

### **COMMUNION HOST & WINE**

The Communion Host and Wine offering for January is donated in loving memory of Joseph Assise Jr. by the Family.

### **SANCTUARY CANDLE**

The Sanctuary candle for January is donated in loving memory of Dimitra Giacoumopoulos Achi by Mr.& Mrs. Nick Giacoumopoulos

### 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.

### WEEKLY COLLECTION

\$572.00 Saturday, Jan 11 -\$814.00 Sunday, Jan 12 -Yearly Dues -\$600.00 Total -\$1,986.00

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### **BAPTISM**

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

### **MARRIAGE**

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

**1ST HOLY COMMUNION & MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES** 

October through April; Saturdays 3:45- 4:45

### **CONFESSION**

One hour before each Liturgy Also available by appointment

### **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Please inform us of the sick and shut-ins at 610-739-8586

### **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.



# **OUR LADY OF LEBANON** MARONITE CATHOLIC **CHURCH**

55 South 4th Street Easton, PA 18042 610-252-5275



Week 3 - Week 5 Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com Website: ololeaston.org Jan 18 - Feb 2, 2025

# Second Sunday after Epiphany



### **CLERGY:**

Fr. Kamil Al-Chouefati, Pastor

### **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** Phone: 610-252-5275

Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com

Website: ololeaston.org

### **LITURGIES:**

Saturday: 5:00 PM **Sunday: 10:00 AM** 

Weekdays: 9:00 AM Tuesday - Friday

Weekday Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 PM

# The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint John 1:35-42

The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, 'Look, here is the Lamb of God!'

The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, 'What are you looking for?' They said to him, 'Rabbi' (which translated means Teacher), 'where are you staying?'

He said to them, 'Come and see.' They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. +It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother.

He first found his brother Simon and said to him. 'We have found the Messiah' (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, 'You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas' (which is translated Peter).

# COMING IN THE NEW YEAR! MARONITE FORMATION CLASSES

Open to all grades from pre-school to 6th grade.

Parents are encouraged to sign-up their children.

Click here for the Registration Form or forms may be found at both entrances o the church.

Starting date to be announced.

# \*\*\*2nd Sunday after Epiphany\*\*\*

Saturday, Jan 18-5:00 PM - KARAM KARAM (1st Anniversary) by the Family

Sunday, Jan 19 - 10:00 AM - ELIAS MOUAIT, KHALIL & DAOUN BOULOS by the Boulos Family

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Tuesday	Jan 21	9:00 AM	GLORIA BAURKOT (Birthday Remembrance) by the Family
Wednesday	Jan 22	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	FRANCES KOURY by Colleen & Mark Ziegenhorn MAR SHARBEL LITURGY AND PRAYERS FOR THE SICK
Thursday			OUTILL MELHEM by Jackie Nehme EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Friday	Jan 24	9:00 AM	JOHN THOMAS by Rosann Constantine

# \*\*\*3rd Sunday after Epiphany\*\*\*

Saturday, Jan 25 - 5:00 PM - ANTHONY HANNI by Marlene Bedway

Sunday, Jan 26 - 10:00 AM - MILO ELIAS (2nd Anniversary) by Getta Elias & Family

# 2nd Collection - United States Catholic Bishops' Worldwide Charities - Jan 25th & 26th

This collection combines the four USCCB collections: Central and Eastern Europe, the Church in Latin America, the Church in Africa, and Catholic Relief Services. The total is divided accordingly.

Tuesday	Jan 28	9:00 AM	<b>DEACON JOHN HANNI</b> by Diane & Duane Volk
Wednesda <del>y</del>	Jan 29	9:00 AM	MICHAEL M. JABBOUR by Mr. & Mrs. William Joseph
Thursday	Jan 30		AOUTELE ELIAS by Mr. & Mrs. Edwar Elias EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Friday	Jan 31	9:00 AM	EVA FARHAT by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob

# \*\*\*Presentation of Christ in the Temple\*\*\*

Saturday, Feb 1 -5:00 PM - Available

Sunday, Feb 2 - 10:00 AM - BARBARA MELHEM (1st Anniversary) by her brother, Youssef Melhem

# **SCRIPTURE** READINGS

# 2nd Sunday after Epiphany

Jer 1:4-10 / 2 Cor 4:5-15 / Jn 1:35-42

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Num 21:4-9 / Gal 3:23-29 / Jn 3:1-16

Presentation of Christ in the Temple

Rom 9:30-10:4 / Lk 2:22-35

# PRAYER FOR PEACE

O Holy One, we know that violence between your children is not according to your will, and we pray that you will help and quide the peoples in conflict to bring the current warfare to an end.

We pray for open hearts for all sides to listen and work for peace. We pray for a change of heart for everyone involved in this struggle that they will realize that solutions to this conflict are to be found in negotiations and not weapons.

We ask also for safety for our fellow Christians in the Holy Land that they may continue to serve as living representatives of your Son in the land of his earthly birth. We ask all this in

His Name, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen



### HOTEL INFORMATION

A block of rooms has been reserved at a discounted rate at the Yours Truly Hotel in Washington, DC. Please see the information below.

Please let us know you will be attending by filling out this Google Form, we will contact everyone attending a week or so before the March with any updates.

**HOTEL DETAILS:** Yours Truly DC

1143 New Hampshire Ave NW Washington, DC 20037

202-775-0800

11:00 AM Meet at Starbucks for the March Dinner and Talk with Father

Friday January 24

Thursday January 23

Rudolph at the Seminary Library

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Social Outing

5:00 PM Evening vigil at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

Social Outing

#### Saturday January 25

10:30 AM Maronite Mass in the Immaculate Hear Mary Chapel at the Basilica of the National

WHY WE MARCH

Shrine of the Immaculate Conception Social Outing

Sunday January 26

11:00 AM Divine Liturgy at Our Lady of

Lebanon 12:30 PM Brunch at the Parish Hall

2:00 PM Tour Monuments





Online Workshops at 8pm:

Feb. 6- St. Maron & the Maronite Liturgy (Fr. Domingue Hanna)

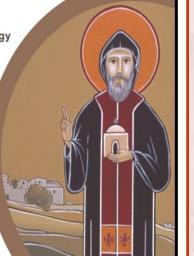
Feb. 13- Maronite Music & Melodies (Fr. Neemtallah Oneissy)

Feb. 20 - Maronites & the Holy See (Chorbishop John Faris)

### VIA ZOOM

Hosted by the Maronite Servants of Christ the Light in conjunction with the St. Sharbel Spiritual Life Center.

To register and/or to learn more visit: maroniteservants.org saintsharbelcenter.org





# **IMPORTANT ADDRESSES**

Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

400 MICHIGAN AVE. NE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20017

# Starbucks

325 7TH ST. NW 100 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004

# Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Church and Seminary

7142 ALASKA AVE NW #7142 WASHINGTON, D.C.20012



Questions? Contact mya.eparchystmaronagmail.com or the Eparchy Family and Sanctity of Life Office (540)520-1679 Hotel block information can be found at myaeparchystmaron.org/events





