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EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 4, 2021

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READING 1 Corinthians 15:12-26 GOSPEL Matthew 28:1-10



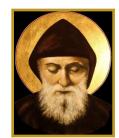
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DIVINE LITURGY

SATURDAY: 4:00 PM SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

ROSARY
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
6:30 PM (Fall / Winter)

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MASS INTENTIONS

THURSDAY, APRIL 1ST HOLY THURSDAY 5:00 PM -

Divine Liturgy of the Lord's Supper with Washing of the Feet

THURSDAY, APRIL 1ST HOLY THURSDAY 7:00 PM -

Divine Liturgy of the Lord's Supper with Washing of the Feet

8:00 PM - 10 PM

Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

FRIDAY, APRIL 2ND GOOD FRIDAY DAY SERVICES 10:45 AM -

Novena to the Divine Mercy - Day 1

11:00 AM -

Signing of the Chalice Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

12:00 PM -Stations of the Cross with Mary Led by the LAS

FRIDAY, APRIL 2ND GOOD FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES 5:00 PM -

Service of the Burial of Our Lord

6:15 PM -

Novena to the Divine Mercy - Day 1

7:00 PM -

Service of the Burial of Our Lord

SATURDAY, APRIL 3RD HOLY SATURDAY

11:00 AM -Prayer of Forgiveness



SATURDAY, APRIL 3RD EASTER VIGIL

4:00 PM— Parishioners and Friends, by Pastor

4:00 PM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

4:00 PM — Joseph Shaker Easter Remembrance, by Family

4:00 PM — Mona Badawi, by Allan & Mary Brazier

4:00 PM —Zina Kanan Elias Birthday Remembrance, by Family

4:00 PM— Daniel & Mary Daniel and Deceased Members of the Simon and Daniel Families, by Family

4:00 PM— Roger Saad, by Paul & Lena Kanan

4:00 PM— Jeanette Aesy Birthday Remembrance, by Her Children

SUNDAY, APRIL 4TH EASTER MIDNIGHT MASS

12:00 AM — Parishioners and Friends, by Pastor

12:00 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

12:00 AM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas Easter Remembrance, by Pastor

12:00 AM -- Issa & Jamile and Rakan Hattar, by Family

12:00 AM— Raja & Sabha and Theresa Sweidan, by Family

12:00 AM— Abouna Yacoub Hajzieen, by the Sweidan Family

12:00 AM— Sultan Hattar 12 Year Remembrance, by Family

12:00 AM — Mother Parxade Sweidan, by Family

12:00 AM— Samer and Nabiel Tadrous, by the Sweidan Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 4TH EASTER SUNDAY

9:30 AM— Parishioners and Friends, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

9:30 AM — Mona Badawi, by the Kautz Family

9:30 AM— Living & Deceased Members of the Deacon John & Bobbi Sfire Family, by Pastor

9:30 AM — Michael Nehra Birthday Remembrance, by Family

9:30 AM— Donald & Marie Joseph Easter Remembrance, by Family

9:30 AM — Joseph Shaker 16 Year Remembrance, by Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 4TH EASTER SUNDAY

11:30 AM— Parishioners and Friends, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

11:30 AM — Mona Badawi, by Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 10TH FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

4:00 PM -- Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

4:00 PM — Mona Badawi, by Dee Boulus

4:00 PM— Deceased Members of the Crispin, Shaker and Abraham Families, by Joe & Terry Shaker

4:00 PM —Sam Molinaro Birthday Remembrance, by the Chaptini Family

4:00 PM— Joseph Chamoun, by Toufic & Jeanette Soyad and Family

4:00 PM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas 3 Year Remembrance, by Wife, Linda and Children

SUNDAY, APRIL 11TH FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

9:30 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

9:30 AM - Mona Badawi, by Toufic & Jeanette Soyad

9:30 AM— Cindy Davey 1 Year Remembrance, by Husband, Nelson Davey

9:30 AM— Lawanda Davey 100 Year Birthday Remembrance, by Her Children

9:30 AM— Louis Joseph, by Mary Medley

SUNDAY, APRIL 11TH FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

11:30 AM— **Joseph Chanbour 40 Day Remembrance,** by Brother and Sister-In-Law, Sam and Mirna Chanbour and Family

11:30 AM— **Jihan Chanbour**, by Brother-In-Law and Sister-In-Law, Sam and Mirna Chanbour and Family

11:30 AM— Saeed Yousif Allaaf 50 Year Memorial Mass, by His Son, Simon, and Daughters, Olivia, Lenna, Sonia, & Nada and their Families

11:30 AM— Easter Flower Memorials, by Pastor

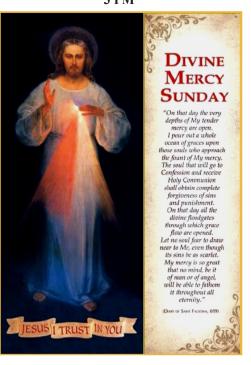
11:30 AM— Wadia & Habib Ghafari, by their Children

11:30 AM — Mona Badawi, by Antoinette Gantos

11:30 AM— Jamile Khalil Mdawar, by Delores Eggen

11:30 AM— Hanna Helou and Colete Helou, by Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 11TH FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY Divine Mercy Prayers 3 PM



READERS

READERS FOR: THURSDAY, APRIL 1 5:00 PM - Pat Helou

READERS FOR: THURSDAY, APRIL 1 7:00 PM - Zinah Samona Maysoon Sweidan

READERS FOR: FRIDAY, APRIL 2 5:00 PM - Anne Marie Ferris

READERS FOR:

FRIDAY, APRIL 2
7:00 PM - Bobbi Sfire
Khouloud Yammine
George Habbouche
Samia Deban

READERS FOR: SATURDAY, APRIL 3 4:00 PM - Amanda Peters

READERS FOR: SATURDAY, APRIL 3 MIDNIGHT MASS 12:00 AM - Jano Gemayel Samar Fawaz

READERS FOR: SUNDAY, APRIL 4 9:30 AM - Katie Folk

READERS FOR: SUNDAY, APRIL 4 11:30 AM - Tracy Saba Elie Touma

READERS FOR: SATURDAY, APRIL 10 4:00 PM - Tony Peters

READERS FOR: SUNDAY, APRIL 11 9:30 AM - Ralph Mancini

READERS FOR: SUNDAY, APRIL 11 11:30 AM - Daniella Ghafari Sam Chanbour

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS 2021

In Memory of George Abraham, Mike & Mary Thomas and Families, the Abraham Family by Jasmine Abraham

In Memory of Gerges Sleiman by Raja & Claudia Ashkar & Family

In Memory of Mouna Badawi by the Badawi Family

In Memory of Deceased Family Members by Elias & Zina Bassil

In Memory of Edmund Bousho, Rebecca Bousho, & David Bousho by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bousho

Mr. & Mrs. John Cafagna

Mr. & Mrs. John A. Cafagna

In Memory of the Molinaro & Chaptini Families by the Chaptini Family

In Memory of Mountaha Hanna Badawi by Marilyn Daniels

In Memory of Rose & Farid Deban, Collette & Hanna Helou, Jad Nemr by Abdou & Samia Deban

Donna Deeby

In Memory of Thomas Doyle, Rose Doyle & Thomas Doyle III by Rose Marie Doyle

Mr. & Mrs. Elie Eid

In Memory of Philip Agby, Naif Agby by Joseph Ejbeh-Agby

In Memory of Paul Evola by Lillian Evola

In Memory of Paul Elias by Linda Elias and Family

In Loving Memory of Frank & Madeline Bolis, Joseph & Glen Ferris by Robert and Ann Marie Ferris

In Memory of Joe Akl, Steve Garmo, Faraj & Georgette Fajou by Mr. & Mrs. Francois Fajou

In Memory of Patricia Farrar, John & Michelle Farrar by Robert Farrar

In Memory of Mountaha Hanna Badawi by Susan (Daniels) Forest

In Memory of Alessandro & Concetta Fortuna by Vito & Char Fortuna

> In Memory of Ramez Harb, Josephine Harb, Antoun Gemayel & Roland Gemayel by Chaouki Gemayel & Family

> > John Grzadzinski

In Memory of Yousef Haddad & Ghaida Haddad by Helda Hadda & Family

In Memory of Maroun Hakim by the Hakim Family

In Memory of Simon & Philomena Hakim and their Living and Deceased Family Members by their Grandchildren

In Memory of Thomas & Shelia Hatty, John Marsh, Bill & Eileen York, Louis & May Hatty by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Hatty

In Memory of Michel Bouchar, John Hayek, In Honor of Chorbishop Badawi by Michael & Claudia Hayek & Family

In Memory of Peter & Edna Migala, Oliver & Lola Herbert by Christine Herbert

In Memory of Gordon Hunrath by Dixie Hunrath

In Memory of Cathie Nagurka, Michael Jacobs by Rose Ann Jacobs & Paul Nagurka

In Memory of Peter Johns Jr., Peter Sr. & Josephine Johns, Margaret Foley by Karen Johns & Family

In Memory of the Joseph Family by Anthony Joseph

In Memory of Marty Joseph by Kathleen Joseph

In Memory of Akram Karromi by Nawal Karromi

In Memory of Oscar C. Saad, Shirley A. Saad, James W. Kautz, Maria Martella by the Kautz Family

In Memory of Mary Saad by John & Mary Kruk

In Memory of Jennie & Anthony Latiff by Helene Latiff

In Memory of Al & Kay Latouf by Carol Latouf

In Memory of the Deceased Members of the El-Haje Family, Deceased Members of the Maliskey Family by Mr. & Mrs. Tom Maliskey, Jr.

Mr. & Mrs. Mousa Massoud

Mr. & Mrs. Roman Millett

Mr. & Mrs. Michel Moubarak

In Memory of Nssif Moubarak by Mr. & Mrs. Nassif Moubarak Lucy Mourad

Ms. Mona Mourad

In Memory of Living & Deceased Mothers by Paul Nehra

In Memory of Georges Nemer, Mary Nemer, Nassif Moubarak, Giro Boumaroun, & Georges Saliba by Mr. & Mrs. Elie Nemer

In Memory of the Nemr & Moubarak Families by Elie & Therese Nemr

In Memory of Joseph & Lee Hellow by Mr. & Mrs. Greg Neubacher

In Memory of Ada Florence Pich by Peter Alec & Trish Anne Pich

In Memory of Naïf Agby,
Philip Agby,
Madeline Louise Rabine,
Claire Elizabeth Rabine,
& Mountaha Hanna Badawi
by Don & Liz Rabine & Family

In Memory of Maria Saad by Husband, Bill Saad

In Memory of Roger Saad by Brother, Bill Saad

In Memory of Joseph & Margaret Saad by the Saad Children

In Memory of Nadia Tannous, Joseph Chamoun, David Chehade by Mr. & Mrs. Koshaya Sfeir

In Memory of Abraham & Helen Salomon and their Living and Deceased Family Members by their Grandchildren

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Salloum

In Memory of the Deceased Members of the Sam Family, Living Members of the Sam Family by Frances Sam

In Memory of Penny Sam, Charlie, Roger & Vicky Sam, & Mr. & Mrs Romanus Sam by George Sam

In Memory of Frederick & Elizabeth Francis by Fredericka Smith

Fadi & Jessy Srour & Family

In Memory of the Tom & Bea Joseph Family by Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Taormina

In Memory Dr. Paul G. Thomas by Linda B. Thomas

In Memory of Mark Werner by Denise Werner

In Memory of Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Werner by Denise Werner

In Memory of Joseph Yasso by Mrs. Nazira Yasso



SANCTUARY CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL BURNS FOR:

In Loving Memory of Anthony & Helen Cichowlas by Son-In-Law, Fred Francis

CHAPEL CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL BURNS FOR:

Well Being & Good Health by The Bassil Family

INCENSE AND CHARCOAL

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

In Loving Memory of
George & Henriette Chalhoub
by Family

LET US PRAY FOR...

All infected with Covid virus All healthcare providers All essential business workers Raheel Abbawi Nafee Aboo David Ajbib Claire Aouad Salam Askar Adeet D. Aiyer **Baby Lilianne** Albert Badawi Joe Badawi Sr. Fadia Bashee Dan Bojalad Joanne Burton **Baby Luke Burton** Stephanie Clark John Comito **Tim Cowper** Alma Dadoush Haifa Dawood Patrick Dovle **Chuck Eisenman** Nancy Esho Keri Faircloth Pat Farrar Stephanie Felgenauer **Dorothy Ferrara Mary Floore Charbel Francis** Mary Ann Ganim Albert Gantos Diane George Amy Govier Phil Grobbel John Grzadzinski **David Habib** Ellie Hadid Feras Haisha Blake Hamama Dr. Sameer Hana **Anthile Hermese Judy Hindy**

Jack Hopper Sarah Hurmiz Joseph Jacob Edward & Suham John Dominic Joseph Juricic Sylvia Kaltz Lena Kanan Leeno Kas-Mikha Tom Kiernicki Jackie Lael **Agnes Langschied** Teresa Logan Fabiola Maduro Michele Makhlouf **Shirley Mlot** Edward Moffett **Cheryl Moultrie Babies Adeline & Madeleine Tony Nader Betty Ann Peeples Nelson Peitz** Ricca Narden Alexander Saeed Ruby Salmen Remone Salmen Nadre Salmen Anwar & Suham Seman and Children **Eddie Sesi** Nancy Sesi Jason Sfire Alfred Shina Saba Simon Vivian Simon **Christian Charbel Slewah** Tom Sloan **Terry Thomas Baby John Venturini** Jad Yacoub Christina Yako Ghazi Aziz Yaldo Nazira Yasso

Emmanuel Zaya

Hallelujah!

My Lord, HOPE is restored, JOY and EXCITEMENT are instilled in many hearts as You quietly, gently and gloriously rise from the dead and bring forth new life for this fallen world.

Sweet Jesus, give me the eyes of faith that I may see and believe in Your Resurrection.

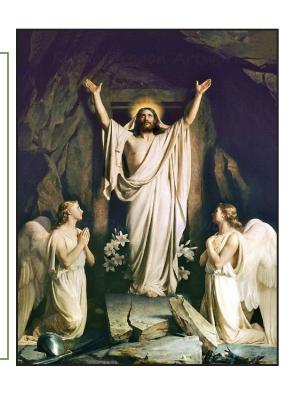
Help me to know the effects of Your triumph in my life.

As I come to know You, my resurrected Lord, help me to entrust to You all that I am and all that I hope to be.

Help me to trust in the abundant Mercy that flows from Your resurrected soul.

All praise and honor to You, Most Glorious Lord Jesus!

Amen!



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Purchase your flowers on Good Friday for the Burial of Our Lord Services and support our MYO!

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

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Will be taken for the Franciscan Friars in the Holy Land.

Thank you!

ANNUAL STATEMENTS

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Annual statements of your contributions will be sent to you upon request by calling or emailing the Church Office. Thank you!

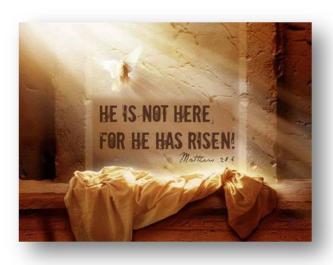
THANK YOU!

WEEKLY COLLECTION

March 28 & 29, 2021 Envelopes: \$8,575.00 Online: \$3,780.00 Total Collection: \$12,355.00

CHARITY APPEAL
Goal: \$12,000.00
Received to date: \$1,740.00

May God bless you for your faithfulness and generosity in support of your parish especially during these most difficult of times!



UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

April 3/4	Easter Sunday Masses Celebrated Saturday at 4 PM
	Midnight / Sunday at 9:30 AM / 11:30 AM
April 4	Sunday Mass Live Stream 11:30 AM
April 11	1st Communion Reconciliation Service 10:30 AM
April 11	Divine Mercy Sunday Novena and Litany 3 PM
April 18	1st Communion Reconciliation Service 10:30 AM
April 22	Family of Saint Sharbel Healing Mass 6:30 PM
May 1	First Holy Communion Masses at 10 AM & 1 PM
July 17/18	St. Sharbel Feast Day Weekend Church Festival

LITURGICALLY SPEAKING

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated on Sunday, April 11, 2021, the Sunday after Easter. There will be a service at 3 PM in the Chapel.

The message and devotion to Jesus as The Divine Mercy is based on the writings of Saint Faustina Kowalska, an uneducated Polish nun who, in obedience to her spiritual director, wrote a diary of about 600 pages recording the revelations she received about God's mercy.

Even before her death in 1938, the devotion to The Divine Mercy had begun to spread. On June 29, 2002, the Apostolic Penitentiary of the Holy See promulgated a decree creating new indulgences that may be gained by the faithful in connection with the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday. This decree grants a plenary indulgence to those who comply with all the conditions established, and a partial indulgence to those who incompletely fulfill the conditions. It is allowed for one to go to Confession up to 20 days before or after Divine Mercy Sunday and still receive the indulgences.

EPARCHIAL BISHOP'S APPEAL

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Thank you to all who have already contributed to the 2021 Eparchial Bishop Annual Appeal.

This Appeal is the major source of funding for all of our Eparchial ministries and charities. Please help us to reach our 2021 goal of \$12,000.00. We can do this with the participation of each family in our parish. Your generosity is deeply appreciated!



PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners and Friends.

Resurrection is the central event in our salvation. Today the church and her children rejoice for our Lord and Savior has risen from the dead. The Resurrection is the feast of feasts. Originally the Church celebrated only one feast, the Resurrection itself, which was recalled and renewed each Sunday at the celebration of the Divine Mysteries. In the Maronite tradition, the solemnity of the Resurrection of Our Lord is expressed by a special rite called the "RITE OF PEACE." Peace was the first word the risen Lord greeted His disciples. His good news in them was primarily an announcement of peace by His Resurrection. He established peace between His Father and creation and restored its original destiny. Peace was then the primary teaching that the Maronite Liturgy retained from the great event of the Resurrection. The Rite of Peace is the rite of exaltation of the "empty" and glorious Cross, proclaiming the victory of the risen Lord, the font of our peace.

This week of Resurrection is known by different names in the Maronite Liturgy: the Week of Resurrection, Easter Week, the Week of Renewals, and the Week of Weeks. However, the name most commonly used is "Week of Hawareyeen". This word reinforces "purity", "white" and "justification". It refers to the angels at the empty Tomb, announcing His Resurrection, or to the Lord's disciples who believed in His Resurrection, were clothed in "righteousness" just as our newly baptized members of the Church.

Our Lord Jesus Christ is asking us to proclaim His Resurrection like the angels, disciples, women and all He appeared to. This should be our mission statement, vision, declaration and proclamation to all people of all nations as witnesses to the Risen Christ. Therefore, "go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." (Mt 28:19-20)

YOUR SAFETY

We have received a new set of guidelines for the safe celebrations of the Easter Triduum and Easter Sunday. We will have additional hospitality ministers at the exits of the Church to assist with the implementation of all safety measures. They are required to wear face masks, and rubber gloves. These restrictions are intended to ensure a safe environment for all attending Masses during these holy days.

Our seating inside of Church will allow for social distancing. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

CHRIST IS RISEN! HE IS TRULY RISEN!

This is the truth we must keep firmly in our minds and hearts, held in unshakeable faith.

Life, eternal life, Christ's life – our life in Christ – emerges victorious from the tomb. And so we rejoice as a family, as a parish community, and as a Church. Thus, dear friends, we say together:

On behalf Deacon John, Deacon Mike and the parish staff I wish all of you a very Blessed and Happy Easter!

Know of my prayers for you and for your loved ones. May the Lord bless you and protect you always. Chorbishop Alfred Badawi, Pastor





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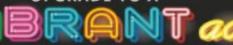
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