

Saint Anthony Maronite Church
presents



52TH ANNUAL FESTIVAL
LEBANESE MAHRAJAN
LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Friday 08/30 6 PM - 1AM
Saturday 08/31 5 PM - 2AM
SOFT OPENING AT 3PM
Sunday 09/01 12 PM - 12AM

FEATURING LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
FOLKLORIC DANCE & RAFFLES, SOUVENIRS,
LEBANESE ART CRAFTS
HOMEMADE LEBANESE CUISINE & PASTRIES

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SANCTUARY CANDLE
The Sanctuary candle for September is donated
in loving memory of **Betty Karam Bhuiyan**
by Jacqueline Nehme

PASTOR CONTACT
In case of any needed pastoral assistance,
we ask that only the family contact Fr. Kamil
on his cell phone at **610-739-8586**.
Fr. Kamil's email is clergy95@gmail.com

WEEKLY COLLECTION
Saturday, Aug 24- \$591.00
Sunday, Aug 25- \$981.00
Total - \$1,572.00

MAR AWTEL FEAST DAY
Thank you to everyone who donated,
volunteered or purchased to make
Mar Awtel's Harisseh sale a success.
\$2,038 was raised in Zataar sales and
\$1,050 was raised in Harisseh sales, for a total of \$3,088.




**OUR LADY OF LEBANON
MARONITE CATHOLIC
CHURCH**
55 South 4th Street
Easton, PA 18042
610-252-5275



Week 35 - Week 37 Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com Website: oleaston.org Aug 31 - Sept 15, 2024

16th Sunday of Pentecost



**The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ
according to Saint Luke 18:9-14**

Jesus also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax-collector.

The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, "God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax-collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income."

But the tax-collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner!"

I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.'

BAPTISM
Preregistration for Baptism is required. Catholic sponsor certificates must be received by the parish before the Baptism is scheduled.

CONFESSION
One hour before each Liturgy
Also available by appointment

MARRIAGE
Please notify the pastor at least one year prior to date. Engaged couples need to register as parishioners and take required marriage classes.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Please inform us of the sick and shut-ins at
610-739-8586

**1ST HOLY COMMUNION &
MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES**
October through April; Saturdays 3:45- 4:45

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE
Changes or additions to the bulletin must be submitted no later than Tuesdays at 5:00 PM.
Thank you for your cooperation.

CLERGY:
Fr. Kamil Al-Chouefati

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:
Monday through Thursday
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Closed on Fridays

RECTORY & MAILING ADDRESS:
54 South 4th Street
Easton, PA 18042

LITURGIES:
Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:00 AM
Weekday Holy Days of Obligation:
7:00 PM
The Rosary will be said 30 minutes before each Mass. Confession will be available one hour before each Mass or by appointment.



*Bishop Gregory John Mansour
and the
Eparchy of Saint Maron
Cordially invite you to*

**The Fifteenth Annual Benefit Dinner
Celebrating Our Maronite Spirituality**

Thursday, October 24, 2024
The Union League Club
38 East 37th St. (at Park Ave), New York City

Cocktail Reception 6:00 PM - Dinner 7:30

Silent Auction throughout the evening
Business Attire

Please RSVP with the enclosed reply card
or online at stmaron.org/eparchial-benefit
at New York Benefit Dinner
NO LATER than October 20, 2024

We look forward to your attendance!

*****16th Sunday of Pentecost*****

Saturday, Aug 31 - 5:00 PM - DEACON JOHN HANNI by Labebe Buesing

Sunday, Sept 1 - 10:00 AM - KARIM AND SUSAN MICHAEL & SON, PAUL by Mr. & Mrs. Saadeh Boulos

Tuesday	Sept 3	9:00 AM	HABIB NEHME (Birthday Remembrance) by the Family
Wednesday	Sept 4	9:00 AM	MARY JABBOUR by Mr. & Mrs. Lazarus Melan
Thursday	Sept 5	9:00 AM	AOUTEL ELIAS by James Canone
Friday	Sept 6	9:00 AM	DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE BADWAY FAMILY by James Badway (rescheduled)

*****Celebration of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross*****

Saturday, Sept 7 - 5:00 PM - LAURI JABBOUR by Dave Prestipino

Sunday, Sept 8 - 10:00 AM - BARBARA MELHEM by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Jacob & Family

2ND COLLECTION - CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA & MARONITE SEMINARY - SEPTEMBER 7TH & 8TH

25% of this collection is for funding for academic scholarships at CUA, and 75% is for Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Seminary in Washington, DC.

Tuesday	Sept 10	9:00 AM	DAOUN BOULOS by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Jabbour
Wednesday	Sept 11	9:00 AM	JAOUDE MOUSSA AND ALL WHO DIED ON 9/11 by Mr. & Mrs. Joe Moussa
Thursday	Sept 12	9:00 AM	HABOUK SHUMAR by Sandy and Jim Smith
Friday	Sept 13	9:00 AM	PATRICE BAURKOT by Tony Sortino

*****1st Sunday after Holy Cross*****

Saturday, Sept 14 - 5:00 PM - Available

Sunday, Sept 15- 10:00 AM - Available

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



The 2nd Banns of marriage is announced for **George Saba and Antonia Jabbour**. If anyone has a reason why this couple should not be united in Holy Matrimony speak now, only to the Pastor, or forever hold your peace.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

16th Sunday of Pentecost

Rom 8:18-27 / Lk 18:9-14

Celebration of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

1 Cor 1:18-25 / Jn 12:20-32

1st Sunday after Holy Cross

2 Tim 2:1-10 / Mk 10:35-45



1st Communion Class Registration

Registration for the 2024-2025 1st Communion Class is now open! Children who are entering the 2nd grade and are 7 years or older are eligible to enroll.

- **Class Start Date:** Saturday, October 6th
- **Time:** 3:45 PM
- **Location:** Church



Parents are encouraged to bring their children to class regularly to ensure they are well-prepared for the Sacrament of Communion. Registration forms can be found at both entrances to the church or online at www.ololeaston.org. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Kamil.

OUR LADY OF LEBANON

4TH ANNUAL GOLF SCRAMBLE & TRICKY TRAY

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2024

SHOTGUN START AT NOON

RIVERVIEW COUNTRY CLUB, EASTON, PA
 REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 10:30 AM
 TEAMS OF 4 - \$520
 DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS SAT., SEPT 14TH
 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE
 For more info go to www.ololeaston.org

If you would like to make a sweet donation to the Golf fundraiser, please contact Labebe Buesing 610-349-3530 or Getta Elias 610-762-6970

ST. SHARBEL CHURCH
 3679 Providence Rd. Newtown Square, PA

2024 LEBANESE FESTIVAL

Friday, Sept 6th, 4 PM-11 PM
 Saturday, Sept 7th, 12 PM-11 PM
 Sunday, Sept 8th, 1 PM-9 PM

JOIN US FOR A WEEKEND OF:

- authentic Lebanese food
- shawarma
- live music ft. Chadi Naddaf
- hookah & drinks
- kids games & more!

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SAVE THE DATE

LADIES SODALITY REGIONAL DAY RETREAT

HOSTED AT
SAINT SHARBEL CHURCH
 SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY

SEPTEMBER 28
 FROM 9AM - 4:30PM
 *THE COST IS FREE

ALL SODALITY MEMBERS FROM OUR NEIGHBOURING SISTER PARISHES ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO PARTICIPATE

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

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