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D-S-C-A-J-U-S O-E-S-T: MARON

Feast of The 350 Martyrs, Disciples of St. Maron

Ninth Sunday of Pentecost

July 31st, 2022

Sun., July 31	The 350 Martyrs, Disciples of St. Maron / 9th Sunday of Pentecost / St. Ignatius of Loyola 9 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners 11:30 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners	
Mon., August 1	NO DIVINE LITURGY St. Shmouni and her Sons	
Tues., August 2	10 am Divine Liturgy for Joseph Nofil Translation of the Relics of St. Stephen, the First Martyr	by Marcy & Annalou
Wed., August 3	10 am Divine Liturgy David the Prophet	
Thurs., August 4	10 am Divine Liturgy St. John Vianney, the Curé d'Ars	
Fri., August 5	10 am Divine Liturgy Moses the Prophet	
Sat., August 6	11 am Divine Liturgy for Pierre Boumansour The Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord	by Mr. & Mrs Rene Boumansour
Sun., August 7	10th Sunday of Pentecost / St. Doumit 9 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners 11:30 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners	

June 2022 Financial Standing

Ordinary Income

- ◆ Collections on Sundays & Holy Days: **\$7,230.00**
- ◆ Cathedral Stipends from Marriages & Funerals, Hall Rent, Candles, Breakfast, Luncheon, Raffle, Dues, Religious Education, Flowers **\$20,358.00**

Total Ordinary Income: \$27,588.00

Ordinary Expenses

- ◆ Payroll, Gas, Electricity, Building Insurance and Medical Insurance, Leasing Equipment, TV, Phone, Internet, Supplies for Church, Hall & Office, Postage, Regular Maintenance, Charity, Eparchial Appeal, Insurance.... **\$14,499.21**

Total Ordinary Expenses: \$14,499.21

Total Ordinary Income vs Expenses: \$13,088.79

Do you know? A couple of basic monthly expenses:

Cathedral monthly building insurance: \$3,484.00

Monthly Eparchial Assessment & Bishop's Appeal: \$2,125.00

The Library is no longer renting the hall. The space was vacated at the end of October 2020.

**Thank you for your contribution
in helping maintain the Church
and in planning different activities**

HELP LEBANON!

**PRAY FOR
LEBANON**



BY CHECK:

Make your donation to Lebanon by sending a check to the Eparchy of St. Maron of Brooklyn and in the memo designate your charity either to Caritas, Lebanon, Saint Vincent de Paul or The Franciscan Sisters of the Holy Cross.

ONLINE:

You may also donate online by clicking [here](#).

FAMILY-TO-FAMILY HELP THROUGH CARITAS LEBANON

In coordination with Caritas Lebanon, a family in the United States is now able to sponsor a family in Lebanon. The sponsorship varies from \$50 to \$100 per month depending on the size and the need of the family.

Please click [here](#) to sponsor a family and for additional information.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Picnic Sponsored by the Knights of St. Maron

The Cathedral will hold a picnic sponsored by the Knights of St. Maron on Sunday, September 11th, at Miller Field Park (801 New Dorp Lane, Staten Island, NY 10306). The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 11:30 am at the Park and not at the Cathedral that Sunday. Please see the flyer on the next page for more information.

Confraternity Meeting

The Ladies of the Confraternity of the Immaculate Conception will meet on August 28th after the 11:30 am Divine Liturgy.

Maronite Catholic Formation

Maronite Catholic Formation (Sunday School) classes begin on September 25th at 10 am. Please register your children as soon as possible by filling out this [form](#) and bringing it to Church. Any parishioner who would like to help with Maronite Catholic Formation (Sunday School) as a teacher or substitute, please contact Norma Haddad on her [email](#).

The Fortieth Anniversary of the Ordination of Bishop Gregory to the Priesthood

Please save the date for Bishop Gregory's 40th anniversary on September 18th.

Salaam Club Scholarship

The Salaam Club of New York is offering scholarships for high school graduates and college freshmen. Please click [here](#) for the application.

Ave Maria Scholarship

Ave Maria University is offering the Eastern Catholic Brilliant Jewel Scholarship. Please click [here](#) for more information.

A Maronite Chapel at Ave Maria University

Ave Maria University is building a Maronite Chapel that truly will be a home away from home for Eastern Catholic students. Please click [here](#) to learn more.

Pilgrimage: [In The Footsteps of Paul](#)

A 10-day/8-night trip to **Greece** including a **3-day cruise** to the **Greek Islands** and **Turkey**, visiting Athens, Corinth, Mykonos, Ephesus, Patmos, Crete, Santorini, Meteora, Veria, Vergina, Salonica, and Philippi departs **September 25th, 2022 - \$3,498** per person/double occupancy from New York, including fuel surcharge and port taxes. If you register with \$500 by July 29th, you save \$100. [For more information](#) please call Marleine Aflak at 917-608-2996 or Tony Tannousis at 718-987-3900.

Finance Council Recommendation

The Finance Council has recommended that parishioners set up their Church donation as an automatic payment. This is the best way to keep supporting your spiritual home while on vacation or out of town. You may also make your contribution online by clicking [here](#). It was determined that a minimum of \$125.00 per household a month will help meet the Church's budget.

Bulletin Advertisements

Business owners, you may advertise your businesses in the Church bulletin that reaches over 600 households via email. For more information click [here](#) or call the rectory at 718-624-7228.

Cathedral Cedar Remembrance Tree

Parishioners and friends can now remember their deceased and honor the living with their names on the commemorative tree located in our Cathedral Chapel vestibule. Please click [here](#) for more details.

Interested in Joining the Choir?

The choir of the Cathedral would like to welcome anyone interested in joining them to praise the Lord in a more dedicated way. We are also looking for someone who knows the Maronite music to play the organ. Please make sure to see Christiane Merhej after the 11:30 Divine Liturgy.

Lector Ministry

If you wish to be put on the next schedule of lectors, please see Subdeacon Adonis El-Asmar or email the Church [here](#).



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UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

JUN 13 AUG 8
JUL 11 SEPT 12

ZOOM LINK tinyurl.com/ofslmonthlyrosary



Join Our Cathedral PICNIC

Sponsored by the Knights of St Maron

Miller Field Park

801 New Dorp Lane, Staten Island, NY 10306

Sunday, September 11th, 2022
10 AM - 6 PM

The 11:30 AM Divine Liturgy
will be celebrated at the Park

Hamburgers | Hotdogs | Fruits | Sodas | Water

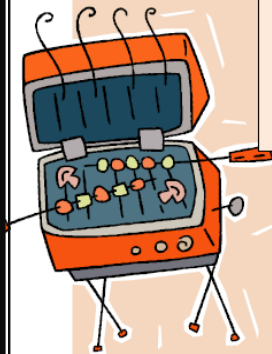
Activities for All

Basketball, softball, slides, Frisbee, bike riding

You can bring your own picnic chairs

Charcoal BBQs only are allowed in the park.
Propane BBQs are prohibited

Smoking and glass containers are prohibited



SAVE THE DATE

OCTOBER 6, 2022



Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn

13th Annual Benefit Dinner in Manhattan

The Water Club

Details to follow



BASILICA & NATIONAL SHRINE
of Our Lady of Lebanon

57TH ANNUAL ASSUMPTION PILGRIMAGE

AUGUST 13-15, 2022

A PILGRIMAGE OF RENEWAL
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FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION
MONDAY, AUGUST 15TH

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH

- 9:00 AM: Shrine Opens
- 2:00-4:00 PM: MYO/MYA Activities
- 3:00 PM: Cedars Hall Opens
Food will be available
- 4:00-5:00 PM: Confessions in the Basilica
- 7:00 PM: Latin Rite Liturgy
Bishop David Bonnar - Celebrant
Combined choirs of Our Lady of Lourdes
and St. Jude Columbiana
Brendan Kuzior - Director
- 8:00 PM: Te Deum, Procession and Blessing
with the Icon of Our Lady of Lebanon
- Following Procession: Cedars Hall open for food, refreshment and fellowship

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH

- 9:00 AM: Shrine Opens
- 10:00 AM: Maronite Divine Liturgy
- 11:00 AM: Cedars Hall Opens
Food will be available
- 12:00-2:00 PM: Holy Rosary on the hour in the Tower Chapel
- 2:00-4:00 PM: Confessions in the Basilica
- 2:00-4:00 PM: MYO/MYA Activities
- 2:00 PM: Tridentine Missa Cantata
Celebrant: Chorbishop Anthony Spinosa
Choir: St Cecilia Chorale and Mens Schola from the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon
- 3:00 PM: Spiritual Conference
Father Aaron Sanbothe
Saint George Maronite Church
Uniontown, Pa.
- 7:00 PM: Byzantine Hierarchical Liturgy
Archbishop William Skurla
Archeparchy of Pittsburgh
Archeparchial Choir
Darlene Fejka - Director
- 8:00 PM: Procession with the Shroud of the Dormition of Our Lady
Burial Service of the Theotokos
Archimandrite Monsignor George Appleyard
Blessing with the Icon of Our Lady of Lebanon
* We invite you to bring fresh cut flowers to lay at the shroud of Our Lady of Lebanon.
- Following Procession: Cedars Hall open for food, refreshment and fellowship

MONDAY, AUGUST 15TH 57TH ANNUAL FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

- 9:00 AM: Shrine Opens
- 11:00 AM: Maronite Divine Liturgy with the Blessing and Anointing of the Sick
Bishop Gregory Mansour and Bishop Elias Zaidan
- 11:00 AM: Cedars Hall Opens
Food will be available
- 12:00-2:00 PM: Holy Rosary on the hour in the Tower Chapel
- 2:00-5:00 PM: Confessions in the Basilica
- 2:00 PM: Organ Concert on the Basilica
Wicks Organ Opus 5809
Sean Baran & Adam Zagotti
- 5:00 PM: Band Concert
Cedars Hall
Lowellville Band
- 7:00 PM: Maronite Pontifical Liturgy
Celebrants: Bishops Elias Zaidan, & Gregory Mansour
Combined Maronite Choirs
- 8:00 PM: Procession and Blessing with the Icon of Our Lady of Lebanon
- Following Procession: Cedars Hall open for food, refreshment and fellowship



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Sign-Up by Sep 10th: LINK IN BIO!

Questions? Contact Julie Lattouf at maroniteyp@gmail.com

Sunday Readings

قراءات الأحد

Feast of the 350 Martyrs, Disciples of St Maron

The Letter of Paul to the Romans 16: 17-20

I urge you, brothers and sisters, to keep an eye on those who cause dissensions and offences, in opposition to the teaching that you have learned; avoid them. For such people do not serve our Lord Christ, but their own appetites, and by smooth talk and flattery they deceive the hearts of the simple-minded. For while your obedience is known to all, so that I rejoice over you, I want you to be wise in what is good, and guileless in what is evil. The God of peace will shortly crush Satan under your feet. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

The Gospel according to St Luke 11: 49-54

Therefore also the Wisdom of God said, "I will send them prophets and apostles, some of whom they will kill and persecute", so that this generation may be charged with the blood of all the prophets shed since the foundation of the world, from the blood of Abel to the blood of Zechariah, who perished between the altar and the sanctuary. Yes, I tell you, it will be charged against this generation.

Woe to you lawyers! For you have taken away the key of knowledge; you did not enter yourselves, and you hindered those who were entering.'

When he went outside, the scribes and the Pharisees began to be very hostile towards him and to cross-examine him about many things, lying in wait for him, to catch him in something he might say.

عيد الشهداء 350 من رهبان دير ما مارون

رسالة القديس بولس إلى أهل رومة 16: 17-20
يا إخوتي، أناشدكم، أيها الإخوة، أن تحذروا الذين يثيرون الانقسامات والشكوك، خلافاً للتعليم الذي تعلمتموه. فابتعدوا عنهم. فأمثال هؤلاء لا يخدمون ربنا المسيح، بل بطونهم، وبالكلمات الحلوة والأقوال المعسولة، يخدعون قلوب الأبرياء. فإن طاعتكم قد استهزت لدى الجميع. فإنا إذا أفرح بكم، ولكن أريد أن تكونوا حكماء في الخير، وبسطاء في الشر. وإله السلام يسحق الشيطان عاجلاً تحت أقدامكم. نعمة ربنا يسوع المسيح تكون معكم!

إنجيل القديس لوقا 11: 49-54

قال الرب يسوع: «لهذا قالت حكمة الله: أرسل إليهم أنبياء ورسلًا، فيقتلون منهم ويضطهدون، لكي يطلب من هذا الجيل دم جميع الأنبياء، الذي سفك منذ إنشاء العالم، من دم هابيل إلى دم زكريا، الذي قتل بين المذبح والهيكل. نعم، أقول لكم، إنه سيطلب من هذا الجيل. ألويل لكم، يا علماء التوراة! لأنكم حملتم مفتاح المعرفة، فأنتم ما دخلتم، ومنعتم الذين يدخلون.»

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