

**MYO/MYA
REGIONAL RETREAT
Maronite Spirituality**

Saturday, March 3, 11:00 AM - 8:00PM

MYO/MYA Regional Retreat day at
Our Lady Star of the East Church,
Pleasantville, NJ.

There will be two tracks, one for MYO
and another for MYA

Retreat activities include: * Confession * Meals &
snacks * Icebreakers & games * Presentations &
Group discussions * Get to know MYO/MYA from
other area parishes! * Adoration of the Blessed
Mysteries & Divine Liturgy
Stay tuned for more details!

2018 PASTORAL COUNCIL

Patrice Boulous

Michael Karam

Rosie Canone

Antonios Jabbour

Abe Kassis, Esq.

Steve Koorie

Judge Michael Koury

Elias Chadd

Dr. Charlene Symia

Leonard Symia

Jodi Pagesi

2018 FINANCE COUNCIL

Nehme Nehme, President

Martha Badway

Marta Gabriel

Maynard Melhem

Joseph Moussa

Thank You....

...to everyone who helped us during this very difficult
time. Your kindness and concern for our family means a
great deal to us. We appreciate all the love and support
you have extended to us in our time of overwhelming
sadness. May God bless you and your families!

Mrs. Joumana Melhem and Children

CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS

A charismatic healing mass will be held at Sts. Philip and James Church
430 South Main Street, Phillipsburg, NJ, at 7pm on Wednesday,
January 31, 2018. Father Cliff Bishop will be our Celebrant.

For further details call DM Healing at 732-514-7160 or Email:
dmhealing@aol.com or contact Nancy Ensley at 908-200-6763.

PIONEERS OF MARY

The Pioneers meeting is scheduled for Sun., Jan 21 at 6:00 PM in the hall.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Pastoral Council will meet on Sun., Jan 21 in the church hall at 7:00 PM

FINANCE COUNCIL

The Finance Council will meet on Sun., Jan 28 in the church hall at 7:00 PM

Weekly Collection

Saturday, January 13, 2018 - \$922.00
Sunday, January 14, 2018 - \$1,255.00
Total weekly collection - \$2,177.00

BINGO COMMITTEE	Eva Farhat, Patty Boulous, Anthony Koury, Jr.
ST. THERESA SODALITY	Rosie Canone
FINANCIAL AUDITOR	Ferris Koorie
HOLY NAME SOCIETY	Leonard Symia
HERITAGE DAY CHAIRPERSON	Steve Koorie
PARISH ORGANIST	Patty Boulous
MYO/PIONEERS	Arthur Jacob

CONFESSIONS:

Sunday: 9:30 am to 9:50 am (before mass)

Saturday: 4:30 pm to 4:50 pm (before mass)

Also Available by Appointment

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS

October through May -Saturday 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm

BAPTISMS:

Please Call The Parish Rectory

(non-parishioners sponsors must

provide a certificate from their Catholic church)

MARRIAGES:

Please Notify The Pastor

At Least 6 Months Ahead of Time



Week 4 - Week 6

Email: abouna@ololeaston.org

website: ololeaston.org

Jan 20 - Feb 4, 2018

Sunday of the Priests



**The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ
according to St. Luke 12:42-48**

The Lord answered, "Who then is the faithful and wise
manager, whom the master puts in charge of his servants
to give them their food allowance at the proper time?"

It will be good for that servant whom the master finds
doing so when he returns. "Truly I tell you, he will put him
in charge of all his possessions. But suppose the servant
says to himself, 'My master is taking a long time in coming,'
and he then begins to beat the other servants, both men and
women, and to eat and drink and get drunk. The master
of that servant will come on a day when he does not
expect him and at an hour he is not aware of. He will cut
him to pieces and assign him a place with the unbelievers.

"The servant who knows the master's will and does not
get ready or does not do what the master wants will be
beaten with many blows. But the one who does not know and
does things deserving punishment will be beaten with few
blows. From everyone who has been given much, much
will be demanded; and from the one who has been entrusted
with much, much more will be asked.

CLERGY

Father Simon El Hajj, Pastor
Deacon Anthony Koury

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
No office hours on Fridays.

LITURGY:

Saturdays: 5:00 PM
Sundays: 10:00 AM

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MOHICAN PARKING LOT

We kindly request that parishioners do not park in the
Mohican parking lot weekdays, Monday through Friday.

As we have published, several times, in past
weekly bulletins,

**All parking spaces in this lot are rented to people
who work in the area.**

Going forward, we will have no choice but to **tow** any
vehicles that are not authorized to park in the Mohican lot.

WEEKEND of Jan 20 - Jan 21 *** **SUNDAY OF THE PRIESTS** ***
Saturday, Jan 20 - 5:00 PM - ALL LIVING & DECEASED PRIESTS OF OUR LADY OF LEBANON CHURCH by the St. Theresa Sodality
Sunday, Jan 21 - 10:00 AM - DIMITRA GIACOUMOPOULOS ACHI (Anniversary) by the Family.
 ANTOINETTE RIZK (Memorial Mass) Australia by Mr. & Mrs. Edmund Rizk & Family

Tuesday	Jan 23	6:00 PM	ROSE SYMIA by Stephen Constantine & Son
Wednesday	Jan 24	9:00 AM	JAMEL DERAYMOND by Mrs. Queenie Jabbour
Thursday	Jan 25	9:00 AM	EDWARD GEOSITS by Mark & Noelle Richardson
Friday	Jan 26	9:00 AM	NAOMI STAHL by Sanna Baurkot

WEEKEND of Jan 27 - Jan 28 *** **SUNDAY OF THE RIGHTEOUS AND JUST** ***
Saturday, Jan 27 - 5:00 PM - RENEE CARRIGAN (1st Anniversary) by the Family
Sunday, Jan 28 - 10:00 AM - KHALIL & DAOUN BOULOS and MALKI & SAADEH BOULOS by the Family
 NICHOLAS MAKHOUL (40 Day Mass) by the Family. Coffee hour to follow


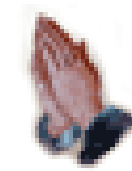
2nd Collection - Unites States Catholic Bishops' Worldwide Charities - January 28, 2018

Tuesday	Jan 30	6:00 PM	NICK CIMABRONE by Mrs. George Mosellie & Family
Wednesday	Jan 31	9:00 AM	MARY SHUMAR by Marlene Bedway
Thursday	Feb 1	9:00 AM	NORA DANIEL by Nancy & Jo Marie Yamin
Friday	Feb 2	9:00 AM	KATHRYN ISAAC by Frank, Naomi & Jake Koerwitz

WEEKEND of Feb 3 - Feb 4 *** **SUNDAY OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED** ***
Saturday, Feb 3 - 5:00 PM - Available
Sunday, Feb 4 - 10:00 AM - BETTY KARAM BHUIYAN (40 Day Mass) by the Family. Coffee hour to follow.
 DECEASED PRIESTS OF KFARSGHAB, LEBANON, DECEASED MEMBERS OF SHEIK ESTEPHEN FAMILY & ALL THE DECEASED WHO HAVE NO ONE TO PRAY FOR THEM by a Friend.

	BINGO	FLOOR - 7:00 PM START TIME	KITCHEN - 5:30 PM START TIME
	Jan 23	Rosie Canone, Marta Gabriel	Rosann Constantine, Jawhara Karam
	Jan 30	Antonios Jabbour, Joey Moussa	Volunteer

LECTORS	
Saturday, Jan 20	St. Theresa Sodality
Sunday Jan 21	Family
Saturday, Jan 27	Family
Sunday, Jan 28	Family
Saturday, Feb 3	TBD
Sunday, Feb 4	Family

SCRIPTURE READINGS		
	<p><i>Sunday of the Priests</i> 1 Tim 4:6-16 / Lk 12:42-48</p> <p><i>Sunday of the Righteous & Just</i> Heb 12:18-24 / Mt 25:31-46</p> <p><i>Sunday of the Faithful Departed</i> 1 Thes 5:1-11 / Lk 16:19-31</p>	

SUNDAY OF THE PRIESTS

We celebrate Sunday of the Priests by praying for our priests and praising God for their courage and their generosity. Without a priest, no parish is able to be a Eucharistic community. It is important to reaffirm the importance of the priesthood of Jesus Christ and its central place in the life of our Church.

Do not be afraid...

...to go out on the streets and into public places, like the first Apostles who preached Christ and the Good News of salvation in the squares of cities, towns and villages. This is no time to be ashamed of the Gospel (cf. Rom 1:16). It is the time to preach it from the rooftops (cf. Mt 10:27).



THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY ANNUAL BREAKFAST

The Holy Name's annual breakfast fundraiser will be held today, Sunday, January 21, 2018 after the 10:00 AM Liturgy.

Tickets: \$5 a person

Free: for kids under 3 years old.

Tickets will be available after weekend masses or by contacting a HNS member. Please try and purchase your tickets prior to the event so that an ample supply of food is available.

Thank you in advance for your support!



SPINACH PIE SALE

TO BENEFIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION

WHEN: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2018
WHERE: CHURCH HALL
COST: \$4.00 EACH
PICK UP TIME: SATURDAY BETWEEN 2:00 - 6:00 PM
DEADLINE TO ORDER: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH



TO PLACE ORDER CALL:
 CHEFFIE KOURY AT 610-905-8894
 MINERVA JACOB AT 610-653-7640
 NORMA BASSIL AT 610-746-6658

VOLUNTEERS ARE WELCOME TO HELP ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH, BEGINNING AT 2:00 PM AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, BEGINNING AT 10:00 AM.

Save the Dates

- SPINACH PIE SALE.....February 17th
- HOLY NAME MEATLESS DINNER.....March 2nd
- ST. JOSEPH'S BAKE SALE.....March 18th
- HOMELESS DINNER.....March 23rd
- ANNUAL SPRING HAFLIApril 21st
- FIRST HOLY COMMUNION.....May 6th