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HOSANNA - SHA'NINI - PALM SUNDAY - APRIL 10, 2022

READING PHILIPPIANS 1:1 - 13 GOSPEL JOHN 12:12-22



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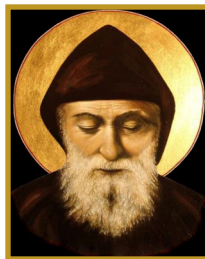
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DIVINE LITURGY

SATURDAY: 4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

ROSARY / CONFESSIONS
30 MINUTES BEFORE
SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION
1st Saturday: 3:30 PM

FAMILY OF SAINT SHARBEL
HEALING MASS & BENEDICTION
22nd Day of Every Month

7:00 PM (April - October)

6:30 PM (November - March)

SAINT SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS INTENTIONS**FRIDAY, APRIL 8TH**

- 6:00 PM— **Confessions**
 6:30 PM— **World Peace**, by Pastor
 6:30 PM— **Mona Badawi**, by Family
 6:30 PM— **Elias Nassif**, by Family
 6:30 PM— **Kalthoum Jamil Bahary 1 Year Remembrance, and her Husband, Nameer Hermiz Toma**, by her Brothers Riyadh, Rami & Robbie Bahary
 7:00 PM— **Stations and Benediction of the Holy Cross**
 8:00 PM— **Pot Luck Dinner**

SATURDAY, APRIL 9TH**PALM SUNDAY VIGIL**

- 4:00 PM— **Children throughout the World**, by Pastor
 4:00 PM— **Judy Deeby 2 Year Remembrance**, by Family
 4:00 PM— **Dr. Paul G. Thomas 4 Year Remembrance**, by Wife, Linda Thomas and Children
 4:00 PM— **Zina Kanan Elias Birthday Remembrance**, by Linda Elias
 4:00 PM— **Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker**, by Family
 4:00 PM— **Owen Petrzelka**, by Family
 4:00 PM— **Matty Moroun**, by Sister, Anne Moroun
 4:00 PM— **Helen Trapani 20 Year Remembrance**, by Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 9TH

- 5:15 PM— **Baptism Genevieve Marie Shiha**
 Celebrant: Rev. John Shiha

SUNDAY, APRIL 10TH**PALM SUNDAY**

- 9:30 AM— **Children throughout the World**, by Pastor
 9:30 AM— **Living and Deceased Members of the Rebecca Garabedian Family**, by Pastor
 9:30 AM— **George J. Sassin**, by Mr. Joseph Campbell
 9:30 AM— **Julia Thomas**, by Leonard Thomas
 9:30 AM— **Joseph Shaker**, by Family
 9:30 AM— **Samir Thomas Katra**, by the Katra and Boustany Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 10TH**PALM SUNDAY**

- 11:30 AM— **Children throughout the World**, by Pastor
 11:30 AM— **Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik Special Intention for Healing**, by Pastor
 11:30 AM— **Living and Deceased Parishioners**, by Clergy
 11:30 AM— **Living and Deceased Members of the Gegran and Saideh Ghafari Family**, by Alfred, Juliette & Nick (West VA)
 11:30 AM— **Kalthoum Jamil Bahary 1 Year Remembrance, and her Husband, Nameer Hermiz Toma**, by her Brothers Riyadh, Rami & Robbie Bahary
 11:30 AM— **Sultan, Issa and Jamila Hattar**, by Issa & Maysoun Sweidan and Family
 11:30 AM— **Hayat Gazguz**, by Family
 11:30 AM— **Living & Deceased Members of the Rebecca Garabedian Family**, by Pastor
 11:30 AM— **Khatchadour Garabedian**, by Rebecca Garabedian
 11:30 AM— **Christina Tammo, Samuel Shawol and George Sleiman**, by Rebecca Garabedian
 11:30 AM— **Samir Thomas Katra**, by the Katra and Boustany Family
 11:30 AM— **Sanaa El-Hokayem 6 Year Remembrance**, by Sister, Lolita Maliskey and Family
 11:30 AM— **Mona Badawi**, by Kozhaya Sfeir
 11:30 AM— **Sabah Hanna**, by Family
 11:30 AM— **Elias Nassif**, by Family
 11:30 AM— **Hanna and Colette Helou**, by Family
 11:30 AM— **Jad Nemr**, by Abdou Deban and Family
 11:30 AM— **Farid and Rose Deban**, by Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 10TH

- 1:30 PM— **Baptism Brisa Slewa**

READERS**READERS FOR:****SATURDAY, APRIL 9**

4:00 PM - Amanda Butler

READERS FOR:**SUNDAY, APRIL 10**

9:30 AM - Carena Abboud

READERS FOR:**SUNDAY, APRIL 10**11:30 AM - Lena Haidar
Joyce Nasrallah**READERS FOR:****FRIDAY, APRIL 15**

11:00 AM - Terry Mahoney

READERS FOR:**FRIDAY, APRIL 15**7:00 PM - Khouloud Yammine
George Habbouche
Samia Deban
Amanda Abi-Samra**READERS FOR:****SATURDAY, APRIL 16**

4:00 PM - Allan Brazier

READERS FOR:**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**

12:00 AM - Najee Mondalek

READERS FOR:**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**

9:30 AM - Rosemary Kautz

READERS FOR:**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**11:30 AM - Tracy Saba
Nizam Touma**OUR CONDOLENCES ...**

Our deepest sympathy and prayers are extended to Jessy Srour on the passing of her grandmother, Izabelle Saad, who entered Eternal Life on Sunday, April 3, 2022 in Lebanon.

May our Lord grant this family comfort and consolation.

Eternal rest grant unto Izabelle, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen.

PASSION WEEK SCHEDULE**MONDAY, APRIL 11TH**

6:00 PM— Confessions
 6:30 PM— Mona Badawi, by Family
 7:00 PM— Benediction of the Cross

TUESDAY, APRIL 12TH

6:00 PM— Confessions
 6:30 PM— Owen Petrzelka, by Family
 6:30 PM— Hameed Elias, by Family
 7:00 PM— Benediction of the Cross

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13TH

6:30 PM— Confessions
 7:00 PM— Rite of the Lamp and
 Blessing of the Oil for the Sick
 7:00 PM— Sick, Home Bound, and Shut Ins, by Pastor

THURSDAY, APRIL 14TH**HOLY THURSDAY**

9:30 AM— Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life,
 by Pastor

THURSDAY, APRIL 14TH**HOLY THURSDAY**

7:00 PM— Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life,
 by Pastor
 7:00 PM— Washing of the Feet Ceremony
 8:00 PM to 11:00 PM - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

FRIDAY, APRIL 15TH**GOOD FRIDAY OF THE CRUCIFIXION**

11:00 AM— Pre-Sanctified Mass - Signing of the Chalice
 11:00 AM— Joseph Shaker, by Family

FRIDAY, APRIL 15TH**GOOD FRIDAY OF THE CRUCIFIXION**

12:00 PM— Stations of the Cross
 with our Blessed Virgin Mary

FRIDAY, APRIL 15TH**GOOD FRIDAY OF THE CRUCIFIXION**

6:00 PM— Confessions (until 6:45 PM)
 6:15 PM— Novena to the Divine Mercy Begins
 7:00 PM— Service of the Burial of Our Lord

SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH

11:00 AM— Prayer of Forgiveness

SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH**EASTER VIGIL OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

4:00 PM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Clergy
 4:00 PM— Living and Deceased Members of the Deacon John
 & Bobbi Sfire Family, by Pastor
 4:00 PM— Daniel and Mary Daniel and the Deceased Members
 of the Simon and Daniel Families, by Family
 4:00 PM— Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker Easter
 Remembrance, by Family
 4:00 PM— Matty Moroun Easter Remembrance, by Sister,
 Anne Moroun
 4:00 PM— Joe Aesy Birthday Remembrance, by Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 17TH**MIDNIGHT EASTER MASS OF THE RITE OF PEACE**

12:00 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Clergy
 12:00 AM— Living and Deceased Parishioners,
 by Clergy
 12:00 AM— Anis Chalhoub Easter Remembrance,
 by Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 17TH**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

9:30 AM— Easter Flowers Memorials, by Clergy
 9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Parishioners, by
 Clergy
 9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Benefactors,
 by Clergy
 9:30 AM— Julia Thomas Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 9:30 AM— Marcello Pozzi 5 Year Remembrance, by
 his Parents
 9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Members of the
 Rebecca Garabedian Family, by Pastor
 9:30 AM— George J. Sassin, by Joseph Campbell
 9:30 AM— Samir Thomas Katra, by the Katra
 and Boustany Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 17TH**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

11:30 AM— Special Intention Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik,
 by Pastor
 11:30 AM— Nuha Tabet Special Intention, by Pastor
 11:30 AM— Easter Flowers Memorials, by Clergy
 11:30 AM— Living and Deceased Parishioners, by
 Clergy
 11:30 AM— John Tabet Easter Remembrance, by his
 Sisters, Nuha Tabet, Najwa Maassarani and
 Nahil Gebara
 11:30 AM— Mona Badawi Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 11:30 AM— Elias Nassif Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 11:30 AM— Hayat Gazguz Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 11:30 AM— Hameed Elias Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 11:30 AM— Sabah Hanna Easter Remembrance,
 by Family
 11:30 AM— Samir Thomas Katra, by the Katra and
 Boustany Family

EVENTS**SAINT MARON FEAST DAY CELEBRATION**

Saturday, May 21, 2022

St. Maron Church

Mass - 7 PM

Dinner - 8 PM

For tickets, call St. Maron Church
 at (313) 824-0196

THIS SUNDAY!



Visit with the Easter Bunny
after both Masses!
BRING YOUR CHILDREN!



SANCTUARY CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH APRIL BURNS FOR:
In Loving Memory of
Julia Thomas
by Husband, Mickey and Family

INCENSE AND CHARCOAL

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL
In Loving Memory of
George & Henriette Chalhoub
by Family

JOIN US ...



The Stations of the Cross with Mary
GOOD FRIDAY – April 15, 2022
12 PM
Mary, the mother of Jesus, made that first way of the Cross as she accompanied her Son on the way to Calvary.
What did she see?
What did she experience?
Join her on this spiritual journey as we walk these stations and see through her eyes what Jesus was going through.

CHAPEL CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL BURNS FOR:
In Loving Memory of
Tracy Thomas
by Father, Mickey Thomas

BREAD AND WINE

FOR THE YEAR 2021 - 2022
Living and Deceased Members of the
Michel and Fadia Nahed Family

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Mothers Day Luncheon
 Saturday, May 7th
 ST. SHARBEL CHURCH
 Gift Basket Raffle! Sponsored by the LAS

11AM - 2PM Full Menu Buffet, Mimosas, Dessert Table and Music!
 Tickets: \$25 Adults \$10 Children under 10

Tickets on Sale after all Masses
 FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL CHAR AT 586-260-2036

WEEKLY COLLECTION

WEEKLY COLLECTION
 April 2 & 3, 2022
 Envelopes: \$5,640.00
 Online: \$650.00
Total Collection: \$6,290.00

Thank you and God bless you for your generosity!

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PASSION WEEK SCHEDULE

2022 PASSION WEEK SCHEDULE

MONDAY, APRIL 11 PASSION WEEK

6:00 PM Confessions
 6:30 PM Mass
 7:00 PM Benediction of the Holy Cross

TUESDAY, APRIL 12 PASSION WEEK

6:00 PM Confessions
 6:30 PM Mass
 7:00 PM Benediction of the Holy Cross

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13 PASSION WEEK

6:30 PM Confessions
 7:00 PM Mass - Right of the Lamp and Blessing of the Oil for the Sick

THURSDAY, APRIL 14 PASSION WEEK HOLY THURSDAY

9:30 AM Mass
 7:00 PM Mass -Washing of the Feet Ceremony
 8:00 PM - 11:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

GOOD FRIDAY OF THE CRUCIFIXION

11:00 AM Pre-Sanctified Mass-Signing of the Chalice
 12 PM Stations of the Cross through the Eyes of Mary
 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM Confessions
 6:15 PM - Novena to the Divine Mercy Begins
 7:00 PM – Service of the Burial of Our Lord

SATURDAY, APRIL 16

11:00 AM Prayer of Forgiveness

EASTER SATURDAY, APRIL 16

GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

3:30 PM Novena to the Divine Mercy
 4:00 PM Mass of Resurrection & Rite of Peace

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 17TH

GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

12:00 AM Midnight Mass of the Resurrection & Rite of Peace
 9:30 AM Mass of Resurrection & Rite of Peace
 11:30 AM Mass of Resurrection & Rite of Peace

*11:15 AM Novena to the Divine Mercy

ARABIC LANGUAGE LESSONS

Learn the Arabic language via zoom ...on line!
 If interested, please contact: Mariella Nassif at Mariella_nassif@hotmail.com
 Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

- April 8** Confessions 6 PM / Mass 6:30 PM & Stations and Benediction of the Cross 7 PM
- April 8** Pot Luck 8 PM
- April 10** Sunday Mass Live Stream 11:30 AM
- April 13** Bible Study 7 PM via Zoom
- April 10** Easter Bunny Visits after both Masses
- April 15** MYO Good Friday Carnation Sale
- April 17** Easter Sunday
- April 22** Begin Year of Dedication to Saint Sharbel to April 22, 2023
- April 22** Healing Mass of St. Sharbel
- April 24** LAS Meeting 10:30 AM
- April 30** First Holy Communion
- May 1 - June 19** Annual Raffle Ticket Fundraiser
- May 7** Mother's Day Luncheon
- June 5** Saj Sunday
- June 23-27** MYO Annual Workshop Latrobe, PA
- July 11-14** Clergy Conference Minneapolis
- July 13-17** NAM Convention Minneapolis
- July 14-25** Visit of Saint Sharbel Relics to our Church
- Sept 24** Annual St. Sharbel Gala

CONGRATULATIONS!

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to
Chadi and Jonida Maassarani
 on the Baptism of their Son,
Cruz Chadi Maassarani
 on Sunday, April 3, 2022
 by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.
*May Cruz be steadfast in his faith
 and grow constantly in the Lord!*

MORTGAGE UPDATE

Dear Parishioners,

Our current mortgage rate is at 3.5% for 20 years with a balloon payment due in 2023. This past January, the Federal Reserve (FED) Chairman announced the FED will increase the interest rates at least 6 times this year and no less than 4 times next year to control the rising inflation. At this rate, in 2023 when the balloon payment is due, we could be facing an interest rate of more than 6% which will increase our monthly payment by more than \$1,700 over what we are paying today which is \$10,242.

To prevent this scenario, we were able to work with our current mortgage company to refinance our loan for 15 years, at 3.75% interest rate and balloon payment due in 2029 with NO refinance fees. We started in 2018 with a \$2,000,000 loan and after less than 4 years, we were able to reduce our principal to \$1,350,000. Our new mortgage monthly payment will be \$9,855 which is about \$2,600 less than our original monthly payment.

We could not do this without our benefactors and your generosity and support. Thank you very much, and May God Bless You and St. Sharbel Benediction be with you.

Rachid El Aile, St. Sharbel Finance Committee

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we observe the Seventh Sunday of Lent with Palm Sunday, we enter into the Holy Week of the final part of the season. We began on Ash Monday, February 28th by hearing the call to fully enter into this season with everything that we've got and to embrace the traditional penances of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. This invitation was repeated throughout the six weeks of Lent. Then, as we realized that we could not do all of this on our own, we were reassured that the Lord would give us all that we need to respond to His call. In this final week of Lent, our attention shifts to the Cross. Many might be surprised to hear that the Cross has not been a focal point in Lent until this week. Up to this point, the Lenten focus has been on our call to change. Now, our Scripture readings and Mass prayers remind us of the great price by which we were redeemed. God delivered his own Son, the innocent Lamb of God, into our hands, as the gift offered for our redemption. God faithfully loved us when we were at our worst.

These final days of Lent lead us into the Triduum, the three-day commemoration of the dying and rising of the Lord. These are the holiest days of the church year. Let us do all that we can to live them well.

During the past two years of the pandemic, the obligation to attend Sunday Mass has been dispensed by our Bishop. Last week, we received word that we are now in a safe position to restore the obligation for us to attend Sunday Mass in person. This begins this Sunday on Palm Sunday. We thank God for safely guiding us through the past two years of the pandemic.

As Lent progresses, let us continue to pray for each other and support each other in our Lenten practices. Many opportunities for the traditional Lenten practices of Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving are listed in the bulletin, as well as times for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

We pray for peace throughout the world, and especially for an end to the violence we have witnessed with the invasion into Ukraine. Wishing you all a blessed Holy Week of Lent,

Chorbishop Alfred Badawi, Pastor

YEAR OF SAINT SHARBEL

**YEAR OF DEDICATION TO SAINT SHARBEL
APRIL 22, 2022 - APRIL 22, 2023**

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 2022

- 12 PM - 7 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 6 PM - Rosary and Confessions
- 7 PM - Healing Mass of Saint Sharbel

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2022

- 12 PM - 4 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 3 PM - Chaplet of Divine Mercy & Confessions
- 4 PM - Mass

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2022

- Divine Mercy Sunday
- 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM Mass

A sign-up sheet may found in the lobby of the Church with the Adoration Schedule. All are encouraged to spend some time in the presence of our Lord and experience His love!



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