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ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - JULY 29, 2018

READING Ephesians 2:17-22 GOSPEL Luke 19:1-10

YOU are NO LONGER foreigners and strangers, but FELLOW CITIZENS with God's people and also MEMBERS OF HIS HOUSEHOLD, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets,

with CHRIST JESUS himself

as THE CHIEF CORNERSTONE.

IN HIM THE WHOLE BUILDING

IS JOINED TOGETHER

and rises to become a HOLY TEMPLE

in the LORD.

And in him YOU TOO are being built together to become a dwelling in which GOD LIVES by his **SPIRIT**.

Ephesians 2:17-22



LITURGIES CELEBRATED AT

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Chorbishop Alfred Badawi
SUBDEACON
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

Weekday - Liturgy and Benediction 7 PM

CONFESSIONS
Available Before Weekend Liturgies

SATURDAY, JULY 28TH

1:00 PM— Baptism Vivian Barbara Gianna Hackstock

SATURDAY, JULY 28TH

4:00 PM— Paul Elias 6 Month Remembrance, by Wife, Linda and Family

4:00 PM— Joseph Schaefer, by Carol George

4:00 PM— Timothy Lutfy Birthday Remembrance, by Mother, Mary Brazier and Family

4:00 PM — Anthony Joseph, by Mary Medley and Family

4:00 PM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas, by Pastor

SUNDAY, JULY 29TH

9:30 AM— Wadad Obeid, by Tony and Beline Obeid and Family

9:30 AM— Victoria Asmar, by Mary Medley and Family

11:30 AM— Samia Salim Mouwad 40 Day Remembrance, by Son and Daughter-In-Law, Walid & Lena Haddad and Family

11:30 AM— Lody Farhat 1 Year Remembrance, by Husband, Anis, and Children

11:30 AM - Joseph and Helen Shaker, by Family

TUESDAY, JULY 31ST NO LITURGY

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1ST

9:30 AM— Dr. Paul G. Thomas, by Marie Shaheen

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2ST NO LITURGY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3RD

9:30 AM— Thanksgiving Mass, by Pastor

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH

4:00 PM - Paul Elias, by Jerry & Faye Elias and Family

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

4:00 PM— Gloria Daye Thomas 40 Year Remembrance, by Her Children

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

4:00 PM— Frederick Francis 37 Year Remembrance, by Children

4:00 PM — Paul Neily, by Toufic and Jeanette Soyad

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5TH

9:30 AM— Michael DeBruyn 40 Day Remembrance, by His Wife and Children

9:30 AM— Victoria Asmar, by Mary Medley and Family

9:30 AM— Backos Joseph, by Mary Medley and Family

9:30 AM— Betty Shaker, by Family

11:30 AM— Anthony Joseph, by Mary Medley and Family

11:30 AM— Deceased Members of the Crispin, Shaker and

Abraham Families, by Joe & Terry Shaker



SATURDAY, JULY 28TH 4:00 PM

Dixie Hunrath

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, JULY 29TH 9:30 AM

Cathie Folk

SUNDAY, JULY 29TH 11:30 AM

Chloe Chidiac - English Lena Haddad - Arabic

READERS FOR:

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH 4:00 PM

Dee Bolous

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5TH 9:30 AM

Mike DeBruyn

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5TH 11:30 AM

Gabriella Malkoun - English Sue Malkoun - Arabic



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We're so glad you are here and invite you to walk the path of faith with us. The parish community of St. Sharbel strives to grow closer to Christ in all that we do. We care for one another and together with Christ, we make a difference.

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UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

August 12 LAS Meeting 10:30 AM

August 13 College Student Mass and Dinner 7 PM

September 14-16 St. Sharbel New Church Dedication Weekend

September 14 Meet and Greet 6-8 PM Church Hall

September 15 St. Sharbel Church Gala at Palazzo Grande

September 16 St. Sharbel New Church Dedication Ceremony and

Liturgy at 11:00 AM

November 11 Subdeacon Mike Magyar Deaconate Ordination

10:30 AM Liturgy with Bishop Zaidan

December 31 New Year's Eve Party at Villa Penna on Haves Rd.

LITURGICALLY SPEAKING

LET US PRAY...

God of the past, the present, and of the future, God who is, who was and who is to come, Let us gather to celebrate and to rejoice: to give thanks for 32 years of the Parish of St. Sharbel, and to dedicate these new buildings to Your purposes, so that You continue to be glorified and honored in the years still ahead.

With hands held high in the air,

We pray that these buildings would be a place where You would be worshipped, praised and adored.

With hands clasped in prayer, We pray that these buildings would be a place where Your will would be sought and found.



With hands held open, as if holding a Bible,

We pray that these buildings would be a place where the Word is faithfully preached and proclaimed.

With hands held out in front of us, ready to serve, We pray that these buildings would be a place where your people, through water, wine and bread, would be equipped, energized and refueled to bear the Christ light and shine.

And with hands joined together, standing side by side, We pray that these buildings would be a place where love bridges the gap between young and old,

Where forgiveness, faith and wisdom are shared so that others might grow,

Where strength, compassion and hope are found in temptation, loss and grief,

And where laughter, hugs and big, warm smiles bear witness to the welcoming, loving God that we all know.

God of the past, the present, and of the future, God who is, who was and who is to come, dwell in this place, and in our being, so that St Sharbel Church will continue to be a people who welcome, worship and witness to the Way of faith, hope and love.

In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, may it always be so.

Amen.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners,

We are so glad you've chosen to join us today for services here at St. Sharbel Church, and trust you have a wonderful experience!

As I looked around the congregation at Masses last weekend, I was pleased to see our youth and young adults praying with us. We are blessed in this parish to have young people worshipping

with us at a time when many of their contemporaries have turned away from religion. We are glad to see them and we appreciate their dedication to worshipping with us on Sundays as they deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ.

SPECIAL MASS FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

For college students, I am extending an invitation for you to join me on **Monday**, **August 13 at 7 pm** and I will offer a blessing at the end of Mass. All college students are invited to a dinner in the Parish Hall. Please be sure to RSVP to Andrew Fawaz, Christa Deban or Amanda Abi Samra.

Our Young Adults group will be planning events this coming fall, so please stay tuned by reading the church bulletin, emails and website for details.

As we get closer to the Dedication Weekend, we find there are so many things to do that would take our attention away from the Lord. Yet, we want to encourage you today to do all you can to continue to keep God first and foremost in your life, as well as the loved ones God has blessed you with.

Finally, please don't forget your contribution to St. Sharbel Parish when you are on vacation. You can either drop your envelope in the basket before you leave on vacation, or when you return. We count on your generosity all year long. Thank you!

I pray for all of you every day, and thank you for your prayers as well.

Have a blessed week. Sincerely yours in Christ, Chorbishop Alfred Badawi

CONGRATULATIONS!

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to

Terrence And Maria McGovern on the Baptism of their Son,

Karam George McGovern

on Saturday, July 21, 2018 by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

Congratulations also to

Charbel Sr. and Duua Eljallad on the Baptism of their Son,

Charbel George Eljallad, Jr.

on Sunday, July 22, 2018 by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

May Karam and Charbel be steadfast in their faith and grow constantly in the Lord!

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to

Anton and Nansi Naber on the birth of their new daughter,

Joleen Anton Naber!

Congratulations also to
Elie and Sandra Youssef
on the birth of their daughter,
Sophia Marie Youssef!

May God bless these families with His abundant graces!

LET US PRAY FOR

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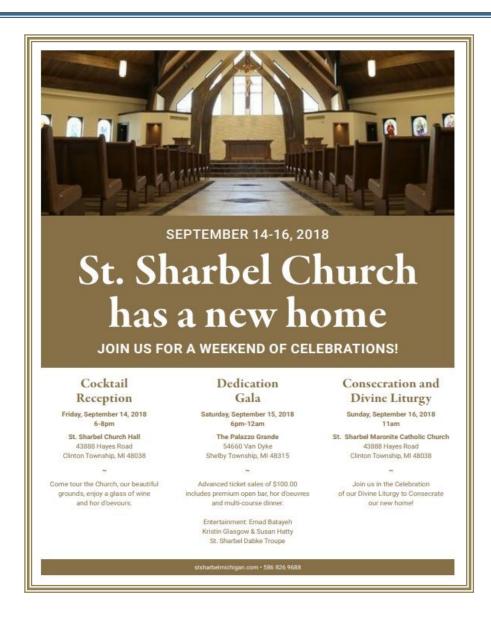
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