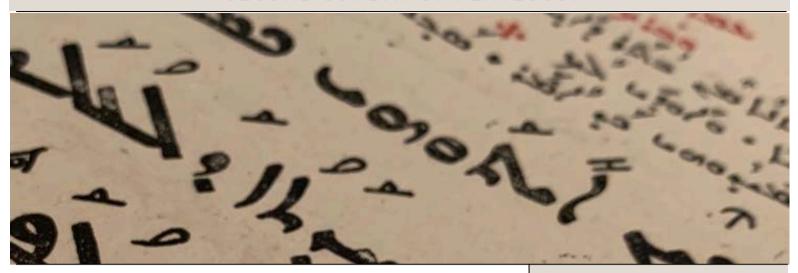
#### SECOND SUNDAY OF PENTECOST



#### From the Desk of the Pastor

"Who is able the comprehend mystery of the Trinity for height and depth are filled by Him and is not subject to inquiry? The Father begot the Only-Begotten, the First-Born Son became man, and the Holy Spirit is the Paraclete, the Perfecter and Completer. Glory be to the Hidden One who is uncontainable in His nature - Three Adorable Persons, One Lordship glorified by creation."

-From the Syriac Rite Maronite Pentecost

to The hymnodist asks, "Who is able to comprehend the mystery of the Trinity?" and notes that "height and depth" are filled by God's Presence - meaning that all of Creation is filled with God but is not able to contain Him. The hymnodist also states that the Mystery of the Trinity is "not subject to inquiry." We, as finite creatures, are unable to plunge into the depths of the immense mystery of the Godhead and even if we were to try, we would never be able fully understand. He goes on to write, "Glory be to the Hidden One who is uncontainable in His nature..." showing us that God cannot be contained – by Heaven, by Earth, or by our intellect. We can only glorify the Mystery of the Trinity and praise the Hidden One Kneeling for the Feast of through the names that He has revealed to us - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.



## **Antiochene Syriac Maronite Church**

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Most Reverend Gregory John Mansour Eparchy of St. Maron of Brooklyn

#### **Parish Clergy**

#### Rev. Father Aaron J. Sandbothe

Pastor

ajsandbothe@gmail.com | 315.790.0059

Rev. Subdeacon Dr. Mallard T. George Rev. Subdeacon Dr. Charles D. Machesky

### Rev. Subdeacon Charles J.R. Michael

New to St. George?

Welcome! We are happy to have you worshipping with us! We hope that you will soon call our parish your spiritual home! Please contact the parish office for more information.

BEHOLD, ON THIS DAY, HEAVEN AND EARTH REJOICE AND SING PRAISE... ON IT, THE CHURCH, SAVED BY THE CROSS, LIFTS UP PRAISE BECAUSE THROUGH RESURRECTION SHE HAS BEEN RAISED UP OVER HER ENEMIES. ALLELUIA, BLESSED IS THE ONE WHO CHOSE HER.

## Parish Information

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## Parish Stewardship

## Week of 19 May 2024

ist Collection	\$1,387.00

Electronic Giving \$187.00 2nd Collections \$238.00

Candles \$81.00

Blue Mass \$50.00

Received \$1,943.00

Budget \$3,500.00

Difference -\$1,557.00

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## Stewardship | 2024 YTD

Church.

Received \$98,554.00

Budget \$70,000.00

Difference \$28,554.00

Online stewardship is the easiest and most secure way of contributing to the financial stability and health of our parish. Please consider making your weekly or monthly contributions online. Instructions can be found on the parish website. Thank you for your continued generous support for St. George

## **Liturgical Schedule**

Sat | 4:00 pm Sun | 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Tue | Vespers | 6:00 pm (var)

Tu - Fri | 8:30 am

Feasts | 7:00 pm

## This Week @ St. George

## Sat | 25 May | 4:00pm

St. Eleutherius & His Mother, M | St. Basilla, M + Kherestine Risha by Tom & Barbara Michael

## Sun | 26 May | 8:30am

St. Carpus, Disciple of St. Paul, M
+ John C. Myers
by Family
+ Roger Jeffries
by Wife, Children, & Grandchildren

## Sun | 26 May | 10:30am

+ Sandy & George Fabian by Joe & Ronda Risha & Family

> Tue | 28 May | 8:30am St. Heliconis. M

Intention Available

Wed | 29 May | 8:30am St. Theodosia of Tyre, M

+ Paul Bena by Dr. Mike & Paula George

## Thu | 30 May | 8:30am

Pope St. Felix I, C + Ann Gabriel & Dorothy, Mary, & Haseba George by Dr. Pete & Mary Gabriel

## Fri | 31 May | 8:30am

St. Petronilla, C | St. Hermias, M + Helen Unice Durka *by Anna Newhouse* 

## Sat | 01 June | 4:00pm

St. Justin Martyr, M + Harry & Rita Sisson & Daughters Terry & Rita by Family

## PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 2nd Sunday of Pentecost St. Carpus, Disciple	27 Sts. Theodora & Didymus, M	28 St. Heliconis, M	29 St. Theodosia of Tyre, M	30 Pope St. Felix I, C	3] St. Petronilla, C St. Hermias, M	O1 JUN St. Justin Martyr, M
of St. Paul, M <b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + John C. Myers + Roger Jeffries		Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am + Paul Bena	Liturgy   8:30am + Ann Gabriel, Dorothy George, Mary George, Haseba George	Liturgy   8:30am + Helen Unice Durka	<b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Harry & Rita Sisson & Daughters Terry & Rita
<b>Liturgy   10:30am</b> + Sandy & George Fabian						
Gen 18:1-8 Rom 11:25-36 Matt 28:16-20	Acts 4:5-12 John 15:1-8	Acts 4:13-22 John 15:9-14	Acts 4:23-31 John 15:15-17	Acts 5:1-12 John 15:18-21	Acts 5:12-21 John 15:22-27	Acts 5:21-33 John 16:1-4
<b>02</b> 3rd Sunday of Pentecost The Four Evangelists	03 St. Awtel, C	O4 St. Elmo, M	O5 St. Conan & His Son, M	07 St. Dorotheus, Bishop of Tyre, M	07 St. Susanna the Judean, C	08 Discovery of the Nails of Christ St. Cyrilla, M
<b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Richard Elias George, Sr.		Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am + Kherestine Risha	Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Festival Prep   9:00am
<b>Liturgy   10:30am</b> + Barbara Unice		Vespers   6:00pm Bible Study   6:30pm				Liturgy   4:00pm + John R. Joseph
Prov 8:22-36 1 Cor 2:1-10 John 14:21-27	Acts 5:34-42 John 16:5-11	Acts 6:1-12 John 16:12-15	Acts 7:1-8 John 16:16-19	Acts 7:9-16 John 16:20-24	Acts 7:17-29 John 16:25-28	Acts 7:30-38 John 16:29-33
09 4th Sunday of Pentecost St. Pelagia of	10 St. Barnabas, One of the 72 Disciples, Ap	]] St. Bartholomew, Ap	12 St. Onuphrius, C	13 St. Aquilina of Jbeil, M	<b>14</b> Elisha the Prophet, C	15 St. Basil the Great, C
Antioch, M  Liturgy   8:30am + Tlagy George, Nassry, Hassoun, & Nassry Jr. Amanwelle + Ralph Edwards Unis, Jr Forty Day Memorial  Liturgy   10:30am		Liturgy   8:30am + Christopher Sleighter	Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am + Kherestine Risha	<b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Joyce Irr
+ Saada Nayef Habib	Acts 7:44-50 Matt 18:1-5	1 Cor 12:28-13:7 Luke 6:12-19	Acts 8:1-8 Matt 18:11-14	1 Cor 4:9-16 Luke 12:35-44	Acts 8:26-40 Matt 18:21-35	Acts 9:1-19 Matt 11:25-30
16 5th Sunday of Pentecost Hosea the Prophet,C	17 Amos the Prophet, C	18 St. Leontius of Tripoli, M	19 St. Jude Thaddeus (Laba), Ap	20 Pope St. Silverius, C	21 St. Louis Gonzaga, C	22 St. Eusebius (Hawshab), M
Liturgy   8:30am + Helen Sloboda Breakfast   9:30am Liturgy   10:30am + Kathryn David Deeds + Departed Fathers of the Parish		Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available Vespers   6:00pm Bible Study   6:30pm	Liturgy   8:30am + Jerome S. Toth, Jr	Liturgy   8:30am Intention Available	Liturgy   8:30am + Kherestine Risha	<b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> +Suzanne & Joseph Elardo
Exodus 1:1-7 Phil 3:7-14 Matt 10:1-7	Acts 9:19-30 Matt 10:8-15	Acts 9:31-43 Matt 13:9-13	Eph 2:11-21 John 14:15-26	Acts 10:23-43 Matt 10:27-33	Acts 10: 44-48 Matt 10:4-39	Eph 4:25-5:2 Mark 11:24-26

## PARISH EVENTS, HAPPENINGS, & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Welcome!

We wish a **warm welcome** to all our visitors and to those who already call St. George home. We are happy to have you worshipping with us. Please feel free to introduce yourself to the parish clergy. We hope you will soon make St. George your spiritual home!

## Rosary Garden Revitalization

Our ARS Rosary Garden and Grotto is nearly 25 years old and in dire need of revitalization, replanting, and a refocusing to beautify the area and also provide security to the campus. If your family has a current memorialization in the garden please see Fr. Aaron or if your family would like to contribute to the revitalization project and would like to make a memorial please see Fr. Aaron or Donna George.

## Second Collection

A second collection will be taken on **30 June** for the Holy Father.

## Father's Day Breakfast

All are welcome for a Father's Day Breakfast on **Sunday, 16 June**, chaired by Georgie Mansberry. You may also purchase pita, spinach pies, and fried dough. If you would like to order pita bread or spinach pies on the months that the Ladies Guild hold breakfasts, please call or text Claudia at 724.557.1338.

## Bible Study

Our **Bible Study** series will continue on **Tuesday**, **04 June** with **Evening Prayer at 6:00pm** followed by **Bible Study at 6:30pm** in the Rectory. This series is entitled *Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother*.

## Gabriel Scholarship

James & Tammer Gabriel Scholarship: Graduates who are active members of our parish are eligible to submit a letter to be considered for this scholarship. The letter must include future academic endeavors, copy of grades from the most recent year completed in high school, trade school, or university. The deadline for submission is 10 June 2024.

#### Food Festival

Our Annual Lebanese Food Festival will be held on **Sunday, 21 July**! We will also have two all-parish volunteer days to roll grape leaves on **Saturday, 8 June** beginning at **9:00am**. Lunch will be provided for volunteers. Please RSVP via the Email Signup or by calling the Parish Office. The Ladies Guild will be accepting orders for certain bulk food items before the Food Festival. These orders must be \$75 or more and must be placed by Saturday, 14 July. Orders can be placed by calling Mary Jo at 724.208.0617. Pickup for all orders will be on Saturday, 22 July between Noon and 3:00pm.

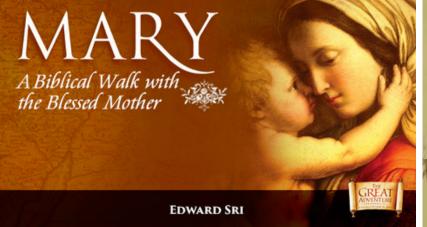
## Vacation Bible School

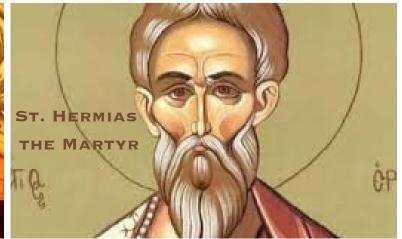
Save the Date | Vacation Bible School | Grades 1-12 Faith & Family | 27-28 June | 1:30-4:30pm

Dear St. George Families,

Your children are the future of our parish family and a beautiful testament to your faith. Please encourage them to attend our brief **VBS summer program** to celebrate the beauty of the family.

In preparation for the **100th Anniversary of our parish, we will begin a special project this year.** Contact Ronda Risha to learn more about the project, to register, or to volunteer. 724.557.0399.





## PRAYER LIST

Michelle Sante | Lynda Handlin | Teresa Rogers | Aliya Davis | Kimberly Steinmiller | Patty Benson | Leonard W. Neill II | Davey Rusko | Jim Delgreco | for a living or deceased loved one or any other Joan Mickey | Josette Shady Abi-Nader | Brooklynn Dennis | Gina Michael | Cookie Shady Benson | Tammy McKenzie | Kamberly George | Lorraine Guynn | Eileen Crutchman | Barb Howard Misiak | Helen Adams | Tanya Loring Kizner | John Mansberry | Donald George | Larry Hicks | Subdeacon Mallard George | Joe Joseph | Gerry Dawson | Jodi Zelina Paul | Phillip Michael Patricia Horvath

## MEMORIALS

### **Sanctuary Light**

James & Ann Mullen by Family

#### **Altar Candles**

Jerome S. Toth, Sr. & Jerome S. Toth, Jr. by Family

#### **Altar Bread & Wine**

Ellwood, Freda, & Michael Kelly by Sherry, Ellwood, Mary, & Families

## Liturgy Intentions

Liturgy Intention scheduling can be made by contacting the Parish Office or in the binder in the narthex. If you would like to schedule a liturgy intention, please contact the parish office, send a note via mail or collection basket, or email. If you have already scheduled a specific or recurring monthly or yearly liturgy, please remember to send in your stipend before the liturgy is celebrated.

## Stewardship

The Eparchy has raised our monthly parochial assessment and our annual Lenten Bishop's Appeal. Please prayerfully consider how you can help our parish to continue meeting our obligations to the Bishop and the Eparchy. Scripture tells us that ten percent of everything we have should be used for the glory of God and the benefit of others, and we suggest that 5% of your tithe be given to the parish in your offertory donations, 1% be given to the Eparchy in the Lenten Appeal, and the remaining 4% be given to charities of your choice including our capital campaigns and building fund.

We are in need of volunteers for collection counters and Old Testament Lectors, and substitutes as well. Willing and interested parties are asked to contact the Parish Office.

## SACRAMENTAL & PASTORAL CARE

## **Mysteries of Baptism and Chrismation**

Sacramental Preparation is required before a baptism can be scheduled. We encourage this to happen before the birth of a child.

## **Mystery of Crowning**

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Marriage Preparation is required as part of the process.

### **Pastoral Care for the Sick**

If a loved one is hospitalized, ill, or homebound, please call or email the Parish Office.

For emergencies, please call Father Aaron directly at 315.790.0059.

## **Religious Education**

Faith Formation for both Children and Adults will be available during the academic year.

#### Confessions

Confessions are held on Saturday from 3:30-3:55pm or by appointment.

## AREA EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The 59th Annual **NAM Convention** hosted by St. Sharbel Church will be held in **Detroit. Michigan** from 4-7 July 2024 at the Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center. More information and registration can be found on the NAM Website: www.namnews.org. Deadline is 1 June.

## Monastic Led Pilgrimage

St. Vincent Archabbey's Retreat Office is going abroad with monastic-led pilgrimages. The pilgrimage will follow the Footsteps of St. Patrick across the Emerald Isle of Ireland by private coach. Pilgrims will be accompanied by Benedictine Fr. Phillip Kanfush from 21-29 July. For more information, contact the retreat office at svaretreats@gmail.com.

## Maronite Youth Organization

All youth in **Grades 6-12** are encouraged to sign up for MYO. Please call or text Subdeacon Chuck Michael at 724.323.4653. Also, please sign up on Remind to keep up to date with any MYO events and announcements by texting @myo202 to 81010. To be eligible for any Parish Scholarships, or to be recommended for any NAM or Eparchial awards, a child must be a regular communicant at Sunday and Festal liturgies and an active participant in the MYO/Faith Formation program.





Date	Session	Main Reading	Additional Readings
7 May	Introduction		_
7 May	1. The Annunciation	Luke 1:26-38	Exodus 3:10-12 Judges 6:14-18 2 Samuel 7:9-16 Zephaniah 3:14-15 Zechariah 9:9 Matthew 6:10 Luke 22:42
21 May	2. The Visitation	Luke 1:39-56	Judges 5:24-26 2 Samuel 6:2, 9-16, 24:21 1 Kings 2:19-20 2 Kings 24:12 Judith 13:18 Proverbs 31:1-12 Luke 1:1-25
4 Jun	3. The Nativity	Luke 2:1-20	Genesis 37:5-11 Psalm 119:11 Proverbs 3:1-2 Micah 5:2-4 (NAB 1-3) Luke 23: 53
18 Jun	4. The Presentation & The Finding of Jesus in the Temple	Luke 2:21-52	Leviticus 12:8; 26:6-7 Deuteronomy 32:25 Isaiah 42:1-6 Luke 9:22, 51; 19:45, 21:1 John 19:31-35
16 Jul	5. The Wedding at Cana	John 2:1-11	Exodus 3:14-15; 19:8 Joshua 24:24 Nehemiah 5:12 John 1: 20:29
23 Jul	6. Mary at the Cross	John 19:25-30	Genesis 3:15; 2 Maccabees 7:1-39 Matthew 16:21, 24, 32, 26:56 John 5:25-28, 7:30, 12:23-24, 26, 31-33 15:24, 16:20-22, 20:8, 21:7
6 Aug	7. Mary Crowned with Glory	Revelation 12:1-17	Genesis 3:15 Paslm 2:9 Luke 1:38-39, 45, 2:19, 51 John 19:25-27 Acts 1:14 2 Timothy 4:7-8



# WORKSHOPS NAM: PAST, PRESENT & FUTURE Gather to reflect on 60 years of NAM accomplishments and learn about NAM's upcoming missions for the Maronite Church in the US and abroad. (Thu 4 PM) Join us for an afternoon of dabke dancing, games, spiritual talks and an exciting scave hunt on the Detroit Riverwalk! (Fri 2-4 PM)

### 59th NAM Convention Schedule

St. Sharbel Church - Clinton Township, MI **Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center** 

July 4-7, 2024



Maronites on Mission: Created, Called, Sent Forth

#### EXCURSIONS

MARONITE FAMILY REUNION Tour the grounds of St. Sharbel Church and celebrate this unique NAM reunion with grea food, dancing, and fun for all! (Thu 6:00 PM)

MYA ROLLING PEDAL TOUR

SOLANUS CASEY CENTER A special pilgrimage and guided tour of the official home/shrine of Blessed Fr. Solanus Casey in Detroit! (Fri 2-4 PM)

DIAMOND JACKS BOAT TOUR + LUNCH

Lay back and relax! Splash and cool down with your MYO friends at the Marriott Courtyard rooftop pool! (Sat 2-4 PM)

Hop aboard and explore the bustling streets and neighborhoods of Detroit you pedal your way to landmarks and dining hot spots! (Fri 3-5 PM)

PETER HERBECK









An Evangelist, Christian Coach, and host of the "Epiphany" show on Ave Maria Radio in Ann Arbor Vanessa joins us to share the power of the Gospel in our mission ahead! (Fri 10 AM)





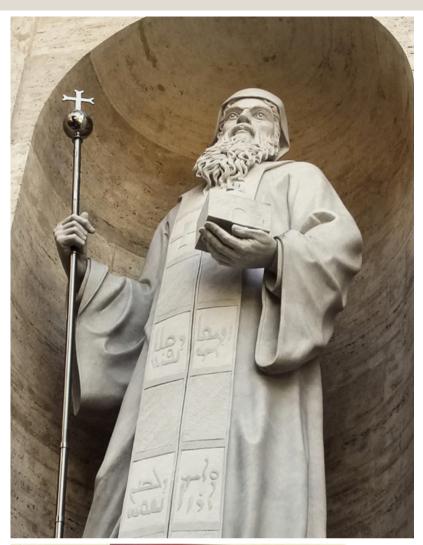




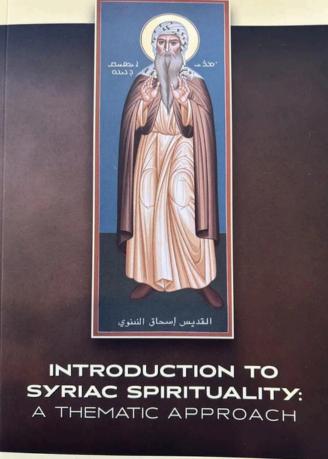




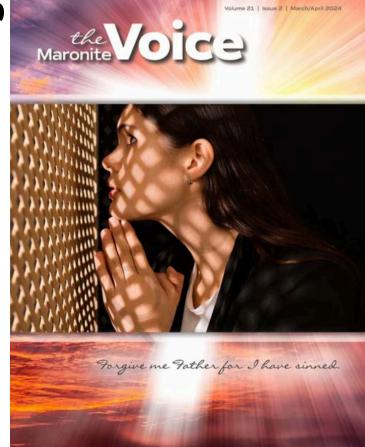
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