

Invitation

Imad and Nancy El Khoury graciously invite all parishioners to join them in celebrating their Son,

Caesar El Khoury's

First Holy Communion on Sunday,
April 30, 2023 after the 11:00 AM Mass
at their home on 5 Barron Hill Road,
Easton, PA 18042.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

God the Father, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and those in need. We ask this through the intercession of our patroness, Our Lady of Lebanon and her Son,

BAPTISM

Preregistration for Baptism is required. Catholic sponsor certificates must be received by the parish before the Baptism is scheduled.

MARRIAGE

Please notify the pastor at least one year prior to date. Engaged couples need to register as parishioners and take required marriage classes.

1ST HOLY COMMUNION & MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES

October through April, Saturdays 3:45- 4:45
Parents of children must be registered in parish.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:30- 4:50 PM, Sunday, 9:30 - 9:50 AM
Also available by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please inform us of the sick and shut-ins at
412-583-5702

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE

Changes or additions to the bulletin must be submitted no later than Tuesdays at 5:00 PM.
Thank you for your cooperation.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle for April is donated in loving memory of
AMIN NEHME
by his mother and sisters.

Weekly Collection

Saturday, Apr 15 - \$825.00
Sunday, Apr 16 - \$570.00
Total - \$1,395.00
Bishop's Appeal - \$1,673.00

PASTOR CONTACT

In the case of any needed pastoral assistance, we ask that only the family contact
Fr. Youssef on his cell phone at **412-583-5702**.

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The address is [@ololchurch-easton](#).

Please make sure to identify what your contribution is for.



OUR LADY OF LEBANON MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Easton, PA 18042
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Week 16- Week 18 Email: abouna@ololeaston.org Website: ololeaston.org April 2 - May 7, 2023

Third 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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Closed on Fridays

RECTORY & MAILING ADDRESS:

54 South 4th Street, Easton, PA 18042

LITURGY:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 10:00 AM

Week day Holy Days of Obligation:
7:00 PM.

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*****3rd Sunday of the Resurrection*****

Saturday April 22 - 5:00 PM - ANTHONY SYMIA (Anniversary) by Children and Grandchildren

Sunday, April 23 - 10:00 AM - AMIN NEHME (2nd Anniversary) by Jackie Nehme & Family. Coffee hour by Friends

2nd Collection - Catholic Home Missions Appeal - April 23, 2023

This second collection is used for Missions in the USA. Our Eparchy has received large grants from the USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops) from this collection for several years.

Tuesday	Apr 25	9:00 AM	ANTHONY HANNI by Mary Ellen Dantine
Wednesday	Apr 26	9:00 AM	GLORIA BAURKOT by Dalal Amer
Thursday	Apr 27	9:00 AM	GEORGE KOORIE by Sam Canone
Friday	Apr 28	9:00 AM	LOUIS HANNI by Deacon Anthony, Cheffie & Anthony Koury, Jr.

*****4th Sunday of the Resurrection*****

Saturday April 29 - 5:00 PM - DR. ELIAS ISAAC AND DR. KATHRYN ISAAC (Anniversary) by the Family

Sunday, April 30 - 11:00 AM - FIRST COMMUNION CLASS by Fr. Youssef. Coffee reception to follow.

Tuesday	May 1	9:00 AM	LAUREN SESTITO by Lila Melan
Wednesday	May 2	9:00 AM	OUTILL MELHEM by Marlene Bedway
Thursday	May 3	9:00 AM	AMIN NEHME by Rosann Constantine
Friday	May 4	9:00 AM	MICHAEL M. JABBOUR by Labebe Buesing

*****5th Sunday of the Resurrection - Our Lady of Lebanon*****

Saturday May 6 - 5:00 PM - THERESA COOREY ANTONIOS (Nee) El Bahri Memorial Mass
by David & Dalia Saba & Family

Sunday, May 7 - 10:00 AM - MARIE RICHARDSON (Memorial Mass) by Mr. & Mrs. Mark Richardson & Family
ZIYAH AND PROCESSION IN HONOR OF OUR MOTHER MARY

2ND COLLECTION - NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF LEBANON - MAY 7, 2023

ALL FUNDS COLLECTED ARE SENT TO OUR SHRINE IN NORTH JACKSON, OHIO

**SCRIPTURE
READINGS**

3rd Sunday of the Resurrection

2 Tim 2:8-13 / Lk 24:13-35

4th Sunday of the Resurrection

Heb 13:18-25 / John 21:1-14

5th Sunday of the Resurrection

Eph 2:1-10 / Jn 21:15-19

You're Invited

Our 2nd grade Maronite Christian Formation class will receive their **First Holy Communion** on Sunday, April 30th at the **11:00 AM Liturgy**. Everyone is invited to celebrate this very special occasion! A coffee reception will follow.

The Names of communicants are listed below:

Antoine Atallah Samir Boatwright
Leonardo Da Re Caesar El Khoury



**THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY
& ST. THERESA SODALITY
COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATIONS**

2023 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.
THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS MONDAY, MAY 15, 2023.
CONTACT EITHER THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY OR ST. THERESA SODALITY OFFICERS WITH QUESTIONS.

APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND
ONLINE AT OLOLEASTON.ORG



**OUR LADY OF LEBANON
3RD ANNUAL
GOLF SCRAMBLE**

**Sunday, May 21st
Shotgun Start at 12:00 PM**

**Registration: Team Of 4 - \$520
Includes Greens' Fees/Cart, Buffet Dinner,
Beverages, Snacks, & Prizes,
Commemorative T-Shirt.**

Sponsorship Opportunities Available

**Riverview Country Club
One Riverview Place
Easton, PA (Forks Township)**

June 20th - June 22nd



Vacation Bible School

Stay tuned for more info

