

# ST. SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

CLINTON TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

READING Romans 8:18-27 GOSPEL Luke 18:9-14



LORD JESUS  
CHRIST,  
SON OF GOD,  
HAVE MERCY  
ON ME,  
A SINNER.

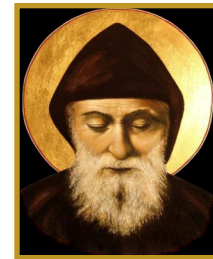
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**DIVINE LITURGY**

**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**

**FAMILY OF SAINT SHARBEL**  
**HEALING MASS & BENEDICTION**  
**22nd Day of Every Month**  
**7:00 PM (Spring/Summer)**

**SAINT SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**43888 HAYES ROAD**  
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**MASS INTENTIONS****FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD****5:00 PM— Wedding Michael Gemayel and Rima Esho****SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH****4:00 PM— Dee Boulus Birthday Remembrance**, by Cousin, Gwen Rashid**4:00 PM— Daniel & Mary Daniel and the Deceased Members of the Simon and Daniel Families**, by Family**4:00 PM— Jeanette Aesy 5 Year Remembrance**, by Family**4:00 PM— Mary Ann Ganim**, by Terry Mahoney**4:00 PM— Mona Badawi**, by Leonard Thomas and Joyce Nedemeier**4:00 PM— Matty Moroun**, by Sister, Anne Moroun**4:00 PM— John Wezmen**, by Family**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH****5:00 PM— Wedding Nicholas Garcia and Susan Massoud****SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH****9:30 AM— Mary Saad 4 Year Remembrance**, by Husband, Bill and Family**9:30 AM— Roger Saad**, by Brother, Bill and Family**9:30 AM— Mona Badawi**, by St. Sharbel Parishioners**9:30 AM— Charles and Lila Abud**, by Pastor**9:30 AM— George J. Sassin**, by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Campbell**9:30 AM— Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker**, by Family**9:30 AM— Rose Barker 119th Birthday Remembrance**, by Grandson, Deacon Mike Magyar**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH****11:30 AM— Anthony Fawaz Special Intentions Birthday Blessings**, by the MYO**11:30 AM— Therese D. Sfeir 40 Day Remembrance**, by Husband, Koshaya Sfeir and Family**11:30 AM— Sami Chamoun 40 Day Remembrance**, by Brother & Sister-In-Law, Khalil & Rose Chamoun, Nieces & Nephews, Madiana, Chadi, Rachel, Ali and William Chamoun**11:30 AM— Susan Polas 40 Day Remembrance**, by Family**11:30 AM— Mother Brexide Sweidan 6 Month Remembrance**, Brother & Sister-In-Law, Issa & Maysoun Sweidan and Family**11:30 AM— Sabah Hanna**, by Family**11:30 AM— Mona Badawi**, by Toufic and Jeanette Soyad**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH****9:30 AM— Joe Deeby**, by the Asmar Family**9:30 AM— Mona Badawi**, by Parishioners**9:30 AM— Michael Joseph**, by Mary Medley and Family**9:30 AM— Matthew Francis**, by Family**9:30 AM— Nisan Sleiman Samona**, by Family**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH****THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY****9:30 AM— Mona Badawi**, by Issa & Maysoun Sweidan and Family**9:30 AM— Judith Deeby**, by Sister, Donna**9:30 AM— Fahmi Francis**, by Family**9:30 AM— Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker**, by Family**9:30 AM— Owen Petrezelka**, by Family**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH****NO LITURGY****THANK YOU!****WEEKLY COLLECTION****August 28 & 29, 2021****Envelopes: \$4,998.00****Online: \$1,115.00****Total Collection: \$6,113.00***May God bless you for your faithfulness and generosity  
in support of your parish!*

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH**

4:30 PM— Wedding Nicholas Scott and Alexandra Campbell

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH**

4:00 PM— All Public Safety Workers, Police, Firefighters, Sheriffs, Emergency Medical Technicians, Rescue Workers, & their Chaplains, by Pastor

4:00 PM— Living and Deceased Volunteers and Benefactors, by Pastor

4:00 PM— Deceased Ushers Raymond Nicholas, George Mansour, Joe Farris, Matt Bolomo, Toni Nader, Louis Joseph, and Mike Gabriel, by Pastor

4:00 PM— Sarkis & Mariam Saad, by Marlene Saad and Family

4:00 PM— Mona Badawi, by Leonard Thomas and Joyce Nedemeier

4:00 PM— Matty Moroun, by Sister, Anne Moroun

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH**

5:00 PM— Wedding Christopher Fawaz and Lourin Younan

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH**

9:30 AM— Religious Education Program Students, Families and Staff, by Pastor

9:30 AM— All Public Safety Workers, Police, Firefighters, Sheriffs, Emergency Medical Technicians, Rescue Workers, & their Chaplains, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Living and Deceased Volunteers and Benefactors, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Deceased Ushers John Mathews, John Farrar, Leon Joseph, Ralph Peters, John Abdo, Tony Thomas, Joe Ferrante, Gordon Gantos, Toni Yapur, Bob Weber, and John Hejjawi, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Charles & Lila Abud, by Pastor

9:30 AM— Anna Nehra, by Family

9:30 AM— Agnes Nehra, by Paul Nehra and Family

9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Ed & Therese O'Brien

9:30 AM— George J. Sassin, by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Campbell

9:30 AM— Joseph, Helen and Betty Shaker, by Family

9:30 AM— Carol (Tootsie) Andary, by Sister and Brother-In-Law, Kathy & Sam Taormina

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH**

11:30 AM— All Public Safety Workers, Police, Firefighters, Sheriffs, Emergency Medical Technicians Rescue Workers, and their Chaplains, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Yola Bayram Chidiac Memorial Mass, by Son & Daughter-In-Law, Naji & Dr. Maha Chidiac and Family

11:30 AM— Jason Jarbo Memorial Mass, by Issa & Maysoun Sweidan and Family

11:30 AM— Living and Deceased Volunteers and Benefactors, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Deceased Usher Adib Macksoud, by Pastor

11:30 AM— Mother Brexide Sweidan Remembrance, Pastor

11:30 AM— Sabah Hanna, by Family

11:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Laba & Marie Helou

11:30 AM— Therese D. Sfeir, by Albert Badawi and Family

11:30 AM— Leba Farah 10 Year Remembrance, by Family

11:30 AM— Bashir Pierre Gemayel 39 Year Remembrance, by Parishioners

11:30 AM— All the Lebanese Martyrs, by Parishioners

**READERS****READERS FOR:**

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

4:00 PM - Terry Mahoney

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5**

9:30 AM - Matthew Abboud

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5**

11:30 AM - Rene Farah

Judith Farah

**READERS FOR:**

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**

4:00 PM - Ann Marie Ferris

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

9:30 AM - Gianna Neubacher

**READERS FOR:**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

11:30 AM - Cloe Chidiac

Naji Chidiac

**NEXT WEEKEND!**

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 11 & 12, 2021**

**CELEBRATE THE  
3 YEAR ANNIVERSARY  
of the Dedication of  
Saint Sharbel Maronite Catholic Church  
after all weekend Masses.**

As a token of appreciation to our Parishioners, Benefactors and Friends, the Church will provide

Cookies after the Saturday 4 PM Mass.

After the 9:30 AM Mass Bagel, cheese, donuts and muffins, Coffee & juice will be provided.

After the 11:30 AM Mass Pizza, chips, ice cream, coffee & soft drinks will be provided.

Feel free to bring your own food basket to share with friends!



**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

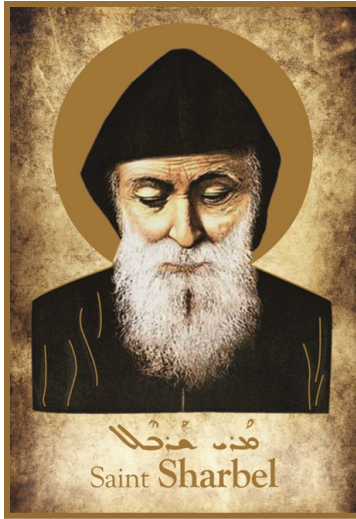
**FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER BURNS FOR:**  
  
In Loving Memory of  
Mrs. George Sam  
by her Husband

**CHAPEL CANDLE**

**FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER BURNS FOR:**  
  
In Loving Memory of  
Romeo & Mary Sam  
by their Children

**INCENSE AND CHARCOAL**

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



*Prayer for obtaining a special grace*

O Lord, infinitely holy and glorified in your saints, you inspired the holy monk and hermit Sharbel to live and die in the way of Jesus Christ and gave him the strength to detach himself from the world in order to make the monastic virtues triumph in his hermitage.

We implore you to bestow upon us the grace to love you and to serve you by following his example.

God Almighty, who manifested the power of Saint Sharbel's intercession by numerous miracles and favors, grant us, through his intercession, this grace (State your prayer intention here). Amen.

Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory be.

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**CONGRATULATIONS!**

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Congratulations to  
**Abdou and Samia Deban**  
as they celebrate their  
**28th Wedding Anniversary!**

Congratulations to  
**Fadi and Lisa Yaccoub**  
as they celebrate their  
**17th Wedding Anniversary!**

*May our Lord bless these couples as they continue to provide witness to the love of God by their commitment to each other and their families!*



**OUR CONDOLENCES**

In your prayers please remember Joseph Mondalek who recently entered Eternal Life. He is the loving brother of Michel and beloved uncle to Salwa Mondalek and Najee Mondalek.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to them and their families.

*Eternal rest grant unto Joseph, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.*

*May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.*

**UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS**

- Sept 5 Sunday Mass Live Stream 11:30 AM
- Sept 10 K of C Family Bon Fire 7 PM
- Sept 11/12 Celebrate the 3 Year Anniversary of the Church  
Dedication following all weekend Masses
- Sept 12 REP Classes Begin 10:30 AM / Kick off Mass 9:30 AM
- Sept 19 LAS Meeting 10:30 AM
- Sept 22 Healing Mass 7 PM
- Sept 25 St. Sharbel Gala / Celebration of Chorbishop Alfred's  
30th Anniversary to the Priesthood
- Sept 26 Divine Liturgy 11AM with Bishop Zaidan to Celebrate  
Chorbishop Alfred's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to the Priesthood
- Nov 30 Giving Tuesday
- Dec 31 New Year's Eve Family Night

**PASTOR'S CORNER**

Dear Friends,  
A word from St. Pope John Paul II ~

“The life of a teacher, as I know from personal experience, is very challenging and demanding, but it is also profoundly satisfying. It is more than a job, for it is rooted in our deepest convictions and values.”

On this first weekend in September, this Labor Day holiday weekend, we celebrate the 16th Sunday and the last Sunday of Pentecost.

Labor Day is filled with many different memories and meanings. For many of us it signals the end of summer and all that is associated with summer. It is the time for the last fling outdoors. It is a time for a BBQ with family and friends. It is the weekend that the summer home is closed. It is the weekend the boat is pulled out of the water and placed in storage. It is the time for moving from one season of the year to another. The holiday itself, “Labor Day,” gives us a chance to take a day off from work and reflect on the meaning of labor.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Our Knights of Columbus Council is hosting a “Bon Fire Family Event” on Friday, September 10th at 7 PM here at St. Sharbel Church. Everyone is encouraged to join in the fun! See the ad below for details.

**WE REMEMBER 9/11**

Next weekend, September 11th and 12th, at all Masses we will honor and remember all Public Safety Workers and First Responders, Police, Firefighters, Sheriffs, Emergency Medical Technicians and Rescue Workers. We will especially remember those who sacrificed their life during the September 11, 2001 tragic terrorist attacks on our country. Any one of any faith who serves in these vocations are invited to be acknowledged in prayer at each of our Masses. You are our heroes and we are grateful for your service.

Yours in Christ,  
Chorbishop Alfred, Pastor

**LEONARD THOMAS SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

We congratulate the following St. Sharbel Parishioners who have been named recipients of the **10th Annual Leonard A. Thomas Scholarship Fund!**

- Danny Chanbour
- Charles Daccache
- Melody Deban
- Renee Eliane
- Joe Ghali
- Nour Habib
- Joe Helou
- Ralph Mancini
- Victoria Millet
- Paul Nasar
- Ryan Neubacher
- Carolyn Peters

*May God bless you in your studies!*

**Thank you to Mr. Leonard Thomas for his generosity of financial assistance to these young men and women of our parish community!**

*God bless you, Leonard, for all of your contributions to St. Sharbel Church throughout the years!*

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

See Registration Forms in the Church Lobby or on our website for our 2021-2022 Program.

For more information, please contact our Director, Staci Saker  
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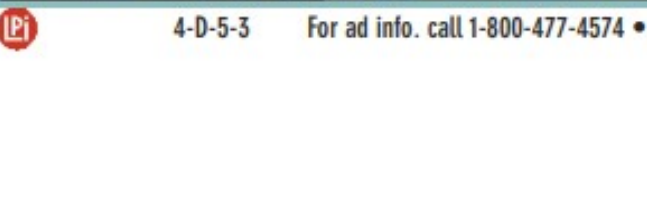
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