



Our Lady of Victory Maronite Catholic Parish

At Saint Pamphilus

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SEPTEMBER 7-8, 2024

CELEBRATION OF THE EXALTATION OF THE CROSS

OUR LADY OF VICTORY PITTSBURGH LEBANESE



FOOD FESTIVAL

WHEN

SEPTEMBER 6, 7, & 8 2024

FRIDAY & SATURDAY: 12PM - 10PM

SUNDAY: 12 PM - 6 PM

WHERE

OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

10:00AM to 4:00PM

Parish Pastoral Council Members

Rosy Habib

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BAPTISM & CHRISMATION: Arrangements for these Mysteries may be preceded by instructional classes for Parents & Sponsors. The Parents themselves should contact the office. Both sponsors must be Catholic and must be 18 years of age or older. Sponsorship Forms are required for sponsors.

MARRIAGES: The couple should contact the Parish Office at least six months in advance and before any other arrangements or commitments are made. No weddings outside of the parish.

FUNERALS: Please contact the Pastor or Parish Office before making any arrangements. The pastor must be consulted to set times for Prayer Services and Funeral Liturgies. We will celebrate ALL Funeral Liturgies here at the Church.

Liturgy Times & Intentions: September 7-15, 2024

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Sat Sept 7 4:00PM Sozon

Soul of Youssef Chahine

Barbara Amado-Bebout

Sarkis & Thomas Families

Sadie Thomas

Sun Sept 8 10:00AM

Souls of Anthony & Edna Joseph

Family

Souls of Mohib Abdounour

Family

& Family

Soul of Christine Ayoob Schott

Jeanette Ayoob Urgan

First Sunday after Holy Cross

Sat Sept 14 4:00PM Sassine

Soul of Norman Mahfood

Underwood Family

Soul of Youssef Chahine

Dick & Shirley Kail

Sun Sept 15 10:00AM

Souls of Rick Zacor

Ronna George

Soul of Youssef Chahine

Thresa Basil & Family

If you would like to schedule a liturgy intention, please call the office (412-278-0841).

NOTE: Beginning Sunday, September 8, 2024 and through the end of October 2024, there will only be one liturgy on Sundays at 10AM. Weekday liturgies at Our Lady of Victory will resume on October 1, 2024. There is an 11AM liturgy Monday through Friday at the Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center.

Please note our collections are as follows:

Sept 7 & 8, 2024-Holy Cross Sunday &

Catholic University of America & Maronite Seminary*

***25% of this collection is for funding of academic scholarships at CUA and 75% is for Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Seminary in Washing DC.**

Sept 14 & 15, 2024-Weekly Offering & Helping Lebanon

MCF FALL 2024/2025

SCHOOL YEAR

Classes begin on Sunday,

September 15, 2024 at

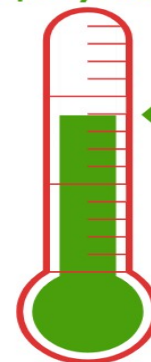
9:00AM.

Please be sure to register your children.

| September 2024 | 1-Sep | Total |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Collection | \$3,000 | \$3,000 |
| Mail Collection | \$895 | \$895 |
| Online Giving | \$135 | \$135 |
| Candles | \$45 | \$45 |
| Help for Lebanon | \$0 | \$0 |
| Church Fund | \$205 | \$205 |
| Total | \$4,280 | \$4,280 |
| Expenses | -\$501 | -\$501 |
| Balance | \$3,779 | \$3,779 |

Pittsburgh Lebanese Festival

\$52,525



← Raised
\$33,310

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In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Please keep in your prayers:

Chuck Borik, Martha Kail, Peter DeSando, Angie Joseph, Michael Rattie, Alicia Hruby, Helen McGoun, Dr. Adnan Abla, Ashley Ayooob, Frances Barack, David Ingrid Franklin, Faten Fafat, Sr., Mary Ann Karas, Franice Pattinato, Helen Mierski, Rebecca Rodgers, Rina Molinaro, Patty Doerzbacker, Anna Marie Mecca, Ken Kovach, Frank Joseph, Alex Joseph, Rosemary Thomas Hartman, Celeste Cancilla, Stephanie Vail, John Abbas (Youngstown), James Brocato, Dalal Romah, Isaac Simon, Sue Cravens, Kim B., Chrissy Coury, Logan Gump, Darius Xavier Collins, Melissa Rodriguez, Amanda Marie, Matthew James Rendell, Jadon Michael, Jean Westerman, Attila Shumaker, Timmy Droege, Denise Mytiva Mastro, Kate Jacobs, Vincent Scully, Valerie Bonner, John Kavulic, Jaime Perrucci, Kattie Fitzpatrick, Lyuva Lazovski and Zaina Haidar.

Scripture Readings

Exaltation of the Holy Cross
(September 7 & 8, 2024)

Ex 17:8-15

1 Cor 1:18-25 Jn 12:20-32

First Sunday After Holy Cross
(September 14 & 15, 2024)

Deut 17:14-20

2 Tim 2:1-10 Mk 10:35-45

*All Scripture Readings are taken from the
Revised Edition of the New American Bible*

MYSTERY OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Confession is available before and after
Liturgies on Saturday and Sunday,
and by appointment during the week.

Month of September 2024

Sanctuary Lamps

Healing Graces for Allan Kutz requested by
Ronna George.

Altar Bread Wine

In loving memory of Shana Victoria
requested by Ronna George



Altar Bread & Wine or Sanctuary Lamps can be
sponsored for a donation of \$25.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

On **Saturday, September 28, 2024**, we will
be celebrating Chorbishop Michael Kail's
50th Anniversary! There will be a liturgy
and a dinner. **Please RSVP no later than
September 14, 2024.**

Victory Hall Rental

Our Victory Hall is the perfect location
for all of your Personal and Business
Events. Victory Hall has ample Free
Parking and a 300 Person Capacity.

**For more information or to tour the
hall, please contact the Church at
412-278-0841.**

Hospitalized, Sick & Shut-In Parishioners

Please call the office if you or some-
one in your family is hospitalized or
otherwise unable to attend Mass to
schedule a visit with the priest and to
receive communion.

UPCOMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY PICNIC

Saturday, Sept. 21, 2024

CASH BASH

Saturday, October 12, 2024 -

Tickets now available.

Please call the office.

VETERANS' DAY DINNER & LITURGY

Saturday, November 9, 2024

ANNUAL COOKIE WALK

Saturday, December 14, 2024

FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 15, 2024

Fifteenth Annual Benefit Dinner for the Eparchy of Saint Maron

Each October, the Eparchy has a Benefit Dinner to raise funds for educating seminarians, expanding ministries, and supporting parishes and missions in need in the Eparchy. This year our honorees will be Bassam and Mirna Ayoub, members of Our Lady of Lebanon Cathedral, Brooklyn, NY, and Doctor Charbel Ishak and Doctor Maria Ajaimy, members of St. John Paul II Maronite Parish, Sleepy Hollow, NY. The Annual Benefit Dinner will take place on Thursday, October 24, at The Union League Club. Please visit <http://www.stmaron.org/eparchial-benefit> to register and make a donation. Please support this important event – the Church needs your support this year more than ever. For more information, please email saintmaron@yahoo.com or call 718-237-9913. Thank you.

Book Study on "The Call of the Desert" St. Sharbel: God's Gift to the Modern World

Join Paul Kengor every Tuesday Evening at 7pm from August 13-September 24, 2024 for an in-depth study and review of the book called "The Call of the Desert" St. Sharbel: God's Gift to the Modern World by Archbishop Francis Zayek.



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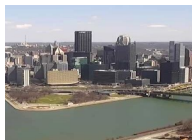
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