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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

Saturday, July 4, 5:00 PM	-	\$250.00
Sunday, July 5, 10:00 AM	-	\$468.00
Sunday, July 5, 12 Noon	-	\$262.00
Mail-In - week of 6-29	-	\$890.00
Total Collection	- \$	51,870.00



Invitation

Sid and Victoria Hawach would like to extend an invitation to celebrate the graduation of their son,

Anthony

from Bethlehem Catholic High School on July 18, 2020 starting at 4:00 pm. The event will be held at their home at **3711 Knollcroft Street** Easton 18045.

HALL RENTAL

As our region continues to follow COVID-19 guidelines for the green phase, the Hall will be available for non-parish events. Anyone who would like to rent the hall for private events will need to adhere to certain rules and restrictions and will be required to sign a contract/waiver.

Please be advised that any confirmed event is subject to cancellation or postponement in adherence to local, state and federal guidelines and regulations.

BOOK OF OFFERING (Missal)

Since many parishes are continuing to live-stream the celebration of the Divine Liturgy, Saint Maron Publications has received requests for copies of the Book of Offering. In order to make it easier for the faithful to participate in worship, the Eparchy has reduced the price to \$20 + shipping per copy at this time. This is below cost. We have ordered 20 new books.

Please contact the rectory if you would like a book or you may order directly from the Eparchy at http:// saintmaronpublications.org/product-category/liturgy/.

CONFESSIONS:	BAPTISMS:	Saturdays: 5:00 PM Sundays: 10:00 AM & 1
Sunday: 9:30 am to 9:50 am (before mass)	Please Call The Parish Rectory	
Saturday: 4:30 pm to 4:50 pm (before mass)	Non-parishioners sponsors must	INSIDE THIS ISSU
Also Available by Appointment	provide a certificate from their Catholic church	2ND COLLECTIONS
		GRADUATION INVITATION
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS	MARRIAGES:	HALL RENTAL
October through May -Saturday 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm	Disco Notify The Destey At Least C Mouths Abased of Time	ST. CHARBEL NOVENA
october through May -saturday 5.45 pm - 4.45 pm	Please Notify The Pastor At Least 6 Months Ahead of Time	



Week 29 - Week 31

Email: abouna@ololeaston.org



CLERGY

Fr. Youssef Keikati, Administrator **Deacon Anthony Koury**

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

No office hours on Fridays

LITURGY: 12 Noon

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After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go.

anytime.

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July 11 - July 26, 2020

7th Sunday of Pentecost

The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 10:1-7

He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road.

Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house.

2ND COLLECTIONS

The Eparchy of St. Maron has rescheduled 2nd collections for the balance of 2020. If you no longer have your envelope you may use a blank one and write your name and the name of the collection on the envelope. Thank you to the parishioners who have already contributed to the 2nd collections.

CRS RICE BOWL - Envelopes may be placed in collection baskets at

EPARCHIAL CHARITIES APPEAL - EXTENDED TO AUG 15TH Envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets at anytime.

CATHOLIC OMMUNUICATIONS CAMPAIGN - JULY 26, 2020

God bless you for your generosity!

7th Sunday of Pentecost

Saturday, July 11 - 5:00 PM Sunday, July 12 - 10:00 AM Sunday, July 12 - 12:00 PM

AOUTEL KARAM by Deacon Anthony, Cheffie & Anthony Koury, Jr. YOUSSEF LAOUS - MEMORIAL MASS (Lebanon) by Mr. & Mrs. Josef Karam **SPECIAL INTENTION** by Father Youssef

Tuesday	July 14	9:00 AM	NAOMI SHINER by Mark & Colleen Tone Ziegenhorn
Wednesday	July 15	9:00 AM	FRANCES MELHEM by Dr. & Mrs. Elias Isaac
Thursday	July 16	9:00 AM	VALERIE SAAD by Charlene Loprete
Friday	July 17	9:00 AM	JOSEPH MELHEM by Aline Saba
12.53	18.19	***	8th Sunday of Pentecost***
Saturday, July 1	18 - 5:00 P	M PET	ER AND CATHERINE MELAN by the Family
Sunday, July 19 - 10:00 AM FEAST OF MAR CHARBEL			ST OF MAR CHARBEL
		SAL	EM YOUSSEF MAROUN & WIFE, MUNTAHA JABBOUR by Toufic Maroun
Sunday, July 19	- 12:00 PI	M SPE	CIAL INTENTION by Father Youssef

Tuesday	July 21	9:00 AM	JOSEPH HERBERT BY Marlene Bedway
Wednesday	July 22	9:00 AM	JAMES STEVENS by Mary Ellen Dantinne
Thursday	July 23	9:00 AM	MELHEM MELHEM by Mr. & Mrs. Greg Piagesi
Friday	July 24	9:00 AM	MARY JABBOUR by Mr. & Mrs. William Zechman

9th Sunday of Pentecost

Saturday, July 25 - 5:00 PM	ELIAS TANNOUS EL-KHOURY - MEMORIAL MASS (Lebanon) by the Family
Sunday, July 26 - 10:00 AM	FR. YOUSSEF KEIKATI (35th Priesthood Anniversary)
Sunday, July 26 - 12:00 PM	SPECIAL INTENTION by Father Youssef

2ND COLLECTION - CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN - JULY 26, 2020

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

7th Sunday of Pentecost 2 Cor 3:1-6 / Lk 10:1-7

8th Sunday of Pentecost Rom 8:1-11 / Mt 12:14-21

9th Sunday of Pentecost 2 Cor 5:20 - 6:10 / Lk 4:14-21



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 lifegiving 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.

NOVENA TO ST. CHARBEL

We will be celebrating St. Charbel's Feast Day on Sunday, July 19th

DAY ONE

O Miraculous Saint Charbel, from whose immaculate body, which overpowers corruption, radiates the scent of heaven, come to my rescue and grant me from God the petition(s) which I am in need of (make your petition(s) here). O Saint Charbel pray for me. O Lord, who was bestowed on Saint Charbel the grace of faith, I plead to you to grant me through his intercession that divine grace to live according to your commandments and Bible. The glory is yours till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father. DAY TWO

O Saint Charbel, Martyr of monastic life, who experienced suffering, and whom Lord Jesus made of you a bright beacon, I resort to you and ask through your intercession the petition(s) (make your petition(s) here). I confide in you. Amen. O Saint Charbel, vase of perfume, intercede for me. O God of complete benevolence, who honored Saint Charbel by giving him the grace to perform miracles, have mercy on me and grant me what I ask from you through his intercession. The Glory is yours till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father. DAY THREE

O Saint Charbel, the amiable, who shines like a bright star in the church sky, brighten my way and fortify my hope. From you I ask for the petitions (make your petition(s) here). Ask for it from Jesus the crucified whom you perpetually worship. Amen. O Saint Charbel, the example of patience and silence, intercede for me. O Lord Jesus, who sanctified Saint Charbel and helped him to carry his cross, give me the courage to bear life's difficulties with patience and submission to your divine will through Saint Charbel's intercession, to you is gratefulness forever. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father.

DAY FOUR

O Father, Saint Charbel, the affectionate, I resort to you. My confidence in you fills my heart. With the power of your intercession with God, I am waiting for the petition(s) which I ask from you (make your petitions here). Show me your affection once more. Amen. O Saint Charbel, garden of virtue, intercede for me. O God, you who granted Saint Charbel the grace of your resemblance, grant me the help to grow in the Christian virtues and have mercy on me to be able to praise you till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father. DAY FIVE

O Saint Charbel, loved by God, enlighten me, help me and teach me how to please God. Hurry to my rescue. Oh affectionate Father, I beg of you to ask God for this petition(s) (make your petitions here). Amen. O Saint Charbel, friend of the crucified, intercede for me. O God hear my demand through Saint Charbel's intercession. Save my poor heart and give me peace. Calm the troubles of my soul. Glory to you till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary & Glory be to the Father. DAY SIX

O Saint Charbel, all powerful intercessor, I ask you to fulfill the petition(s) which I am in need of (make your petitions) here). A single word from you to Jesus is enough to forgive me, to have mercy on me and to grant me my wish. Amen. O Saint Charbel, joy of heaven and earth, intercede for me. O God, who chose Saint Charbel to defend us before your divine power, grant me through his intercession this petition(s) to glorify you with him till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father.

DAY SEVEN

O Saint Charbel, loved by everyone, helper of the needy, I have firm hope in your intercession before God. Fulfill This petition(s) for me (make your petitions here). Amen. O Saint Charbel, a star that counsels the bewildered, intercede for me. O God, my numerous sins hinder your grace to reach me. Grant me the grace to repent. Answer me through Saint Charbel's intercession. Return the joy to my sad heart and grant me my petition(s). You, the embodiment of graces, glory and gratefulness be to you. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father **DAY EIGHT**

O Saint Charbel, whenever I see you kneeling down on the cane mat, fasting, abstaining and absorbed in calling God, my hope and faith in you increases. I beg of you to help me to receive the petition(s) that I am asking for (make your petitions here). Amen. O Saint Charbel, absorbed in God, intercede for me. O Jesus, the most peaceful, you who has raised your beloved Charbel to biblical perfection, I solemnly ask you to grant me the grace to spend the rest of my life according to your demand. I love you, oh God, my savior. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father. DAY NINE

O Father, Saint Charbel, here I am at the end of the Novena. My heart gets nourished when I speak to you. I have great hope that I will obtain from Jesus the petition(s) I asked for through your intercession. I repent, and I promise that I will never ever fall into sin. I ask you to fulfill my petition(s) (make your petition(s) here). Amen. O Saint Charbel, crowned with glory, intercede for me. O Lord, you listened to Saint Charbel's prayers and you fulfilled the grace of unison with you, have mercy on me in my moment of distress. Save me from malice which I cannot bear. Glory and gratefulness be to you till the end. Amen. Pray one Our Father, one Hail Mary and Glory be to the Father.





