

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

4-5 MAY 2019



FEASTS FOR 5 MAY – 12 MAY 2019

SUN 5 MAY **3rd Sunday of the Resurrection**
Our Lady of Lebanon
 2 Tim 2:8-13/Lk 24:13-35

MON 6 MAY St. Dominic Savio

WED 8 MAY St. John the Evangelist

THU 9 MAY Isaiah the Prophet/The Second
 Council of Constantinople

FRI 10 MAY St. Simon the Zealot
 St. Damien of Molokai

SUN 12 MAY **4th Sunday of the Resurrection**
 Heb 13:18-25/Jn 21:1-14
 St. Epiphanius, Bishop of Cyprus

CONTACTS

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Assets Oversight: David Sageer.....315-734-1040

Special Events: Betty Karrat.....315-736-1615

Kitchen & Hall:

Mary Ann Tanoury-Loy.....315-790-3307

Family Giving Committee:

George Nehme.....401-742-5841

Buildings: Andrew Aery.....518-528-1162

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Pastoral Life Council:

Chair: Deacon Paul Salamy.....315-732-5241

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Faith Formation: Kate Miller.....315-796-1910

Maronite Youth Organization:

Lisa Barkett.....315-737-5162

Roseanne Ciaccia.....315-736-5377

Maronite Young Adults:

John Paul Salamy.....315-732-5241

Joshua Lewis.....315-853-4500

Saint Mary's Guild: Cathy Karam...315-527-1519

Holy Name Society: Rick Blank.....315-525-3221

Lou Lewis.....315-737-3950

Saint Joseph Society: Kamil Rahme..315-768-3837

Acolytes: Nathan Hanna.....315-939-8219

Robert Tehan.....315-240-8819

Daughters of Mary: Julie Adamo....315-404-1959

Lectors: Lois Mariano.....315-732-3402

Sacristan: Harrison Zogby.....315-749-6399

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SAT 4 MAY 4PM + Anna DeRosa (Birthday) by Deacon Paul & Sons
 + Hickel Yaghy, Anna & Albert Yaghy, Joseph Valencourt,
 Emiline Valencourt by Family

SUN 5 MAY 10AM + Albert & Anna Abdo & Deceased Members of Their
 Family by The Abdo Family
 + Mariam Karam by Deacon Peter & Judy Hobaica
 + First Communion Candidates

MON 6 MAY + NO LITURGY

TUE 7 MAY 9AM + Boyd & Rose Crigger by Boyd Crigger's Will

WED 8 MAY 9AM + Deceased Members of the Moses & Koury Families
 by John Moses' Will

THU 9 MAY 9AM + Living & Deceased Members of Saint Louis Gonzaga
 Church by Padre Amedeo Guida

FRI 10 MAY 9AM + In Memory of my Mother, Anna Abdella, on Mother's
 Day by Her Daughter

SAT 11 MAY 4PM + Donald Skermont by Mary Ann Gianotti
 + Anthony George (6th Anniversary) Love Always, Your
 Kids, Grandkids & Great Grandkids

SUN 12 MAY 10AM + Mary Susan Salamy by Her Sons

MEETINGS & EVENTS

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

First Communion

Congratulations to the following children and their families,
 who will receive their First Holy Communion on Sunday,
 5 May at the Divine Liturgy. They are:

ELLA ADAMO	THOMAS KOPIE	JOSEPH PRESTON
NOAH DUFF	DANIEL J. LOCONTI	JASMINE M. RAWDA
CARTER HANIFIN	BRYSON OEINCK	DARREL SWIFT III
AVA IONTA	EMMA PRESTON	



We thank Kate Miller, our MCF Director, and Valerie Swift, their First
 Communion teacher, for preparing the students.



POINTS OF INTEREST

Feast of Our Lady of Lebanon — First Sunday of May

Our Lady of Lebanon is the Patron Saint of Lebanon. The Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon is located in Harissa, Lebanon, a mountain village about thirty minutes north of Beirut, the capital city. The statue of Our Lady was crafted in Lyons, France. The Maronite Patriarch named the Blessed Virgin Mary the Queen of Lebanon on Sunday, 3 May 1908, during the Inaugural Liturgy upon the completion of the Shrine. The feast of Our Lady of Lebanon is celebrated on the first Sunday of May each year. Pope John Paul II visited the Shrine, also known by its French name, Notre Dame du Liban, on 10 May 1997, during his visit to Lebanon. Located about 1900 feet above sea level, the view from the Shrine is breathtaking. Some pilgrims take the aerial gondola lift, known as the Téléphérique, from the coastal city of Jounieh to the Shrine in Harissa. May the prayers of Our Lady of Lebanon be with us!

Congratulations. We offer our prayerful congratulations to Layla Rose Ann Oeinck, daughter of Richard and Stephanie N. Jennings Oeinck, who was baptized and chrismated on 27 April 2019.

Maronite Christian Formation. We thank all those who volunteered their time for the Maronite Christian Formation Program this year, especially Kate Miller, our Director, and all the teachers, substitutes, and volunteers, who help teach our children. Thank you! We are all most grateful for your service!

Hospitality. We thank all those who coordinate and volunteer for Sunday hospitality throughout the year. Your dedication makes this possible. Thank you! Many hands make light work!

Fish Fry. Thank you to everyone who volunteered for and supported our annual Fish Fry. Your generous help and support makes this community event a success. We made \$6,006.80 in profit this year. Thank you for your continued generous support!

Memorials. Memorials for the offerings regularly used in the Sanctuary as part of the Divine Liturgy are available for a week, a month, or a year. The *Bread and Wine*, the *Candles*, the *Incense and Charcoal*, and the *Sanctuary Plants and Flowers* are available for a donation of \$10 per week to memorialize or honor a loved one. You can arrange for a memorial by contacting the Parish House.

Old Palms. If you have any Old Palms that you would like to dispose of, please bring them to the Sacristy. We will use them to make the Ashes for Ash Monday next year. Thank you!

MYA Summer Social Hour. The Maronite Young Adults Summer Social Hour will be held on **Monday, 3 June** from **5:30-7:30PM** at the Adirondack Bank Center at the Utica Memorial Auditorium to benefit **Feed Our Vets**. Tickets are \$35 per person. Please contact Zach Lewis at 315-269-9091, or visit the Facebook event page, for more information and to purchase tickets.



MEMORIALS

ALTAR MEMORIALS ...

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

- BREAD & WINE — Available
- INCENSE & CHARCOAL — Available
- SANCTUARY PLANTS & FLOWERS — Available
- CANDLES — Available
- 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

4 MAY	4PM	Joe Saba
5 MAY	10AM	Nathan Hanna
11 MAY	4PM	Jim Amado
12 MAY	10AM	George Mitchell



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Collections for the week ending 21 April 2019
Please see next week's bulletin.

This Week's Second Collection: Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon

Next Week's Second Collection: Pastoral Programs

BULLETIN DEADLINE

If you would like anything published in the weekend bulletin, you must submit it as you want it published to Anne Lewis no later than 5 PM Friday, 8 days before publication via e-mail at saintlouisbulletin@gmail.com or by calling 853-4500. Thanks.