

***ST GEORGE MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH***  
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Sunday, March 31, 2019  
Sunday of the Healing of the Paralytic

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**HANG IT ON THE CROSS**

**If you have a secret sorrow,  
a burden or a loss  
An aching need for healing...  
HANG IT ON THE CROSS**

**If worry steals your sleep  
and makes you turn and toss  
If your heart is feeling heavy...  
HANG IT ON THE CROSS**

**Every obstacle to faith  
or doubt you come across  
Every prayer unanswered...  
HANG IT ON THE CROSS**

**For Christ has borne our brokenness  
and dearly paid the cost  
To turn our trials to triumph...  
HANGING ON THE CROSS**

**Lisa Englehardt**

*Masses & Special Intentions*

Saturday, March 30th  
4:00 pm

MR. & MRS. NORMAN SALEM SR.  
NORMAN SALEM JR.  
LUCAS SALEM  
Requested by Joe & Maria Salem

Sunday, March 31st  
8:30 am

DENNIS F. WADDINGTON, 40 Day Mass  
Requested by Barbara White & Beverly  
Rozzero

10:30 am

IBRAHIM GEBRAYEL, 1st Anniversary  
Requested by Mr. & Mrs. Sam Gebrayel

LAYA YOUSIF, 9th Anniversary  
Requested by her Family

ASSAAD DERJANI, 3rd Anniversary  
Requested by Georgette Wehbe

5:00 am Mon., Apr. 1st,  
5:00 am Fri., Apr. 5th

Tues., Apr. 2nd,      Wed., Apr. 3rd  
Sat., Apr. 6th

Saturday, April 6th  
4:00 pm

VALERIE SAAD  
Requested by Lila Melan

GABRIEL GABRIEL, Birthday Remembrance  
DOLORES McGEE, Birthday Remembrance  
Requested by the Family

Sunday, April 7th  
8:30 am

SPECIAL INTENTION

10:30 am

JOHN SOLOMON, 1st Anniversary  
Requested by the Family

Sunday & Holy Days  
Budget: \$ 3,067.07  
Eparchial Charities Appeal: \$ 952.75

March 23rd & 24th  
Votive Candles: \$ 81.00  
Total: \$ 4,100.82

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THE HOLY ROSARY SODALITY IS COLLECTING \$10.00 DONATIONS FOR THE EASTER WEEKEND ALTAR DECORATIONS. PLEASE DONATE IN MEMORY OF YOUR LOVED ONES. A MEMORIAL PAMPHLET WILL BE PUBLISHED EASTER WEEKEND. ENVELOPES AND ORDER FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH. DEADLINE IS APRIL 14TH.

2019 EPARCHIAL CHARITIES APPEAL: Our Parish goal this year is \$ 5,500.00. To date we have received \$ 3,682.75.

200 CLUB Drawing for March will be held on Sunday, March 31st after the 10:30 Mass. Good Luck to all!

THE PARISH COUNCIL will meet on Tuesday April 2nd at 7:00 pm in the Church Rectory.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION: This Friday, April 5th, and every Friday during Lent at 6:30 pm in the Church.

LENTEN MEAL: Please join the Holy Rosary Sodality on Friday nights during Lent from 5:00pm till 6:15pm in the Church Hall to share a meal, and to relax and unwind before the Stations of the Cross. All are welcome!

THE HOLY ROSARY SODALITY will meet on Saturday, April 6th at 3:30 pm to recite the Rosary before the 4:00 pm Liturgy.

HAFLI WRAP-UP MEETING: A wrap-up meeting of the Hafli Committee is scheduled for Monday, April 8, 2019 at 6:00 pm in the Church Hall. We hope that all the Committee members are available for this meeting. Thank You.

SAVE THE DATE: FRIDAY- MAY 3RD- 7:00 PM: RECLAIMED & REFINED SIGNS NIGHT hosted by the Holy Rosary Sodality. Come out and enjoy a glass( or two) of wine with light refreshments and paint a sign of your choosing for your home or a gift for someone special. Ticket prices starting at \$30.00.... To purchase tickets, go to [www.facebook.com/events/247092326177269/](http://www.facebook.com/events/247092326177269/) and choose your design. For more information contact Ginny Solomon @ 935-1204 or Jayne Capaldi @ 441-2017, or e mail [holyrosarysodality@hotmail.com](mailto:holyrosarysodality@hotmail.com)  
PLEASE SUPPORT THE SODALITY AND MAKE YOU RESERVATIONS TODAY!

**ST THERESA MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH** in Brockton, MA will hold its Spring Hafli on Saturday, April 6, 2019 at St. Anthony of the Desert Church, 300 N. Eastern Avenue, Fall River, MA. Doors will open at 8 pm. A Dinner Buffet will be provided by OPA Restaurant. Entertainment will be provided by George Hadchiti & Mitchell Kaltsunas. Admission is: VIP \$125, \$100, & \$80, Children \$30. For reservations call: Salma Haikal, 617-413-6319, Tony Zeidan, 781-910-7184, Malek Hayek, 508-333-3430, or Copal Awad, 508-922-3331

**LENTEN MINI-RETREAT OF CHRISTIAN YOGA & MEDITATION:** On Sunday, April 7, 2019. from 12:30-4:30 pm, St. Raymond's Roman Catholic Church will present The Prayer of Heart and Body Mini Retreat (meditation is prayer of the heart) and (yoga is prayer of the body), taught in the context of Christian faith by Fr. Tom Ryan, CSP. No prior experience, mats, or blocks required. All are invited to participate at their own pace and ability. Participants will experience the potential of body movement as prayer, through guided yoga postures with Christian prayers and music. In addition to other benefits like becoming calm, relaxed, and centered, experience praying as a whole and embodied person. Cost is \$15 per person. If interested, please return a check in an envelope with the registration form found at <http://www.straymonds.com.s3-website-us-east-1.amazonaws.com/Mini-Retreat.pdf>, or for more information contact St. Raymond's parish office at 401-351-4224.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:** Is your marriage bearing fruit? Don't wait until it is too late; make time for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are April 13-14, 2019 in Brewster, MA and June 8-9, 2019 in Medway, Ma. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>