

OUR LADY OF LEBANON CHURCH LEBANESE HERITAGE DAYS COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL RESULTS 2019-2018		
REVENUE	2019	2018
50/50 Raffle	1,704.00	2,043.00
Basket Raffle	-	42.00
Blessed Mother Grotto	704.00	498.00
Chicken & Shish Kabob	19,761.20	17,781.00
Children's Games	3,406.00	2,987.00
Dancing	5,297.00	2,932.00
Donations	3,248.64	4,013.90
Falafel	2,764.00	2,955.00
French Fries	1,146.00	1,095.00
Fried Dough	2,169.00	2,171.00
Hookah	1,389.00	1,545.00
Ice Cream	916.00	822.00
Inside Bar	4,077.00	5,539.00
Inside Food	24,434.75	24,770.00
Lemon Ice	751.00	995.00
Moon Bounce	409.00	618.00
Outside Bar	20,678.17	18,346.00
Pastry	8,055.00	7,323.00
Raffle	20,800.00	21,000.00
Refreshment Stand	2,081.00	1,719.00
Souvenirs	4,479.00	3,429.00
Sponsors	51,600.00	45,700.00
Zatar	6,549.00	6,132.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 186,418.76	\$ 174,455.90
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Advertisements	625.00	624.00
Beer	2,969.86	2,217.15
Beverages/Ice	1,003.00	857.76
Bread	-	-
Children Games/Activities	3,052.04	2,428.74
Dance Costumes	-	-
Entertainment	3,300.00	3,600.00
Food/Kitchen Supplies	9,525.91	10,616.81
French Fry Supplies	-	-
Licenses/Permits	202.50	202.50
Liquor	3,684.07	2,600.80
Paper Products	1,251.71	940.44
Parts/Supplies for Grounds	1,447.94	143.58
Portable Toilets	500.00	500.00
Printing Banner/Placemats/Posters/	2,255.00	1,728.00
Produce	663.80	435.64
Raffle Drawing	10,000.00	5,000.00
Security	2,157.05	1,000.04
Souvenirs	-	-
Tee Shirts	1,539.30	1,616.00
Trash Removal	104.80	193.90
Miscellaneous	787.87	532.49
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	45,069.85	35,237.85
TOTAL PROFIT	\$ 141,348.91	\$ 139,218.05

UPCOMING EVENTS	
ST. JOSEPH BAKE SALE	Sunday, Mar 15th
HOLY NAME MEATLESS DINNER	Friday, March 27th
MONK SOUP SALE	Friday, April 10th
EASTER SUNDAY	Sunday, April 12th
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION	Sunday, May 3rd
HOLY NAME GOLF OUTING	Sunday, May 31st
LEBANESE HERITAGE DAYS	August 1st & 2nd

LENTEN GUIDELINES
<p>Fasting:- All the faithful who are physically capable are to fast everyday during Lent. - Fasting involves no eating and drinking at all, (except water and medicine) from 12 Midnight until 12 Noon. We urge those who are not physically capable to make an effort on Ash Monday and Good Friday.</p> <p>Abstinence - No meat or dairy food throughout Lent. We encourage you to at least abstain on Ash Monday and Fridays during Lent.</p>

LEBANESE FOOD FESTIVAL
<p>Glen Allen, VA - It's Time for Tabouli – and lots of other delicious traditional food – at the 37th annual Lebanese Food Festival. The festival is set for the weekend of May 15-17, 2020 at St. Anthony Church in Glen Allen. Hours are 10am - 10pm Friday & Saturday and 10am - 8pm on Sunday. For more Information visit our website at www.lebanesefoodfestival.com.</p>

EMERGENCY CONTACT
<p>In case of emergency please contact Fr. Youssef directly on his cell phone (412-583-5702).</p> <p>Do not leave a message on the rectory phone.</p>

WEEKLY COLLECTION
<p>Saturday, Feb 22 2020 - \$445.00</p> <p>Sunday, Feb 23, 2020 - \$750.00</p> <p>Total Collection - \$1,195.00</p>



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Week 9 - Week 11

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Feb 29 - Mar 15, 2020

Healing of the Leper



The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Mark 1:35-45

In the morning, while it was still very dark, Jesus got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him.

When they found him, they said to him, ‘Everyone is searching for you.’ He answered, ‘Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do.’ And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

A leper came to him begging him, and kneeling he said to him, ‘If you choose, you can make me clean.’ Moved with pity, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him, and said to him, ‘I do choose. Be made clean!’ Immediately the leprosy left him, and he was made clean.

After sternly warning him he sent him away at once, saying to him, ‘See that you say nothing to anyone; but go, show yourself to the priest, and offer for your cleansing what Moses commanded, as a testimony to them.’ But he went out and began to proclaim it freely, and to spread the word, so that Jesus could no longer go into a town openly, but stayed out in the country; and people came to him from every quarter.

CLERGY

Fr. Youssef Keikati, Administrator
Deacon Anthony Koury
Deacon Adib Salameh

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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BISHOP GREGORY’S VISIT

Welcome to Bishop Gregory Mansour who will visit our parish on Friday, March 6th. Sayedna will commemorate the Stations of the Cross and the Benediction beginning at 7:00 PM. Light refreshments to follow in the hall.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday, March 12th, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

WEEKEND of Feb 29 - Mar 1

Healing of the Leper

Saturday, Feb 29 - 5:00 PM - QUEENIE JABBOUR (Anniversary) by the Family

Sunday, Mar 1 - 10:00 AM - RAYMOND ABI YOUNES by the Family. Coffee hour to follow

Tuesday	Mar 3	6:00 PM	JOAN DANIEL by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Moussa & Family
Wednesday	Mar 4	9:00 AM	KATHRYN ISAAC by Mr. & Mrs. Maynard Badway
Thursday	Mar 5	9:00 AM	NORA DANIEL by Tony & Mireille Karam & Family
Friday	Mar 6	9:00 AM	FRANCES MELHEM by the Canone Family
		7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS & BENEDICTION

WEEKEND of Mar 7 - 8

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman

Saturday, Mar 7 - 5:00 PM - ROSE SYMIA (Birthday Remembrance) by children and grandchildren.

Sunday, Mar 8 - 10:00 AM - ALEXANDRIA SAKER, JEANETTE, AUROR, SOUAD, SAMIRA, ERNEST & ISKANDER NEHME by the Family. Coffee hour to follow.

Tuesday	Mar 10	6:00 PM	PATRICE BAURKOT by Mrs. Georgette Koorie & Family
Wednesday	Mar 11	9:00 AM	ELIAS SYMIA by Deacon Anthony, Cheffie & Anthony Koury, Jr.
Thursday	Mar 12	9:00 AM	JOANNA JOSEPH by the Jabbour Family
		7 - 8:00 PM	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
Friday	Mar 13	9:00 AM	NAOMI STAHL by Sharon John & Family
		7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS & BENEDICTION

WEEKEND of Mar 14 - 15

Parable of the Prodigal Son

Saturday, Mar 14 - 5:00 PM - BLYTHE MACALUSO by Marie Joseph & Family

Sunday, Mar 15 - 10:00 AM - DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE SHUMAR FAMILY by Marlene Bedway

EPARCHIAL CHARITIES APPEAL - FEBRUARY 24TH THROUGH APRIL 12TH, 2020

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Healing of the Leper
Rom 6:12-23 / Mk 1:35-45

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman
2 Cor 7:4-11 / Lk 8:40-56

Parable of the Prodigal Son
2 Cor 13:5-13 / Lk 15:11-32

BINGO VOLUNTEERS	
FLOOR 7:00 PM START TIME	KITCHEN 5:30 PM START TIME
Mar 3 - Mike Boulos	Norma Bassil
Mar 10 - Pete Melan	Jenny Vaccaro

INVITATION TO ALL WOMEN PARISHIONERS

On Sunday, March 1st at 4pm, our St. Theresa Sodality will be hosting a prayer service followed by our monthly meeting in the church hall. We encourage all women ages 16 and above to join us, as we look forward to electing a new Sodality leadership for the next two years, to strengthening our community of women and to affirming the future of this great organization.

Holy Family School Tricky Tray & International Food Celebration

Friday, March 20 thru Sunday, March 22

Holy Family Parish Center

508 W. Center Street, Nazareth, Pa

Friday - March 20th, 5PM to 8PM - Knights of Columbus hosted Lenten Meal , Kid's Bingo

Saturday - March 21st, 4PM to 8PM - International Food Celebration

Sunday - March 22nd, 8AM to 1PM - breakfast with the Easter Bunny

TRICKY TRAY ALL Weekend!

Questions can be emailed to: trickytrayhfhsa@gmail.com

For pre-ordered ticket specials, please contact Marie Joseph 610-258-0644

ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL SCHOOL

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR IS UNDERWAY

Classes are filling up!

DON'T WAIT FOR THE WAITLIST -- REGISTER TODAY

FULL DAY PRE-K AVAILABLE

MUCH MORE AFFORDABLE THAN DAYCARE

EXPERIENCED FACULTY, LOVING CLASSROOM

ACADEMICALLY ALIGNED WITH OUR KINDERGARTEN

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School is a parish school from Preschool through Grade 8 located in Wilson Borough. For more information about our academic program, to arrange a tour or to enroll in the School or Pre-School, please call the School office at 610-253-8442, email at principal@stjaneschool.com or visit our website at www.stjaneschool.com

Saint Joseph's Bake Sale

The St. Theresa Sodality's annual bake sale will be held on **Sunday, March 15th**, in the church hall following the 10:00 AM Liturgy .

An **iPad** will be raffled off at the bake sale. Tickets are \$5.00 each. Also to be raffled is a painting by Fr. Youssef, a St. Joseph Statue and several gift baskets. St. Theresa Sodality members will be selling iPad raffle tickets after weekend liturgies.

Thank you in advance for your support!



MYA GROUP DISCUSSION

There will be a group discussion following the 5:00 pm Liturgy on Saturday, March 7th in the church hall. Discussion will be led by Deacon Adib. All parishioners ages 18 to 35 are welcome to join.

Baltimore Inner Harbor and St. Jude's Shrine Bus Trip

Sunday, April 26th departing 8:30am from Phillipsburg \$55.00

For more information contact Camille at 908-319-2719

Annual Lenten Appeal

The Annual Lenten Appeal for the Eparchy of St. Maron Brooklyn is now taking place. The Bishop relies upon you to help him serve our Maronite parishes, open new missions, train our future Maronite priests, and support our retired priests.

We have been asked to contribute \$6,500 as a parish. Every family is asked to participate in the Appeal at a level which is meaningful for them, and to be as generous as possible. An envelope is included in your weekly offering packet for your convenience. The church will have to pay the balance in the event that adequate funds are not raised. Collection ends Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020.

ST. JOSEPH HAFLI

Our Sister Parish, Saint George Maronite Catholic Church of Cranston, Rhode Island is celebrating its 71st Annual Saint Joseph Hafli on Saturday, March 28, 2020.

As part of its celebration it is holding a Grand Raffle. The raffle ticket cost \$100 per ticket with 3 prizes of \$5,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000. The winner need not be present at the event.

If you are interested in supporting this annual event you may purchase a raffle ticket by contacting Roseann Constantine in person or by telephone at 610-253-2269.