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## CLINTON TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

HEALING OF THE BLIND MAN - APRIL 7, 2019

شفاء الأعمى

READING 2 Corinthians 10:1-7 GOSPEL Mark 10:46-52



LITURGIES CELEBRATED AT  
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**PASTOR**  
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**DEACON**  
Michael Magyar  
**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
Dianne Bartolomeo

**DIVINE LITURGY**  
**SATURDAY: 4:00 PM**  
**SUNDAY: 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM**  
**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION & PRAYERS**  
1st Saturday: 3:30 PM  
**FAMILY OF SAINT SHARBEL HEALING PRAYERS**  
22nd Day of Every Month  
Liturgy and Benediction 7 PM (Summer Schedule)  
**CONFESSIONS**  
Available Before Weekend Liturgies

**FRIDAY, APRIL 5TH**

6:00 PM— Confessions  
6:30 PM— Joseph Shaker 13 Year Remembrance, by Family  
7:00 PM— Stations and Benediction of the Holy Cross

**SATURDAY, APRIL 6TH**

4:00 PM— Daniel & Mary Daniel and Deceased Members of the Simon and Daniel Families, by Children  
4:00 PM— Joseph Shaker 13 Year Remembrance, by Family  
4:00 PM— Michael Joseph, by Mary Medley and Family  
4:00 PM— Frederick Francis, Sr. Birthday Remembrance, by Children  
4:00 PM— Oscar Saad 10 Year Remembrance, by the Kautz Family

**SUNDAY, APRIL 7TH**

9:30 AM— Backos Joseph, by Mary Medley and Family  
9:30 AM— Helen Trepanier Remembrance, by Family  
9:30 AM— Thomas Carson Remembrance, by Family  
9:30 AM— Betty Shaker, by Family  
9:30 AM— Nassif Moubarak 4 Year Remembrance, by Joseph & Violet Moubarak  
  
11:30 AM— Ava Marie Miller, by Pastor  
11:30 AM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas Birthday and 1 Year Remembrance, by Wife, Linda  
11:30 AM— Nawal Rizk Nahed 1 Year Rmembrance, by Elie Nahed and Family  
11:30 AM— Sanaa Al Hukayem 3 Year Remembrance, by Sister, Lolita Maliskey and Family  
11:30 AM— Michael G. Bouchar and Jean A. Hayek, by Pastor  
11:30 AM— Sassine Abi Assaf, by Son, Edward

**TUESDAY, APRIL 9TH**

9:30 AM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas 1 Year Remembrance, by Wife, Linda and Daughter, Sandy Thomas Johnson and Son, Dave Thomas  
9:30 AM— Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker, by Family

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10TH**

9:30 AM— Jackie Haddad, by the Shaker and Briet Families

**THURSDAY, APRIL 11TH**

9:30 AM— Living & Deceased Members of the Michael & Catherine Joseph Family, by Mary Medley

**FRIDAY, APRIL 12TH**

6:00 PM— Confessions  
6:30 PM— Bobbi Sfire Special Intention, by Pastor  
7:00 PM— Stations and Benediction of the Holy Cross

**SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH**

4:00 PM— Children in our Parish-Community, by Pastor  
4:00 PM— Parishioners, Benefactors, and Visitors, by Pastor  
4:00 PM— Alice Faye Elias, by Husband, Jerry Elias  
4:00 PM— John Cafagna Birthday Remembrance, by Wife, Ann and Sons  
4:00 PM— Jerry Cafagna Birthday Remembrance, by Mother, Ann and Brothers

**SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH**

5:00 PM— Baptism Tatyana Colleen Chaptini

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH**

**PALM SUNDAY**

9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Members of the Peter Neam Family, by Family  
9:30 AM— Children in our Parish-Community, by Pastor  
9:30 AM— Parishioners, Benefactors, and Visitors, by Pastor  
9:30 AM— Marcello Pozzi 2 Year Remembrance, by Family  
  
11:30 AM— Children in our Parish-Community, by Pastor  
11:30 AM— Parishioners, Benefactors, and Visitors, by Pastor  
11:30 AM— Sultan Hattar 10 Year Rmembrance, by Family  
11:30 AM— Jamileh Issa and Rakan Hattar, by Family

**READERS FOR:**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 6TH** 4:00 PM  
Dixie Hunrath

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 7TH** 9:30 AM  
Mariam Tobia

**SUNDAY, APRIL 7TH** 11:30 AM  
Maria Nicholas - English  
Claudette Nicholas - Arabic

**READERS FOR:**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH** 4:00 PM  
John Cafagna

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH** 9:30 AM  
Ralph Mancini

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH** 11:30 AM  
Rita Yammine - English  
Melody Deban - Arabic

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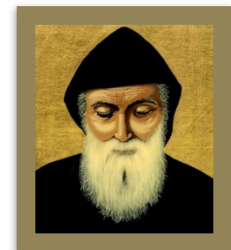
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*May God bless you in return for your generosity and support of your parish!*





# Palm Sunday Brunch

*Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup>*

*After 9:30 & 11:30 Liturgy*

Tickets: \$20 per Adult, \$10 per Child under 12 years

Tickets sold after Mass or call Office at [586] 630-0002

## Menu

Zaatar/ Cheese Pies  
Cheese & Olives  
Hummus  
Kibbeh Balls  
Rice with Chicken

Labneh  
Fattoush Salad  
Grape Leaves  
Green Beans  
Freekeh with Lamb



## SANCTUARY CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL BURNS FOR:

Fred & Laura Yezbick

by Family



## LENT- TRIDUUM- EASTER SEASON 2019

Confession Service March 22, 29, April 5, 12 @ 6:00 p.m.

Divine Mass March 22, 29, April 5, 12 @ 6:30 p.m.

Stations of the Cross Fridays-March 22, 29, April 5, 12 @ 7:00 p.m.

## PALM SUNDAY & BLESSING OF PALMS/PROCESSION

Saturday - April 13, 2019

4:00 PM Vigil Liturgy

Sunday - April 14, 2019

9:30 AM & 11:30 AM Divine Liturgy

## HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Monday - April 15, 2019

6:00 PM Confession

6:30 PM Divine Liturgy

7:00 PM Benediction of the Cross

Tuesday - April 16, 2019

6:00 PM Confession

6:30 PM Divine Liturgy

7:00 PM Benediction of the Cross

Wednesday - April 17, 2019

6:00 PM Confession Service

7:00 PM Rite of the Lamp Divine Liturgy

## HOLY THURSDAY - April 18, 2019

7:00 PM Liturgy of the Lord's Supper/Washing of Feet Ceremony

8:00 PM Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until  
- 10 PM

## GOOD FRIDAY - April 19, 2019

10:45 AM **Novena to the Divine Mercy Begins**

11 AM Signing of the Chalice Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

6:15 PM **Novena to the Divine Mercy Begins**

7 PM Service of the Death and Burial of Our Lord

## HOLY SATURDAY - April 20, 2019

11:00 AM Prayer of Forgiveness

## EASTER SATURDAY VIGIL

EASTER VIGIL DIVINE LITURGY - April 20, 2019

3:30 PM **Novena to the Divine Mercy**

4:00 PM Divine Liturgy of Resurrection / Rite of Peace

## EASTER SUNDAY - RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

EASTER SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY - APRIL 21, 2019

12 AM Midnight Mass of Resurrection / Rite of Peace

9:30 AM Mass of Resurrection / Rite of Peace

11:15 AM **Novena to the Divine Mercy**

11:30 AM Mass of Resurrection / Rite of Peace

## CHAPEL CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL BURNS FOR:

Oscar C. Saad

by The Kautz Family

## SAVE THE DATE!



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## Mother's Day Garden Tea Party!

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**11AM-2PM**

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الشحانيين، أسبوع الإلام والقيامة

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القداس الإلهي يليه رتبة تبريك الأغصان وزياح الشحانيين	١٣ نيسان - الساعة ٤:٠٠ بعد الظهر	ميت الشعانين
القداس الإلهي يليه رتبة تبريك الأغصان وزياح الشحانيين	١٤ نيسان - الساعة ٩:٣٠ صباحاً	أحد الشعانين
القداس الإلهي يليه رتبة تبريك الأغصان وزياح الشحانيين	١٥ نيسان - الساعة ١١:٣٠ صباحاً	إثنين الإلام
القداس الإلهي وزياح الصليب	١٦ نيسان - الساعة ٦:٣٠ مساءً	ثلاثاء الإلام
القداس الإلهي وزياح الصليب	١٧ نيسان - الساعة ٦:٣٠ مساءً	أربعاء الإلام
القداس الإلهي ورتبة القنديل (تبريك الزيت)	١٨ نيسان - الساعة ٧:٠٠ مساءً	خميس الإصرار
القداس ورتبة الغسل يليه زياح وصعدة القربان المقدس		
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رتبة القداس السابق تقديسه	١٩ نيسان - الساعة ١١:٠٠ صباحاً	الجمعة العظيمة
رتبة سجدة الصليب ودفن المصلوب	٢٠ نيسان - الساعة ٧:٠٠ مساءً	ميت النور
صلاة نصف النهار وصلاة الغفران	٢١ نيسان - الساعة ١١:٠٠ صباحاً	أحد القيامة
القداس الإلهي مع رتبة السلام يليه زياح القيامة	٢٢ نيسان - الساعة ٤:٠٠ بعد الظهر	
القداس الإلهي مع رتبة السلام يليه زياح القيامة	٢٣ نيسان - الساعة ٩:٣٠ صباحاً	
القداس الإلهي مع رتبة السلام يليه زياح القيامة	٢٤ نيسان - الساعة ١١:٣٠ صباحاً	

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نتمنى لكم جميعاً أسبوعاً حافلاً بالصلاة والتأمل . المسيح قام ! حقاً قام

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

LED BY:

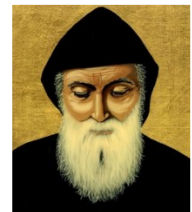
Friday, April 5... Choir

Friday, April 12... Men's Club and  
the Knights of Columbus



*Jesus, by your Cross and Resurrection  
you have set us free.*

*You are the Savior of the World!*



## EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL

The Easter Flower Memorial is to remember your intention in our Easter celebrations  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

April 5	Mass 6:30 PM / Stations of the Cross 7 PM
April 14	Palm Sunday Brunch after Sunday Masses
April 15	Knights of Columbus Meeting 7 PM
April 22	Family of Saint Sharbel Healing Mass 7 PM
May 11	Mother's Day Garden Tea Brunch 11 AM
May 18	First Holy Communion Liturgy 11 AM
July 19-21	Saint Sharbel Feast Day Weekend Celebration
October 19	St. Sharbel Gala at Andiamo

## PALM SUNDAY

## PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION

Processions will take place after Communion on Saturday at the 4:00 PM and on Sunday at 9:30 and 11:30AM Masses on Palm Sunday. We will process out of Church after Communion and gather in front of the Statue of Saint Sharbel for the Blessing of the Palms, weather permitting. After the blessing, we will process around the outside of the Church, all the way around to the North side, where we will enter back into the Church. As part of the procession, we need four members of the congregation to pass out Palms. For those who are interested please see Deacon Mike.

## HELP NEEDED!

## DECORATING FOR EASTER

Please RSVP if You Can Help to decorate for Easter. Holy Week is almost upon us! Could you please help us decorate the Church and Chapel for the beautiful feast of Easter? Please see Maria Saloum, Georgia Andary or Pat Helou if you can help out on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday with decorating.

On Holy Thursday, April 18th at 9 AM we need people to help decorate the Chapel Altar and the main Church Altar.

On Good Friday, April 19th at 9 AM, we will need help to set up the tomb.

On Holy Saturday, April 20th at 9 AM we need to place flowers around both altars, and this may take several hours.

Please consider helping, even for a short time. We appreciate all the assistance we can get! Please meet in the lobby of the Church! Thank you!

## WITH GRATITUDE!

On the weekend of March 29th, 30th and 31st our Lenten Retreat began with the Stations of the Cross on Friday and a reflection was given by Deacon John Sfire. On Saturday, Deacon John and Bobbi Sfire facilitated a day of Reflection for our Lenten journey. Approximately 70 people of all ages attended this blessed day spent in prayer, dialogue and reflection. A beautiful Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour blessed all who attended as we reflected on the Passion of Jesus Christ with the prayers of Divine Mercy. Several priests were present to hear confessions. Lunch and fellowship followed and the day concluded with another presentation and open discussion, and the celebration of the Mass at 4 PM. All who attended were uplifted and spiritually rich as we experienced the love and mercy of Christ during this time of Lent.

Thank you, Deacon John and Bobbi, and we assure you of our continued prayers and love! God bless you and your family in the ways that you need most!



## PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

I hope that Lent is going well for you. Today we mark the Sixth Sunday of Lent with the Sunday of the Healing of the Blind Man. Two more weeks and Easter will be here! Soon we will celebrate the feast of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, the feast of our salvation, when we are freed from the clutches of sin, suffering, and death and can live in the freedom as sons and daughters of God.

Before we celebrate the glory of the Resurrection, we remember the sacrifice of the Cross and Jesus' Passion.

Next weekend is Palm Sunday, when we greet our Messiah as His disciples greeted Him a week before His crucifixion, with palm branches and shouts of Hosanna. We then move quickly to participate in the Holy Week events of the Passion of the Christ. As long as I can remember, I have always been impacted by Palm Sunday, waving palms and carrying candles and olive branches while shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" May this powerful tradition bring all of us and our families, friends, and neighbors closer to Christ, who is always close to us!

I invite you to attend the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday and the Celebration on Good Friday along with the Easter Vigil Mass or one of the Easter Masses. The three celebrations together not only tell the story, but they help us to enter into and participate in the event that brings salvation, life, and joy to you and me.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Don't forget about our parish Reconciliation opportunities next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 15-16-17 at 6:00 PM.

Please remember that it is Jesus Christ that you encounter in the confessional as you confession your sins, from whom you receive pardon and forgiveness!

It is Christ Himself who sets you free from the bondage of sin and brings healing to you through this Sacrament of Reconciliation!

Know of my prayers for you and your loved ones. May our Crucified and Risen Lord watch over you and bless you always. Have a blessed holy season,  
Chorbishop Alfred Badawi

## CONGRATULATIONS!

## ENGAGEMENT

Congratulations to  
**Robert Krzeczowski and Katie Folk**  
on their engagement to be married!

*May God bless you as you prayerfully prepare  
for your life together in Christ!*

Please remember them and all our engaged couples  
in your prayers as they prepare for  
the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony!

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Congratulations to George and Pat Helou on the birth  
of their new grandson,  
**Nicholas James Banyai**  
born Monday, April 1st, 2019!

Congratulations and best wishes to the parents,  
**Lamia Sophia Helou & James Banyai!**

May our Lord bless you and your family  
with good health and happiness!

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