

## CHURCH HALL RENTAL

**\$300** for one (1) day rental (A day is one calendar date, not hours from two different days)

**\$450** for two (2) day rental.

**\$1,000** for non-parishioners.

No charge for mercy meals or condolences, however donations will be accepted in these cases.

Non-profits will be treated as parishioners. Pastor will have discretion related to these requests.

Anyone using the hall will be responsible for leaving it in good condition. At the very least, the same way they found it.

Renters are responsible for disposing of all trash, food, disposable plates, utensils, etc.

Renters are also responsible for bringing their own consumable/disposable items which include, but are not limited to: Paper towels, dish soap, hand soap, aluminum foil, saran wrap, baggies, garbage bags, containers for leftover food, disposable plates, cups, utensils, napkins, etc.

## SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle for May is donated in loving memory of

**DIMITRA GIACOUPOULOS ACHI**

by her parents Nick & Susan Giacoumopoulos

## Weekly Collection

Saturday, Apr 29 - \$407.00

Sunday, Apr 30 - \$557.00

Total - \$964.00

## 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**.

**venmo**

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

Please make sure to identify what your contribution is for.



## OUR LADY OF LEBANON MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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



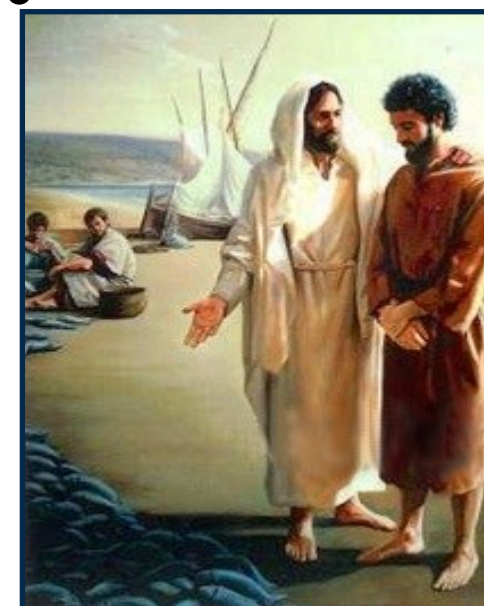
Week 18 - Week 20

Email: [abouna@ololeaston.org](mailto:abouna@ololeaston.org)

Website: [ololeaston.org](http://ololeaston.org)

May 6 - May 21, 2023

# Fifth Sunday of the Resurrection



## The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint John 21:15-19

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.'

A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He said to him, 'Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Tend my sheep.'

He said to him the third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, 'Do you love me?' And he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'

Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.' (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, 'Follow me.'

### 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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### BAPTISM

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

### CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:30- 4:50 PM, Sunday, 9:30 - 9:50 AM

Also available by appointment

### MARRIAGE

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

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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

### 1ST HOLY COMMUNION & MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES

October through April, Saturdays 3:45- 4:45

### 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.

## Month of Mary

O Mary, you who are called the Cedar of Lebanon, look down upon your children who today and always beg your guiding hand. Grant us the faith to withstand the sweeping blows of life as the cedar stands strong against the wind. Develop in us the hope of the resurrection.

Dear Mother, increase our love: the love we should have for the Blessed Trinity, our filial love for you, and the love for our neighbor: not in theory, but in solid prayer and practice. We now kneel at your feet, dear Lady, begging for your blessing and beseeching your intercession to your Divine Son for all our church and government authorities, for ourselves, all our relatives and friends, and especially for (request). Our Lady, Queen of Lebanon, America, and the Universe, pray for us.

*There will be Benediction (Ziyah) to the Blessed Mother after weekend Liturgies during the month of May.*



**\*\*\*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 - STEPHANIE RICHARDSON (Memorial Mass) by Mr. & Mrs. Mark Richardson & Family**  
**ZIYAH AND PROCESSION IN HONOR OF OUR MOTHER MARY.** Coffee hour to follow.

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

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

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>May 9</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>EVA FARHAT</b> by Donald Solomon, Sr. & Family
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>May 10</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>AUTEL BOULOS</b> by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>May 11</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>GEORGE BAURKOT</b> by Marie Joseph
<b>Friday</b>	<b>May 12</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>QUEENIE JABBOUR</b> by Mary Isaac

**\*\*\* 6th Sunday of the Resurrection - Mother's Day\*\*\***

**Saturday May 13 - 5:00 PM - JOHN BOULOS (10 YR Anniversary) by John, Mike & Diane Boulos**

**Sunday, May 14 - 10:00 AM - FOR ALL THE LIVING AND DECEASED MOTHER'S OF THE PARISH**  
by the Holy Name Society. Coffee hour is sponsored by the Holy Name Society

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>May 16</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>MARION ESTEPHAN</b> by Peg Muretta & Family
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>May 17</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>MICHAEL JABBOUR</b> by Gerald & Kathleen Tone
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>May 18</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD (HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)</b> <b>FR. RAYMOND EL HAJJ</b> by Fr. Youssef
<b>Friday</b>	<b>May 19</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>PATRICE BAURKOT</b> by Greg & Jody Piagesi

**\*\*\* 7th Sunday of the Resurrection\*\*\***

**Saturday May 20 -5:00 PM - Available**

**Sunday, May 21-10:00 AM - GEORGE KOORIE (5th Anniversary) by the Family**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**5th Sunday of the Resurrection**

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

**6th Sunday of the Resurrection**

**Rom 10:1-13 / Lk 24:36-38**

**7th Sunday of the Resurrection**

**Eph 1:15-23 / Jn 13:31-35**



**SAVE THE DATE**

**STELLAR**  
SHINE JESUS' LIGHT  
**VBS**

**JUNE 20-22, 2023**

**9:30AM-12:30PM**



**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 RANK.
  3. A COPY OF AN ACCEPTANCE LETTER FROM A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY.
  4. A PERSONAL STATEMENT.
- SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS WILL BE CHOSEN BY GRADUATION COMMITTEE 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.

**Deadline May 15**

APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND  
ONLINE AT [OLOLEASTON.ORG](http://OLOLEASTON.ORG)



**Our Lady Of Lebanon  
Maronite Catholic Church**

**2023 LEBANESE  
HERITAGE DAYS  
47th Annual Festival**

**Enjoy Two Days of Family Fun**

**Live Music & Dancing!  
SATURDAY & SUNDAY**



**Amin Sultan**  
Saturday



**Kalem Issa**  
Sunday



**Grilled Meats and More ...**

**RAFFLE**  
**\$10,000 Grand Prize!**  
Folkloric Dance Performances & Children Activities!  
**SATURDAY, AUGUST 5th**  
**5 PM - 12 MIDNIGHT**  
**SUNDAY, AUGUST 6th**  
**11 AM - 10 PM**

**FREE ADMISSION**  
**NO PETS ALLOWED**

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**RAIN OR SHINE**

**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)**

**WELCOME TO  
PROVIDENCE, RI**

**58TH NATIONAL  
MARONITE  
CONVENTION**

**JULY 5 - 9  
2023**

Hosted by St. Anthony of the Desert Church  
Sponsored by The National Apostolate of Maronites  
[nam-news.org](http://nam-news.org)

**OMNI HOTEL  
PROVIDENCE**

**\$189/night**

Reservations must be made no later than Monday, June 12, 2023.

**THURSDAY, JULY 6**

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
PLATED DINNER FOLLOWED BY  
WORLD-RENOVED SINGER  
**ABEER NEHME**  
& VOCALIST CHRISTINE LATOUF

**EXCURSIONS**  
NEWPORT, RI  
BREAKERS MANSION TOUR:  
A symbol of the Vanderbilt  
family's social standing in the  
Gilded Age, the Breakers is  
the flagship of the Newport  
Mansions.

**WORKSHOPS**  
THE SYNOD  
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
12:30 PM THURSDAY TO 12:30 PM FRIDAY

**FRIDAY, JULY 7**

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
HAIL FELLOW FOLLOWED BY TALENTED  
**AMIN SULTAN**  
& LOCAL TALENT FROM  
ST. ANTHONY OF THE DESERT  
EVAN MASSOUD &  
THE KHOURY FAMILY

**EXCURSIONS**  
ROGER WILLIAMS PARK  
200  
Enjoy 150 animals from  
around the globe!

**WORKSHOPS**  
PSYCHOSOCIAL EFFECTS ON OUR YOUTH TODAY  
MCF SUMMER CAMPIC-6  
MYO YOUTH ACTIVITIES 7-12  
MYO ROUND TABLE AND PROFESSIONAL  
DISCUSSION: Explore spirituality, investing in real estate,  
401K, resume writing and more.