October 17-18, 2026
Fifth Sunday after Holy Cross



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Liturgy Times & Intentions:
October 17-25, 2026

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Sat	Oct 17	4:00PM	Damian	Souls of Norman & Gloria Olup	Lenore & Gene Thomas
				Soul of Linda Novacek	Lori & Paige Evans
Sun	Oct 18	8:30AM	Luke	Soul of Robert Raymond	Debbie Raymond
		11:00AM		Souls of Walter, Millie and Connie Joseph	Boulos Family
Mon	Oct 19			No Liturgy	
Tues	Oct 20	5:30PM		Rosary	
		6:00PM	Shallita	Soul of Sany Nassar	Janis Baldwin
Weds	Oct 21	5:30PM		Rosary	
		6:00PM	Hilarion	Borik Family	The Pastor
St. Sharbel Mass of Prayer & Healing at the Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center					
Thurs	Oct 22	5:00PM		Eucharistic Adoration, Confession Available	
		6:00PM		Rosary	
		6:30PM		Divine Liturgy, Blessing with Holy Oil and Veneration of the Relic of St. Sharbel	
Fri	Oct 23	5:30PM		Rosary	
		6:00PM	Ignatius	Fadaa & Josephine Sadaka	The Pastor
Sunday of Christ the King					
Sat	Oct 24	4:00PM	Arethas	Soul of Jim Jastrebski	Marie Smith
				Soul of Chaz Jospeh	Barbara Amado-Bebout
Sun	Oct 25	8:30AM	Chrysanthus	Soul of Joe Eassie	The Pastor
		11:00AM			

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

Our collections are as follows:

October 17 & 18, 2026
Weekly Offering
& World Mission Sunday*
October 24 & 25, 2026
Weekly Offering
& Monthly Church Fund



October 2026	4-Oct	11-Oct	Total
Collection	$2,380	$7,873	**$10,253**
Mail Collection	$1,145	$300	**$1,445**
Online Giving	$320	$75	**$395**
Candles	$20	$48	**$68**
Help for the Needy	$20	$300	**$320**
World Mission	$0	$10	**$10**
Hall Rental	$500	$300	**$800**
Church Fund	$240	$0	**$240**
Total	**$4,625**	**$8,906**	**$13,531**
Expenses	**-$31,896**	**-$1,417**	**-$33,313**
Balance	**-$27,271**	**$7,489**	**-$19,782**

*World Mission Sunday

As per the norms established by the USCCB, 91% of this collection goes to the Society for the Propagtion of the Faith, and 9% to the Cathlic Near East Welfare Association.

OLOV Christmas Party
Sunday, December 20, 2026
11AM Liturgy
Children's Play
Christmas Party





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.

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Please keep in your prayers: Chuck Borik, Michael Rattie, Alicia Hruby, Helen McGoun, Dr. Adnan Abla, Ashley Ayoob, David Ingrid Franklin, Faten Fatfat, Franice Pattinato, Helen Mierski, Rebecca Rodgers, Patty Doerzbacker, Anna Marie Mecca, Ken Kovach, Frank Joseph, Alex Joseph, Rosemary Thomas Hartman, Celeste Cancilla, Stephanie Vail, 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, Barbara Routh Cappy, Josephine, Veronica Moore, Fadaa Sadaka, Grace Kaduck, Traci Orr, Hampartsoum Nazarian, Mary Elizabeth Leon-

Scripture Readings

5th Sunday after Holy Cross
(October 17 & 18, 2026)
Song 5:2-8
Phil 2:12-18 Mt 25:1-13

Sunday of Christ the King
(October 24 & 25, 2026)
Job 29:1-3, 12-16
Rom 12:9-21 Mt 25:31-46

All Readings are taken from the NRSVCE. All Gospel Readings are take from the Revised Edition of the New American Bible

Month of October 2026

Altar Bread & Wine
In loving memory of the Kail Family
requested by Family.
Sanctuary Lamps
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requested by Family.



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

HELP FOR THE NEEDY

We will be making lunches on
Saturday, October 24, 2026.
The lunches are delivered to
Second Avenue Commons.

We are collecting new, unused personal hygiene items. There's a basket in the church vestibule for you to place your donations.
Thank you!

HELP THE HOMELESS





MYO One Day Christmas Retreat

Saturday, December 5, 2026 at OLOV

Registration details available shortly.

Save the date!

MARONITE YOUTH ORGANIZATION
Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn

DONATE ONLINE

Consider using our online giving tool. Go to our website OLOVPGH.ORG and set up recurrent payments or make a one-time gift.



HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

VETERANS DAY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



Our Lady of Victory Maronite Catholic Church
Veterans Day Celebration

Saturday, November 7, 2026, following the 4:00PM Liturgy

Victory Hall – 1000 Tropical Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15216

Free Will Donation & Cash Bar

Honoring All Our Veterans

Please join us as we honor the courage and sacrifice of our veterans with prayer and fellowship. 4:00PM Liturgy followed by a dinner in Victory Hall. Please let us know if you will attend this special gathering of parishioners and friends to honor our veterans. You can email the church office (office@olovpittsburgh.org), call the office (412-278-0841), or complete the form below and send it or bring it to the office or simply drop it in the weekend collection basket BY OCTOBER 29, 2026. You need to RSVP to attend.

Name _____

Number Attending _____

Phone Number/Email Address _____

Veterans – please provide a brief summary of your service (i.e., branch of service, years served, conflicts served, locations served, and awards, honors, and medals received, if applicable.

Keep Your Lamp Ready!

Matthew 25:1–13













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