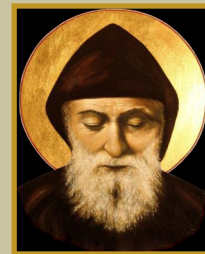


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SATURDAY, MAY 1, 2021



*Wishing you happiness
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First Holy Communion!*



CELEBRANT:
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Pastor

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Julie Alshorji
Emilia Sophia Apess
Annette Alia Apess
Alex Batto
Sophia Rose Dor-Ghali
Joseph Stefan Dor-Ghali
Isabella Elian
Sofia Firas Elias
Katherine Mary Emmanuel
Emma Grace Fajou
Rosalie Farah
Maribel Fares
Jason Gowro
Stavro Gowro
Jolyar Raid Habash
Maria Theresa Habib
Andrew Maikel Kachouh
Jason Louis Saad
Sophie Joan Saad
Clara Wissam Salem
Christopher Wissam Salem
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Miriam Henriette Carolina Schlater
John Anthony Solomon, II
Layla Nada Soyad
Gloria Grace Yammine

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION - MAY 2, 2021

READING Ephesians 2:1-10 GOSPEL John 21:15-19



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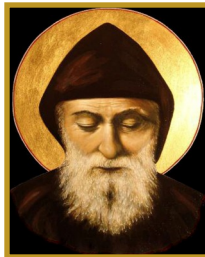
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DIVINE LITURGY

SATURDAY: 4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

ROSARY

30 MINUTES BEFORE
SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

1st Saturday: 3:30 PM

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 1ST

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION LITURGY #1

10:00 AM— First Holy Communicants and their Families, by Pastor

SATURDAY, MAY 1ST

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION LITURGY #2

1:00 PM— First Holy Communicants and their Families, by Pastor

SATURDAY, MAY 1ST

MAY CROWNING

4:00 PM— Rose Marie Bogucki Special Intention 90th Birthday,
by Her Sister, Beverly

4:00 PM— 2021 Holy Communion Class and Religious Education
Staff, by Pastor

4:00 PM— Living and Deceased Members of the Naseef Family,
by Sister, Beverly

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

4:00 PM— Sarkees & Josephine Naseef, by Daughter

4:00 PM— James & Lorraine Pinette, by Sister, Beverly

4:00 PM— Frank Bogucki, by Sister-In-Law, Beverly

4:00 PM— Joseph Deeby, by Gail Gauman

4:00 PM— Rita Farah 11 Year Remembrance, by Niece,
Linda Thomas

4:00 PM— Josephine Hakim 20 Year Remembrance, by Family

4:00 PM— Mona Badawi, by Helene Latiff

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

4:00 PM— Judith Deeby, by Sister, Donna Deeby

SUNDAY, MAY 2ND

MAY CROWNING

9:30 AM— 2021 Holy Communion Class and Religious Education
Staff, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Chris Herbert

9:30 AM— Cindy Santilli Davey, by Husband, Nelson Davey

9:30 AM— Matty Moroun, by Sister, Anne Moroun

9:30 AM— Joseph G. Saad 10 Year Remembrance, by His Children.

SUNDAY, MAY 2ND

MAY CROWNING

11:30 AM— 2021 Holy Communion Class and Religious Education Staff, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Saad Yousif Memorial Mass, by Wife, Maha and Children, Fahed, Firas and Rami Yousif

11:30 AM— Charles Matta 1 Year Remembrance, by Niece, Tracey & Dr. Mike Saba and Family

11:30 AM— Hirmiz Bati Abouna 1 Year Remembrance, by Son, Kais and Family

11:30 AM— Jad Nemr, by Ed & Isabelle Thomas

11:30 AM— Nadia Tannous, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Owen Petrzelka, by Family

11:30 AM— Michael and Catherine Joseph, by Mary Medley

11:30 AM— Marie Gantos, by Family

11:30 AM— Jamile Khalil Mdawar, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Nazar Aziz Nazar 43 Year Remembrance, by his Son, Kamel Nazar and Family

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5TH

9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Members of the LAS, by Pastor

THURSDAY, MAY 6TH

9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Emil Haddad (Chicago)

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. Ayer
Baby Lilianne
Sr. Fadia Bashee
Joan Bernadette
Dan Bojalad
Dee Boulus
Joanne Burton
Baby Luke Burton
Stephanie Clark
John Comito
Tim Cowper
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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 Langschieid
Teresa Logan
Fabiola Maduro
Michele Makhloof
Shirley Mlot
Edward Moffett
Cheryl Moultrie
Babies Adeline & Madeleine
Tony Nader
Javen Noiya
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

Welcome to our Church

SATURDAY, MAY 8TH**MOTHER'S DAY**

- 4:00 PM—Living and Deceased Mothers, by Pastor
 4:00 PM— Mona Badawi, by Terry Mahoney
 4:00 PM— Akram Karromi 1 Year Remembrance by Wife, Nawal and Family
 4:00 PM— Owen Petrzelka, by Family
 4:00 PM— Frank Bogucki Birthday Remembrance, by Wife, Rose Marie
 4:00 PM— Elizabeth Francis 35 Year Remembrance, by Her Children

SUNDAY, MAY 9TH**MOTHER'S DAY**

- 9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Mothers, by Pastor
 9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Mickey and Julie Thomas
 9:30 AM— Helen and Betty Shaker Mother's Day Remembrance, by Family
 9:30 AM— Mary Bittorf 2 Year Remembrance, by Family
 9:30 AM— Albert & Kay Latouf Wedding Anniversary Remembrance, by Family
 9:30 AM— Matty Moroun, by Sister, Anne Moroun
 9:30 AM— Sadie Salloum Birthday Remembrance (100), by Family

SUNDAY, MAY 9TH**MOTHER'S DAY**

- 11:30 AM— Living and Deceased Mothers, by Pastor
 11:30 AM— Saad Yousif Memorial Mass, by Wife, Maha and Children, Fahed, Firas and Rami Yousif
 11:30 AM— Repose of the Soul of Karam Karam, by Family
 11:30 AM— Pauline Kanan Anniversary Remembrance, by Her Family
 11:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Koshaya & Therese Sfeir
 11:30 AM— Louis Joseph, by Mary Medley
 11:30 AM— Nabil Gully, by Dalia Gully
 11:30 AM— Salwa El Khoury 2 Year Remembrance, by Daughter and Son-In-Law, May & Raymond Fawaz and Family
 11:30 AM— Marc Fawaz 8 Year Remembrance, by Parents, Raymond & May Fawaz and Family
 11:30 AM— Ramez Harb 11 Year Remembrance, by Family

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12TH

- 9:30 AM— Special Intentions for Healing for Dee, Maryann, and Charlotte, by Donna Deeby
 9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Emil Haddad (Chicago)

THURSDAY, MAY 13TH

- 9:30 AM— Martin Joseph 1 Year Remembrance, by His Family

**READERS**

READERS FOR:
SATURDAY, MAY 1
 4:00 PM - Tony Peters

READERS FOR:
SUNDAY, MAY 2
 9:30 AM - Rosemary Kautz

READERS FOR:
SUNDAY, MAY 2
 11:30 AM - Rita Yammine
 Khouloud Yammine

READERS FOR:
SATURDAY, MAY 8
 4:00 PM - Rodney Karromi

READERS FOR:
SUNDAY, MAY 9
 9:30 AM - Katie Krzeczowski

READERS FOR:
SUNDAY, MAY 9
 11:30 AM - Miller Fawaz
 Jano Gemayel

THANK YOU!**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

April 24 & 25, 2021

Envelopes: \$5,683.00

Online: \$1,830.00

Total Collection: \$7,513.00

CHARITY APPEAL

Goal: \$12,000.00

Received to date: \$8,508.00

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

ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED**UPCOMING WEDDINGS**

Please keep the following couples in your prayers
as they prepare to enter into
the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.

May 22, 2021
Joseph Abboud
Nina Odish

May 29, 2021
Andrew Fawaz
Joy Doueiry

June 26, 2021
Celebrant: Fr. Peter Latouf
Adam Youngblood
Lori Latouf

August 8, 2021
Celebrant: Fr. Fadi Matloub
Nawres Hekma
Basma Moori

August 20, 2021
Michael Bassil
Katherine Pinkey

September 3, 2021
Michael Gemayel
Rima Esho

September 4, 2021
Nicholas Garcia
Susan Massoud

September 10, 2021
Nicholas Scott Briggs
Alexandra Kathryn Campbell

September 11, 2021
Christopher Fawaz
Lourin Younan

October 10, 2021
Kyle Kerpet
Ashley Zeabari

November 5, 2021
Raymond Staroscik
Kristin Glasgow

Saturday, July 2, 2022
Malik El-Nemri
Olivia Al-Mimr

**SANCTUARY CANDLE****FOR THE MONTH OF MAY BURNS FOR:**

In Loving Memory of
Elizabeth Francis
by Her Children

CHAPEL CANDLE**FOR THE MONTH OF MAY BURNS FOR:**

In Loving Memory of
Mark Werner
by His Wife, Denise

INCENSE AND CHARCOAL**FOR THE MONTH OF MAY**

In Loving Memory of
George & Henriette Chalhoub
by Family

EPARCHIAL BISHOP'S APPEAL

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. Thank you to all who have already contributed to the 2021 Eparchial Bishop Annual Appeal. Your generosity is deeply appreciated!

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

April 29	Novena to St. Sharbel Begins
May 1	First Holy Communion Masses at 10 AM & 1 PM
May 2	Sunday Mass Live Stream 11:30 AM
May 8	Saint Sharbel's Birthday Mass at 7 PM with Procession to Follow Mass
May 8/9	Gianna House Baby Shower Begins
May 22	Healing Mass of Saint Sharbel 7 PM
June 20	Raffle Ticket Drawing
July 17/18	St. Sharbel Feast Day Weekend Church Festival
July 18	Dedication of Church Rectory with Bishop Zaidan

CONGRATULATIONS!

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday Blessings to

Rose Marie Bogucki

as she celebrates her 90th birthday!

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

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to

Kenneth and Laura Bacha

on the Baptism of their Daughter,

Anmarie Bernadette Bacha

at St. Sharbel Church

on Sunday, April 25, 2021

by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

*May Anmarie be steadfast in her faith
and grow constantly in the Lord!*



FAMILY LIFE MINISTRY

BABY SHOWER FOR GIANNA HOUSE

St. Sharbel Family Life Ministry will be hosting a "Baby Shower" to obtain much needed items for Gianna House, a local Crisis Pregnancy Center located in the former convent of St. Veronica Church in Eastpointe, MI.

Founded by Sr. Diane Masson in 2015, this nonprofit provides shelter and residence, medical care and spiritual guidance, counseling and life skills for at risk mothers (13 - 25) who lack the resources and support needed to bring their child to birth.

We will conduct our drive beginning Mother's Day Weekend, **May 8th/9th and conclude the weekend of May 22nd/23rd.** Items needed range from simple toiletries and diapers to larger items, such as strollers, high chairs and car seats. We encourage you to team up with several people to sponsor and purchase one of the larger items if you are able to! Gift cards are also greatly appreciated. For more information, please contact the Church Office or see Khoulood and Elias Yamine, our St. Sharbel Family Life Representatives.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

On this first Sunday of May, we continue our celebration of the glorious season of Easter with the Fifth Sunday of Easter.

Since Easter is the primary season of Holy Communion, we intentionally schedule our special celebrations of the Sacrament of First Communion during the Easter Season. We will celebrate two First Communion Masses this weekend.

Congratulations to all of our young parishioners who have celebrated their First Communion this year! It is great watching them as they take this next step in their faith lives. Their enthusiasm is contagious. With the Eucharist so available to us every day, it is easy to forget what a wonderful gift we have from the Lord. Our 2nd graders remind us of this as they come to the altar for the first time. At the conclusion of each celebration, I invite each of our First Communicants to wear their special clothing when they come back for Sunday Mass the next day. Please congratulate them when you see them.

Congratulations also to their parents for bringing them to this point in their lives.

Also a special thank you to Deacon Mike for assisting at our First Communion Liturgies.

Thank you also to Staci Saker and Najoi Sleiman and all of our Religious Education staff and catechists for their dedication to passing on the faith through catechesis:

Rima Michael
Elizabeth Sweet
Sally Calcaterra
Amanda Fawaz
Rob Debruyne
Rita Abi Younes
Michael DeBruyn
Tom Hatty
Deacon Mike Magyar



MONTH OF MAY

This weekend will begin the busy month of May with a parish May Crowning at the beginning of the 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday and on Sunday at both Masses. Traditionally, the month of May has been dedicated to honoring Mary, the Mother of Jesus. Our parish May Crowning will be led by the 2021 Holy Communion Class and Staff.

In Christ,

Chorbishop Alfred Badawi, Pastor

*Hail Mary, full of grace, pray for us now and
at the hour of our death. Amen!*

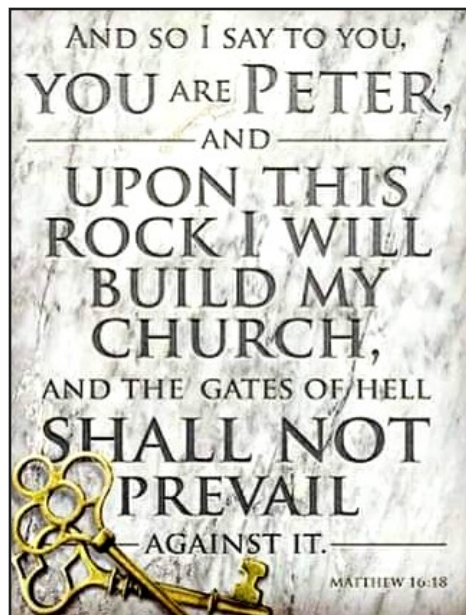
LITURGICALLY SPEAKING

This Sunday repeats the Gospel Hawareyeen (Apparition) Wednesday; the confession of Peter confessing three times his love for Jesus in His apparition to Peter after His Resurrection at the Sea of Tiberius. After the miraculous catch, Jesus reverses the three betrayals of Peter the night of His Passion and justifies Him and entrusting to him three times the responsibility to shepherd His flock, His Church. Jesus did not hand over shepherding the Church to the other disciples or to the one he loved the most, (John the Beloved). To the other disciples he handed the responsibility to make visible His Church and teachings.

The Church is not a community in chaos but an organized community under Divine Authority, with human visible authority that represents the hidden authority of Jesus.

Jesus in the Rock and the shepherd and named Peter a rock and a shepherd! Imitating the example of the teacher, Jesus, Peter must exert himself. This is the true perfect meaning to “follow me!” It means in general the discipleship of Jesus and accepting His teachings, but also means following in His death and martyrdom of Jesus.

There is no better way to follow Jesus than by giving our lives for His mission. The Church has continued to do this through the centuries. Can we follow Christ but ignore His words? What you bind on earth will be bound in heaven. For this reason the Church needs a visible head, the Successor of Peter, the Pope. Until His return, he left us a Kingdom, not an oligarchy.



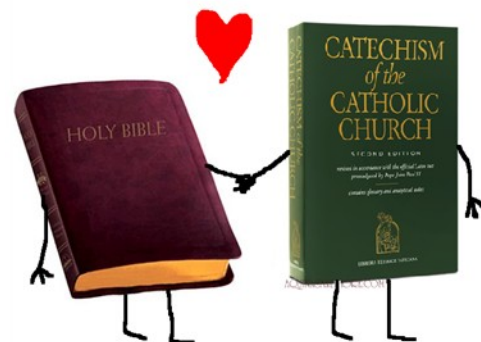
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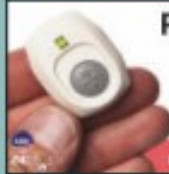
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