

COMMUNION HOST & WINE

The Communion Host and Wine offering for March is donated for a special intention by an anonymous donor.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle for March is donated in loving memory of

JOSEPH MELHEM SR. 30th anniversary, **JENNIE MELHEM.**

JOSEPH MELHEM JR. Birthday Remembrance by Michael and Mary Mangino & Family

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

\$284.00 Saturday, Feb 22 -Sunday, Feb 23 -\$2,025.00 Total -\$2,309.00

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Save the Date

2025 Lebanese Heritage Days

Saturday August 2, 2025 and Sunday August 3, 2025







300+ prizes - \$25-\$2000 value

FOOD

SERVED ALL DAY 🛭



more information and early bird specials, visit our website: ps://sites.google.com/view/hfs-hsa/tricky-tray-weekend

***ATM available *** Questions? Email - trickytray@holyfamilynazareth.com

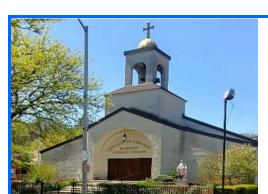


Attention all alumni

of Phillipsburg Parochial High School, SPSJ High School, Phillipsburg Catholic High School, All Saints Regional High School and SSPJ School.

On May 3rd we will be having a social event to celebrate 150 years of Catholic School Education in Phillipsburg. It will be held at the Roseberry Street School from 4:00 – 7:00. Please plan to join us to for light hors d'oeuvres. More information to follow closer to the event. Please share this information with your family, friends, and classmates.

> Any questions please email pchsalumniassociation1@gmail.com



OUR LADY OF LEBANON MARONITE CATHOLIC **CHURCH**

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



Week 9 - Week 11 Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com Website: ololeaston.org Mar 1 - March 16, 2025

Sunday of the Entrance into Lent Miracle at Cana in Galilee



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:

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LITURGIES:

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

Weekdays: 9:00 AM Tuesday - Friday

Weekday Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 PM

Confession will be available 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment.

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint John 2:1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding.

When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come. His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.'

Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it.

When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.'

Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

LENTEN GUIDELINES

Fasting - All the faithful who are physically capable are to fast everyday during Lent. Fasting involves no eating and drinking a all, (except water and medicine) from 12 Midnight until 12 Noon. We urge those who are not physically capable to make an effort on Ash Monday and Good Friday.

Abstinence of meat is encouraged on Ash Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays during Lent and everyday during Holy Week.

CRS Rice Bowl is one way Catholics can enhance their Lenten fasting practice by giving up meals and donating the cost of those meals to Catholic Relief Services in order to help those who do not have enough to eat. Catholic Relief Services' Rice Bowl packets are available for pick-up at both entrances to the church.

Sunday of the Entrance into Lent - Miracle at Cana in Galilee

Saturday, March 1 - 5:00 PM - RIMAH MELHEM by Wasim & Leila Mitri

Sunday, March 2 - 10:00 AM - ELLIOT "OUIE" BOULOUS by Mr. & Mrs. William Joseph

ASH MONDAY	Mar 3	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	ANTHONY HANNI by Nick & Ronnie Ciambrone GEORGE BAURKOT by Labebe Buesing
Tuesday	Mar 4	9:00 AM	BERLIN RIZK KASSIS by Rafih Hayek
Wednesday	Mar 5	9:00 AM	MICHAEL M. JABBOUR by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Jabbour & Jessica
Thursday	Mar 6	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	REV. GEORGE & SALMA HAYEK by Rafih Hayek EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Friday	Mar 7	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	JOHN THOMAS by Freda Scarpa STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION

Healing of the Leper

Saturday, March 8 - 5:00 PM - ROSE SYMIA (Birthday Remembrance) by her Children & Grandchildren

Sunday, March 9 - 10:00 AM - ULIA FADEL (Memorial Mass) by her daughter, Marie Lahoud & Family

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Tuesday	Mar 11	9:00 AM	QUEENIE JABBOUR by Tony & Mireille Karam		
Wednesday	Mar 12	9:00 AM	HABOUK SHUMAR by Keene Jabbour & Son		
Thursday	Mar 13	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	LILA RIZK HAYEK by Nick & Cathy Theoderou EUCHARISTIC ADORATION		
Friday	Mar 14	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	DEACON JOHN HANNI by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION		

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman

Saturday, March 15 - 5:00 PM - EVA FARHAT by Patty Mosielle

Sunday, March 16 - 10:00 AM - EMILE "AOUTELE" ELIAS (1st Anniversary) by his brothers and family

Eparchial Charities Appeal - Lent - March 3rd through April 18th



Sunday of the Entrance into Lent Miracle at Cana in Galilee

Is 55:1,6-13/Rom 14:14-23/ Jn 2:1-11

Healing of the Leper

2 King 5:1-3, 9-14/ Rom 6:12-23/Mk 1:35-45

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman Num 15:37-41/2 Cor 7:4-11/Lk 8:40-56

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION (MCF) CLASSES

MCF classes are held each Sunday immediately following the 10:00 AM Liturgy. We encourage parents to prioritize religious education to instill Maronite Catholic values and traditions in their children's lives.

Parents are also urged to attend Sunday Mass regularly, ensure their children participate in religious education classes, and foster their children's understanding by discussing what they have learned.



RSVP; George Manja 484-892-0999



March 3rd

April 6th

2025 CRS Rice Bowl Maronite Catholic Church Lenten Calendar

Sunday of Cana in Galilee / Entrance into Lent Ash Monday -- the Great Fast begins

Sunday of the Leper, Second Sunday of Lent March 9th March 10th- March 15th A JOURNEY TO 3 COUNTRIES-Solidarity Sunday of the Hemorrhaging Woman, Third Sunday of Lent March 16th A STORY OF HOPE-NIGERIA- Life and Dignity of the Human Person March 17th - March 22th March 23rd Sunday of the Prodigal Son, Fourth Sunday of Lent A STORY OF HOPE- GUATEMALA – Call to Family, Community and March 24th-March 29th Sunday of the Paralytic, Fifth Sunday of Lent A STORY OF HOPE-BANGLADESH - Care for Creation

Sunday of Bartimaeus the Blind, Sixth Sunday of Lent THE EUCHARIST AND HUNGER- Option for the Poor and Vulneralis April 7th - April 12th

HOLY WEEK

April 13th- April 20th

Thursday of Mysteries April 17th April 18th Great Friday of the Crucifixion April 19th Great Saturday of the Light GREAT SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

for activities and resources please click CRSricebowl.org





PRAYER FOR POPE FRANCIS - Loving and Merciful God, We come before You in prayer, lifting up Your servant, Pope Francis, in his time of need. You are the Source of all healing, and we ask You to surround him with Your loving presence, granting him strength and recovery. May Your divine grace rest upon him, restoring his health and filling him with renewed vigor to continue leading Your Church with compassion and wisdom.

"But I will restore you to health and heal your wounds, declares the Lord." (Jeremiah 30:17)

We place Pope Francis into Your hands, trusting in Your eternal care. May he be comforted by the love of the Church and the prayers of all the faithful. We ask, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, that his recovery be swift, and his spirit be strengthened in Your peace. May Your will be done in his life, O Lord, and may Your healing power be with him always.



Bible Study

Bible study will begin at 7:00 PM at 300 Kirkland Road Forks Twp., 18040 on Wednesday, March 5th.

Fr. Kamil is asking if anyone would be interested in hosting the Bible study in their homes. Please call Father directly at 610-739-8586 if you are willing to host a meeting. The bible study is open to all parishioners.

To sign up for the Bible study click HERE or sign up Children Under Age 5 No Charge sheets will be available at both entrances to the church.



IT'S BACK!!!

Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Dinners

Place: St. Jane's Parish Center

Date: Two Fridays: March 14 and 28, 2025

Time: 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Menu: Fried or Baked Fish, French Fries. Mac & Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Green Beans,

Coleslaw, Dessert, Beverage

Tickets: \$15 per person

Seniors (Age 65 and over) \$14 Children (Age 5 to 12) \$10

Bring the Family... Come With a Group... Meet Fellow Parishioners!