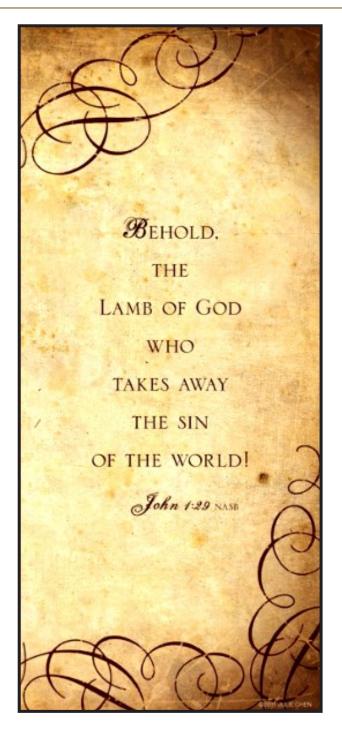
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SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS EPIPHANY
SECOND SUNDAY OF THE EPIPHANY JANUARY 14, 2024

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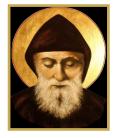
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DIVINE LITURGY
SATURDAY: 4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM ROSARY: 30 MINUTES BEFORE SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES

WEEKDAY LITURGIES
SEE INSIDE OF BULLETIN FOR SCHEDULE

CONFESSIONS: BY APPOINTMENT

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION 1st Saturday: 3:30 PM

FAMILY OF SAINT SHARBEL
HEALING MASS & BENEDICTION
22nd Day of Every Month
*6:30 PM (November - March)
7:00 PM (April - October)

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MASS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12TH NO LITURGY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13TH

HAIR CUTTING CEREMONY

4:00 PM— Children Born in 2023 in our Families, by Clergy

4:00 PM— MYO Retreatants and Facilitators, by Clergy

4:00 PM— Donors of the Christmas Flowers, by Clergy

4:00 PM— Christmas Flower Memorials, by Clergy

4:00 PM— Giving Tuesday Donors, by Clergy

4:00 PM— Betty Shaker Anniversary Remembrance, by Chorbishop Alfred

4:00 PM— Helen Shaker Anniversary Remembrance, by Family

4:00 PM — Matthew Sami Daman, by Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14TH

HAIR CUTTING CEREMONY

9:30 AM— Children Born in 2023 in our Families, by Clergy

9:30 AM— MYO Retreatants and Facilitators, by Clergy

9:30 AM— Donors of the Christmas Flowers, by Clergy

9:30 AM— Christmas Flower Memorials, by Clergy

9:30 AM— Giving Tuesday Donors, by Clergy

9:30 AM— Mickey and Julia Thomas Christmas Remembrance, by Kevin and Terri Maas

9:30 AM— Massoud and Catherine Ellian, by Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14TH

HAIR CUTTING CEREMONY

11:30 AM— Children Born in 2023 in our Families, by Clergy

11:30 AM— MYO Retreatants and Facilitators, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Donors of the Christmas Flowers, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Christmas Flower Memorials, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Giving Tuesday Donors, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Special Intention Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Living and Deceased Members of the Raif and Hanane Harik Family, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Vera Hakim, by Family

11:30 AM— Dunia Issa Hattar, by the Badawi Family

11:30 AM— Emily Abu-Joudeh 1 Year Remembrance, by her 13 Children

Thank-VOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

THANK YOU!

WEEKLY COLLECTION

January 6 & 7, 2024

Envelopes: \$6,232.18

Online: \$905.00

Total Collection: \$7,137.18

With sincere gratitude and thanks for your faithful and loving support of our parish!

READERS

READERS FOR

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 4:00 PM - Anthony Peters

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

9:30 AM - Nancy Magri

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14 11:30 AM - Anthony Fawaz Nelly Shaheen

READERS FOR

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20 4:00 PM - Elizabeth Sweet

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21 9:30 AM - Liz Rabine

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

11:30 AM - Alex Almoundalek Naji Chidiac

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ST. SHARBEL CHURCH OBLIGATION TO THE EPARCHY

2024

PARISH ASSESSMENT:

\$29,000

LENTEN APPEAL:

\$16,000

CLERGY RETIREMENT BENEFIT:

\$20,000

MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16TH thru FRIDAY, JANUARY 19TH **CLERGY RETREAT NO LITURIES**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20TH

1:00 PM— Baptisms Annabelle Olivia Higazen and Adrian Benedetto Hibazen

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20TH

4:00 PM— **Gary Naseef Special Intentions**, by Family **4:00 PM**— **Fred Naseef**, by Family

4:00 PM— Helen and Betty Shaker Anniversary Remembrance, by Chorbishop Alfred

4:00 PM— Matthew Sami Daman, by Family

4:00 PM— Frank Bolis 45 Year Remembrance, by Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21ST

9:30 AM -- Mickey and Julia Thomas, by Leonard Thomas and Joyce Neumaier

9:30 AM— Naif Ejbeh-Agby Birthday Remembrance, by Children & Grandchildren

9:30 AM—Olga Kahraman Agby 7 Year Anniversary Remembrance, by Nieces & Nephews

9:30 AM— Joseph Hakim Birthday Remembrance, by Nieces & Nephews

9:30 AM— Dunia Issa Hattar Dababneh Remembrance, by Don & Liz Rabine and Family

9:30 AM — Marilyn Provencher Birthday Remembrance, by Ed and Therese O 'Brien

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21ST

11:30 AM— Special Intentions Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Samir Boulos Almoundalek 40 Day Remembrance, by Son, Elie Almoundalek and Family, and Daughter and Son-In-Law, Rita and Elias Mouassri and Family

11:30 AM— Abdo Badawi Anniversary Remembrance, by Family

11:30 AM— Living and Deceased Members of the Raif and Hanane Harik Family, by Clergy

11:30 AM— Vera Hakim, by Family

11:30 AM— Toni Nofar, by Family

11:30 AM— George Nicholas 26 Year Anniversary Remembrance. by the Choir

MONDAY, JANUARY 22ND

HEALING MASS OF SAINT SHARBEL

DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN

6:30 PM— Protection of Unborn Children, by Family Life Ministry

6:30 PM— Healing for those affected by an Abortion Decision, by Family Life

6:30 PM— Living and Deceased Members of the Chaldean Community, by Clergy

6:30 PM— Dr. Faouzi Shaya, by Wife, Georgette Marie Shaya and Family

6:30 PM— The Simon Family: Frank, Lena, Carolena, Alena, Ramzi and Abraham, by Family

6:30 PM— Rany and Mays Yaldo and Family, by Family

6:30 PM— Sofia and Family, by Family

6:30 PM— Rudi, Magan, Katherene, Isabelle and Anthony Yaldo, by Family

6:30 PM— Abdo Badawi, by Family

6:30 PM— Repose of the Soul of Beatriz Nunes, by Friends of Saint Sharbel

6:30 PM— Living and Deceased Members of the Sassy Family, by Family

6:30 PM— Matthew Sami Daman, by Family

6:30 PM— Rajiv Uttankar Special Intentions, by Rajiv Uttankar



SANCTUARY CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY **BURNS FOR:**

In Loving Memory of Joseph Yasso by Wife, Nazira

CHAPEL CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY **BURNS FOR:**

Living and Deceased Members of the Elias and Zina Bassil Family

INCENSE AND CHARCOAL

FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY

In Loving Memory of George & Henriette Chalhoub by Family

BREAD AND WINE

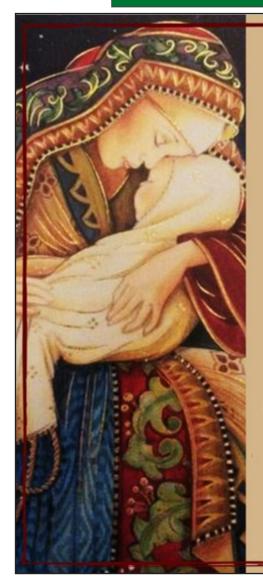
FOR THE YEARS 2024 - 2026

Living and Deceased Members of the Michel and Fadia Nahed Family

FOR THE YEAR 2023 - 2024

In Loving Memory of Judith Anne Jacobs by Anthony Jacobs and Family

JOIN US ... DAY OF PRAYER



MONDAY JANUARY 22, 2024

DAY OF
PRAYER
FOR THE
LEGAL
PROTECTION
OF THE
UNBORN

12 PM PRAYERS FOR LIFE 12:30 PM - 5:30 PM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 5:30 PM ROSARY FOR LIFE 6:30 PM HEALING MASS

ST. SHARBEL CHURCH FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY

God has carefully, tenderly created every person in His own image and likeness, to be in a loving relationship with Himself. From each tiny child knit within a mother's womb, to every person approaching death, all are loved perfectly and completely by God: "It is therefore a service of love which we are all committed to ensure to our neighbor, that his or her life may be always defended and promoted, especially when it is weak or threatened" (Evangelium vitae 77).

In a world in which those who are most vulnerable are so often overlooked and disregarded, Christ calls us to embrace and uphold the unconditional dignity of every human life. In answering this call, we help to build "a new culture of life, the fruit of the culture of truth and of love" (EV 77).

May the Holy Spirit continually renew us as we strive to faithfully defend God's gift of life.



LET US PRAY FOR...

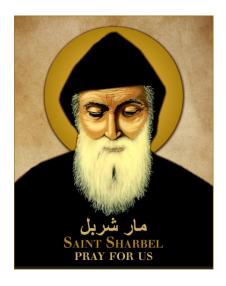
PRAY FOR PEACE **All Expecting Couples All Engaged Couples** Raheel Abbawi Milad Abona Nafee Aboo David Ajbib **Baby Charbel Al-Jarawi** Sohaila Aljarbo Claire Aouad Salam Askar Adeet D. Aiver Maria Atallah Sr. Fadia Bashee **Antoinette Bataveh** Joan Bernadette Joanne Burton **Stephanie Clark** John Comito **Trinidad Cortez Tim Cowper** Haifa Dawood Louisa Durry Chuck Eisenman Nancy Esho Keri Faircloth Jennifer Farrar Pat Farrar **Stephanie Felgenauer Dorothy Ferrara Charbel Francis** Mary Frensch Lamia Gabriel **Albert Gantos** Wala Gapy Adrianna, Jaxson, and **Jameson Gorgis Ibitsom Gorgis** Larry Glasgow Jeanne Grobbel John Grzadzinski **David Habib** Josefa "Peppy" Hachev Ellie Hadid **Tammy Hakim** Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik Blake Hamama **Duraid Hanna Anthile Hermese Judy Hindy** Sarah Hurmiz Joseph Jacob Edward & Suham John **Anthony Joseph Dominic Joseph Juricic**

Chukri Kadado

Lena Kanan Leeno Kas-Mikha Salvador Kassab Tom Kiernicki Saad Kirma Jackie Lael **Agnes Langschied Helene Latiff** Teresa Logan Joseph Lopez Fabiola Maduro Michele Makhlouf Matthew Ron McKellar Sara Mevou **Edward Moffett Cheryl Moultrie** Paul Nahra **Gary Naseef Mary Niemic** Javen Noiia **Grace Palomino** Narden Alexander Saeed Ghalia Sagmani Ruby Salmen Remone Salmen Nadre Salmen **Frances Sam Guy Sam Boutros Saman Anwar & Suham Seman** and Children **Vincent Shamoun Alfred Shina Eddie Sesi** Nazik Sesi Saba Simon **Christian Charbel Slewah** Tarvne Spirobski Maria Steinhebel **Brian Stokes** John Sykes **Terry Thomas** Lexi Underwood **Bryan Walton** Samira Wanis Jad Yacoub Christina Yako Ghazi Aziz Yaldo **Justin Yaldo and Family** Nazira Yasso **Kathy Yousif** Alex Youssef Emmanuel Zaya

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PRAYER FOR THE OBTENTION OF GRACE

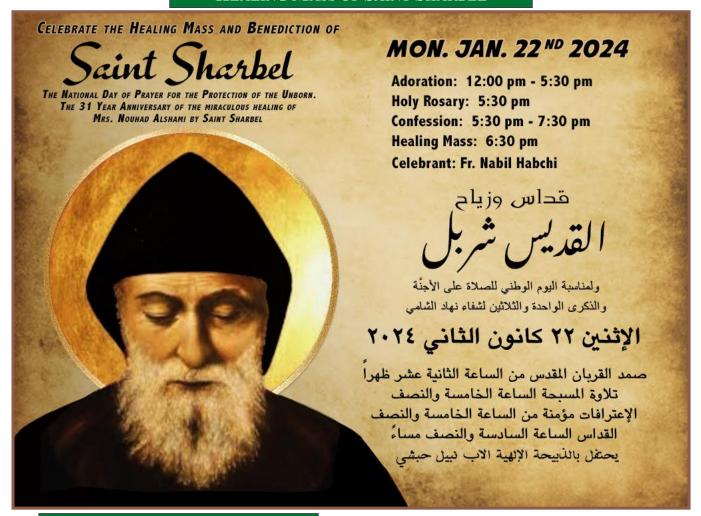
Lord, infinitely Saint and Glorified in Thy Saints, Who has inspired the Saint Monk and Hermit Charbel to live and die in the path of Jesus Christ, and gave him the strength to detach himself from the world in order to make triumph, in his hermitage, the monastic virtues: - We implore Thee to bestow upon us the grace to love Thee and serve Thee following his example.

God Almighty, Who has manifested the power of the Saint Charbel's intercession, by the numerous miracles and favours, grant us the Grace (...) by his intercession. Amen. (Pater – Ave- Gloria).

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HEALING MASS OF SAINT SHARBEL



MASS INTENTIONS



Just a few words about Mass intentions. The 2024 Mass Record Book is now available for you to schedule your upcoming Mass intentions. Masses may be said for the living and deceased, in remembrance, in thanksgiving, for healing, and for special intentions and occasions.

Please do your best to schedule your Mass intentions several weeks prior to the date you want. Often times our bulletin has already been sent to print when a Mass intention is given. However, your Mass intention will be given to the priest and your intention will be prayed for.

We do our best to accommodate all requested Mass intentions. Please remember if you call after the bulletin has already been sent to print, they will not be listed in the hard copy printed version of the Bulletin. However, your intentions will still be announced and prayed for at your requested Mass date and time! We apologize for any misspellings, mistakes or omissions, as occasionally they do happen! Just call and we will make the correction!

Please email or call the office to schedule your intentions. Thank you for your understanding!



UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

Jan 12-14 MYO Annual Retreat Columbus, OH

Jan 13/14 **Haircutting Ceremony**

Jan 14 Mass Live Streamed 11:30 AM

Jan 15-20 Clergy Retreat

Jan 22 National Day of Prayer for Protection of the Unborn

Jan 22 **Healing Mass of Saint Sharbel 6:30 PM**

LAS Meeting 10:30 AM Jan 28 Feb 11-Mar 31 Bishop's Eparchial Appeal Mar 24

Palm Sunday Family Luncheon May 1-Jul 20 Annual Raffle Fundraiser

July 1-7 NAM Convention

July 18-21 Feast of Saint Sharbel & Relics

Aug 23-25 St. Sharbel Church Food Festival

CONGRATULATIONS!

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to

Fawaz and Fatin Kathawa

on the Baptism of their Daughter,

Ava Maria Kathawa

at St. Sharbel Church on Saturday, January 6, 2024 by Rev. Christopher Nahra.

Congratulations to

Robel and Cassidy Ezana

on the Baptism of their Daughter,

Haile Dennis Ezana

at St. Sharbel Church on Saturday, January 6, 2024 by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

Congratulations to

Charbel and Seera Ayoub

on the Baptism of Son,

Charles Anthony Ayoub at St. Sharbel Church on Saturday, January 6, 2024 by Rev. Christopher Nahra.

Congratulations to

Nicholas and Raquel Nannoshi on the Baptism of their Son,

Griffin Alex Charbel Nannoshi

at St. Sharbel Church on Saturday, January 6, 2024 by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

May Ava, Haile, Charles and Griffin be steadfast in their faith and grow constantly in the Lord!



PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners, Friends and Visitors,

Happy and Holy Epiphany Season to you all! The Christmas trees and decorations came down and a short Epiphany Season is upon us. Next week we begin the Sundays that precede Great Lent. Enjoy this brief time of winter carnival before the rigors and fasting of Lent begin.

We celebrated the feast of the Baptism of the Lord last weekend. Jesus' Baptism was the inauguration of His mission in our world, His acceptance of His vocation.

We celebrate today the Second Sunday of the New Year, 2024. This new beginning gives us a fresh, new start with many opportunities for personal and spiritual growth.

These past few weeks of the Christmas season have given us many different opportunities to connect with those who are important in our lives. We realize that our faith, which gives us direction and purpose, and our relationships, which give us life, do matter the most. I hope that these truly important aspects of life influenced our New Year's resolutions this year.

SPECIAL THANKS!

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Edward and Isabelle Thomas for donating the cake for our children's Christmas Eve Mass!

I want to thank all of you, the members of our St. Sharbel Parish family, for your continued support of our many, many parish ministries and activities. I also want to thank you for your faithful financial support. Not only were you very generous with your Christmas offerings, but you were faithful in responding to our #Giving Tuesday this past December. As always, thank you for being so steadfast in your weekly support of the parish through your regular Sunday offerings. Without your continued support, we could not provide all of the ministries, activities and programs that make us such an alive and active parish community.

Together, we look to the future with faith and hope. We pray that God continue to bless us with everything that we need, and more.

See you in Church! Salaam! Chorbishop Alfred Badawi Pastor

END OF THE YEAR STATEMENTS

End of the vear contribution statements will be issued upon request to all our active donors. If your address or phone number has changed, please call or email the church office and update your file. It is vital that we keep your file up-to-

We welcome everyone to worship with us! If you would like to register as a parishioner of St. Sharbel Church, we encourage you to contact the Church Office via email at stsharbelmichigan@gmail.com or call (586) 630-0002.

Please keep in mind that in order for you to get any correspondence from the Church vou must be registered. Registration gives you the sense of belonging to the Parish and gives us the opportunity to try to better serve you.





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