

## Saint Anthony's Maronite Catholic Church

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*Sunday, June 21, 2015, Fifth Sunday of Pentecost*

**Sunday, June 21, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

Kenneth Fodill

**Sunday, June 21, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

For all fathers

**Daily Liturgy in the Chapel (June 15 -21)**

**Monday at 9:00 a.m.:** Claire Fahed

**6:30 p.m.:** No evening Liturgy

**Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.:** Erin Shaia

**6:30 p.m.:** Hope Karnes

**Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.:** Madison Shibley

**6:30 p.m.:** Abe, Julia and Peggy Massad

**Thursday at 9:00 a.m.:** Megan Shibley

**6:30 p.m.:**

**Friday at 9:00 a.m.:** Faiz Oley

**6:30 p.m.:**

**Saturday at 9:00 a.m.:**

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

Abe, Julia and Peggy Massad

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

Bishop Stephen Hector Doueih

**Sunday, July 5, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

Nagieb and Sadie Sanyour and Theresa Sharman

**Sunday, July 5, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

Joseph and Julia Shaar and deceased family members

### *Readers*

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

John Aaron

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

John Zeheb

### *Ushers*

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

Paul Thomas, Mike Shulleeta, Sonny Shibley, Leigh McDaniel and Michael Yesbeck

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

Raymond Khoury, George Yesbeck, Danny Shibley, Brandon Shulleeta and Walter Ferguson

### *Altar Boys*

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 8:30 a.m.**

Stephen Shibley, Tyler Cassidy and Christopher Yago

**Sunday, June 28, 2015 at 11:00 o'clock**

Jacob Maust, Christopher Little, Joseph Shibley & Tyler Anders

### *Prayer for Vocations*

This week John and Theresa Nadder family will have the Vocation Icon and will pray for vocations.

### *Vacation Bible Camp*

Vacation Bible Camp will take place **Monday, June 22 through Friday, June 26, 2015, from 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 noon.** Cost is \$15 per child. Registration for Vacation Bible Camp will take place following each Liturgy. For further information, please call Donna Goodman at 749-4760 or Cathy George.

### *Peter's Pence*

**Sunday, June 28, 2015**, a second collection will be taken for the Holy Father (**Peter's Pence**). The Peter's Pence Collection enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to requests to aid the most needy throughout the world - those who suffer as a result of war, oppression, and natural disasters. All funds collected will be sent to the Chancery Office for proper transfer to the appropriate channels. Thank you for your continued generosity and cooperation.

### *Recreation Center*

Hours of the pool are from 12:00 noon - 8:00 P.M. **TUESDAY THROUGH SUNDAY** and **from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Monday**

To help defray some of the expenses attached to the operation of the pool, we are asking for **\$200 donation** per family for the season. Thank you for your generosity.

### **When is a Catholic obliged to confess his serious sins? How often should one go to confession?**

Upon reaching the age of reason, a Catholic is obliged to confess his serious sins. The Church urgently advises the faithful to do this at least once a year. At any rate one must go to confession before receiving Holy Communion if one has committed a serious sin.

By "the age of reason", the Church means the age at which one has arrived at the use of reason and has learned to distinguish between good and bad.

### **Why are priests the only ones who can forgive sins?**

No man can forgive sins unless he has a commission from God to do so and the power given by him to ensure that the forgiveness he promises the penitent really takes place. The bishop, in the first place, is appointed to do that and, then, his helpers, the ordained priests.

### **Are there sins that are so serious that not even the average priest can forgive them?**

There are sins in which a man turns completely away from God and at the same time, because of the seriousness of the deed, incurs excommunication. When a sin results in "excommunication", absolution can be granted only by the bishop or a priest delegated by him, and, in a few cases, only by the Pope. In danger of death, any priest can absolve from every sin and excommunication.

A Catholic who, for example, cooperates in an abortion automatically excludes himself from sacramental communion; the Church simply acknowledges this fact. The purpose of "excommunication" is to correct the sinner and to lead him back to the right path (YOUCAT questions 234, 236 & 237).

*Happy Father's Day to all fathers and fathers to be.  
May our Heavenly Father guide you and through you,  
may He guide us.*

