

2020 Vocations Awareness Poster - Essay Multimedia

2020 TOPICS

POSTERS

K-1 My Favorite of God's Creations...

2-3 The Perfect Church...

4-6 God never gives us something we cannot handle.

7-9 Create a Bible Verse into an inspirational or movie poster. (site verse on front/back)

10-12 The Maronite faith in images.

ESSAYS

K-1 Write a prayer thanking your parents.

2-3 Write 2 prayers. One to the Sisters/Nuns & one to your Priest. (30 word minimum each)

4-6 Write about how you and your friends talk about your Maronite Faith & God in your lives. (100 word minimum)

7-9 If you could create the perfect church and community grounds-what would it look like, what would you have on the grounds, and how would you be apart of the community. (500 Word Minimum)

10-12 What is your vocation? Is it religious—is it something else? Tell us what you believe is God's Plan for you at this point? (1500 word minimum)

MULTIMEDIA PowerPoint Presentations

Or

Video Presentation

7-9 and 10-12 Compose a 3-5 minute PowerPoint or video presentation that shows the PERFECT NAM Convention. (Location, Entertainment, Food, Speakers, Masses, etc)



Guidelines

General Rules:

1) All entries must be the original work of the entrant. Any previously submitted entries or entries that are noticeably not the work of the individual student will be disqualified.

2) Each student may only enter in **ONE** category.

3) **NO GROUP** entries. This is an individual student competition.

4) Each parish may submit up to 3 entries per category/grade level.

5) **POSTERS MUST BE** on 14x22 paper (half a standard sheet of poster board)

6) Entries must be clearly marked, **on the back**, and grouped by age group with a paperclip or divider with:

Student's Name and Address
Church's Name and Address
Current Grade & Age

7) Entries must be postmarked by:
May 18, 2020.
Entries after not accepted.



MAIL ENTRIES TO:

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4378 94th St.
Pleasant Prairie, WI 53159
vsmaalouf@gmail.com

PRIZES

1st Prize — \$50
(1 per grade group/category)
2nd Prize — \$25
(1 per grade group/category)
3rd Prize — Religious Gift
(1 per grade group/category)

Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church

54 South 4th Street
Easton, PA 18042
610-252-5275



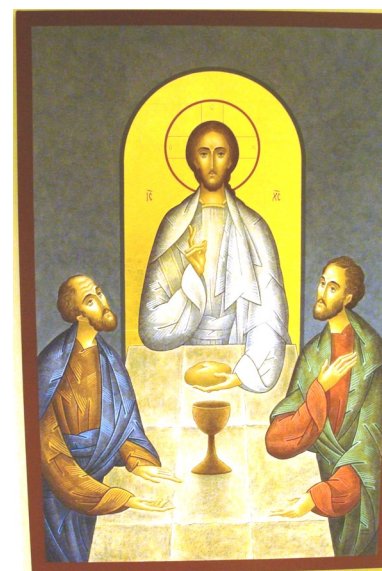
Week 18 - Week 20

Email: abouna@ololeaston.org

website: ololeaston.org

Apr 25 - May 10, 2020

3rd Sunday of the Resurrection



The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 24:13-35

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened.

While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, 'What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?' They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, 'Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?'

He asked them, 'What things?' They replied, 'The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him.'

Then he said to them, 'Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?' Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures.

As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, 'Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.' So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?'

That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, 'The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!' Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

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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EMERGENCY CONTACT

In case of **emergency** please contact
Fr. Youssef directly on his cell phone
(412-583-5702).
Do not leave a message on the rectory phone.

WEEKLY COLLECTION (Mail -in)

Sunday, April 19, 2020 - \$1,320.00

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS REMINDER

Due to the Coronavirus, our primary sources of income (Parking lot, Bingo and weekly collection) have been drastically reduced; however, our church continues to incur expenses. Please continue to support our parish if you are financially able. Mail your weekly envelopes, Eparchial Charity envelopes and special collections to the rectory at 54 South 4th Street, Easton, PA 18042.

Thank you for your continued financial support and generosity as our country and people get through this most difficult time.

THE CHURCH IS CLOSED DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC.

If you see an Intention listed, it is because the parishioner still wants to have the Mass said for the repose of their loved ones soul even though they are not allowed to attend the Liturgy.

Please contact Abouna or the rectory if you would like a Mass said for your loved one without attending the Liturgy.

Sunday 10:00 AM Mass will be streamed live on Facebook.

Only choir members and altar servers that have been designated by Fr. Youssef are permitted to attend.

Please continue to follow the CDC safety guidelines to protect yourself and your family members from contracting the coronavirus.

Do not hesitate to contact Father with any questions.

Wednesday	April 29th	MICHAEL JABBOUR (BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE) by the Family
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MARONITE. MASS ON EWTN THIS SUNDAY, APRIL 26TH AT 12 NOON

Father Mitch Pacwa, S.J., an American Jesuit priest, will be celebrating the Maronite Divine Liturgy on EWTN. He is Bi-ritual, meaning that he can celebrate the liturgy in both the Roman and Maronite rites.

. There will be an encore presentation on Monday April 27th at 12:00 AM

CONDOLENCES

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family of

JOSEPHINE SIMON SYMIA

who passed into her eternal reward on Friday, April 17, 2020.
Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

SCRIPTURE READINGS

3rd Sunday of the Resurrection
2 Tim 2:8-13/ Lk 24:13-35

4th Sunday of the Resurrection
Heb 13:8-25 / John 21:1-14

5th Sunday of the Resurrection
Eph 2:1-10 / Jn 21:15-19



BINGO VOLUNTEERS

FLOOR

KITCHEN

**BINGO IS CANCELED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

Ordination Invitation to all Parishioners

In Thanksgiving to Almighty God

The Parish Family of

Saint Anthony of the Desert

Announce the Priestly Ordination of

Deacon Adib Salameh

On Saturday, May 23, 2020

4:00 PM in the Afternoon

Through the Imposition of hands of

His Excellency Bishop Gregory J. Mansour

Bishop of the Eparchy of Brooklyn for the Maronites

Followed by a Banquet in his honor

Saint Sharbel Maronite Center

300 N. Eastern Avenue

Fall River, MA 02723

Father Adib Salameh will celebrate his first Liturgy of Thanksgiving

Sunday, May 24, 2020 at 10:00 AM

Saint Anthony of the Desert Maronite Church

Followed by a reception in the Saint Sharbel Maronite Center

R.S.V.P. by May 9, 2020

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

O Divine Ocean of mercy and compassion, be with us in our time of trial and difficulties.

Today I make an act of spiritual communion with you, the life-giving Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

At this time I am not able to receive the sacred body and blood of my Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ, but I choose to live in union with him and in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

I offer my day, my daily life, my joys and sorrows to you, for those around me, and for the whole world.

Be with us, O life-giving Triune God, for we know that nothing in this world has power over us.

O Lover of all people, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

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

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EXPERIENCED FACULTY, LOVING CLASSROOM
ACADEMICALLY ALIGNED WITH OUR
KINDERGARTEN

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HOLY NAME/ST. THERESA SODALITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS APPLICATIONS

2020 Graduating High School students are eligible to apply for scholarships.

The requirements to be considered are as follows:

1. Scholarship application.
2. An official high school or transcript showing most recent GPA and/or class rank.
3. A copy of an acceptance letter from a college or university.
4. A personal statement.

Scholarship winners will be chosen by grades, financial need and parish participation.
Applications can be found online.

Deadline is Monday, June 1, 2020



Contact either the Holy Name Society or the St. Theresa Sodality officers with questions.