

ST GEORGE MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Maronite Rite): 4:00 PM

Sunday (Roman Rite): 8:30 AM

Sunday (Maronite Rite): 10:30 AM

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday through Friday

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM



Sunday, October 11, 2020

Fourth Week After The Holy Cross

Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Gospel: Matthew 24:45-51

My Dear Parishioners and Friends of Saint George,

As you have warmly welcomed me as your new Pastor and I begin my ministry among you, I would like to thank Father Ed Nedder for his love, support, kindness, and guidance as he welcomed me into the Saint George Community. He is a priest who tirelessly dedicated himself to share his love of Christ with the faithful.

May Father Ed be blessed with good health and God's love as he continues his ministry in his retirement through God's Divine Providence.

Dear Lord, I thank you for the Saint George Community. Bless them and their families always.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Tony



Masses & Special Intentions

Saturday, October 10th
4:00 pm

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE
HOLY ROSARY SODALITY
Given by The Members of the Holy
Rosary Sodality

Sunday, October 11th
8:30 am

SPECIAL INTENTION

10:30 am

ODETTE TAYEH
40 Day Mass
(passed away in Lebanon)
Requested by Her Loving Family

Saturday, October 17th
4:00 pm

KAY BUDWAY MURPHY
Birthday Remembrance
Requested by Her Loving Family

JEANETTE (KHOURY) CAMPAGNONE
2nd Anniversary
Requested by Her Loving Husband,
Louis, and Family

JOSEPH P. CHECRALLAH, SR.
13th Anniversary
Requested by Joseph P. &
Maria Checrallah Jr.

THOMAS SCORPIO, JR.
6th Anniversary
ANN SCORPIO
5th Anniversary
Requested by Their Loving Family

Sunday, October 18th
8:30 am

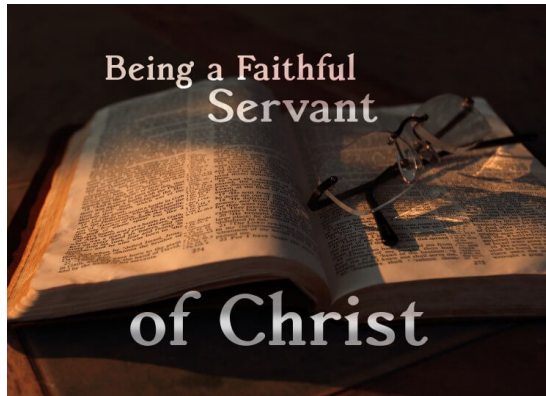
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Matthew 24:45-51

"Who, then, is the faithful and prudent servant, whom the master has put in charge of his household to distribute to them their food at the proper time? Blessed is that servant whom his master on his arrival finds doing so. Amen, I say to you, he will put him in charge of all his property. But if that wicked servant says to himself, 'My master is long delayed,' and begins to beat his fellow servants, and eat and drink with drunkards, the servant's master will come on an unexpected day and at an unknown hour and will punish him severely and assign him a place with the hypocrites, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.



PLEASE HELP OUR CHRISTIAN FAMILIES IN LEBANON: As you all know, our Christian families are suffering from a horrific inflation, topped by an unemployment rate of more than 50%, to say the least. If you find it in your heart to help, please make your donation to Saint George Church, with a memo "Lebanon disaster relief fund". Thank you in advance for your kind generosity.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: There will be a Second Collection the weekend of October 17 and 18 for World Mission Sunday - As established by the USCCB (United States Catholic Bishop's Worldwide Charities), 91% of this collection goes to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and 9% to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA).

SAVE THE DATE - 71st SAINT JOSEPH ANNUAL HAFLI: Saturday, March 20, 2021. Entertainment by Marwan Zgheib. Stay tuned for more information.

Report from the Eparchy of Saint Maron
August 4, 2020 to October 1, 2020
Funds Received and Disbursed for Lebanon through Our Appeal

Antonine School in Bouchrieh:	\$3,675
Archeparchy of Beirut:	\$25,975
Cadmous High School in Tyre:	\$136,525
Caritas Lebanon:	\$402,663
Eparchy of Antelias:	\$4,975
Eparchy of Byblos:	\$2,275
Franciscan Sisters:	\$ 400
IRAP(school for hearing impaired):	\$3,450
Central School in Jouneih:	\$34,975
Kobayat in North Lebanon:	\$2,025
Mensyene; the Krimist Fathers:	\$ 475
Missionary Sisters of the Most Blessed Sacrament::	\$2,800
Donations to Orphans; Patriarch distributes:	\$1,425
Patriarch Solidarity:	\$77,672
Saint Mary's Church in Bouar Lebanon:	\$4,975
Saint George Orthodox Hospital:	\$1,705
Saint Vincent de Paul Society:	\$161,921
Sesobel:	\$25,000
Telumiere/Noursat:	\$120,225
Tibnine Fund:	\$4,000

Total: **\$1,017,136**

We are so pleased to have received over \$1,000,000 to assist those in Lebanon, who are so much in need, after the horrible explosion that took place at the Port of Beirut on August 4th. This was made possible thanks to the kind and generous response of so many. The donations received were earmarked for specific charities, and as you can see from the above report, they have been disbursed accordingly. With much gratitude to all who have contributed in solidarity with those suffering in Lebanon, and with a sincere assurance of our prayers, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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