



Our Lady of Lebanon

Maronite Catholic Church

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Church Clergy

Father Pierre ElKhoury, M.L.M., Pastor

Deacon John Sfire

Subdeacon Thomas Podraza

Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5:00 pm (English) - **Sundays :** 9:30 am (English) & 11:30 am (English & Arabic)

Confession

Contact the priest or the church office to arrange your confession during the week.

Baptism

Please call the Church office for arrangements one month prior to the celebration of the Sacrament.

Marriage

Please allow at least Six months of preparation time. Date arrangements are made after the initial meet with pastor before any other commitments are made.

Ministry of the Sick

If any Parishioner is seriously ill at home or in a hospital, please call the pastor or the Church office to arrange for Communion, Confession or Anointing of the Sick.

Maronite Catholic Education

Catechism Classes for children are on Sundays 10:20 am – 11:20 am.

MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

June 11, 2017



Pray For

Please call the parish office to inform us of an illness or hospitalization of a parishioner or family member. If you would like to add or remove your name or a relative's name from our prayer list, please contact us.

We Pray for those who are hospitalized or homebound, including:
Pierre Naffah, Bobby Sfire, Johnnie Harb, Julia Parkinson, Hank Yario.

Mass Intentions for Next Sunday June 18, 2017

09:30 a.m.

The deceased members of the Shaker & Abraham Family *(By the Breit Family)*
Edward Jage *(By Bill and Cheryl Blum)*

11:30 a.m

Hanna Yawanis *(By Shiraz Bou Mansour and Children)*

Bible Verse for the Week

Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the
Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19

From the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans 11:25-36

Brothers and Sisters,

I do not want you to be unaware of this mystery, brothers, so that you will not become wise (in) your own estimation: a hardening has come upon Israel in part, until the full number of the Gentiles comes in, and thus all Israel will be saved, as it is written: "The deliverer will come out of Zion, he will turn away godlessness from Jacob; and this is my covenant with them when I take away their sins." In respect to the gospel, they are enemies on your account; but in respect to election, they are beloved because of the patriarchs. For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable. Just as you once disobeyed God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now disobeyed in order that, by virtue of the mercy shown to you, they too may (now) receive mercy. For God delivered all to disobedience, that he might have mercy upon all. Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How inscrutable are his judgments and how unsearchable his ways! "For who has known the mind of the Lord or who has been his counselor?" "Or who has given him anything that he may be repaid?" For from him and through him and for him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

Praise be to God always!

From the Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew 28: 16-20

The Apostle Matthew Said:

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had ordered them. When they saw him, they worshiped, but they doubted.

Then Jesus approached and said to them,

"All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

This is the truth. Peace be with you.



WHAT A *joy*
IT WAS
FOR ME TO THROW
FLOWERS AT THE
feet of God!

- ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

Corpus Christi & Father's Day

10:30 a.m.: Silent Adoration

11:30 a.m.: Mass & Eucharistic Procession

01:00 p.m.: Luncheon (Barbecue)

SUNDAY JUNE 18



54TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

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Pre-Registration Discount ends on June 5

PERFORMERS



ABEER NEHME
Lebanese Angelic Voice
Thursday Concert



AMIN SULTAN
Middle Eastern Performer
Friday Middle Eastern Banquet



MICHEL AZZI
Lebanese Superstar
Saturday Grand Banquet

PRESENTERS



DR. WILLIAM E. RABIL, MD
The Shroud of Turin
Thursday, 10:30–11:30am



CHORBISHOP MICHAEL G. THOMAS
Marriage: A Vocation Blessed by God
Thursday, 3:30–4:30pm



REV. VINCENT FARHAT & REV. GEORGE HAJJ
Catechesis: Practical Resources & Challenges
Friday, 10:30–11:30am



SR. LINA KHAWAND & SR. CYNTHIA KASSIS
Workshop for Sacred Art
Friday, 10:30–11:30am



REV. DOMINIQUE HANNA
Going Deeper in the Spiritual Life
Friday, 3:15–4:15pm



REV. AARON SANDBOTHE
Maronite Music for Choir Directors & Members
Friday, 4:15–5:15pm



MOTHER OLGA
Featured Speaker
Contemplating the Heart of Jesus
Through Mary in the School of Nazareth
Saturday, 10:30am



CARL ANDERSON, SUPREME KNIGHT
Featured Speaker
The Church's Call to Build a Civilization
of Love in the Middle East
Saturday, 3:30pm

EXCURSIONS



THE BILTMORE & WINERY
Wednesday, 9:30am–7:00pm



THE GORGE ZIP-LINING
Wednesday, 9:30am–5:15pm



GREEN RIVER KAYAKING
Wednesday, 9:45am–5:15pm

YOUTH

LAURALEE SAAD
Children's Program

MICHELE HOUMIS
Maronite Youth

BISHOP GREGORY MANSOUR, BISHOP ELIAS ZAIDAN, AND SISTER THERESE
Maronite Young Adults

MARONITE YOUNG PROFESSIONALS
Social Mixers

RAFFLE TICKETS



- 1ST Free round trip tickets to Beirut
- 2ND One Week in a Condo in St. Maarten's in the Caribbean
- 3RD Cash winning of \$1,000
- 4TH Cash winning of \$500




One ticket for \$5, or five tickets for \$20

HOTEL INFORMATION



HYATT REGENCY
220 N. Main St.
Greenville, SC 29601
1-888-421-1442

CODE: NAM CONVENTION
for the discounted rate of \$129 per night per room. Once you make your reservations, contact the hotel directly to book your free shuttle from and to the airport. 1-864-235-1234

	Mass Celebration	
	Most Holy Trinity Sunday: Page 416 Anaphora of Saint Peter: P. 774	
	Sunday Readings	
	Reading: Romans 11:25-36 Holy Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20	
	Mass Intentions	
	<p><u>09:30 a.m</u></p> <p>Peter and Libby Guttas <i>(By Sara Guttas)</i> Fr. Dr. William Nijm <i>(By the Shaker Family)</i></p> <p><u>11:30 a.m</u></p> <p>Phil Salem <i>(By Salem Family)</i> George Bohakel <i>(By Bohakel Family)</i> Michael Pace <i>(By Richard and Marianne Bohakel)</i> Joseph Saunders <i>(By Dennis and Teresa Saunders)</i> Paul Ponticelli <i>(By Ponticelli Family)</i></p>	
Schedules	Sunday 9:30 am	Sunday 11:30 am
Altar Servers	Andres Ballines, Leila Nehra Anthony Jazarlian	Miriam Dandan, Cassandra Chahoud, Estifan Azzo, Yousif, Reem Hattar, Rayana Mounsef
Readers	Lillian Hanna	Eliane Hawa (English) Eddy Mouannes (Arabic)
Ushers	Nabil Zahra Frank Kermend	Ed Kneip, George Zakhem, Sami Tabet, Sam Sweillem

Announcements

✳ **NAM: Vice president of Mid America**

Please join us after Mass in the Shaker Hall this Sunday June 11 where Mrs. Tonia Khouri, Regional Vice President of Mid America for NAM, will be discussing the importance of preserving our Maronite faith and heritage through NAM.

✳ **Corpus Christi & Father's Day**

Our parish will celebrate the feast of Body and Blood of Christ and father's Day on Sunday June 18. Come and join us.

10:30 am Silent Adoration –

11:30 am Mass and Eucharistic Procession

1:00 pm Luncheon barbecue (beef, chicken ...).

✳ **Dabke Group**

This year, we will have two Dabke groups: Children age 8 to 11 years old and the youth Dabke group age 12 to 18 years old. If your Child or teen are interested in joining the Dabke group, please contact Julie Akouri. Dabke practice is on Fridays at 7 pm.

✳ **NAM Convention**

NAM, the national Apostolate of Maronite Churches will take place in Saint Rafqa - Greenville, South Caroline from June 28 to July 2nd. Pre-registration discount ends on June 5. For more information, see attached flyer.

✳ **OUR ANNUAL FESTIVAL**

Lebanese Festival will take place on 1st, 2nd and 3rd of September 2016.

Let us remember

We pray for our Beloved Ones who died during the Month of June

✠ Josephine Stets	✠ Mansour Allen	✠ Alphonse Salame
✠ Anne Crispin	✠ Edward J. Jage	✠ Abe Kay
✠ Alyce Bourjaily	✠ Genevieve Jage	✠ Sam Nasser
✠ Fred Guttas	✠ George Thomas	✠ Edna Cecilia Neely
✠ Peter Guttas	✠ Salameh Muhawwi	✠ Raymond Kelly
✠ Libby Guttas	✠ Bridget J. Toland	

COLLECTION

Sunday June 04, 2017: \$3,388.00

"Love grows by giving. The love we give away is the only love we keep."

Elbert Hubbard