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**FOURTH
SUNDAY**

**AFTER
HOLY
CROSS**



Fourth Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross October 9th, 2022

Sun., October 9	Fourth Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross 9 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners 11:30 am 40 Day for Hala Makadssi for Michael Simon for Sami Nassour	by Mr. & Mrs. Roger Shamas by Mrs. Helena Sayegh by Mr. & Mrs. Tony Nassour
Mon., October 10	NO LITURGY St. Elampius & his sister Eulampia & their companions	
Tues., October 11	10 am Divine Liturgy for Diane Adams on her birthday for Tony Nassour St. Philip the Deacon / Pope St. John XXIII / The First Council of Nicaea	by Mr. & Mrs. Jorge Leon by Mr. & Mrs. Tony Nassour
Wed., October 12	10 am Divine Liturgy for the Intentions of Damon, Mariana, Elijah, Levi David, Noelle, Jude & Sophia Smith for Tony Nassour St. Edo	by Mr. & Mrs. Jorge Leon by Mr. & Mrs. Tony Nassour
Thurs., October 13	10 am Divine Liturgy for the Intentions of Arianna Marie Layng for Tony Nassour Sts. Carpus & Pappylus and their companions	by Mr. & Mrs. Jorge Leon by Mr. & Mrs. Tony Nassour
Fri., October 14	10 am Divine Liturgy for the Intentions of Justin & Liz Leon & Family for Tony Nassour St. Isaiah the Monk	by Mr. & Mrs. Jorge Leon by Mr. & Mrs. Tony Nassour
Sat., October 15	10 am Divine Liturgy for Stefani Coty for the Jorge Leon Family St. Teresa of Avila	by Florence Coty by Mr. & Mrs. Jorge Leon
Sun., October 16	Fifth Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross / St. Longinus the Centurion 9 am for the Intentions of the Parishioners 11:30 am 40 Day for Joseph Abdel Massih for Elie Safi	by the Lebanese Forces NY by Raymond Safi & Family

September 2022 Financial Standing

Ordinary Income

- ◆ Collections on Sundays & Holy Days: **\$12,219.00**
- ◆ Cathedral Stipends from Marriages & Funerals, Hall Rent, Candles, Breakfast, Luncheon, Raffle, Dues, Religious Education, Flowers **\$11,648.00**

Total Ordinary Income: \$23,867.00

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.... **\$26,917.63**

Total Ordinary Expenses: \$26,917.63

Total Ordinary Income vs Expenses: -\$3,050.63

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

Confraternity Meeting

The confraternity will meet this Sunday, October 16th, at 1 pm after the Divine Liturgy.

Order of St. Sharbel Sunday

This year, October 9th is designated as "Order of Saint Sharbel Sunday" in our Eparchy. The Order of Saint Sharbel is vitally important in providing financial and spiritual support for our seminarians, who are crucial for the future of our Maronite Church. This year we have five men preparing for the priesthood for our Eparchy. Please prayerfully consider joining the Order. You may enroll online at www.orderstsharbel.org or ask Abouna for more information.

Annual Fundraising Luncheon

The Cathedral will hold its annual fundraising luncheon on Sunday, November 6th, at 4 pm at Baalbek Restaurant (2600 Tonnelle Ave., North Bergen, NJ 07047). Please join us for a great afternoon where you can enjoy a full Lebanese meal and entertainment provided by Tony Mercho and Band. \$75 per person ages 3 to 12 and \$125 per person ages 12 years old and up.

Arabic Class Registration

Adult Arabic Class has begun. Please see Leila Vogl if you are interested.

Vocations Awareness Poster-Essay

Students grades K to 12 are encouraged to participate in the Vocations Awareness Poster-Essay Multimedia Contest through NAM. Click [here](#) for guidelines and information. Also, you can see Subdeacon Adonis El-Asmar or Marian Ciaccia for more information. This year let us have more students take part in the contest.

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.

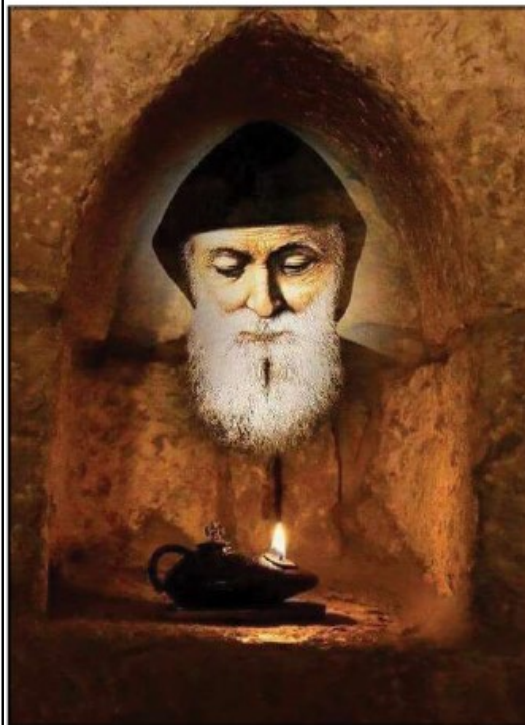
Cedar Remembrance Tree

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

JOIN THE ORDER OF SAINT SHARBEL

TO SUPPORT THE EDUCATION OF MARONITE SEMINARIANS
AND HELP BUILD THE FUTURE OF THE MARONITE CHURCH

Meet this year's Seminarians for the Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn



JOIN THE ORDER OF SAINT SHARBEL TODAY

Enroll online at www.orderstsharbel.org or in your Parish.

For more information about the Order, contact the Order of Saint Sharbel

Vice President, Charlene Hiffa at mchiffa@bellsouth.net or ask your Parish Priest.

If you are interested in becoming a Priest, Religious Sister, or Deacon, contact Vocations Director

Father Dominique Hanna at (718) 624-7228 or cathrectory@verizon.net.

Save the Dates!

The Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn
presents



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Nov. 11-13, 2022

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For God did not give us a spirit of fear but rather of
power and love and self-control. [2 Tim 1:7]

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October 6 at 8 pm

Greetings from

Tampa, FL



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Sunday Readings

قراءات الأحد

The Fourth Sunday after The Cross

First Letter to the Thessalonians 5: 1-11

Concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night.

When they say, 'There is peace and security', then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape!

But you, beloved, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness.

So then, let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober; for those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who are drunk get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, and put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation.

For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, so that whether we are awake or asleep we may live with him. Therefore, encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing.

The Gospel according to Saint Matthew 24: 45-51

Who then is the faithful and wise slave, whom his master has put in charge of his household, to give the other slaves their allowance of food at the proper time?

Blessed is that slave whom his master will find at work when he arrives.

Truly I tell you, he will put that one in charge of all his possessions. But if that wicked slave says to himself, "My master is delayed", and he begins to beat his fellow-slaves, and eats and drinks with drunkards, the master of that slave will come on a day when he does not expect him and at an hour that he does not know. He will cut him in pieces and put him with the hypocrites, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

الأحد الرابع بعد عيد الصليب

رسالة القديس بولس الأولى إلى أهل تسالونيقي 5: 1-11

يا إخوتي، أمّا الأزمنة والأوقات، أيّها الإخوة، فلا حاجة بكم أن يكتب إليكم في شأنها؛

لأنكم تعلمون جيّداً أن يوم الرب يأتي كالسارق ليلاً.

فحين يقولون: سلام وأمن! حينئذ يدهمهم الهلاك وهم المخاض للحبلى، ولا يفطنون.

أمّا أنتم، أيّها الإخوة، فلستم في ظلمة ليفاجئكم ذلك اليوم كالسارق.

فأنتم كلكم أبناء النور، وأبناء النهار؛ ولستنا أبناء الليل ولا أبناء الظلمة.

إذاً فلا نتم كسائر الناس، بل لنسهر ونصح؛

لأن الذين ينامون في الليل ينامون، والذين يسكرون في الليل يسكرون.

أمّا نحن أبناء النهار، فلنصح لابسين درع الإيمان والمحبة، وواضعين خوذة رجاء الخلاص.

فإن الله لم يجعلنا للغضب، بل لإحراز الخلاص ببرنا يسوع المسيح،

الذي مات من أجلنا، لنحيا معه ساهرين كُنّا أم نائمين.

فلذلك شجعوا بعضكم بعضاً، وليبن الواحد الآخر، كما أنتم فاعلون.

إنجيل القديس متى 24: 45-51

قال الرب يسوع: «من هو العبد الأمين الحكيم الذي أقامه سيّده على أهل بيته، ليعطيهم الطعام في حينه؟

طوبى لذلك العبد الذي يجيء سيّده فيجده فاعلاً هكذا!

الحق أقول لكم: إنه يقيمه على جميع ممتلكاته.

ولكن إن قال ذلك العبد الشرير في قلبه: سيأخر سيّدي!

وبدا يضرب رفاقه، ويأكل ويشرب مع السكّيرين،

يجيء سيّد ذلك العبد في يوم لا ينتظره، وفي ساعة لا يعرفها،

فيفصله، ويجعل نصيبه مع المرأين. هناك يكون البكاء

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