Party
- Dec. 15: Children's Christmas Play after 9:30 Mass

COFFEE HOUR

- Nov. 24: Tony & Narimane Mansour
- Dec. 8: James & Denise Issa
- Dec. 15: Nisrine Harfouche

Please note that on the Sunday of the Bishop's visit, classes and coffee hour will be held at 10AM. The Children's Christmas Party is December 14 at 6:30. The Christmas pageant will take place in church on Sunday, December 15 immediately following the 11:30 mass.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights 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. The Knights are also hosting the Keeping Christ in Christmas Religious Education competition.

PARISH CONTACT

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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 First Thursday 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.



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



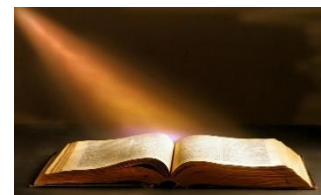
JOIN THE CHOIR MINISTRY

“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.



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.



2025 WEEKLY ENVELOPES

If you would like to sign up for weekly envelopes, please call or email the office. Your weekly donation helps defray the costs associated with keeping our beautiful church open.