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Sixth Sunday of Pentecost

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“BEHOLD, I SEND YOU OUT AS SHEEP IN THE MIDST OF WOLVES.
THEREFORE BE WISE AS SERPENTS AND HARMLESS AS DOVES.”

MATTHEW 10:16

Sixth Sunday of Pentecost

Sat. July 8 @ 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+ Antoine Abshe and his Parents as requested by the family

Sun. July 9 @ 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:

40 Day Memorial for +Mouna Saoud Berqashi as requested by Mr. and Mrs. George Saoud



Seventh Sunday of Pentecost

Sat. July 15 @ 4:00 PM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+ Farid Feghaly as requested by the family

Sun. July 16 @ 10:30 AM Liturgy Celebrated for:

+Intention of the celebrant



For the Month of July

Bread & wine for the Holy Gifts are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
+All deceased members of the Asiaf family
by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colandrea

Vigil candle for the Gospel Throne is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
+Special Intention

Sanctuary candle for the Tabernacle is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
+Geraldine George by Mr. Manthala George and family

Vigil candle for Shrine of St. Theresa is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
+Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and all deceased members
by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colandrea



Lectors' Schedule

Saturday, July 8 , 2017

English: Thomas

Sunday, July 9, 2017

English: Beverly

Arabic: Alexie

The Holy Mysteries are celebrated:

Saturdays at 4:00 PM; Sundays at 10:30 AM; 7:00 PM Holydays

Holy Mystery of Reconciliation: Available any time on request.

Ministry to 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 Mysteries of Baptism and Chrismation: Please make arrangements with the pastor at least one month in advance. Sponsors must meet particular requirements of church law; parents must consult with the pastor before inviting someone to serve as a sponsor.

Holy Mystery of Crowning: Please consult with the pastor to make arrangements at least 6 months in advance of proposed date in order to avoid any difficulty in scheduling

Reading: Corinthians 12:12-13, 27- 30

Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body Jews or Greeks, slaves or free and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret?

فصل من رسالة القديس بولس الأولى إلى أهل كورنثوس

يا إخوتي، كما أن الجسد هو واحد، وله أعضاء كثيرة، وأعضاء الجسد كلها، مع أنها كثيرة، هي جسد واحد، كذلك المسيح أيضا. فنحن جميعا، يهودا ويونانيين، عبيدا وأحرارا، قد تعمدنا في روح واحد لنكون جسدا واحدا، وسقينا جميعا روحا واحدا. فأنتم جسد المسيح، وأعضاء فيه، كل واحد كما قسم له. فقد وضع الله في الكنيسة الرسل أولا، والأنبياء ثانيا، والمعلمين ثالثا، ثم الأعمال القديرة، ثم مواهب الشفاء، وإعانة الآخرين، وحسن التدبير، وأنواع الألسن. أعلل الجميع رسل؟ أعلل الجميع أنبياء؟ أعلل الجميع معلمون؟ أعلل الجميع صانعوا أعمال قديرة؟ أعلل للجميع مواهب الشفاء؟ أعلل الجميع يتكلمون بالألسن؟ أعلل الجميع يترجمون الألسن؟



Gospel: Matthew 10:16-25

‘See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes. ‘A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

من إنجيل القديس متى

قال الرب يسوع لتلاميذه: «ها أنا أرسلكم كالخراف بين الذئاب. فكونوا حكما كالحيات، وودعاء كالحمم. إخذروا الناس! فإنهم سيسلمونكم إلى المجالس، وفي مجامعهم يجلدونكم. وتساقون إلى الولاة والملوك من أجلي، شهادة لهم وللامم. وحين يسلمونكم، لا تهتموا كيف أو بماذا تتكلمون، فإنكم ستعطون في تلك الساعة ما تتكلمون به. فلستم أنتم المتكلمين، بل روح أبيكم هو المتكلم فيكم. وسيسلم الأخ أخاه إلى الموت، والأب ابنه، ويتمرّد الأولاد على والديهم ويقتلونهم. ويبغضكم جميع الناس من أجل اسمي، ومن يصبر إلى المنتهى يخلص. وإذا اضطهدوكم في هذه المدينة، اهربوا إلى غيرها. فالحق أقول لكم: لن تبلعوا آخر مدن إسرائيل حتى يأتي ابن الإنسان. ليس تلميذ أفضل من معلمه، ولا عبد من سيده. حسب التلميذ أن يصير مثل معلمه، والعبد مثل سيده. فإن كان سيد البيت قد سموه بعل زبول، فكم بالأحرى أهل بيته؟

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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. **Offertory received:** 7/2/17, \$972.00, Holy Father's collection 7/2/17 \$122.00, forwarded to the Eparchy for proper distribution.



Welcome New Parishioners: If you are new to our parish, please fill out a registration form, which may be found on the table at the back of the church, and return it to us, so you may be added to our mailing and email list. We

extend a warm welcome to you and your family to our parish family.

Eucharistic Adoration **Please Note:** Eucharistic Adoration will resume on Friday, July 7, 2017.



WE NEED YOUR HELP !
Coffee Hour Volunteers

If you are able to lend a hand on sponsoring a Sunday Morning Coffee Hour, **Please** see Abouna.

News From Our Sister Parishes

Our Lady of Purgatory Church in New Bedford, MA, is inviting this community to join them in a Picnic and Liturgy on Sunday, July 9, 2017, at Cathedral Camp Retreat, 167 Middleboro Road, East Freetown. For those who wish to attend we will be leaving the church following the Liturgy on Sunday.

Remember Me in Your Kingdom Group, cordially invites you to participate in the Liturgy with all of their members in Massachusetts and Connecticut on **Sunday, July 23, 2017 at 9:30 AM and 11:00 AM at The Cathedral of the Annunciation** in West Roxbury, MA. A reception brunch will be held following the liturgies. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Grillin' up a good time!
Please join us for a Ladies' Night Cookout served by your Beloved "Knights"



The Men are Setting Up!
The Men are Cleaning UP!

Everyone in the parish is invited!

St. Basil in Lincoln, RI invites you to their Summer Festival on Sunday, July 30, 2017, from Noon—7:00 PM, at 15 Skyview Drive, Lincoln, RI 02865. Featuring: Maher Al Ashkar and Gilbert Nassar. For more information please call 401-722-1345.

St. Anthony Maronite Church in Danbury, CT, is hosting their Annual Festival on Friday, August 18 from 3:00 PM to Midnight and Saturday, August 19, 2017, from Noon—Midnight at 17 Granville Avenue, Danbury, CT 06810. Featuring Amin Sultan and the Sultan Ensemble.

St. Anthony Maronite Church in Lawrence, MA, is hosting their Annual Lebanese Mahrajan on Friday, Sept. 1, from 6PM-Midnight, Featuring Andre Keedy and Ensemble, Saturday, Sept. 2, from 5PM-Midnight, Featuring Chadi Naddaf and Ensemble and Sunday, Sept. 3 from Noon — Midnight, Featuring George Maalouf and Ensemble. Free Admission ! At 145 Amesbury Street, Lawrence, MA 01841.