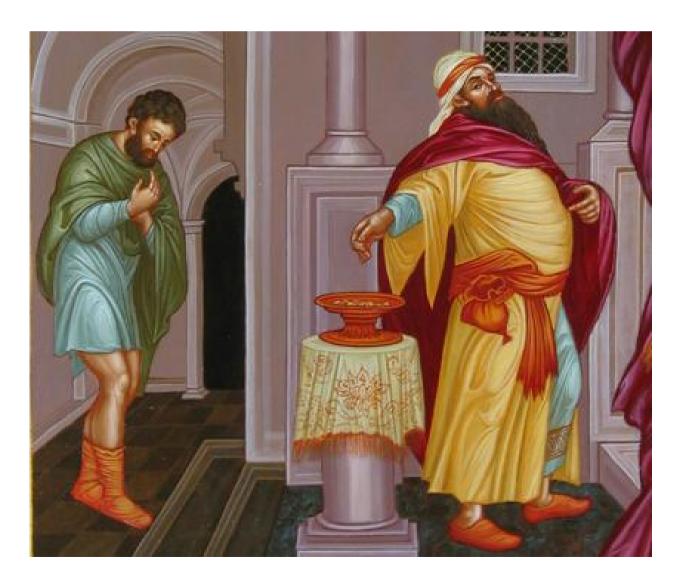


Maronite Catholic Church

September 5, 2021

Parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector مثل الفريسي وجابي الضرائب



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Prayer Luke 18:9-14

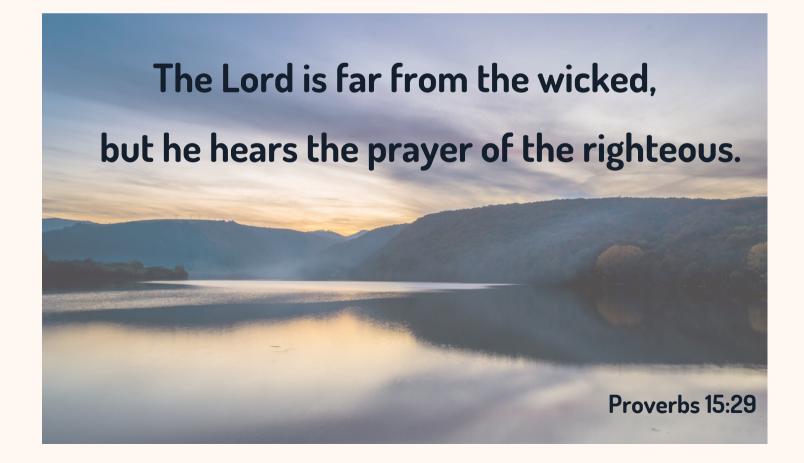
9 To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everyone else, Jesus told this parable:
10 "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.
11 The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector.

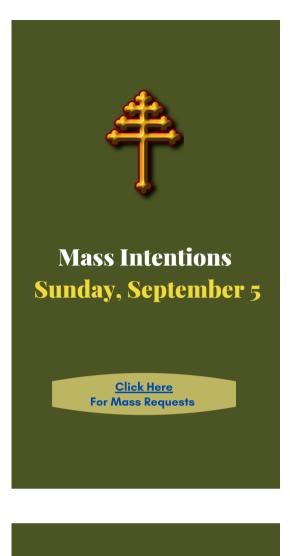
12 I fast twice a week and give a

tenth of all I get.'

13 "But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.'

14 "I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."









9:30 AM

Special Intention: Kiki & Efie Sefakas



Ezzat Kass Hanna (Yamin & Roula Yamin)

9:30 AM

Fr Dr William Nijm, Joseph Dacloush, Nazmieh Joubran (Ghada Nijm)



President Bashir El Gemayel

For Lebanon

Our Lady of Lebanon (hurch

August 20, 2021

Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it. **Proverbs 22:6**

Dear Parents,

I would like to welcome you all back to our MRE program and want you to know what a great blessing it is for us to serve you. It has been a challenging time for all of us, but with God's Grace we plan to meet in person again while monitoring the situation and taking it one step at a time.

A few guidelines to share with you:

- Registration begins: Sunday, August 22nd (Pre-K to high school). Deadline: September 19.
- In person classes start: September 19 from 10:25am 11:25am. (Online classes are an option **only** if necessary.)
- If your child was not baptized at Our Lady of Lebanon, please provide a copy of the Baptismal Certificate.
- Classes will be ready according to the CDC and the Diocese of Joliet Guidelines. Wipes and sanitizers will be supplied in each classroom.
- At this time, face masks are mandatory for students and teachers.
- Meeting with parents is scheduled for October 3rd, to go over in detail the program's requirements and expectations.
- Registration and payment are available online at: <u>www.ollchicago.org</u>.

The Spiritual Responsibility for our children is one we take very seriously. We look forward to seeing you in person and working with the students as they grow closer to Christ during this upcoming year.

Father Pierre El Khoury Pastor

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Maronite Religious Education (MRE)

Registration Form

Family Name		
Student Name	Grade	Age
1)		
2)		
3)		
4)		
Religious Denomination		
Baptized at Our Lady of Lebanon Church? Yes (If not, please provide baptismal certificate)		

Father's Na	me	ne Mother's Name				
Phone				Phone		
Email				Email		
Address						
City				State	Zip Code	

Class Cost	\$80/pr	0	\$150 First Communion \ Confirmation		
Payment Date		Amount		Check#	Cash

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News from the Eparchy

Global Lebanese Support Network Who We Are:

GLSN is a non-profit organization aiming at creating networks between individuals or companies in the motherland and the Lebanese Diaspora and their friends outside Lebanon.

Lebanon needs our help! We ask all of the diaspora to lend a hand and try to help in anyway possible. If you are a Lebanese-American business owner please consider hiring a Lebanese professional or outsourcing to a Lebanese company. As an individual, you can also help by remotely hiring a teacher/tutor for your kids. Even a little help will make a difference.

Please reach out if you want to join our efforts.

Email: glsn.lebanon@gmail.com Insta: @glsn.lebanon Facebook: @globallebanesesupportnetwork LinkedIn: @global-lebanese-support-network



Let us pray to God as we hold the people of Lebanon in our hearts:

Loving God, we pray that Your Spirit of healing and protection be with the suffering people of Lebanon.

We pray for those who are who are homeless, and hungry and feeling hopeless and left out.

Gracious God, You bring hope and new life. Be with the people of Lebanon. May Your hope fill their hearts and give them rest.

Readers and Ushers

Mass 9:30 am

Readers

Rima Antoon

Ushers

Nabil Zahra Sami Tabet Eddy Moinnes



Mass 11:30 am

Readers

Sub. George Romanos

Ushers

Ed Kneip, Henry Abboud, William Harb, Elie Masud Naji Abiad, John Albani



Let Us Remember our Beloved Ones who died during the month of September

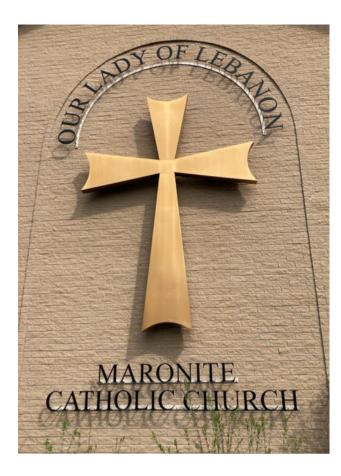
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Sunday, August 29, 2021

Collection	\$ 1,938	THANK YOU FOR YOUR
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Online:	\$ 1,050	MAY GOD ACCEPT YOUR SACRIFICIES.

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MYO (Maronite Youth Organization)

Meetings on Saturdays @ 1pm, via Zoom. For more information please contact: **Gisele**: (630) 229-4216

MYA (Maronite Youth Adults)

Meetings on Sundays @ 7pm, via Zoom. For more information please contact: **Karen**: (630) 597-8501 or **Danny**: (847) 924-7806

Church Forms

