



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 Boutros El Hachem: 315-732-6019

Deacon Paul A. Salamy: 315-723-0109

Deacon Peter M. Hobaica: 315-797-5464

PARISH HOUSE OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Friday — 9 AM to 1 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 Most Blessed Sacrament: Thursdays 9:30 – 10:30AM

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

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

2-3 MARCH 2024



FEASTS AND READINGS

SUN 3 MAR **Parable of the Prodigal Son**
St. Thomas Aquinas
St. Katharine Drexel
2 Cor 13:5-13/Lk 15:11-32

MON 4 MAR St. Paul and His Sister, St.
Juliana
2 Cor 9:1a, 5-15/Lk 9:37-45

TUE 5 MAR St. Albert the Great
1 Cor 16:15-24/Mk 8:22-26

WED 6 MAR St. Conan of Isauria
Rom 14:1-13/Lk 7:1-10

THU 7 MAR The 7 Young Men of Ephesus
2 Cor 1:23-2:5/Mt 15:29-39

FRI 8 MAR St. Frances of Rome
2 Cor 12:21-13:5/Mt 9:27-35

SAT 9 MAR **The Forty Martyrs**
2 Cor 4:11-18/Lk 6:20-23

SUN 10 MAR **Healing of the Paralytic**
St. Auxentius
1 Tim 5:24-6:5/Mk 2:1-12



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SAT 2 MAR 4PM +Richard VanDusen *by Patricia Karam & Lou Raya*
+Patricia Nassimos *by Isabelle Linder*
+Zaffa Horton (Birth.) *by Cathy & Ronny*
+Murad Joseph Mimassi *by Son, Michael*

SUN 3 MAR 10AM +Elaine Audeh Barbarah *by Kathi Tamer*
+Liam Zoghby (40 Day) *by Grandparents, Georges & Samia Zoghby*

MON 4 MAR +No Liturgy

TUE 5 MAR 9AM +Sadie Koury *by Sadie Koury's Will*

WED 6 MAR 9AM +Lorraine Siniscarco *by Deacon Paul Salamy*

THU 7 MAR 9AM +Lawrence Vincent Vargas *by James & Reem Salamy*

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

SAT 9 MAR 4PM +Michael Vogel & John Waller *by A Friend*
+John Linder *by Winnie Mitchell*
+Thelma (T.R.) Roy (Anniv.) *by Nick & Lois Mariano*

SUN 10 MAR 10AM +Albert & Anna Abdoo & Deceased Members of
Their Families *by The Abdoo Family*
+Clorinda Saber *by Richard & Marilyn Joseph*
+Youssef & Anna Moussa *by Family*
+Lorraine Siniscarco *by Deacon Paul Salamy*



CONTACTS

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Family Giving Committee:

George Nehme 401-742-5841

Kitchen & Hall:

Mary Ann Tanoury-Loy 315-790-3307

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315-794-9423

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Maronite Christian Formation:

Laura Cross 315-794-4156

Maronite Youth Organization:

Lisa Barkett 315-723-0556

Maronite Young Adults:

John Paul Salamy 315-732-5241

Joshua Lewis 315-941-2114

Saint Mary's Guild: Anne Lewis 315-525-8227

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

Lectors: Lois Mariano 315-732-3402

Sacristan: Harrison Zogby 315-749-6399



MEETINGS AND EVENTS

WED 6 MAR 9AM Mercy Group

THU 7 MAR 9:30AM Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

FRI 8 MAR 4-7PM Lenten Fish Fry

FRI 8 MAR 6:30PM Stations and Benediction of the Cross

SAT 9 MAR 11AM-2PM Saint Mary's Guild Lenten Retreat

SUN 10 MAR 9AM Maronite Christian Formation (MCF) Classes

SUN 10 MAR 11AM Maronite Youth Organization (MYO) Meeting

FRI 15 MAR 4-7PM Lenten Fish Fry

FRI 15 MAR 6:30PM Stations and Benediction of the Cross

SAT 16 MAR Saint Joseph Society Bake Sale

SUN 17 MAR Saint Joseph Society Bake Sale

SUN 17 MAR 9AM Maronite Christian Formation (MCF) Classes

FRI 22 MAR 4-7PM Lenten Fish Fry

FRI 22 MAR 6:30PM Stations and Benediction of the Cross

SUN 24 MAR 9AM Maronite Christian Formation (MCF) Classes

THU-SAT 25-27 JULY Taste of Lebanon

SUN 3 NOV Festival of Baskets



POINTS OF INTEREST

The Maronite Voice. Please be sure to pick up a copy of the latest issue of *The Maronite Voice* available at both entrances of the Church. There are many interesting and relevant articles.

Women's Lenten Retreat. The Saint Mary's Guild is sponsoring a Women's Lenten Retreat entitled, "Making Lent Meaningful in 2024," next **Saturday 9 March** from **11AM to 2PM** in the George Sfeir Parish Hall. The presenter is Father Joseph Salerno. Guests are welcome. A light lunch will be served. For more information, please call Anne Lewis at 315-525-8227. Please note the Saint Mary's Guild will not be meeting on Sunday 10 March.

Daylight Savings Time Begins. Please remember to set your clocks one hour ahead before going to bed next **Saturday, 9 March**.

Maronite Youth Organization (MYO) Meeting. The MYO will meet next **Sunday 10 March** at **11AM**, immediately following the Divine Liturgy, in the George Sfeir Parish Hall.

Saint Joseph Society Bake Sale. The Saint Joseph Society will hold their Annual Bake Sale on **Saturday 16 March** and **Sunday 17 March** in the **George Sfeir Parish Hall** before and after the Divine Liturgies. If you would like to bake or donate any baked goods, please contact Kamil Rahme at 315-723-5986. We will also be collecting annual dues.

Stations and Benediction of the Cross. On the **Fridays of Great Lent** through **22 March** at **6:30PM** we will celebrate the Stations and Benediction of the Cross in the **Church**. Please make every effort to attend these important Lenten prayers.

Fish Fry. Our Annual Lenten Fish Fry continues on the **Fridays of Great Lent** through **29 March** from **4-7PM** in the George Sfeir Parish Hall, Dine-In or Take-Out. \$15 for adults and \$6 for children under 10. Please join us in fellowship. If you would like to donate baked goods for a Friday, please contact Mary Ann at 315-790-3307.

Divine Liturgy Intentions. There are weekday and weekend Divine Liturgies that can be offered for your intentions. To schedule a Divine Liturgy in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact the parish house during office hours.



ALTAR MEMORIALS

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

- **SANCTUARY PLANTS & FLOWERS** — In Memory of Melvin & Celia Marriott by *Nick & Lois Mariano and Chuck & Lorraine Curri*
- **INCENSE & CHARCOAL** — In Memory of Liam Zoghby by *Uncle & Family*
- **CANDLES** — For the Living and Deceased Members of the Monahan and Murad Families by *Jacquelyn Murad*
- **BREAD & WINE** — In Memory of Fred, Florence & Lorri Nackley by *Fred Nackley & Family*
- **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

2 MAR	4PM	Lois Mariano
3 MAR	10AM	Norma Tehan

9 MAR	4PM	Andrew Rahme
10 MAR	10AM	Nathan Hanna

HOSPITALITY

3 MAR	Mitchell Ladies
10 MAR	Holy Name Society
17 MAR	St. Joseph Society & Bake Sale
7 APR	Betty Karrat
14 APR	MYO Chicken Dinner



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

*Collections for the week ending 25 February
Please see next week's bulletin.*

*This Week's Second Collection: Eparchial Support
Next Week's Second Collection: Easter Flowers*

St. Louis Gonzaga Church 520 Rutger Street • Utica

Annual Lenten

FISH FRY



Adults \$15 | Children (Under 10) \$6
Baked or Fried | 2 Sides + Dessert
Walk-Ins Welcome

EAT IN OR TAKE OUT

FRIDAY'S 4-7PM