

SAINT LOUIS GONZAGA CHURCH

MARONITE CATHOLIC


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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday — 4 PM, Sunday — 10 AM

Tuesday-Friday — 9 AM

Holy Days of Obligation — 9 AM and 6:30 PM

CLERGY

Father Amedeo G. Guida: 315-559-2567

Deacon Paul A. Salamy: 315-732-5241

Deacon Peter M. Hobaica: 315-797-5464

PARISH HOUSE OFFICE HOURS

9 AM to 4:30 PM



BAPTISMS & CHRISMATIONS: Preparation is required.
We encourage this to happen before the birth of your child.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements six (6) months in advance.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to our parish family. May you find spiritual nourishment among us. Please be sure to register by calling the Parish House.

HOSPITAL, SICK CALLS & SHUT-INS: If a loved one is hospitalized, ill or unable to leave home, please call the Parish House office.

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION:

Classes 1-6 meet weekly on Sunday morning at 9AM.

Classes 7-12 meet bimonthly on Sunday morning at 9AM.

Please see the calendar published in the bulletin and on the Website for dates.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 3:15-3:45PM
and by appointment.

DEVOTIONS:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Fridays 9:30 – 10:30AM

Saint Sharbel Devotion: 22nd of each month after Divine Liturgy

Saint Joseph Devotion: 4th Saturday at 3:40PM

13-14 APRIL 2019



FEASTS FOR 14 APR – 21 APR 2019

SUN 14 APR **Hosanna Sunday (Palm Sunday)**
Phil 1:1-13/Jn 12:12-22
PASSION WEEK

THU 18 APR Thursday of the Mysteries
1 Cor 11:23-32/Jn 13:1-20

FRI 19 APR Great Friday of the Crucifixion
Morning: Heb 12:12-21/Jn 19:31-37
Evening: Is 53:7-12, Heb 4:14-16,
Gal 2:17-3:14/Lk 23:33-47,
Jn 19:17-30

SAT 20 APR Great Saturday of the Light

SUN 21 APR **The Glorious Resurrection**
Evening:
Phil 2:1-11/Mt 28: 1-10
Morning:
1 Cor 15:12-26/Mk 16:1-8

CONTACTS

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Holy Name Society: Rick Blank315-525-3221
Lou Lewis315-737-3950
Saint Joseph Society: Kamil Rahme...315-768-3837
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Robert Tehan.....315-240-8819
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Lectors: Lois Mariano315-732-3402
Sacristan: Harrison Zogby.....315-749-6399

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SAT 13 APR 9AM + Joseph Jacobs & Colby Jacobs by *Joseph Salamy*
4PM + Louis A. Maroun (40 Day) by *Nephew, Jack Maroun*

SUN 14 APR 10AM + Louis Abdoo, Sr., Anne Abdoo Kuenzli & Ron Campbell
by *The Abdoo Family*
+ Mariam & Youseff Karam by *Patty Karam and Boys & Lou Raya*
+ Mary & Jimmy Raya by *Patty, Louis, Mark & Claude*

MON 15 APR 9AM + Mary Abbass by *Mary Mazloom*
4-7PM + Confession
6:30PM + Rite of the Coming to the Harbor

TUE 16 APR 9AM + Louis A. Maroun by *Mary Mazloom*
6:30PM + Evening Prayer and Benediction of the Cross

WED 17 APR 9AM + David Graziadei by *Aunt Kay Hobaica & Family*
6:30PM + Rite of the Lamp

THU 18 APR 6:30PM + For Deceased Priests and Bishops
8-10PM + Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

FRI 19 APR 9AM + Anaphora of the Signing of the Chalice
7PM + Adoration of the Cross

SAT 20 APR 9AM + Rite of Forgiveness; Confession will follow
8PM + Anna A. Roy by *Bernadette & Francis Roy*

SUN 21 APR 10AM + Living & Deceased Members of St. Louis Gonzaga
Church by *Padre Amedeo Guida*
+ Mariam Karam by *Kevin & Ameena Copeland*

MEETINGS & EVENTS

MON 15 APR 4-7PM Confessions in Church

WED 17 APR 9:30AM Mercy Group

THU 18 APR 8-10PM Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

FRI 19 APR 4-7PM Fish Fry with Lentils and Rice

WED 24 APR 9:30AM Mercy Group

SUN 28 APR 9AM Maronite Christian Formation (All Grades)

SUN 28 APR 9AM Adult Bible Study

SUN 28 APR 11AM Maronite Young Adults (MYA) Meeting

SUN 28 APR 11AM Holy Name Society Meeting

WED 1 MAY 9:30AM Mercy Group

SUN 5 MAY 10AM First Holy Communion

WED 8 MAY 9:30AM Mercy Group

TUE 14 MAY 6:30PM Saint Mary's Guild Meeting

WED 15 MAY 9:30AM Mercy Group

SUN 19 MAY 11AM Maronite Youth Organization (MYO) Meeting

SUN 19 MAY 11AM Saint Mary's Guild Communion Breakfast

SUN 19 MAY 11AM Maronite Young Adults (MYA) Meeting

WED 22 MAY 9:30AM Mercy Group

WED 29 MAY 9:30AM Mercy Group

FRI-SUN 2-4 AUG Taste of Lebanon

SUN 3 NOV Festival of Baskets



POINTS OF INTEREST

Letter from Bishop Mansour. We have received a letter from Bishop Gregory Mansour that was read at Liturgies last weekend. Father Tony Mouanes will be serving at Saint John Paul II Maronite Church in Sleepy Hollow, New York and preparing for a new assignment. Deacon Peter Hobaica will continue to serve as Parish Financial Coordinator and Deacon Paul Salamy will continue to serve as Parish Pastoral Coordinator until the appointment of a new Pastor or Administrator. Father Amedeo Guida will continue to celebrate the Divine Liturgies and Sacraments as our priest.

Condolences. We offer our prayerful condolences to the family of Lucy Sageer for whom the Divine Liturgy of the Faithful Departed was celebrated on 9 April. May God give rest to his handmaid and consolation to her family.

Passion Week Schedule. The full Passion Week Schedule is included in this bulletin. Please join us in prayer as often as you can throughout this week, all services will be held in the Church.

Confessions. The Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available on **Monday, 15 April** from **4-7PM** in the Church as part of "The Light is On for You" before Easter.

Adoration. On the Thursday of the Mysteries, **18 April**, we shall have Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Church, following the Divine Liturgy and Washing of Feet, until **10PM**. Please plan to spend some quiet time in prayer that evening and invite your family and friends to join us.

Great Friday. On Great Friday of the Crucifixion, **19 April**, Maronites who are physically capable are to **fast** and **abstain** from meat. Fasting means not eating and drinking anything except water and medicine from midnight until noon. For the rest of the day meatless meals can be taken.

We shall continue the **Lenten Fish Fry** with **Lentils and Rice** on that day from **4-7PM** in the George Sfeir Parish Hall.

At **7PM** we shall have the Adoration of the Cross in Church, please bring fresh cut flowers to place in the shroud before the Service begins.

Bishop's Appeal. Information regarding the Annual Lenten Bishop's Appeal has been mailed to you. A portion of the assessment is due at Easter. If you have not done so, please make your donation as soon as possible. Thank you!



MEMORIALS

ALTAR MEMORIALS ...

Through our gifts at the altar we remember our loved ones:

- **SANCTUARY PLANTS & FLOWERS** — Available
- **CANDLES** — In Memory of Patricia Zabinski by Deacon Peter & Judy Hobaica
- **INCENSE & CHARCOAL** — In Memory of my Brother, George Jadhon, Sr. by Dr. & Mrs. Anthony Jadhon
- **BREAD & WINE** — In Memory of Beshara, Mary & John Darjany by Mitchell & Dorothy Amado
- **SANCTUARY LAMP**—In Memory of Fred J. Mazloom by Wife, Mary & Children

A contribution of \$10.00 will memorialize a loved one for the entire week.



VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

LECTORS

13 APR	4PM	Lou Astafan
14 APR	10AM	George Mitchell
18 APR	6:30PM	Joe Saba
19 APR	7PM	Norma Tehan
20 APR	8PM	Lois Mariano
21 APR	10AM	George Mitchell

HOSPITALITY

28 APR	Maronite Young Adults (MYA)
	315-796-7686



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Collections for the week ending 7 April 2019

1st Collection	\$1,556
2nd Collection: Snow Removal	\$248
Fuel & Heat	\$5
Contributions	\$250
Easter Flowers	\$60
Annual Lenten Eparchial Appeal	\$220
Hospitality	\$158
Candles	\$46
Needy	\$76
Total	\$2,619

*This Week's Second Collection: Fuel & Heat
Next Week's Second Collection: In Appreciation
for Ministry*

St. Louis Gonzaga Church
Annual **4 to 7PM**
FISH FRY
Every Friday During Lent
 Adults \$12 / Children \$5 **Eat In or Take Out**

