

## THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

**From the Desk of the Pastor****Christ is Risen! Truly He is Risen!**

In one of the hymns for the Feast of Easter we sing:

*Alleluia! Christ, the Son of Mary, died; he tasted death on the Cross. He brought Adam back to life when he went down to the dead. Seeing him, Death was afraid and lost its crown in the fight. In glory Christ rose from death, and he lifted us on high.*

On this greatest Day of days we celebrate the great victory that Christ has won on our behalf. Through His perfect obedience in tasting death on the Cross, Christ abolished the disobedience of Adam in the Garden. He, Who is Life, killed Death in its own realm that it would no longer have power over us. Arising from that terrible and awesome battle, Christ rose from death to show us that Death has been vanquished, it no longer has a permanent hold on any of us. Just as Christ's descent to Sheol was only temporary, our deaths are only temporary – we now have hope of the Resurrection!

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**A Catholic Parish of the Antiochene Syriac Maronite Church**

*St. George Church is committed to sharing the fullness of the Gospel and living the richness of the Syriac Maronite Tradition through worship, charity, and striving for personal and communal holiness.*

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

**Parish Clergy**

**Rev. Father Aaron J. Sandbothe**  
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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.*

*ON THE SABBATH WHEN SUNDAY WAS DAWNING, DEATH CRIED OUT AND SATAN FLED, FOR OUR LORD ROSE FROM THE DEAD WITH GREAT POWER. HE ASSAILED WRETCHED SHEOL, AND IT SPAT OUT ALL THE DEAD WHO HAD BEEN IN IT.*

# Parish Information

## Parish Office

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# Parish Stewardship

## Week of 24 March 2024

1st Collection	\$2,080.00
Electronic Giving	\$197.00
Candles	\$72.00
Eparchial Lenten Appeal	\$1,010.00
Fish Fry	\$1,989.00
Easter Flowers	\$355.00
Second Collections	\$25.00

<b>Received</b>	<b>\$5,728.00</b>
Budget	\$3,500.00
<b>Difference</b>	<b>\$2,228.00</b>

## Stewardship | 2024 YTD

Received	\$55,247.00
Budget	\$42,000.00
<b>Difference</b>	<b>\$13,247.00</b>

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 Church.

# 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 | 30 Mar | 4:00pm**

St. John Climacus, C

+ Barbara Unice

*by Bev & Eli George*

**Sun | 31 Mar | 10:00am**

Pope St. Lucius I, M

Intentions of Parishioners

**Tue | 2 Apr | 8:30am**

St. Aphian and His Brother St. Aedesius, M

+ Jackie Burleson

*by Fr. Aaron*

**Wed | 3 Apr | 8:30am**

Isaiah and Ezekiel the Prophets, C

+ Richard Elias George Sr.

*by Marvin & Marlene Miller*

**Thu | 4 Apr | 8:30am**

+ Patrina Marinelli Ross

*by Barbara & Tom Michael*

**Fri | 5 Apr | 8:30am**

St. Robert, C

+ Helen Unice Durka

*by Tom & Barbara Michael*

**Sat | 6 Apr | 4:00pm**

St. Marcellinus, M

+ Helen Fetsko *by Janice Cosenza*

**Sun | 7 Apr | 8:30am**

+ Nina Napoleone *by Barbara & Joe George*

**Sun | 7 Apr | 10:30am**

Gina Michael & Family / Wellbeing

*by Barbara & Tom Michael*

# PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>31</b> <b>THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD</b> Pope St. Lucius I, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy of Easter Sunday   10:00am</b> Intentions of Parishioners</p> <p><b>Easter Egg Hunt &amp; Fellowship   11:30am</b></p> <hr/> <p>Jonah 2:1-11 1 Cor 15:12-26 Mark 16:1-8</p>	<p><b>01 APR</b> <b>White Monday</b> St. Mary of Egypt, C</p> <hr/> <p>1 Cor 15:1-11 Mark 16:9-14</p>	<p><b>02</b> <b>White Tuesday</b> St. Aphian &amp; His Brother St. Aedesius, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Jackie Burleson</p> <hr/> <p>Rom 6:3-11 John 21:1-14</p>	<p><b>03</b> <b>White Wednesday</b> Isaiah and Ezekiel the Prophets, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Intention Available</p> <hr/> <p>Col 3:1-11 John 21:15-25</p>	<p><b>04</b> <b>White Thursday</b> Pope St. Anicetus, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Patrina Marinelli Ross</p> <hr/> <p>Eph 2:1-10 Mark 16:15-18</p>	<p><b>05</b> <b>White Friday</b> St. Robert, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Helen Unice Durka</p> <hr/> <p>Rom 10:4-12 Luke 24:36-45</p>	<p><b>06</b> <b>White Saturday</b> St. Marcellinus, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Helen Fetsko</p> <hr/> <p>Col 2:8-15 John 20:19-25</p>
<p><b>07</b> <b>New Sunday</b></p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Nina Napoleone</p> <p><b>MCF   9:20am</b></p> <p><b>Liturgy   10:30am</b> Gina Michael &amp; Family &amp; Wellbeing</p> <hr/> <p>Isaiah 42:7-12 2 Cor 5:11-21 John 20:26-31</p>	<p><b>08</b> Nicaea II St. Barlaam, M</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 1:1-9 John 20:1-10</p>	<p><b>09</b> St. Hermas, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Intention Available</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 1:10-16 John 20:11-18</p>	<p><b>10</b> The Miracle of the Icon of Christ in Beirut St. Agabus, C</p> <p>No Liturgy</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 1:17-21 Matt 28:11-15</p>	<p><b>11</b> St. Antipas, M</p> <p>No Liturgy</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 1:22-25 Matt 28:16-20</p>	<p><b>12</b> Sts. Mennas, Hermogenes and Eugraphus, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Joe Faris</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 2:1-10 John 2:13-25</p>	<p><b>13</b> St. Zosimas, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Loretta M. Joseph &amp; Family</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 2:11-17 Matt 22:41-46</p>
<p><b>14</b> <b>3rd Sunday of the Resurrection</b> St. Hermenegild the King, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Helen Unice Durka <b>MCF   9:20am</b> <b>Rosary   10:00am</b> <b>Liturgy   10:30am</b> + Elizabeth "Libby" John + Kherestine Risha 40 Day <b>Potluck   11:30am</b></p> <hr/> <p>Job 42:1-12 2 Tim 2:8-13 Luke 24:13-35</p>	<p><b>15</b> Pope St. Soter, M</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 2:18-25 Luke 24:44-49</p>	<p><b>16</b> St. Bernadette Soubirous, C</p> <p>No Liturgy</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 3:1-12 John 6:28-33</p>	<p><b>17</b> Pope St. Agapitus, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + John Dimitroff</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 3:13-22 John 6:34-40</p>	<p><b>18</b> St. Thais the Penitent, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Richard Elias George, Sr.</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 4:1-11 John 6:41-47</p>	<p><b>19</b> St. Timon the Deacon, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Intention Available</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 4:12-19 John 6:48-59</p>	<p><b>20</b> St. Nathanael the Hermit, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Helen Unice Durka</p> <hr/> <p>1 Pet 5:1-14 John 6:60-71</p>
<p><b>21</b> <b>St. George (Observed)</b> St. Anselm, C</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Mike &amp; Joanne John</p> <p><b>Liturgy   10:30am</b> + George Risha First Communicants</p> <hr/> <p>Gen 1:20-23 Heb 13:18-25 John 21:1-14</p>	<p><b>22</b> St. Theodore of Sykeon, C</p> <hr/> <p>1 Thes 1:1-10 Luke 5:1-11</p>	<p><b>23</b> <b>St. George, M</b></p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Intentions of Parishioners</p> <hr/> <p>2 Tim 2:4-13 John 15:1-8</p>	<p><b>24</b> St. Saba the Commander, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Intention Available</p> <hr/> <p>1 Thes 2:13-20 John 6:1-15</p>	<p><b>25</b> St. Mark the Evangelist, Ap</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> Sam &amp; Sherri Sandbothe Wedding Anniversary</p> <hr/> <p>Col 4:5-10 Luke 10:1-7</p>	<p><b>26</b> Pope St. Anacletus, M</p> <p><b>Liturgy   8:30am</b> + Helen Unice Durka</p> <hr/> <p>1 Thes 4:1-12 John 6:22-27</p>	<p><b>27</b> St. Simon, Brother of the Lord, Ap</p> <p><b>Liturgy   4:00pm</b> + Loretta M. Joseph &amp; Family</p> <hr/> <p>Eph 4:10-16 Luke 6:12-19</p>

# 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!

## Eparchial Charities Appeal

The **Eparchial Charities Appeal** is the annual Bishop's Appeal that funds our **seminary, helps our retired clergy, and funds many initiatives** throughout the eparchy. For 2024 our parish has been assessed a goal of **\$7,500**.



## Bishop Visit & Potluck

**Bishop Gregory** will celebrate the **10:30am Liturgy on Sunday, 14 April**. A **potluck social** will follow the 10:30am Liturgy.

## Lenten Fish Fry

**Thank you** to all of our **volunteers** who put in so many hard hours prepping and working our Lenten Fish Fry! As always, it was a resounding success with nothing but praise from our patrons!

## First Communion

Our First Communion Class will make their First Communion on **Sunday, 21 April** at the 10:30am Liturgy.

## Christ is Risen!

**Truly He is Risen!** Fr. Aaron, the Parish Clergy, and Staff wish everyone a happy Easter! May Christ's Resurrection from the dead fill us with abundant peace and hope!

## Second Collection

A Second Collection is traditionally taken on **Easter for the Pastor. Thank you** for your generosity!

## Easter Flowers

**Thank you** to all who memorialized a loved one on this year that allowed the church to be decorated so beautifully throughout Passion Week and Easter.

## Easter Egg Hunt & Refreshments

Following the **10:00am Liturgy on Easter Sunday** the Children's **Easter Egg Hunt** will be held and Paschal **Refreshments** and Fellowship will be held under the Portico of the Church.

## Centenary Kickoff Luncheon

Attention **Ladies of St. George**: We are so excited to begin our planning phase of the **100th Anniversary of the Founding of our Parish!** You are cordially invited to a **Ladies Luncheon at 11:30am on 7 April** in the Parish Hall. Please RSVP to Paula in the Parish Office by 30 March 2024.

## Feast of St. George

We will observe the Feast of our Parish's Patron **St. George the Great Martyr** on **Sunday, 21 April** at the 10:30am Liturgy. All are invited to share in light refreshments following the Liturgy in honor of the feast!



# PRAYER LIST

Michelle Sante | Lynda Handlin | Teresa Rogers |  
Aliya Davis | Kimberly Steinmiller | Patty Benson |  
Leonard W. Neill II | Davey Rusko | Jim Delgreco |  
Joan Mickey | Josette Shady Abi-Nader |  
Brooklynn Dennis | Gina Michael | Cookie Shady  
Benson | Tammy McKenzie | Kamberly George |  
Lorraine Guynn | Marion Bryson | Eileen  
Crutchman | Barb Howard Misiak | Helen Adams  
| Tanya Loring Kizner | John Mansberry | Donald  
George | Larry Hicks | Subdeacon Mallard George  
| Joe Joseph | Gerry Dawson

## 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*

## 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.

## 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 for a living or deceased loved one or **any other 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.

## Collection Counters & Lectors

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

# AREA EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## St. Sharbel Spiritual Life Center

The Grand Opening of the **Saint Sharbel Spiritual Life Center** in Pittsburgh will take place on Saturday, **13 April 2024**. To register online for the Open House, Dedication, or to purchase tickets for the Dinner & Concert (\$50 pp), please visit [www.saintsharbelcenter.org](http://www.saintsharbelcenter.org). If you would like to attend the dedication and dinner but need help with transportation, or if the price of the ticket would be prohibitive, please contact the Parish Office.

## Catholic Men's Retreat


"Into The Wild, Catholic Men's Retreat" will be held **16-19 May** and is sponsored by "The King's Men". This is a fantastic experiential retreat for men. Contact Mike Aesoph for details 724.812.6191.

## 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](mailto:svaretreats@gmail.com).

## Maronite Youth Organization

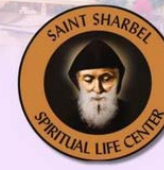
All youth in **Grades 6-12** are encouraged to sign up for MYO. Please call or text Subdeacon Chuck Michael at 724.323.4653. Also, please sign up on Remind to keep up to date with any MYO events and announcements by texting @myo202 to 81010. To be eligible for any Parish Scholarships, or to be recommended 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.




# REGISTER NOW

APRIL 5-7 2024


## Risen: Hearts on fire



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# MYA 2024 EASTER RETREAT

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## APRIL 5 - 7 ~ PITTSBURGH, PA

Friday April 5

5:00 PM	Guest Registration / Check-In + Saint Sharbel Center Tours
6:30 PM	Evening Prayer
7:00 PM	Welcome / Opening Remarks
7:30 PM	Dinner
8:30 PM	MYA Game Night

Saturday April 6

9:00 AM	Divine Liturgy
10:00 AM	Breakfast
10:45 AM	Speaker Intro + Talk 1 with Bob Lesnfsky
11:30 AM	Breakout Session 1
12:30 PM	Break
12:45 PM	Lunch
1:30 PM	Talk 2 + Q&A with Bob Lesnfsky
2:15 PM	Breakout Session 2
3:15 PM	Break
3:30 PM	Adoration & Confession
5:00 PM	Break
7:30 PM	Dinner + Closing Remarks

Optional Social Outing

Sunday April 7

10:30 AM	Rosary
11:00 AM	Divine Liturgy OLOV & Parish Luncheon



This is a Church sponsored event. Please be mindful to dress modestly for all liturgical events and activities. Register now at [myaeparchystmaron.org/book-online](https://www.myaeparchystmaron.org/book-online).

\*Schedule is subject to change

# MARONITE HAPPENINGS AROUND THE STATES



Save The Date!

July 4-7,  
2024



## MARONITE ENRICHMENT DAYS

AT THE MARONITE SEMINARY  
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2024

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

**LECTURE 1**  
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM  
LETTERS TRAVELING INTO SYRIAC

**MARONITE SEMINARY CHAMBER CHOIR**  
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**LECTURE 2**  
1:30 PM - 3:00 PM  
DISILLUSIONED IN CONSTANTINOPLE

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

**LECTURE 3**  
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM  
THE HOLY PLACE IN THE DESERT

**LECTURE 4**  
1:00 PM - 2:30 PM  
A NEW SYRIAC LIBRARY FOR THE LEARNED SOLITARY

[www.maroniteseminary.org](http://www.maroniteseminary.org)

**DR. ROBIN DARLING YOUNG**  
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR  
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FOR REGISTRATION

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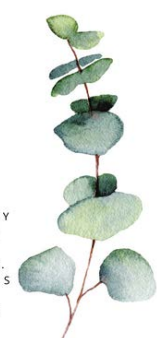
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