

# ST. SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

SIXTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - JULY 2, 2023

CELEBRATION OF STS. PETER AND PAUL

READING 2 CORINTHIANS 11: 21 - 30    GOSPEL MATTHEW 16: 13 - 20



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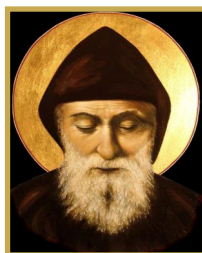
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**DIVINE LITURGY**

**SATURDAY: 4:00 PM**

**SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM**

**ROSARY: 30 MINUTES BEFORE**  
**SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES**

**CONFESSIONS: BY APPOINTMENT**

**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****SATURDAY, JULY 1ST****SOLEMNITY OF STS. PETER AND PAUL**

- 4:00 PM— MYO and Advisors Special Intentions and Safe Travels, by Clergy  
 4:00 PM— Leonard Thomas 83rd Birthday, by Joyce Neumaier  
 4:00 PM— Vera Hakim Special Intention for Healing, by Family  
 4:00 PM— Khoder Attecha Special Intentions, by Family  
 4:00 PM— Thamer Vera Jarbo (Healing), by Clergy  
 4:00 PM— Peter Habo Special Intention, by Clergy  
 4:00 PM— Daniel & Mary Daniel and Living and Deceased Members of the Simon and Daniel Families, by their Children  
 4:00 PM— Laura Turkaly Remembrance, by Friends  
 4:00 PM— Matthew Sami Daman, by Family  
 4:00 PM— Mickey and Julia Thomas, by Leonard Thomas and Joyce Neumaier  
 4:00 PM— Owen Petrzelka, by Family

**SUNDAY, JULY 2ND****SOLEMNITY OF STS. PETER AND PAUL**

- 9:30 AM— Khoder Attecha Special Intentions, by Family  
 9:30 AM— Allan and Mary Brazier 30 Year Wedding Anniversary, by Family  
 9:30 AM— Mary Lou Peters 2 Year Remembrance, by Family  
 9:30 AM— Paul & Shelby Matta and Family, by Rose Matta Ferrant  
 9:30 AM— Joseph Ferrante, by Wife, Rose Ferrante  
 9:30 AM— Matty Moroun and Anne Moroun, by Family

**SUNDAY, JULY 2ND****SOLEMNITY OF STS. PETER AND PAUL**

- 11:30 AM— Special Intention Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik, by Pastor  
 11:30 AM— Joseph El-Ghareb 40 Day Remembrance, by Daughter and Son-In-Law, Nina & George Haddad  
 11:30 AM— Anis Chalhoub 2 Year Remembrance, by Wife, Marene and Family  
 11:30 AM— Albert Badawi 1 Year Remembrance, by Family  
 11:30 AM— Antoine Haouilou 9 Year Remembrance, by Wife, Violet and Children

**SUNDAY, JULY 2ND**

- 1:00 PM— Baptisms Seline Kacho, Grace Kacho and Leo Kacho

**READERS****READERS FOR****SATURDAY, JULY 1**

4:00 PM - Terry Mahoney

**READERS FOR:****SUNDAY, JULY 2**

9:30 AM - Carena Abboud

**READERS FOR:****SUNDAY, JULY 2**11:30 AM - Mia Chalhoub  
Nina Haddad**READERS FOR****SATURDAY, JULY 8**

4:00 PM - Amanda Butler

**READERS FOR:****SUNDAY, JULY 9**

9:30 AM - Joe Ejbeh

**READERS FOR:****SUNDAY, JULY 9**11:30 AM - Jessica Isho  
Vera Akl**CLERGY CONFERENCE****CLERGY CONFERENCE****Monday, July 3rd - Friday, July 7th**

Chorbishop Alfred, Fr. Chris and Deacon Mike

will be attending the  
2023 Clergy Conference  
in Rhode Island, Mass.Please keep them in your prayers and  
pray for all the Clergy.

Lord hear our prayers!

Have mercy on us and on the whole world!

our lady of  
**Lebanon**  
 mid-east  
**festival**  
 July 14 - 16, 2023

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**TUESDAY, JULY 4TH - FRIDAY, JULY 7TH**  
**CLERGY CONFERENCE**  
**NO LITURGIES**

**SATURDAY, JULY 8TH**

4:00 PM— Vera Hakim Special Intention for Healing, by Family  
 4:00 PM— Living and Deceased Members of the Shaker Family,  
 by Family  
 4:00 PM— Martin Joseph Birthday Remembrance, by Wife, Kathleen  
 4:00 PM— Albert & Mona Badawi, by Toufic & Jeanette Soyad  
 4:00 PM— Matthew Sami Daman, by Family  
 4:00 PM— Kathleen A. Peters 34 Year Remembrance, by her Children

**SATURDAY, JULY 8TH**

5:00 PM— Baptisms Milen Antonios Marinov, Jr. and  
 Sergio Makasabo, Jr.

**SUNDAY, JULY 9TH**

9:30 AM— Khoder Attecha Special Intentions, by Family  
 9:30 AM— Vera Hakim Special Intention Healing, by Family  
 9:30 AM— Michael DeBruyn 5 Year Remembrance, by Wife,  
 Barbara and Family  
 9:30 AM— Karen Paczas, by Mother, Delores Eggen  
 9:30 AM— Amale Hatty 25 Year Remembrance, by Son and  
 Daughter-In-Law, Andrew & Vanessa Hatty  
 9:30 AM— Mickey and Julia Thomas, by Paul and Nadia Lutfy

**SUNDAY, JULY 9TH**

11:30 AM— Thamer Vera Jarbo Special Intention Healing, by Clergy  
 11:30 AM— Special Intention Cara Noelle Hahn-Harik, by Pastor  
 11:30 AM— Joe Sassine Akl 6 Year Remembrance, by Parents,  
 Sassine & Vera Akl and Sister, Jessica Isho  
 11:30 AM— Matty Moroun and Anne Moroun, by Family

**SUNDAY, JULY 9TH**

1:00 PM— Baptism Jude Mazhar Yousef Akroush

**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE****Catholic Holy Land Pilgrimage**

*Terra Sancta Pilgrimages*, with Franciscan friar Fr. Alex Kratz, will be leading a Catholic Pilgrimage to the Holy Land (Jordan, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Galilee) **November 28-December 12, 2023**. This life-changing 14-day experience of walking in Jesus' footsteps includes daily Mass & Rosary, biblical readings on site, time for prayer, spiritual guidance, and meeting local Christians. Cost is \$5,200 (all expenses included, round-trip from Detroit, 3 daily meals, all tips and taxes). Registration is first come, first serve. A mandatory **Orientation Meeting** for the registered is 2:00 pm Sunday, **August 27**, at St. Joseph Chapel (400 South Blvd. West, Pontiac, MI 48341). In 2024 our trips (11-days long) are April 15-25 and November 11-21. For more information contact Pilgrimage Coordinator Patti Giangrande, OFS: (248) 514-1747 (or Fr. Alex: 313-727-9784).

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

**FOR THE MONTH OF JULY**  
**BURNS FOR:**  
 In Loving Memory of  
 Nelson Peitz

**CHAPEL CANDLE**

**FOR THE MONTH OF JULY**  
**BURNS FOR:**  
 In Loving Memory of  
 Nadia Tannous

**INCENSE AND CHARCOAL**

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

**BREAD AND WINE**

**FOR THE YEAR 2023- 2024**  
 Living and Deceased Members of the  
 Michel and Fadia Nahed Family  
 In Loving Memory of  
 Judith Anne Jacobs  
 by Anthony Jacobs and Family

**THANK YOU!**

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**  
**June 24 & 25, 2023**  
**Envelopes: \$7,020.00**  
**Online: \$1,050.00**  
**Total Collection: \$8,070.00**

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

ST. SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH



CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF SAINT SHARBEL

“THE MIRACULOUS HEALER”

WITH HIS HOLY RELICS

FRIDAY, JULY 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 -

SUNDAY, JULY 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with  
Veneration of the Relics of Saint Sharbel

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FRIDAY, JULY 14, 2023

8 AM – Midnight

Veneration of the Relics

SATURDAY, JULY 15, 2023

8 AM – Midnight

Veneration of the Relics

DINNER

5 PM

Catered by LaSaj Lebanese Bistro

MEAL TICKETS

Adults - \$25

Children - \$12 [12 y/o & under]

DABKE PERFORMANCES

6 PM

St. Sharbel Dabke Dance Troupes

DIVINE LITURGIES

4 PM & 7 PM

4 PM Mass

The Most Rev. A. Elias Zaidan

Bishop of the Eparchy Our Lady of Lebanon LA

7 PM Mass

Fr. Sameem Balias

Pastor of St. Joseph Chaldean Church

SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023

8 AM – Midnight

Veneration of the Relics

FOOD & BEVERAGES

9 AM – 6 PM

Saj Food & Beverage Sales

DEDICATION OF NEW CHURCH OFFICES

12:30 PM / The Most Rev. A. Elias Zaidan

RAFFLE DRAWING

6 PM

DIVINE LITURGIES

9:30 AM & 11:30 AM & 7 PM

9:30 AM Mass

Fr. Chris Nabra

Associate Pastor of St. Sharbel Church

11:30 AM Mass

The Most Rev. A. Elias Zaidan

Bishop of the Eparchy Our Lady of Lebanon LA

7 PM Mass

Chorbishop Alfred Badawi

Pastor of St. Sharbel Church

[Fulfills Sunday Obligation]

Saint Sharbel, pray for us!

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**LEMONADE FOR LEBANON!**



**Anthony Sweet came up with an idea to help families in Lebanon!**

Anthony Sweet, an 11-year-old parishioner and Altar Server at the Saturday 4 PM Mass at St. Sharbel Church in Clinton Township, Michigan wanted to help out the needy families in Lebanon. He came up with an idea on his own how to do this! This past Father's Day, Anthony set up a lemonade stand in his neighborhood and sold homemade lemonade to raise \$1,180.00 to help out the less fortunate families in Lebanon! He insisted that 100% of all donations go directly to St. Sharbel Church so that the money could be sent to those who need it!

**We are so proud of you Anthony!**

ST. SHARBEL CHURCH

# RAFFLE Time

**PURCHASE TICKETS & ENTER TO WIN!**

**RETURN YOUR TICKETS!**

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**SAVE THE DATE!**

**PARISH PICNIC  
 SAVE THE DATE!**



**St. Sharbel Church Parish  
 Family Cookout  
 Sunday, August 27th  
 1 PM - 6 PM**

**LET US PRAY HEALING PRAYERS FOR...**

All Expecting Couples  
 All Engaged Couples  
 Raheel Abbawi  
 Nafee Aboo  
 David Ajbib  
 Baby Charbel Al-Jarawi  
 Sohaila Aljarbo  
 Claire Aouad  
 Salam Askar  
 Adeet D. Aiyer  
 Sr. Fadia Bashee  
 Antoinette Batayeh  
 Joan Bernadette  
 Paul Bochenek  
 Joanne Burton  
 Stephanie Clark  
 John Comito  
 Tim Cowper  
 Haifa Dawood  
 Chuck Eisenman  
 Nancy Esho  
 Keri Fairecloth  
 Jennifer Farrar  
 Pat Farrar  
 Stephanie Felgenauer  
 Dorothy Ferrara  
 Charbel Francis  
 Mary Frensch  
 Lamia Gabriel  
 Albert Gantos  
 Wala Gapy  
 Adrianna, Jaxson, and  
 Jameson Gorgis  
 Larry Glasgow  
 John Grzadzinski  
 David Habib  
 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 Langschieid  
 Teresa Logan  
 Fabiola Maduro  
 Michele Makhlof  
 Ron McKellar  
 Sara Meyou  
 Edward Moffett  
 Cheryl Moultrie  
 Paul Nahra  
 Mary Niemic  
 Javen Noiija  
 Cindy Pryor  
 Pauline Saba  
 Narden Alexander Saeed  
 Ghalia Sagmani  
 Ruby Salmen  
 Remone Salmen  
 Nadre Salmen  
 Frances Sam  
 Guy Sam  
 Boutros Saman  
 Anwar & Suham Seman  
 and Children  
 Alfred Shina  
 Saba Simon  
 Christian Charbel Slewah  
 Taryne Spirobski  
 Maria Steinhebel  
 Issa Sweidan  
 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  
 Emmanuel Zaya  
 Anthony Zora

**INTRODUCING...  
 MYA YOUNG PROFESSIONALS**


**SUNDAY AUGUST 20TH, 2023 AT 1PM**

**THE MYA YOUNG PROFESSIONALS**  
*Kick-Off Meeting*

Looking to get involved but not sure how?  
 Join us for our first meeting at St. Sharbel Maronite Catholic Church  
 after 11:30 mass! For more information please contact:



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**2024 NAM CONVENTION**



## UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

July 13	Outdoor Procession with Relics 7 PM
July 15/16	Feast of Saint Sharbel Celebration / Relics
July 15	Feast of Saint Sharbel Dinner 5 PM
July 16	Dedication of Leonard A. Thomas Administrative Center - Bishop Zaidan
July 16	Raffle Ticket Drawing 6 PM
July 22	Healing Mass of Saint Sharbel 7 PM
Aug 20	MYA Young Professionals Kickoff Meeting 1 PM
Aug 27	Parish Family Picnic 1 PM - 6 PM
Sept 23	St. Sharbel Annual Gala - Palazzo Grande

## CONGRATULATIONS!

## MARRIED IN CHRIST

Our Congratulations and Best Wishes to  
**Charles Ternes and Victoria Rabbine**  
who were married at St. Sharbel Church  
on Saturday, June 24, 2023  
by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

*May God grant this couple happiness and joy  
in their lives together as husband and wife!*

## BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to  
**Karam Baraz and Sarah Philip**  
on the Baptism of their Son,  
**Jason Karam Baraz**  
at St. Sharbel Church on  
Sunday, June 25, 2023  
by Fr. Christopher Nahra.

Congratulations to  
**Maher Ghazala and Tanh Sakka**  
on the Baptism of their Daughter,  
**Tatiana Maher Ghazala**  
at St. Sharbel Church on  
Sunday, June 25, 2023  
by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

Congratulations to  
**Bassam Shaoutha and Dalya Shbeeb**  
on the Baptism of their Daughter,  
**Jocelyn Bassam Shaoutha**  
at St. Sharbel Church on  
Sunday, June 25, 2023  
by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

*May Jason, Tatiana and Jocelyn be steadfast in their faith  
and grow constantly in the Lord!*

## BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Happy Birthday Blessings to  
**Leonard Thomas**  
as he celebrates his 83rd birthday!

*May God bless you with good health  
and happiness and abundant graces!*

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

We congratulate  
**Allan and Mary Brazier**  
on their  
**30th Wedding Anniversary!**

May our Lord continue to bless you with  
good health and happiness throughout your years together!

## ABOUT A CHRIS' CORNER

Greetings Parish Family,

Happy Saturday and Sunday! This is Abouna Chris' Corner back with more exciting news and a reflection about the great saints we celebrate this weekend. Both Saints Peter and Paul have an immensely important role in our lives because of who they are. They are the pillars holding the entire Church together against corruption and confusion. St. Peter who was the first Pope who denied Jesus three times and St. Paul who was persecuting Christians in Antioch – two imperfect men who heard the call to go and do great things. Now, they are considered two of the most important saints in the history of the Church. Their preaching, healing, and evangelization has spread across the world and endure for generations to come. These two simple and imperfect men who are made perfect by God to go out and proclaim the good news. The Church considers them the pillars that hold everything together.

The question today is: what are the pillars holding your life together? Do we depend more on things of the world or on our Lord and his Church? How can we strengthen our pillars if they are already established? And if they are not established, Sts. Peter and Paul show us that there is hope to become saints even when we are not perfect or have it altogether. Blessed Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul to all!

Many Blessings,  
Fr. Chris Nahra  
Associate Pastor

## ROSES NEEDED!

## ARE YOU WILLING TO HELP?

If anyone is willing to donate roses to decorate the Altar on the weekend of **August 12 & 13, 2023**, we will be celebrating the Feast of the Blessed Mother Mary's Assumption. We will have a procession on both Saturday and Sunday, August 12th & 13th after each liturgy to celebrate the Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary.

Anyone wishing to help, please contact the Church Office and let us know!

Thanking you in advance for your generosity!



## LEONARD THOMAS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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The 12th Annual Leonard Thomas Scholarship Fund will again provide \$10,000.00 in financial assistance to active St. Sharbel Parish students who will be attending college, technical school or a Catholic High School during the current year.

The student must have participated in St. Sharbel Church activities during the past two years in order to qualify.

Students may request an application by emailing:  
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Applications must be returned by email prior to  
August 1, 2023 to be considered.

Thank you!



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