

Saint Anthony's Maronite Catholic Church

Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn

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Sunday, February 12, 2006, Sunday of the Righteous and Just

Sunday, February 12, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Joseph Makhlouf

Sunday, February 12, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Special intention

Daily Liturgy in the Chapel at 9:00 A.M.

Monday: Abe and Julia Massad

Tuesday: Mariam Lee

Wednesday: No morning Liturgy

Thursday: Michael Kelleher

Friday: Mariam Lee

Saturday: Mariam Lee

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Charles and Alice Anthony

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Nina and Leo Koury

Sunday, February 26, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

For All Faithful Departed

Sunday, February 26, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Harry and Zackia Shaia and Philip and Mary

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Choir Practice

Tuesday, February 21, 2006 at 7:30 P.M. there will be a Choir practice for both Liturgies

Readers:

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Subdeacon Kenneth Fodill

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

Dr. Harry (Chip) Shaia

Altar Boys

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Drew Scott, Cody Joseph, Michael Maynes and Christopher Fahed

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

Tommy & Vince Shibley and Alex Goodman

Ushers

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Arthur Zohab, Tom Dailey, Tom Anthony and Victor Shaheen

Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

John Fadool, Michel Zajur, Michael Yesbeck and Sam Shibley

Scripture Readings For February 19, 2006

1Thes. 5:1-11; Lk. 16:19-31

Saint Maron Feast Day Dinner

Saint Maron's Feast Day Annual Dinner will take place on

Sunday, February 26, 2006 following the 11:00 o'clock Liturgy. Tickets are available following each Liturgy.

Meetings

Sunday, February 12, 2006, Youth Club, the Junior Youth and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet in the social hall following the 11:00 o'clock Liturgy.

Second Collection

Sunday, February 12, 2006, a second collection will be taken to benefit the **Catholic Home Mission Appeal**. Launched in 1998, the appeal strengthens the Catholic Church where it is weak in the United States and its territories where resources are thin and priests are few. The appeal funds a wide range of pastoral services, including evangelization, religious education, the maintenance of mission parishes, the training of seminarians and lay ministers, and ministry with ethnic groups, especially Hispanics.

Our eparchy which is "missionary" by nature has received much financial help from this efforts. Now we are able to help others in need. All funds collected will be forwarded to the Chancery Office in New York for proper transfer to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Thank you for your generosity and cooperation.

Bishop's Annual Appeal

The Bishop's Annual Appeal for 2006 will start on **Ash Monday, February 27, 2006** and lasts until Easter April 16, 2006. More information will be in future bulletin and will be mailed to you.



Lenten Regulations

Lent, the penitential season of the Church year, begins on **Ash Monday, February 27, 2006** and lasts until Easter. The Lenten Season is a time of sacrifices throughout the Universal Church.

Distribution of Ashes

Ashes will be distributed only on **Ash Monday, February 27, 2006** during the 9:00 A.M. and the 6:30 P.M. Liturgy.

- All Maronites who are physically capable are to **abstain from meat** on Ash Monday (February 27) and all Fridays of Lent.
- Ash Monday and the Great Friday of the Crucifixion are also days of **fasting**. Fasting in the Maronite Church involves eating and drinking nothing at all (except water and medicine) from midnight until noon. The rest of the day normal meals can be taken but without meat. All Maronites who are physically capable are to fast on these two days.

• **Devotion of Lenten Fridays**

Starting on **Friday, March 3, 2006 at 6:30 P.M.**, and every Friday of Lent thereafter, we will have **Stations of the Cross** followed by the **Benediction with the Cross**.