



# APRIL 25-26, 2026

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

*The Relics of*  
**Saint Sharbel**  
— Visit Pittsburgh —

**MAY 8-10, 2026**

- ◆ Veneration of Relics
- ◆ Daily Liturgies & Devotions
- ◆ Healing Prayer Services

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

### Parish Pastoral Council Members

<p>Rosy Habib          David Joseph          Frank Mecca          Nick Kassouf          Ken Krauss          Sharbel Sadaka          Alexis Joseph          Antonios Bou Samra</p>	<p>Christina Irani          Joe Ayoob          Hoda Bassil          Marwan Sadaka          Joe Barack          Tamara Alchoufete          Joe Zischkau          Georges Kassouf</p>
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**Parish Finance Council Members**

Richard Kail  
 Nicholas Romah  
 Joseph Habib  
 Adam Kassab  
 Anne Ayoob  
 Dima Ayoob  
 Samir Boulos  
 Joe Joseph



# Liturgy Times & Intentions: April 25-May 3, 2026

## Fourth Sunday of the Resurrection

<p><b>Sat Apr 25 4:00PM Mark</b></p> <p><b>Sun Apr 26 8:30AM Anacletus I 11:00AM</b></p> <p><b>Mon Apr 27</b></p> <p><b>Tues Apr 28 5:30PM Jason 6:00PM</b></p> <p><b>Wed Apr 29</b></p> <p><b>Thurs Apr 30 5:30PM James 6:00PM</b></p> <p><b>Fri May 1 5:30PM Jeremiah 6:00PM</b></p>	<p><b>Soul of Frances Barack-40 Day</b> <b>Soul of Mary Lou Wade</b> <b>Souls of Jimmy &amp; Mary Ann Testa</b> <b>Soul of Suzanne Wakim</b></p> <p><b>No Liturgy</b></p> <p><b>Rosary</b> <b>Soul of Amy Lynn Habib</b></p> <p><b>Saint Sharbel Day of Prayer &amp; Healing</b> <b>Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center</b> <b>5pm Eucharistic Adoration</b> <b>6pm Rosary</b> <b>6:30pm Divine Liturgy, blessing with holy oil/veneration of the relic of St. Sharbel</b> <b>Confession Available</b></p> <p><b>Rosary</b> <b>Soul of Alice Marratto</b></p> <p><b>Rosary</b> <b>Sarkis &amp; Thomas Families</b></p>	<p><b>Family</b> <b>Dick &amp; Shirley Kail</b> <b>Theresa Basil &amp; Family</b> <b>Bill Eassie</b></p> <p><b>The Pastor</b></p> <p><b>The Pastor</b></p> <p><b>Sadie Thomas</b></p>
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## Fifth Sunday of the Resurrection

<p><b>Sat May 2 4:00PM Athanasius</b></p> <p><b>Sun May 3 8:30AM Timothy 11:00AM</b></p>	<p><b>Soul of Mary Lou Wade</b> <b>Souls of Tom &amp; Aneesa Ferris</b> <b>Soul of Frances Barack</b> <b>For the First Communicants</b></p>	<p><b>Susan &amp; Tim Phillips</b> <b>Ernst Family</b> <b>Trapolsi Family</b> <b>The Pastor</b></p>
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If you would like to schedule a liturgy intention, please call the office (412-278-0841).

### Our collections are as follows:

**April 25 & 26, 2026**

**Weekly Church Offering**

**May 2 & 3, 2026**

**Weekly Church Offering**

**& National Shrine Lady of Lebanon**



April 2026	5-Apr	12-Apr	19-Apr	Total
Collection	\$5,878	\$1,282	\$1,918	<b>\$9,078</b>
Mail Collection	\$1,145	\$250	\$645	<b>\$2,040</b>
Online Giving	\$195	\$245	\$195	<b>\$635</b>
Help for the Holy Thursday	\$70	\$426	\$0	<b>\$496</b>
Good Friday	\$925	\$0	\$0	<b>\$925</b>
	\$708	\$0	\$0	<b>\$708</b>
Eparchial Charity	\$2,060	\$0	\$0	<b>\$2,060</b>
Candles	\$49	\$69	\$58	<b>\$176</b>
Church Fund	\$560	\$524	\$20	<b>\$1,104</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,590</b>	<b>\$2,796</b>	<b>\$2,836</b>	<b>\$17,222</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>-\$2,617</b>	<b>-\$8,669</b>	<b>-\$13,508</b>	<b>-\$24,794</b>
<b>Balance</b>	<b>\$8,973</b>	<b>-\$5,873</b>	<b>-\$10,672</b>	<b>-\$7,572</b>

## In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Please keep in your prayers: Chuck Borik, Michael Rattie, Alicia Hruby, Helen McGoun, Dr. Adnan Abla, Ashley Ayoub, David Ingrid Franklin, Faten Fafat, 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, Jaden Michael, Jean Westerman, Attila Shumaker, Timmy Droege, Denise Mytiva Mastro, Kate Jacobs, Vincent Scully, Valerie Bonner, John Kavulic, Jaime Perrucci, Kattie Fitzpatrick, Lyuva Lazovski, Barbara Routh Cappy, Josephine, Veronica Moore, Fadaa Sadaka, Grace Kaduck, Traci Orr, Hampartsoum Nazarian, Mary Elizabeth Leonard, and all who are in need of our prayers.

## Scripture Readings

### 4th Sunday of the Resurrection

(April 25 & 26, 2026)

Gen 1:20-23

Heb 13:18-25 Jn 21:1-14

### 5th Sunday of the Resurrection

Our Lady of Lebanon

(May 2 & 3, 2026)

Ezek 34:11-16, 23-25a

Eph 2:1-10 Jn 21:15-19

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

## Month of April 2026

### Altar Bread Wine

In loving memory of Robert Aiken  
requested by Ronna George.

### Sanctuary Lamps

In loving memory of William Schuler  
requested by Ronna George.

## Month of May 2026

### Altar Bread Wine

In loving memory of John & Laura A. Kail  
requested by Bob & Cathy Hoag.

### Sanctuary Lamps

In loving memory of John & Laura A. Kail  
requested by Bob & Cathy Hoag.



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

## PARISH REGISTRATION

New Parishioners are asked to register as are newlyweds and single young adults, even if registered previously with their families.

Please call the office for a registration form.  
Forms are also available in the church vestibule.



## DONATE ONLINE

Consider using our online giving tool.  
Go to our website [OLOVPGH.ORG](http://OLOVPGH.ORG) and  
set up recurrent payments or make a  
one-time gift.

**MYSTERY OF RECONCILIATION/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.

**FROM OUR TABLE TO YOURS:  
OUR LADY OF VICTORY  
PARISH COOKBOOK**

*In celebration of our 125th Anniversary!*

Our Lady Of Victory Parish is creating a special 125th Anniversary Parish Cookbook.

Be a part of this delicious keepsake!

Share your favorite recipe—whether it's a cherished family secret, family weeknight meal, or holiday favorite—our cookbook will have it all!

Submit your recipes **now through March 31** by scanning the QR code below.

We will create a beautiful cookbook for all to enjoy, on sale this summer!

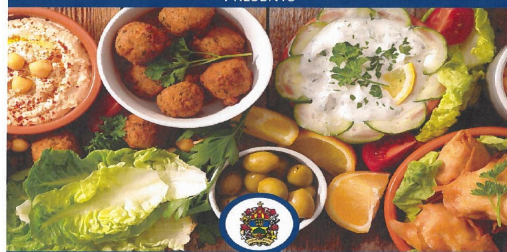


**HELP FOR THE NEEDY**

We will be making lunches on **Saturday, May 2, 2026** beginning at **8:30am**. The lunches are delivered to **Second Avenue Commons**. We are again asking for **personal hygiene products**. There's a basket in the church vestibule for you to place your donations. As always, your time, kindness and generosity are appreciated! **Thank you!**



THE BASILICA AND NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF LEBANON PRESENTS



BASILICA & NATIONAL SHRINE  
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**The Lebanese Food Festival!**  
SUNDAY, MAY 3RD | 11AM-6PM

Join us for our 4th Annual Lebanese Food Festival!  
Featuring all of your traditional Lebanese Favorites & Specialty Desserts!

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FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
THE SHRINE AT 330-538-3351

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**SAVE THE DATE!**

**OLOV 33<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL  
GOLF OUTING**

**IN MEMORY OF PETER HABIB  
MONDAY, JUNE 29, 2026**

Register and submit payment online at [olovpgh.org](http://olovpgh.org). Brochures for registration and sponsorship can also be found in the church vestibule.



**SAVE THE DATE  
ONE DAY ONLY**

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**A Taste of the Pittsburgh Folk Festival**

Proudly Presented by  
**The Pittsburgh Folk Festival**

**Saturday, August 1, 2026**  
Olov 1000 Tropical Avenue, Beechview

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- ✓ Cooking demonstrations by local chefs
- ✓ 5-Star ethnic food trucks
- ✓ International bazaar
- ✓ Music, Dancing & Live Performances

**Limited spaces available!**

- ✓ Food Trucks • Vendors • Presenters

Contact: Ondrejana Zatek (412-719-1713)  
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**MARONITE SAINTS**

**AUGUST 3/4/5/6/7-2026**

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SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER**

Only  
200  
tickets  
sold

**\$5,000.00 CASH**  
Donation \$50.00

Number Taken from the PA 3 digit Lottery draw on  
**May 7th, 2026 (7pm Drawing)**

Winner  
need  
not be  
present

925  
883  
770  
626  
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