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Season of Pentecost—Fifth Sunday of Pentecost

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Fifth Sunday of Pentecost



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Matthew 10: 1

June 19-20, 2021

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Liturgy Schedule

The Holy Mysteries are celebrated:

Saturdays: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 10:30 AM

Doors open one hour before each Liturgy

Holy Days: 7:00 PM

Daily Liturgy: Wednesday-Friday 7:00PM

Arabic Liturgy on Fridays –7:00 PM

Holy Mystery of Reconciliation

The sacrament of Reconciliation is available one hour before each Liturgy. And, it is also available any time upon request.

Ministry of the Sick

If a parishioner is seriously ill at home or in the hospital, please call the church office to arrange for Communion or the Anointing of the Sick.

Holy Mystery of Crowning

Please consult with the pastor to make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of your proposed date in order to avoid conflicts in scheduling.



"My mission - to make God loved - will begin after my death.

I will spend my heaven doing good on earth.

I will let fall a shower of roses."

~Saint Theresa of Lisieux~

Religious Education

Classes are held on Saturdays
September through April
9:00 AM—12:00 Noon

Holy Mysteries of Baptism and Chrismation

Please make arrangements with the pastor at least one month in advance. Sponsors must meet particular requirement of church law; parents must consult with the pastor before inviting someone to serve as a sponsor. To schedule your baptism, call the church office.

Adoration

"Do you realize that Jesus is there in the tabernacle expressly for you - for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart...don't listen to the demon; laugh at him, and go without fear to receive the Jesus of peace and love..."
~St. Theresa of Lisieux~

Please Note: Eucharistic Adoration and Liturgy takes place on

Thursday Evenings. Doors open at 6:00PM.

MYO—MYA

MYO- MYA meet
September through April



Fifth Sunday of Pentecost

Sat. June 19 at 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+All living and deceased Father's of the parish

+Selma Mowad as requested by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Magner

Sun. June 20 at 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+All living and deceased Father's of the parish



Sts. Peter and Paul

Sat. June 26 at 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+Hameed and Catherine Macary as requested by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Magner

Sun. June 27 at 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:

40 Day Memorial for +Malek ElHayek as requested by the family

Join us virtually for
The 2021 National Maronite Youth Days



Salt N Light

June 26, 2021 4-8PM EST
June 27, 2021 4-6:30PM EST

Registration is NOW OPEN at
www.maroniteyouth.org

Light of Life (LoL) Bible Camp!

The Maronite Servants of Christ the Light invite children (Ages 5-12) to join us for an in-person 3 day Bible Camp at St. Anthony of the Desert Church, Fall River, MA



REGISTER HERE

Contact the Sisters for more information: 508-896-1753
stjohnsfallriver@dioceseofboston.org

Prayer and Food Presentations will be held

August 2-6
2021

9:30-2:30pm
Save the Date!





**TIME, TALENT & TREASURE
STEWARDSHIP: A WAY OF LIFE**

Parish Support

Offertory needed each week \$ 2,000.00. Our offertory is needed for the following: Parish Assessment, paid monthly from Feb. thru Nov: \$750.00. Parish Building Insurance, paid monthly from Jan. thru Nov: \$970.00. 6/13/21 \$1,672.00

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

O Divine Ocean of Mercy and Compassion, be with us in our time of trial and difficulties. Today I make an act of spiritual communion with you, the Life-Giving Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. At this time I am not able to receive the sacred body and blood of my Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ, but I choose to live in union with him and in the unity of the Holy Spirit. I offer my day, my daily life, my joys and sorrows to you, for those around me, and for the whole world. Be with us O life-giving Triune God, for we know that nothing in this world has power over us. O Lover of all people, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

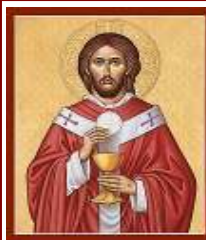
Upcoming Second Collection

Per directive of the Eparchy there will be a second collection for **Peter's Pence the Holy Father's** collection on **June 26-27, 2021**. The entire collection is sent to the Holy Father to assist him with emergency financial assistance to aid the most needy throughout the world. This collection is sent to the Eparchy for its proper distribution. Thank you for your continued generosity and support. God bless.



For the Month of June

Bread and Wine



Bread & wine for the Holy Gifts

are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

+George S. Asack, Sr.

by Madeleine Asack and family

Vigil Candle for the Blessed Mother



Vigil candle for the Blessed Mother

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

+Naja and Samera Nessralla

by Mr. and Mrs. Mansur Nessralla and family

Vigil Candle for the Shrine of St. Theresa



Vigil candle for Shrine of St. Theresa

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of :

+Arlena "Lee" George Roukous

Sanctuary candle for the Tabernacle



Sanctuary candle for the Tabernacle

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of :

+Ernie and Ann LaFranchise

Vigil candles for the Gospel Throne

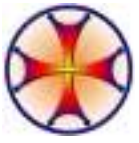


Vigil candle for the Gospel Throne

is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:

+John and Amanda Nessralla

by Shirley, Diane and Joyce Nessralla



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A Reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Philippians 3:7-14

Yet whatever gains I had these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own.

Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Gospel: Matthew 10:1-7

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near."



فصل من رسالة القديس بولس الرسول إلى أهل فيليبي

يا إخوتي، إنَّ كُلَّ هذهِ الأمورِ التي كانت لي ربحًا، حسبتها من أجلِ المسيحِ خسرانًا. بل إنِّي أحسبُ كلَّ شيءٍ أيضًا خسرانًا، إزاءَ الربِّ الأعظمِ وهو معرفةُ المسيحِ يسوعَ ربِّي، الَّذي من أجلِهِ خسرتُ كلَّ شيءٍ، وأحسبُهُ نفايةً لأربحَ المسيحَ، وأوجدَ فيه مبررًا لا بالبرِّ الَّذي من الشريعةِ، بل بالبرِّ الَّذي من الإيمانِ بالمسيحِ، الَّذي هو من الله، والقائم على الإيمان. وذلكَ لي أعرفه وأعرف قوَّةَ قيامتهِ، وأشتركَ في آلامه، مُتَشَبِّهًا به في موتهِ، لعلِّي أبلغُ القيامةَ من بينِ الأموات. ولا أدعي أنني قد حصلتُ على ذلك، أو أنني بلغتُ إلى الكمال، لكنِّي أسعى لعلِّي أدركه، لأنَّ المسيحَ يسوعَ أدركني!

أيُّهَا الإخوة، أنا لا أظنُّ أنني أدركتُ، ولكنَّ يهمني أمرٌ واحد، وهو أن أنسى ما ورأيتُ، وأمتدَّ إلى ما أمامي. فأسعى إلى الهدفِ لأفوزَ بالجائزةِ العُليا التي يدعوننا اللهُ إليها في المسيحِ يسوعَ. **والتسبيح لله دائما**

من إنجيل ربنا يسوع المسيح للقديس متى

دعا يسوعُ تلاميذهِ الاثني عشرَ، فأعطاهم سلطانًا يطرُدونَ بهِ الأرواحَ النَّجِسةَ، ويشفونَ الشَّعبَ من كلِّ مَرَضٍ وكلِّ علةٍ. وهذه أسماءُ الرُّسلِ الاثني عشرَ: الأوَّلُ سِمْعانُ الَّذي يُدعى بطرسَ، وأندراؤسُ أخوه، ويعقوبُ بنُ زبدي، ويوحنا أخوه، وفيلبسُ وبرثلماؤسُ، وثوماً ومثَّى العشارُ، ويعقوبُ بنُ حلفى وتداؤسُ، وسِمْعانُ العيورُ ويهوذا الإسخريوطي الَّذي أسلمَ يسوعَ.

هؤلاءِ الاثنا عشرَ أرسلهم يسوعُ، وقد أوصاهم قائلاً: «لا تسلكوا طريقًا إلى الوثنيين، ولا تدخلوا مدينةً للسامريين، بل اذهبوا بالبحريِّ إلى الخرافِ الضالَّةِ من بيتِ إسرائيلِ.»