

Our Lady of Victory Maronite Catholic Parish

At Saint Pamphilus

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> OCTOBER 26-27, 2024 SUNDAY OF CHRIST THE KING



CHRIST THE KING. CELEBRATING THE LAST **SUNDAY OF THE MARONITE** LITURGICAL YEAR.

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OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 10:00AM to 4:00PM

Parish Pastoral Council Members

Rosy Habib Christina Irani David Joseph Joe Ayoob **Hoda Bassil** Frank Mecca **Nick Kassouf** Marwan Sadaka Ken Krauss Joe Barack Michelle Cindrich Tamara Alchoufete Joe Zischkau Alexis Joseph **Georges Jabra**

Parish Finance Council Members

Nicholas Romah Joseph Habib Adam Kassab Anne Ayoob **Danny Chahine Dima Fares-Ayoob**

Richard Kail



MYSTERY OF RECONDILIATION/CONFESSION: Confession is available before and after Liturgies on Saturday and Sunday, and by appointment during the week.

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: October 26-November 3, 2024

Sunday of Christ the King

Sat Oct 26 4:00PM Demetrius Souls of Patrick & Family

Marilyn Torchia

Special Intention Sadie Thomas

Sun Oct 27 10:00AM Capitolina Souls of Ray & Marie Schrello- Family

Wedding Anniversary

Mon Oct 28 No Liturgy

Tue Oct 29 5:00PM Rosary

5:30PM Anastasia Ayoob Family The Pastor

Wed Oct 30 5:00PM Rosary

5:30PM Macarius Soul of George Mansour The Pastor

Thurs Oct 31 5:00PM Rosary

5:30PM Epinachus Soul of Rabih Nouh The Pastor

All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)

Fri Nov 1 5:00PM Rosary

5:30PM Cosmas The Parishioners of OLOV The Pastor

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

Sat Nov 2 4:00PM Soul of Elidio Monoriti France Barack & Family

Soul of Carol DeMarco Dexter M/M Charles Joseph &

M/M Douglas Coulter

Consecration of the Church

Sun Nov 3 10:00AM Joseph Soul of Josephine Hess Barbara Hess

Soul of Jacqueline Raad Family

Soul of Youssef Chahine Theresa Basil & Family

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

There will only be one liturgy on Sundays at 10AM until further notice.

The Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center will be closed on Mondays.

Liturgies will be at noon, Tuesday through Friday.

October 2024	6-Oct	13-Oct	20-Oct	Total
Collection	\$1,529	\$1,438	\$1,759	\$4,726
Mail Collection	\$1,015	\$745	\$0	\$1,760
Online Giving	\$135	\$195	\$185	\$515
Candles	\$60	\$49	\$32	\$141
Sancutary Lamps	\$0	\$0	\$25	\$25
Help for Lebanon	\$0	\$140	\$3	\$143
World Mission	\$0	\$0	\$115	\$115
Church Fund	\$125	\$25	\$125	\$275
Total	\$2,864	\$2,592	\$2,244	\$7,700
Expenses*	-\$2,119	-\$2,261	-\$14,131	-\$18,511
Balance	\$745	\$331	-\$11,887	-\$10,811

Please note our collections are as follows:

Oct 26 & 27, 2024- Weekly Offering &
Monthly Church Fund
November 1, 2024—All Saints
Nov 2 & 3, 2024—Weekly Offering &
Maronite Patriarchal Charities*

*Maronite Patriarchal Charities—all proceeds from this collection are sent directly to our Patriarch for his charitable works.

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Please keep in your prayers:

Chuck Borik, Martha Kail, Peter DeSando, Michael Rattie, Alicia Hruby, Helen McGoun, Dr. Adnan Abla, Ashley Ayoob, Frances Barack, David Ingrid Franklin, Faten Fatfat, 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, Zaina Haidar, Barbara Routh Cappy and Baby Laniey Marie.

Scripture Readings

Sunday of Christ the King (October 26 & 27 2024)

Job 29:1-3, 12-16

Rom12:9-21

Mt 25:31-46

Consecration of the Church (November 2 & 3, 2024)

Is 54:1, 3, 5-8, 10

Heb 9:1-12

Mt 16:13-20

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

CRAFT SHOW

Saturday, November 2, 2024

VETERANS' DAY LITURGY & DINNER

Saturday, November 9, 2024



ANNUAL COOKIE WALK

Saturday, December 14, 2024



FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sunday, December 15, 2024

Month of October 2024

Altar Bread Wine

In loving memory of Joseph L. Romah, Jr. 15th Anniversary of Passing requested by the Family

Month of November 2024

Altar Bread Wine

In loving memory of Josephine & Carl Hess requested by Barbara Hess

Sanctuary Lamps

In loving memory of
Tony Barack, Elidio Monoriti &
Joe Kovach
requested by Frances Barack & Family

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



Hospitalized, Sick & Shut-In Parishioners

Please call the office if you or someone in your family is hospitalized or otherwise unable to attend

Mass to schedule a visit with the priest and to
receive communion.

Mark Your Calendars!

Annual Veterans Day Celebration Saturday, November 9, 2024

Liturgy at 4PM followed by ceremony and dinner. Please call the office to confirm your attendance.

Please complete and return information for our Veterans' database.



SAVE THE DATE

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

Evening presentation and Concert followed by Wine and Cheese reception at the Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center with FLORIANI!

Floriani is a men's vocal ensemble dedicated to serving the Church and saving the culture through the beauty of sacred music.

Serving the Church. We envision nothing short of a revival of Catholic sacred music in churches nationwide, which will accelerate the return to sacred liturgical tradition and greater reverence for Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. This will be one essential component of the strengthening of the Church in America. A Catholic Church alive with the beauty of the liturgy will be a much more potent force for a nation that is collapsing for its rejection of what is true, good, and beautiful.

We're bringing this vision closer to reality by performing sacred music, recording original and traditional sacred compositions, training choirs in the method and content of sacred music, and conducting sacred music retreats for church choirs, introducing them to the Church's rich heritage of beautiful liturgical music.

In our post-Christian society, many hearts that are not open to Truth are still per not beauty. We seek to provide encounters with beautiful sacred music in provider to draw hearts to God. We aim to infiltrate the culture on social media, our recordings, our podcast, and public performances. We believe in the power of Sacred Beauty to awaken a desire for Christ and his Church.