

SAINT ANTHONY

MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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15 January 2023
Second Sunday After the Epiphany



FEAST OF SAINT ANTHONY THE GREAT
17 JANUARY

SUNDAY READINGS

Epistle - 2 Cor 4:5-15

5 For we do not preach ourselves but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your slaves for the sake of Jesus. 6 For God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to bring to light the knowledge of the glory of God on the face of [Jesus] Christ.

The Paradox of the Ministry. 7 But we hold this treasure in earthen vessels, that the surpassing power may be of God and not from us. 8 We are afflicted in every way, but not constrained; perplexed, but not driven to despair; 9 persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down, but not destroyed; 10 always carrying about in the body the dying of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our body. 11 For we who live are constantly being given up to death for the sake of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may be manifested in our mortal flesh.

12 So death is at work in us, but life in you. 13 Since, then, we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, "I believed, therefore I spoke," we too believe and therefore speak, 14 knowing that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and place us with you in his presence. 15 Everything indeed is for you, so that the grace bestowed in abundance on more and more people may cause the thanksgiving to overflow for the glory of God.

Gospel - John 1:35-42

The next day John was there again with two of his disciples. 36 When he saw Jesus passing by, he said, "Look, the Lamb of God!"

37 When the two disciples heard him say this, they followed Jesus. 38 Turning around, Jesus saw them following and asked, "What do you want?" They said, "Rabbi" (which means "Teacher"), "where are you staying?"

39 "Come," he replied, "and you will see." So they went and saw where he was staying, and they spent that day with him. It was about four in the afternoon.

40 Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, was one of the two who heard what John had said and who had followed Jesus. 41 The first thing Andrew did was to find his brother Simon and tell him, "We have found the Messiah" (that is, the Christ). 42 And he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You will be called Cephas" (which, when translated, is Peter)!

PARISH LIFE

Safro (Morning Prayer)

Monday—Friday - 7:30am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday —9:30am - 10:30am

**Reconciliation
(Confession)**

Saturday 9:30am - 10:15am
and by appointment

Baptism and Chrismation

Make arrangements as soon
after birth as possible

Mystery of Crowning

Contact the pastor 6 months

Parish Calendar. Please see stanthonymaronitechurch.org for the parish calendar.

Liturgical Hours. Monday through Saturday 9:00 am daily Divine Liturgy in the chapel
Sunday 8:30 am and 11am Divine Liturgies

First Saturday of the Month. Marian devotions at 9:30 am.

St. Sharbel Devotions. Third Sunday of the month at 11:00 am Divine Liturgy

POINTS OF INTEREST

There will be an MYA Day of Recollection here from **9 am to 2 pm on Saturday, 14 January** with speaker Vivian Akel. There is no cost; lunch will be provided. Anyone 18-35 is invited. Ms. Akel will also be the guest speaker at the Maronite Women's Fellowship gathering on **Sunday, 15 January at noon.**

Second Collection. Sunday, 22 January for the USCCB Worldwide Charities

Cooking for the Festival. Beginning 31 January, we need volunteers on Tuesdays from 9:30 am to 3:30 and on Thursday evenings from 4:00 to 9:00 pm.

Feast of St. Maron (Holy Day of Obligation) on Thursday, 9 February. Liturgies will be at 9 am and 6:30 pm.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Saturday, 14 January at 9 am to 2 pm. MYA Day of Recollection

Sunday, 15 January at 12 noon. Maronite Women's Fellowship gathering with guest speaker.

Tuesday, 17 January at 7 pm. Pastoral Council Meeting

LITURGY SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Sunday, 15 January Second Sunday after Epiphany, St. Anthony the Great (observed)

8:30

In memory of Jackie Shibley, requested by the Shibley Family

In memory of Harvey Hairfield, Gwen and Paul Thomas, requested by Betty Hairfield

11:00

In memory of Ross Girardi, requested by Joe and Cathy George

Monday, 16 January Memorial of the Chains of St. Peter

Tuesday, 17 January St. Anthony the Great

Wednesday, 18 January St. Athanasius of Alexandria

Thursday, 19 January St. Macarius of Egypt

Friday, 20 January St. Euthymius the Great

Saturday, 21 January St. Sebastian

For the intentions of the Saad Family, requested by the Saad Family

Sunday, 22 January Third Sunday after Epiphany, St. Timothy, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

8:30

In memory of Rose Mehfoud Oley, requested by Carolyn Bain and Family

In memory of Arthur Zohab, requested by Barbara Zohab

11:00

In memory of Elham Harika Jalkh, requested by Peter and Alison Mazloom and Family

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION

8 January. All Students

15 January. All Students (St. Anthony Feast Day Celebration)

22 January. Preschool - Eighth Grades

LECTORS SCHEDULE

15 Jan	8:30	Chip Shaia	11:00	Leo Maynes
22 Jan	8:30	John Saad	11:00	Claudia Bouhadiar
29 Jan	8:30	Hannah Roberts	11:00	Mary Shaia
5 Feb	8:30	Denise Maurer	11:00	John Saad

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

We encourage all Acolytes to serve Sunday Liturgies until a schedule is made. If you would like your child to serve liturgies, please bring them 10 minutes early.

COLLECTION COUNTERS SCHEDULE

January: Joe George & Anthony Shibley

February: George Yesbeck

March: David Walton & Paul Shibley

April: David Walton & Paul Shibley

May: Joe George & Anthony Shibley

STEWARDSHIP

8 Jan 2023

Collections: \$2155

Contributions: \$4147

End of Year Appeal: \$800

Thank you for your generosity! Please, when you make a contribution to the parish, indicate your envelope number so that we can accurately give you credit. You may want to donate through the parish website StAnthonyMaroniteChurch.org which also provides for automatic giving. Make it easy on yourself.

MARONITE FORMATION PROGRAM WINTER/SPRING 2023

Sunday	Jan. 8	ALL students	9:30 am
Sunday	Jan. 15	ALL students St. Anthony Feast Day Celebration	9:30 am
Sunday	Jan. 22	Pre-S – 8 th	9:30 am
Sunday	Jan. 29	Pre-S – 6 th 7th-12th grades—LifeTeen	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 5	Pre-S – 8 th	9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 12	ALL students	9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 19	Pre-S – 8 th Parent First Communion Class	9:30 am 9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 26	Pre-S – 6 th 7th-12th grades—LifeTeen	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 5	Pre-S – 8 th Parent First Communion Class	9:30 am 9:30 am
Sunday	Mar.12	ALL Students	9:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 19	Pre-S – 8 th	9:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 26	Pre-S – 6 th 7th-12th grades—LifeTeen Youth Regional Retreat	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	Apr. 2, 9	Palm Sunday, Easter Easter Egg Party TBA	
Sunday	Apr. 16	ALL Students	9:30 am
Sunday	April 23	Pre-S – 8 th	9:30 am
Sunday	April 30	Pre-S – 6 th 7th-12th grades—LifeTeen May Procession	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am 12 noon
Tuesday	May 2	First Communion Practice	6:30 pm
Sunday	May 7	First Communion	11:00 am



CALLING ALL LADIES OF ST ANTHONY FOR OUR FIRST 2023

MWF GATHERING

Guest Speaker, Vivian Akel

"How to have a more personal prayer life with God"

JANUARY 15
12PM



ST ANTHONY
RECREATION HALL

All ladies of the parish, ages 18 and up are invited!

Please bring a potluck dish to share!



Young Adult Day Retreat

**"A Prayer Like No
Other"**

Guest Speaker: Vivian Akel

Location: St. Anthony Maronite Church
4611 Sadler Rd. Glen Allen, VA 23060

When: January 14th, 9:00 am - 3:00pm
Free of charge, lunch provided!



RSVP using the QR code

RSVP not required, but helpful!

Any questions? Please reach out to Joseph Fodill!
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