

# SAINT ANTHONY

## MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### 2nd Sunday of the Resurrection New Sunday (Divine Mercy Sunday) 7 April 2024

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## **SUNDAY READINGS**

### **Epistle - 2 Corinthians 5:11-21**

11 Therefore, since we know the fear of the Lord, we try to persuade others; but we are clearly apparent to God, and I hope we are also apparent to your consciousness. 12 We are not commending ourselves to you again but giving you an opportunity to boast of us, so that you may have something to say to those who boast of external appearance rather than of the heart. 13 For if we are out of our minds, it is for God; if we are rational, it is for you. 14 For the love of Christ impels us, once we have come to the conviction that one died for all; therefore, all have died. 15 He indeed died for all, so that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

16 Consequently, from now on we regard no one according to the flesh; even if we once knew Christ according to the flesh, yet now we know him so no longer. 17 So whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come. 18 And all this is from God, who has reconciled us to himself through Christ and given us the ministry of reconciliation, 19 namely, God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting their trespasses against them and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. 20 So we are ambassadors for Christ, as if God were appealing through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. 21 For our sake he made him to be sin who did not know sin, so that we might become the righteousness of God in him.

### **Gospel - John 20:26-31**

26 Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them. Jesus came, although the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." 27 Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." 28 Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" 29 Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of [his] disciples that are not written in this book. 31 But these are written that you may [come to] believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name.

## PARISH LIFE

**Safro (Morning Prayer)**  
Monday—Friday - 7:30am

**Reconciliation (Confession)**  
Saturday 9:30am - 10:15am  
and by appointment

**Baptism and Chrismation**  
Make arrangements as soon  
after birth as possible

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
Friday —9:30am - 10:30am

**Mystery of Crowning**  
Contact the pastor 6 months  
in advance

**Parish Calendar.** Please see [stanthonymaronitechurch.org](http://stanthonymaronitechurch.org) for the parish calendar.

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

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

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

## POINTS OF INTEREST

**There will be no 9 am Divine Liturgy** on Saturday, 13 April. The funeral for Cindy Lewis Overstreet will be at 9:30 am at St. Anthony Church.

**Second Collection on 21 April** for Catholic Home Missions.

**Lifeguards.** We are accepting applications to be a lifeguard at St. Anthony Pool. Applicants must be 16 and possess current lifeguard certification. Contact Father John by email at [faris.jd@gmail.com](mailto:faris.jd@gmail.com)

**Cooking for the Food Festival.** Volunteers are needed to cook on Tuesdays from 10 am to 3 pm and on Thursdays after 4 pm beginning 6 February.

**Sign up to work the Food Festival** on 17, 18, 19 May either online <https://forms.gle/Zxav6eNrCtRUHcRm9> or on the charts in the vestibule.

## MEETINGS AND EVENTS

**Sunday, 7 April.** MCF Preschool - Eighth Grades, First Communion Parents meeting at church

**Tuesday, 9 April from 10 am to 3 pm.** Food Festival Cooking

**Wednesday 10 April at 6:30 pm.** Catechumen Group

**Thursday, 11 April from 4 to 7 pm.** Food Festival Cooking, Dancing at 6 pm

**Sunday, 14 April.** MCF Preschool - Sixth Grades, Lifeteen for Seventh through High School

**Tuesday, 16 April at 7 pm.** Pastoral Council Meeting

## LITURGY SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

**Sunday, 7 April 2nd Sunday of the Resurrection, New Sunday (Divine Mercy Sunday), St. John Baptist de la Salle**

**8:30 (Father Peter)**

In memory of Martha Ann Shulleeta Patrick, requested by Joe and Cathy George

**11 am (Father John)**

In memory of Eddie Yesbeck, Sr. (40 Day Remembrance), requested by his Family

In memory of Louis and Roslyn Simon, requested by Ken and Lourie Sledd

**Monday, 8 April** The Second Council of Nicaea, St. Barlaam

**Tuesday, 9 April** St. Hermas

In memory of Harry Shaia, Jr., requested by Harry and Melissa Shaia

**Wednesday, 10 April** The Miracle of the Icon of Christ in Beirut, St. Agabus

In memory of Edward Yesbeck, Sr., requested by Eddie Sibley, Sr.

**Thursday, 11 April** St. Antipas

In memory of Martha Anne Shulleeta Patrick, requested by William Shulleeta

**Friday, 12 April** Sts. Mennas, Hermogenes and Eugegraphus

In memory of Edward Yesbeck, Sr., requested by Rebecca Anthony

**Saturday, 13 April** St. Zosimas

No 9 am Divine Liturgy; Funeral Liturgy at 9:30 for Cynthia Lewis Overstreet

**3rd Sunday of the Resurrection, St. Hermenegild the King**

**5:30 pm Saturday, 13 April (Divine Liturgy in Arabic) (Father Peter)**

In memory of Harry Shaia, Jr., requested by his family

**Sunday, 14 April**

**8:30 (Father Peter)**

In memory of Evelyn Joyce Mazloom, requested by Peter and Alison Mazloom

**11 am (Father John)**

In memory of Karina Simon Slaughter, requested by Carlisle and Linda Bannister

In memory of Helen Shulleeta and Martha Ann Patrick, requested by Alicia Azar

## USHERS SCHEDULE

### Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

7 Apr Andy Shulleeta, William Shulleeta, Frank Greco, Marshall Stephenson

14 Apr Danny Shibley, Sr., Anthony Shibley, Dennis Shibley, Joseph Shibley, Jr., Stephen Shibley, Jr.

### 11:00 Divine Liturgy

Bill Maust, John Saad, Alex Fabiato, Diana Yaqoo

Peter George, Duane Peppel, Daniel Dailey, Sam LaNeave

## ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

### Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

7 Apr George Oley, Henry and Wilby Craig, Nolan Roberts

14 Apr Thomas Shaia, Nicholas and Tobias Edwards, Owen Hendrix, Kingston Lewter

### 11:00 Divine Liturgy

Matthew Habboush, Ghady Karam, Vincent Carr

Patrick Savage, Christian and Grayson Funk, Luke Salloum

## TRANSFER OF GIFTS

### Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

7 Apr Stella Mclvor, Rosie and Lili Boykin, Amina Howard, Hanna Roberts

14 Apr Stella Mclvor, Rosie Boykin, Amina Howard, Lili Boykin, Emily Carr

### 11:00 Divine Liturgy

Ashley Maust, Alyssa Maust, Magdalena Choueifati, Alexa Haddad

Jenna Chaoul, Leanne Siefke, Kylie Stephan, Romi Rustom

## LECTORS SCHEDULE

### Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

7 Apr Jacqueline Gray

14 Apr John Saad

### 11:00 Divine Liturgy

Mary Shaia

Lara Bouhaidar

## STEWARDSHIP

### 31 Mar 2024

Collections: \$3360  
Contributions: \$1765  
Easter Sweets: \$9710  
Holy Land Collection: \$350

## COLLECTION COUNTERS SCHEDULE

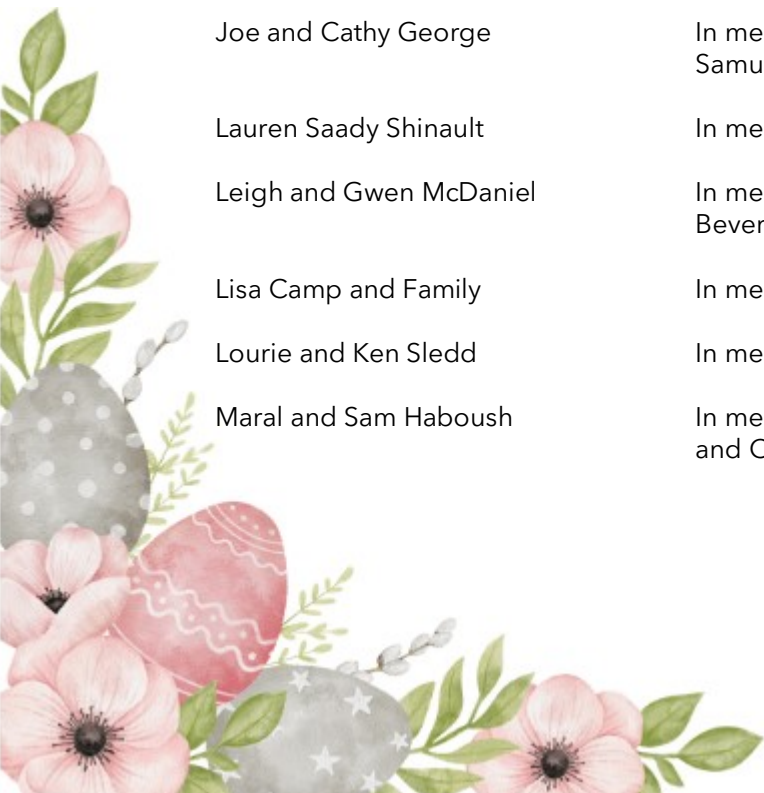
April: David Walton and Paul Shibley  
May: Joe George and Anthony Shibley  
June: George Yesbeck  
July: John Zeheb

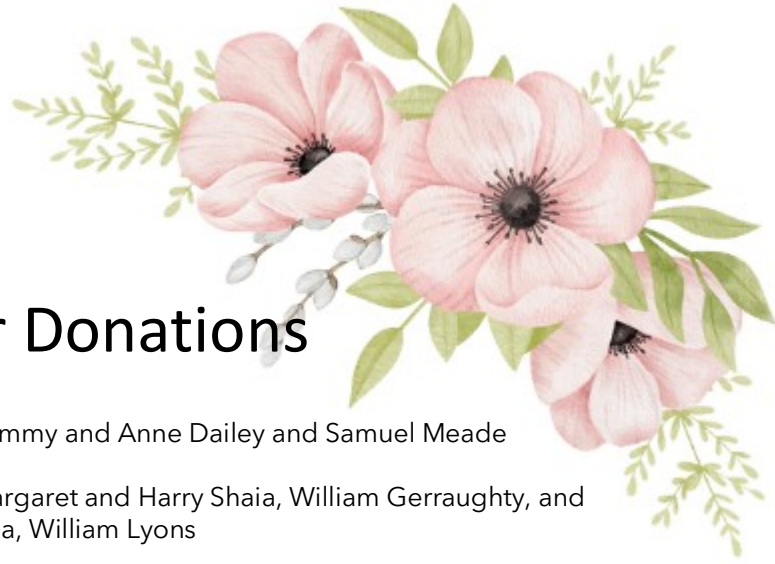
Please, when you make a contribution to the parish, indicate your envelope number so that we can accurately give you credit. You may want to donate through the parish website [stanthonymaronitechurch.org](http://stanthonymaronitechurch.org) which also provides for automatic giving. Make it easy on yourself.



## Easter Flower Donations

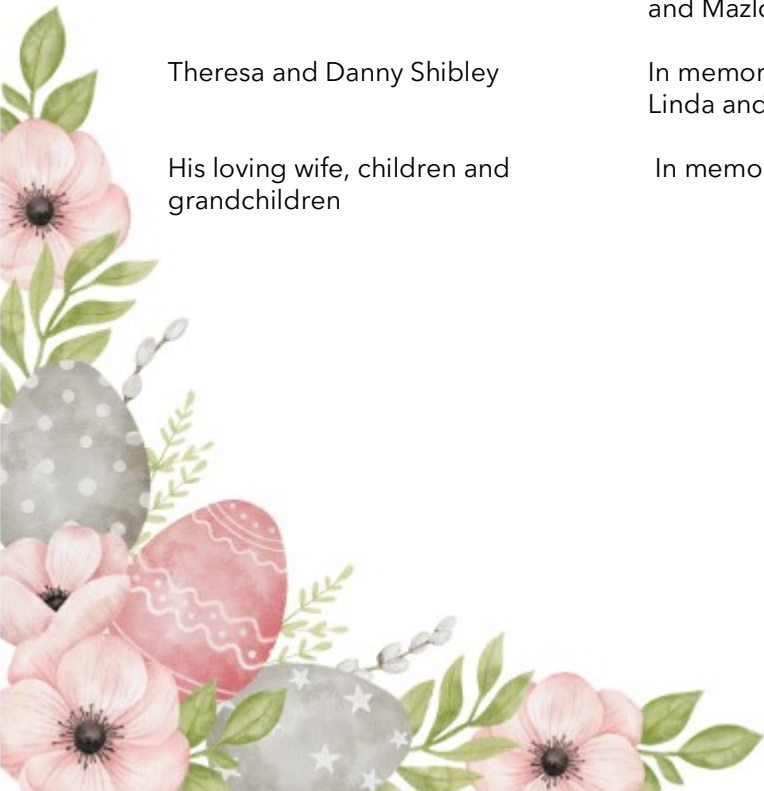
Andy and Kathy Shulleeta	In memory of Florence Winston, and Tom, Sue and Vince Shulleeta
Anh Mai Tran	For her family members, living and deceased
Barbara S. Joseph	In memory of the deceased members of our Family
Betty Hairfield	In memory of Harvey Hairfield, Ella and Earl Carroll, and Roger Jones, Gerald Bowles, Paul and Gwen Thomas
Bobby and Libby Soffee	In memory of George and Elizabeth Soffee
Bruce Amateau and Cheryl Michael	In memory of Frank Michael, Hyland Freed, and Edith Martin Freed Amateau, John Freed Felder
Eddie Shibley, Sr.	In memory of Jackie Shibley
Eve Shelton	In memory of Alice Duplig, Eva Kotfis, Helen Tofilski
Faith Hendricks	In memory of Rita Yesbeck Koenig, John Koenig, Bob Hendricks
Jamie and William Maust	In memory of Stuart, Joyce, Anthony, Christopher Beasley, and Vickie Beasley Bailey
Janna and Jamal Lewter	In memory of Subdeacon Kenneth Fodill, Sr.
Jeanna Bouzek	In memory of Beverley Lewis Bouzek
Joe and Cathy George	In memory of William and Sadie Soffee, and Samuel and Annie Shibley and the Elias and George families
Lauren Saady Shinault	In memory of Robert Saady, Sr., John and Norma Nadder
Leigh and Gwen McDaniel	In memory of Nicholas McDaniel, Dylan Patterson, and Beverly and Jeff McDaniel
Lisa Camp and Family	In memory of Gary Camp, Mae and Al Chezik
Lourie and Ken Sledd	In memory of Louis & Roslyn Simon
Maral and Sam Haboush	In memory of deceased members of the Haboush, Berberian and Chaoul Families





## Easter Flower Donations

Mark and Susan Dailey	In memory of Tommy and Anne Dailey and Samuel Meade
Mary and Anthony Shaia	In memory of Margaret and Harry Shaia, William Gerraughty, and Christopher Shaia, William Lyons
Melissa and Chris Roberts	In memory of Diane Saady
Tom and Jamie Dailey, and Melissa and Carmen	In memory of Eleanor Washburn and deceased family members: Marjorie, Edwin, Charlie, Brenda, Thomas & Anne
Noha Azzi	In memory of Maroun Azzi
Noha El-Jor	In memory of Elham El-Jor
Pam, Marshall and Samantha Stephenson	In memory of Joyce Mazloom
Rebecca Anthony	In memory of Tom Anthony
Sharline and Michel Aboutanos	In memory of Jorge D. Zacur and Badih Aboutanos and For the good health of the Zacur and Aboutanos Families
Siham and George Oley	In memory of the deceased members of the Oley and Haboush Families
Stephen and Jeniffer Fodill	In memory of Edward Davis, Jr. and Subdeacon Kenneth Fodill
Teresa and John Nadder, Jr.	In memory of the deceased members of the Nadder, Sanyour, and Mazloom families
Theresa and Danny Shibley	In memory of Fred and Ethel Shibley, Daisy and Louie DeQuatro, Linda and Milad Sebaali, Father Anthony Gemayel
His loving wife, children and grandchildren	In memory of A. Emerson Wilby II



**MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION SCHEDULE**

Sunday	Jan. 28	Pre-S - 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 4	ALL Students	9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 11	Pre-S - 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 18	Pre-S - 8 <sup>th</sup>	9 :30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	Feb. 25	All Students (Breakfast & Activities) <b>Parent First Communion Class</b>	9:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 3	All Students	9:30 am
Sunday	Mar.10	Pre-S - 8 <sup>th</sup> <b>Parent First Communion Class</b>	9:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 17	Pre-S - 6 <sup>th</sup> 7th-12th grades at the <b>Youth Regional Retreat 15th - 17th</b>	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	Mar. 24 Palm Sunday, Mar. 31 Easter	Palm Sunday, Easter <b>Easter Egg Party TBA</b>	
Sunday	Apr. 7	PreS - 8 <sup>th</sup> Parent First Communion Class	9:30 am
Sunday	Apr. 14	PreS - 6 <sup>th</sup> 7th-12th grades–LifeTeen	9:30 am 9:30 - 11:30 am
Sunday	April 21	ALL Students	9:30 am
Tuesday	April 23	First Communion Practice	6:30 pm
Sunday	April 28	<b>First Communion</b>	9:30 am



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PRAY & HIKE



**MYA  
SPRING  
HIKE**

**Saturday, April 20th**  
**South River Fall Trail -**  
**Shenandoah National Park**

Ready to feel fully alive? Come join young adults from DC, Richmond, and Roanoke, VA, to declutter your busy mind and discover the wonders of God's creation.

For more info, please contact:  
Gabby Chahine: 540-915-8793  
or Nicolas Khattar: 804-503-2469

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