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6th Sunday of the Resurrection Feast of Our Lady of Lebanon 5 May 2024



SUNDAY READINGS

Epistle - Romans 10:1-13

1 Brothers, my heart's desire and prayer to God on their behalf is for salvation. 2 I testify with regard to them that they have zeal for God, but it is not discerning. 3 For, in their unawareness of the righteousness that comes from God and their attempt to establish their own [righteousness], they did not submit to the righteousness of God. 4 For Christ is the end of the law for the justification of everyone who has faith.

5 Moses writes about the righteousness that comes from [the] law, "The one who does these things will live by them." 6 But the righteousness that comes from faith says, "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will go up into heaven?' (that is, to bring Christ down) 7 or 'Who will go down into the abyss?' (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead)." 8 But what does it say?

"The word is near you,

in your mouth and in your heart"

(that is, the word of faith that we preach), 9 for, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. 11 For the scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." 12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, enriching all who call upon him. 13 For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Gospel - Luke 24:36-48

36 While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." 37 But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. 38 Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? 39 Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have." 40 And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. 41 While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?" 42 They gave him a piece of baked fish; 43 he took it and ate it in front of them.

44 He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled." 45 Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures. 46 And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Messiah would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day 47 and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. 48 You are witnesses of these things.

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

The first banns of marriage are announced for: Amanda Eleana Touma and Vincent Paul Mowad.

The second banns of marriage are announced for:

Maya Noel Khoury and Mario Joseph Saleh

Maya Tony Eljor and Justin Kevin Haynie

Changes in Schedule. There will be no 9 am Divine Liturgies on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 2-4 May. There will be no Divine Liturgy in Arabic on 11 May.

Second Collection on 5 May is for Our Lady of Lebanon Shrine in North Jackson, Ohio.

Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord. The holy day of obligation will be celebrated on Thursday, 9 May at 9:00 am and 6:30 pm.

May Procession. Join us for the May Procession on 12 May at noon.

Clean Up/Set Up Days, Saturday, 4 and 11, 9:30 am - 1:30 pm. Please come and help us set up booths and the center for the Festival!

Food Festival Information. Volunteers are needed to cook on Tuesdays from 10 am to 3 pm and on Thursdays after 4 pm. Festival car clings, gift cards signs are available after liturgies. Gift certificates are also available online and by contacting Sandra Joseph Brown. Please return signs after the festival.

Sign up to work the Food Festival on 17, 18, 19 May either online
<https://forms.gle/kfc7QAawJQUkwD5FA> or on the charts in the vestibule today!

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

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- Saturday, 4 May 9:30 to 1:30.** Clean Up/Set Up day for the Festival
- Monday, 6 May at 4 pm.** Serving the evening meal at the Salvation Army
- Tuesday, 7 May from 10 to 3 pm.** Food Festival Cooking
- Wednesday, 8 May at 7 pm.** Catechumen Group
- Thursday, 9 May from 4 to 7 pm.** Food Festival Cooking, Dance Practice

LITURGY SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Sunday 5 May, 6th Sunday of the Resurrection, Our Lady of Lebanon, St. Irene
8:30 am (Msgr. Azar)

In memory of Mary Fadool-Duty, requested by Joe and Cathy George

11 am (Msgr. Azar)

In memory of Mona Abou-Assi, requested by her Family

Monday, 6 May St. Dominic Savio

No Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, 7 May St. Antoninus

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

Wednesday, 8 May St. John the Evangelist, Bl. Sister Miriam Teresa Demjanovich

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

Thursday, 9 May The Ascension of Our Lord (Holy Day of Obligation), Isaiah the Prophet

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

6:30 pm For the intention of Lucas BouAbssi (First Communion), requested by Mary and Anthony Shaia

Friday 10 May St. Simon the Zealot, St. Damien of Molokai

In memory of Faiz Oley (Day of Passing), requested by Sarah Thomas

Saturday, 11 May St. Pontius

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

Sunday 12 May, 7th Sunday of the Resurrection, St. Epiphanius, Bishop of Cyprus

8:30 am (Father John)

In memory of Jackie Shibley, requested by her Family

In memory of Faiz Oley, requested by Sarah Thomas

11 am

In memory of Anahid Berberian, requested by Alicia Azar

In memory of Martha Ann Shulleeta Patrick, requested by Regina Shaar Loehr

USHERS SCHEDULE

Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

5 May Andy Shulleeta, William Shulleeta, Frank Greco, Marshall Stephenson

12 May 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

5 May Ross Craig, Jack Craig, Jacob Walton, Eli Walton, Lucas BouAbsi

12 May George Oley, Henry and Wilby Craig, Nolan Roberts

11:00 Divine Liturgy

Elie Stephan, Sami Sakr, George Choueifati, Luke Salloum

Matthew Habboush, Ghady Karam, Vincent Carr

TRANSFER OF GIFTS

Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

5 May Stella McIvor, Rosie Boykin, Lili Boykin, Hannah Roberts

12 May Stella McIvor, Rosie Boykin, Lili Boykin, Amina Howard

11:00 Divine Liturgy

Ashley Maust, Alyssa Maus, Magdalena Choueifati, Alexa Haddad

Jenna Chaoul, Leanne Siefke, Kylie Stephan, Romi Rustom, Emily Carr

LECTORS SCHEDULE

Dates 8:30 Divine Liturgy

5 May Margaret Gray

12 May Cathy George

11:00 Divine Liturgy

Leo Maynes

Denise Maurer

STEWARDSHIP

28 Apr 2024

Collections: \$1869

Contributions: \$1880

COLLECTION COUNTERS SCHEDULE

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.

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