

Mass Time & Intentions

Epistle **1 Thes 2: 1-13** Gospel: **Lk 10: 38-42**

Anaphora: **Saint Peter**

Sat Sept. 6 5:00 PM	(+) Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk (+) Deceased of Haroney Family By Philip Haroney (+) Rita MacDiarmid By The Family (+) Robert DiSibio By Marie DiSibio
Sun Sept. 7 9:30 AM	(-) Children of St. John Maron Parish and their families By Father Dany
Sun Sept. 7 11:30 AM	(+) George Mansour By The Family (+) Essa Dabbikeh By Ferouz Dabbikeh (+) Jack Dabbikeh & Raghad Schroeder By Ferouz Dabbikeh (+) Aziz Hazzan By Laila Hazzan (+) Youssef El-Hayek By Father Dany

(+) =Deceased; (-) = Intention not deceased



WELCOME!

If you are a guest or visitor to St. John Maron Church, we are happy to have you. PLEASE, make yourself at home. You Are Among Family.



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Altar Bread, Wine and Sanctuary Candle burns this month for the soul of Rima Sayegh Dawli requested by The Family. May she rest in Peace.



TOTAL BASKET COLLECTION

August 31, 2025

Regular Collection: \$3,385.00

Online Collection: \$600.00

Our gratitude to all who are supporting our parish. Your generosity is a blessing.



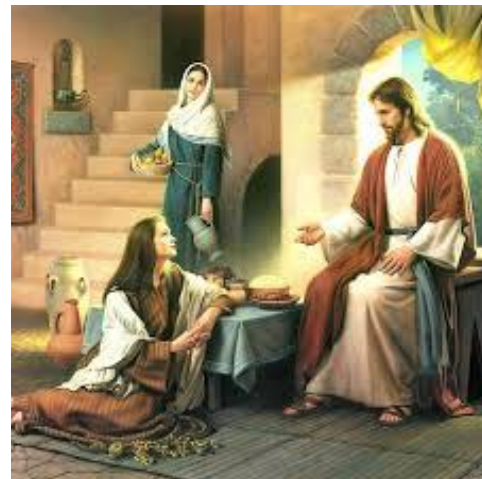
DONATE USING YOUR MOBILE DEVICE

In an effort to make it easier to donate to St. John Maron Church, scanning this QR Code leads the mobile camera to our Church's Donate landing site.



"Listening to the Word"
"Martha and Mary"

But the Lord said to her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and upset over all these details! There is only one thing worth being concerned about. Mary has discovered it, and it will not be taken away from her."
Luke 10: 41-42



And we also thank God constantly for this, that when you received the word of God, which you heard from us, you accepted it not as the word of men but as what it really is, the word of God, which is at work in you believers.
1 Thessalonians 2:13

The Bible is the story of God's love for His children from the beginning of the world until the end and beyond. It's a book that takes time to know well, but God promises His own Spirit will help us understand what we read. All we need to do is ask! Amen

PARISH CONTACTS

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Building Committee	Henri Khoury	716-479-9143



SICK OR IN NEED

If you or someone you know is sick or in need of a visit from clergy, please call the office. 716-634-0669.

**Please pray for those who are sick,
homebound or in the hospital.**

Theresa Utz, Paula Chameli, Ferouz Dabbikeh, John Joseph, Jr., Gregory Joseph, Therese Hayek and Sanaa Abou-Jaoude



CEDARS HALL RENTAL

For information, please contact Michael Khoury or Joseph Mahfouz at 716-393-9266. Check out the cedarsvenue.com website for more information.



2025-2026

**CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY
TUITION ASSISTANCE**

TO ST JOHN MARON CHURCH FAMILIES

A parishioner of St. John Maron is pleased to provide Catholic Elementary tuition assistance to St. John Maron families. **APPLICATIONS ARE IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



As summer comes to end, I welcome you back to your home of St. John Maron. As people return to school and their "normal" life, I invite all of you to continue to be involved in the spiritual growth and activities of our parish. I hope you all enjoyed your summer and God bless!

Sept. 7: Regular classes; registration
Sept. 14: Regular classes; registration

COFFEE HOUR:

Sept. 7: Joelle Khoury



Congratulations to Simon El Khoury and James Matar for winning the NAM Essay and Poster contest! We are so proud of both of you!



MARONITE YOUTH ORGANIZATION

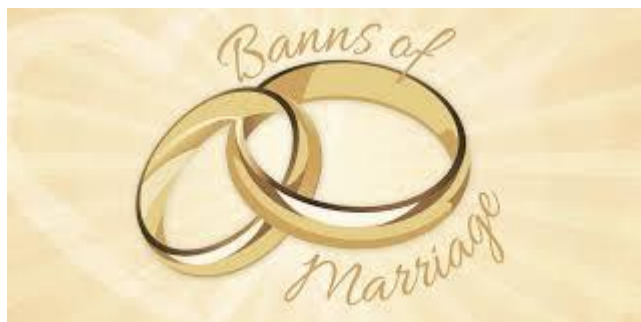
If you missed the MYO meeting last Sunday, please pick up a registration folder from Anthony Khoury in the Education Center. Classes start this Sunday.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus are Hosting their annual End of Summer Family Picnic and Soccer Challenge. All members of the Parish are invited to this free Event. Sunday Sept 21 after 11:30 Mass.

The Autumn Spectacular is coming up November 8. We are looking for volunteers to serve on the committee to help organize and enhance this event. Please contact the Parish office if you are interested.



This is the first announcement of the Marriage Banns for Tracy Nasr and Michael Tannous. If anyone knows of any reason as to why this marriage should not take place in church, please contact me at 716-634-0669 or forever hold your peace.



***EASTERN CHRISTIAN
MEDICAL ASSOCIATION***

“Eastern Christian Medical Association is hosting its annual summer picnic on **Saturday, September 20th** at 1 pm on our church grounds. Anyone in the medical field is welcome to attend with their guests and families. Please email Christine Yacoub at ecmabuffalo@gmail.com to confirm your attendance.”



For your information, first aid kits and AED Devices are located in the Education Hall and in the kitchen of the Cedars Banquet Hall.



GOLF TOURNAMENT

Golf Tournament



Scan the QR Code to purchase your golf ticket, donate or sponsor the tournament.

ST JOHN MARON

GOLF

TOURNAMENT

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

@ Glen Oak Golf Course

711 Smith Rd, East Amherst, NY 14051

10:30 AM - Registration

12 PM - Shotgun Start

- 4 Man Scramble
- Longest Drive/Closest to the pin
- Prizes and Raffles
- Snack & Drinks
- Dinner to Follow

\$150

PER GOLFER

CONTACT TO RESERVE

Mark Mahfouz | 716-566-8658

Joseph Mahfouz | 716-725-3185

PEW RESTORATION !!

A heartfelt gratitude to all those parishioners who purchased pews for our beautiful restoration project. The next step will be to have the plaques made. If you have not already done so, please send an email to the church, stjmaron@gmail.com, or call the office, 716-634-0669, to request the proper wording on your plaque. We are hoping to have the pew restoration complete by the beginning of November.

