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3rd Sunday of the Resurrection

14 April 2024



SUNDAY READINGS

Epistle - 2 Timothy 2:8-13

8 Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David: such is my gospel, 9 for which I am suffering, even to the point of chains, like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. 10 Therefore, I bear with everything for the sake of those who are chosen, so that they too may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, together with eternal glory. 11 This saying is trustworthy:

If we have died with him
we shall also live with him;
12 if we persevere
we shall also reign with him.
But if we deny him
he will deny us.
13 If we are unfaithful
he remains faithful,
for he cannot deny himself.

Gospel - Luke 24:13-35

13 Now that very day two of them were going to a village seven miles[a] from Jerusalem called Emmaus, 14 and they were conversing about all the things that had occurred. 15 And it happened that while they were conversing and debating, Jesus himself drew near and walked with them, 16 [b]but their eyes were prevented from recognizing him. 17 He asked them, "What are you discussing as you walk along?" They stopped, looking downcast. 18 One of them, named Cleopas, said to him in reply, "Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know of the things that have taken place there in these days?" 19 And he replied to them, "What sort of things?" They said to him, "The things that happened to Jesus the Nazarene, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, 20 how our chief priests and rulers both handed him over to a sentence of death and crucified him. 21 But we were hoping that he would be the one to redeem Israel; and besides all this, it is now the third day since this took place. 22 Some women from our group, however, have astounded us: they were at the tomb early in the morning 23 and did not find his body; they came back and reported that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who announced that he was alive. 24 Then some of those with us went to the tomb and found things just as the women had described, but him they did not see." 25 And he said to them, "Oh, how foolish you are! How slow of heart to believe all that the prophets spoke! 26 Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer[c] these things and enter into his glory?" 27 Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them what referred to him in all the scriptures. 28 As they approached the village to which they were going, he gave the impression that he was going on farther. 29 But they urged him, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening and the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. 30 And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. 31 With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. 32 Then they said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning [within us] while he spoke to us on the way and opened the scriptures to us?" 33 So they set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them 34 who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" 35 Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

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 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

Congratulations. Olivia Snider received the Holy Mysteries of Baptism, Chrismation and Holy Eucharist last weekend. May the strength of the Lord guide her for today and always!

Second Collection on 21 April for Catholic Home Missions.

Ten children are making their First Communion on Sunday, 28 April at 11:00 Divine Liturgy: Lucas BouAbssi, Emily Carr, Vincent Carr, Charlotte Hale, Brycen Howard, Vincent (Vin) Light, Arthur Oley, Kylie Stephan, Justin (JT) Ransom, and Tony Snarr. Please keep them in your prayers.

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

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, 14 April at 9:30. MCF Preschool - Sixth Grades, Lifeteen for Seventh through High School

Tuesday, 16 April at 7 pm. Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, 16 April from 10 am to 3 pm. Food Festival Cooking

Thursday, 18 April from 4 to 7 pm. Food Festival Cooking, Dancing at 6 pm

Sunday, 21 April at 9:30 am. MCF All Students

Tuesday, 23 April at 6:30 pm. First Communion Practice

LITURGY SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

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 am (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

Monday, 15 April Pope St. Soter

Tuesday, 16 April St. Bernadette

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

Wednesday, 17 April Pope St. Agapitus

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

Thursday, 18 April St. Thais the Penitent

In memory of Diane Saady, requested by her family

Friday 19 April St. Timon the Deacon

In memory of Edward Yesbeck, Sr., requested by Joe and Gloria Nadder

Saturday, 20 April St. Nathanael the Hermit

In memory of Harry, Margaret, and Christopher Shaia, requested by Harry and Melissa Shaia

Sunday 21 April, 4th Sunday of the Resurrection, St. Anselm

8:30 am (Father John)

In memory of Michael Eunice, requested by Carlisle and Linda Bannister

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

11 am (Father John)

In memory of Elias and Mountaha Harika and Elham Harika Jalkh, requested by Alicia Azar

For the deceased members of our families

USHERS SCHEDULE

Dates	8:30 Divine Liturgy	11:00 Divine Liturgy
14 Apr	Danny Shibley, Sr., Anthony Shibley, Dennis Shibley, Joseph Shibley, Jr., Stephen Shibley, Jr.	Peter George, Duane Peppel, Daniel Dailey, Sam LaNeave
21 Apr	Tom Dailey, Ed Yesbeck, Jr., John Zeheb, Harry Mclvor	John Nadder, Jr., Justin Shulleeta, Anthony Shulleeta, Clarke Sawyer

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

Dates	8:30 Divine Liturgy	11:00 Divine Liturgy
14 Apr	Thomas Shaia, Nicholas and Tobias Edwards, Owen Hendrix, Kingston Lewter	Patrick Savage, Christian and Grayson Funk, Luke Salloum
21 Apr	Mark and Malek El-Oukaili, Braxton and Asher Mclvor, Arthur Oley, Nolan Roberts	Stephen Shibley, Zachary Shulleeta, Matthew Habboush, Luke Salloum

TRANSFER OF GIFTS

Dates	8:30 Divine Liturgy	11:00 Divine Liturgy
14 Apr	Stella Mclvor, Rosie Boykin, Amina Howard, Lili Boykin, Emily Carr	Jenna Chaoul, Leanne Siefke, Kylie Stephan, Romi Rustom
21 Apr	Stella Mclvor, Boise and Lili Boykin, Hannah Roberts	Ashley Maust, Alyssa Maust, Magdalena Choueifati, Alexa Haddad

LECTORS SCHEDULE

Dates	8:30 Divine Liturgy	11:00 Divine Liturgy
14 Apr	John Saad	Lara Bouhaidar
21 Apr	Kelly Edwards	Sam LaNeave

STEWARDSHIP

7 Apr 2024
Collections: \$1863
Contributions: \$1960
Hall Rental: \$200
St. Joseph Society: \$50

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 which also provides for automatic giving. Make it easy on yourself.

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION SCHEDULE

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

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