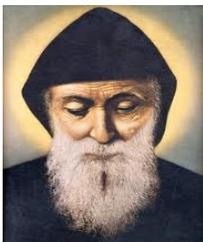


WELCOME!

Guests & Visitors of Saint John Maron Church! We are happy to have you.

Date & Time	Liturgy Intentions	Date & Time	Liturgy Intentions
Sat. Oct. 19 5:00 PM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For Semaan & Claudette Mahfoud By Hind Chaiban	Sat. Oct. 26 5:00 PM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For Marilyn Winters By Paul & Julie Hage
Sun. Oct. 20 11:00 AM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For Kitty Champagne By Sam & Debbie Tartick For Joseph Mansour By Sam & Katia Mansour For Salma Moussa By Hind Chaiban For George Nader By Ferouz Dabbikeh For Semaan & Claudette Mahfoud By Hind Chaiban For Joseph "Guish" & Helen Mosey By The Family For the Healing of Essa Dabbikeh By Ferouz Dabbikeh For Mary Shady Badawy By The Family	Sun. Oct. 27 11:00 AM	For Emil & Gloria Rizk By David & Michael Rizk For Dolores Godlewski (1 Yr Anniv) By The Family For Samire Mousa By Hind Chaiban For Joseph Hanna, Sr. By Mona Hanna & Family For Semaan & Claudette Mahfoud By Hind Chaiban For Joseph "Guish" & Helen Mosey By The Family For the Healing of Essa Dabbikeh By Ferouz Dabbikeh For Salma Moussa By Mr. & Mrs. Tony Moussa
Mon. Oct. 21 6:30 PM	For Members of Altar & Rosary Society		
Tues. Oct. 22 7:00 PM	For Margaret Phillips By Arlene Lipke		
Wed—Fri	NO MASS		



ST. SHARBEL MASS

There will be a mass in Honor of St. Sharbel on **Tuesday, October 22, 2024 at 7:00PM** followed by a procession.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

OUR GRATITUDE TO ALL WHO ARE SUPPORTING
ST. JOHN MARON CHURCH

YOUR GENEROSITY IS A BLESSING

October 13, 2024

Regular Tithes (All Masses Total): \$2,938.00

Today's Second Collection is for
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Pay careful attention to your own work, for then you will get the satisfaction of a job well done, and you won't need to compare yourself to anyone else. For we are each responsible for our own conduct.

Galatians 6:4-5

When you take time to make someone's way easier, assist a person less able than yourself, and remember those who are suffering, you are responding to the compassion God shows you. With your kindness in action, you are doing nothing



less than demonstrating God's love for all the world.

Matt 25:14-30

Pastoral Staff

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PARISH NEWS

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY



Our next A&R Liturgy, social and meeting will take place on Monday, October 21, 2024. The Liturgy will begin at 6:30 and the social will take place in the Education Center. We have a fantastic evening planned. Not just our meeting and social, but we will have a **TAI CHI** (a Chinese type of exercise) instructor to show us some

moves which help with balance to eliminate falls! Please wear comfortable clothing and sneakers if you plan to participate. Fun for all ages! Hope to see all members and anyone interested in joining the society.

SAVE ONE FOUNDATION

It is not too late to make a donation to the SAVE ONE FOUNDATION which serves orphans in need in Lebanon. You can make your tax deductible check payable to SAVE ONE Foundation, Inc., 269 Jersey Street, Buffalo, NY 14201. You can also donate online at saveoneinlebanon.org. Thank you for your generosity.

AUTUMN SPECTACULAR EVENT

Saturday, November 9, 2024
Grand Prize: \$10,000.00

This is our annual fundraiser event!!! Only 450 tickets will be sold for this fundraiser, and they are expected to be sold quickly. There are a limited number of dinner tickets available. **\$100 PER TICKET.** Ticket captains will be contacting you, or if you prefer, you can purchase your tickets by calling the Rectory, 634-0669.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Calendar

Oct. 20: Class

Oct. 27: Class

Nov. 3: Class

COFFEE HOUR

Oct. 20: **MYO BAKE SALE**

Oct. 27: Susan Raina

Nov. 3: Joelle & Philippe Khoury

MYA FORMATION

The MYA will hold their first meeting on Wednesday, October 23 at 7PM in the Education Center. All parishioners between the age of 18-35 are encouraged to join! For more information contact Andrea Khoury andreakhoury4@gmail.com

CONGRATULATIONS



Our congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Smith on the Baptism & Chrismation of their daughter Amara Badiha. May God, who created us out of His outpouring of love, grant the newborn Amara, good health and long life so that she may grow in His Church

to love, adore and praise Him. May He also grant Takla and Nathan, the parents of Amara, a good healthy life to raise her according to our Maronite Catholic Tradition.

ANNUAL UKRAINIAN BAZAAR

Saturday & Sunday November 9 & 10, 2024

10AM—5PM Matthew Glab Post

1965 Abbott Rd, Lackawanna

Ethnic food, games, raffles, theme baskets

www.stnbuffalo.com

Please contact our Parish Council members with any suggestions or issues you might have.

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Mr. Charles Mosey—716-228-8313

Mr. Henri Khoury

FOR THE DIVINE LITURGY,
PLEASE FOLLOW THE BOOK OF OFFERING
ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES:

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER HOLY CROSS - Page 606
CREED - Page 748
ANAPHORA OF THE TWELVE APOSTLES - Page 754

Saturday
5:00 PM

Sunday
11:00 AM

LECTORS

Donna Amati

English: Catherine El-Khoury
Arabic: Mary El-Khoury

ALTAR
SERVERS

Andrew Mansour
Christopher Mansour
Emilio Mansour

Damien Boctor
Christian Behlok
Peter Boulos

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mark Your Calendar

- Oct. 20 10AM MYO BAKE SALE!
- Oct. 21 6:30PM Liturgy & Altar & Rosary Meeting
- Oct. 22 7PM St. Charbel Mass and Procession
- Oct. 23 7PM MYA Meeting
- Oct. 25-27 MYO Eparchial Retreat in New Jersey
- Oct. 31 7PM Vigil for All Saints
- Nov. 1 9AM Mass for All Saints
- Nov. 3 11AM Children's All Saints Procession during mass
- Nov. 4 7PM Rosary Prayer Mission

THIS WEEKEND'S
SACRED SCRIPTURES

Epistle: Gal 6: 1-10

Gospel: Mt 25: 14-30

NEXT WEEKEND'S
SACRED SCRIPTURES

Epistle: Rom 12: 9-21

Gospel: Mt 25: 31-46

THE ALTAR BREAD, WINE AND
SANCTUARY LAMP FOR OCTOBER

In Loving Memory of John M. Joseph
By Mary Joseph

ST. JOHN MARON ONLINE

Check out our website and Facebook!

STJMARON.ORG

Facebook.com/stjohnmaron.church

EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

If you would like to receive our weekly
announcements and other important
information in your email, please email us
at stjmaron@gmail.com

CHANGE OF ADDRESS, ETC...!

Please remember to notify the Rectory Office if you
have a Change of Address or Phone Number.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK, HOMEBOUND OR IN THE HOSPITAL

Theresa Bittar, Paula Chameli, Rita MacDiarmid, Ferouz Dabbikeh, Mary Joseph, John Joseph, Jr., Therese Tran,
Theresa Utz, Elie Maalouf, Essa Dabbikeh, Nathan Khoury, Gregory Joseph, Brynlee Ailingier

We are always updating the list. If you have anyone you would like to add or remove, please contact the Parish Office.

ST. JOHN MARON SCHOLARSHIP

For those families interested in applying for the St. John Maron Catholic Scholarship, please take a moment to
complete and return this form as soon as possible. By doing so, you are not only ensuring that your family is
considered for these scholarships but also helping us to maintain accurate records and understand the evolving
needs of our parish family.



ST. JOHN MARON CATHOLIC SCHOLARSHIP CENSUS FORM

Family Name: Child's Name:.....

Address:

City: Zip:

Phone: E-mail:

- Currently attending Catholic School
- Currently in 8th Grade
- Will attend Catholic High School