

## 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, May 6 -	\$483.00
Sunday, May 7 -	\$615.00
Mail-In -	\$150.00
Total -	\$1,248.00

## 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

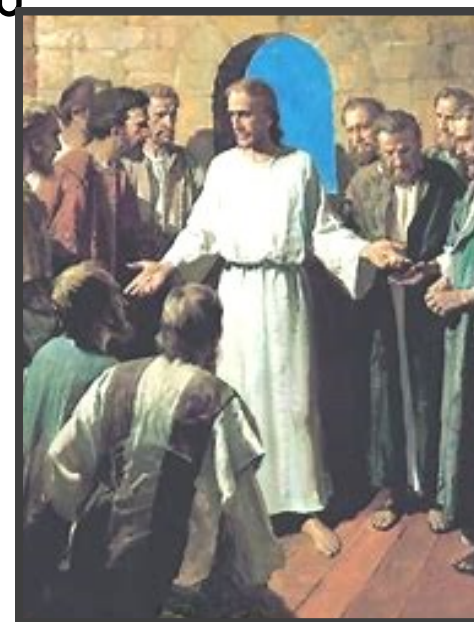
Week 19 - Week 21

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

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

May 13 - May 28, 2023

# Sixth Sunday of the Resurrection



## The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 24:36-48

While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost.

He said to them, 'Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.' And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet.

While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence.

Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.'

Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.'

### 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  
Weekday 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.

*Strength and dignity are her clothing,  
and she laughs at the time to come.*

*She opens her mouth with wisdom,  
and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue.*

*She looks well to the ways of her household  
and does not eat the bread of idleness.*

*Her children rise up and call her happy;  
her husband too, and he praises her:*

HAPPY  
MOTHER'S  
DAY



**\*\*\* 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

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

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

Saturday May 20 -5:00 PM - DEACON JOHN HANNI by Linda Minnich

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

**2ND COLLECTION - SUNDAY, MAY 21ST - CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN**

Following the norms established by the USCCB, 50% of this collection is sent to them for national Catholic television, radio and other media, and 50% is retained by our Eparchy for the Maronite Voice and any other communication needs we may have.

Tuesday	May 23	9:00 AM	ROBERT MARTINO by Stephen Constantine & Son, Peter
Wednesday	May 24	9:00 AM	SOULS IN PURGATORY - Anonymous
Thursday	May 25	9:00 AM	JENNIE MELHEM by Mr. & Mrs. Roger Divittoro
Friday	May 26	9:00 AM	ELIAS SYMIA by Carina Schaffer

**\*\*\* Pentecost Sunday\*\*\***

Saturday May 27 -5:00 PM - Available

Sunday, May 28 -10:00 AM - Available

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**6th Sunday of the Resurrection**

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

**7th Sunday of the Resurrection**

**Eph1:15-23 / Jn 13:31-35**

**Pentecost Sunday**

**Acts 2:1-21 / Jn 14:5-20**



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

2023 GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS ARE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS. THE REQUIREMENTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
  2. AN ORIGINAL TRANSCRIPT SHOWING MOST RECENT GPA AND/OR CLASS RANK.
  3. A COPY OF A 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.

**Deadline May 15**

**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)**

**Saint Maron Church**  
1892 Philadelphia, PA كنيسة مار مارون

# 2023 ANNUAL LEBANESE FESTIVAL

**FRIDAY, JUNE 2** 5pm - 11pm  
**SATURDAY, JUNE 3** 3pm - 11pm  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 4** 1pm - 9pm

**Live Music**  
**Dancing**  
**Raffles**  
**CASH PRIZES**  
**\$1000**  
**\$500**  
**\$250**

**Delicious Food**  
**Dessert**  
**Drinks**

**Eddie Osama & Band**

**1013 ELLSWORTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19147**

# SAVE THE DATE

# STELLAR

SHINE JESUS' LIGHT  
**VBS**

# JUNE 20-22, 2023

# 9:30AM-12:30PM

TO REGISTER ONLINE FOR VBS GO TO:  
<https://www.mvvbs.org/ololeaston>

**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  
[namnews.org](http://namnews.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-RENOUNDED SINGER **ABEER NEHME** A VOCALIST CHRISTINE LATOIF

**EXCURSIONS**  
NEWPORT, RI  
BREAKERS MANSION TOUR: A senior of the Vanderbilt family's social standing in the Gilded Age, the Breakers is the flagship of the Newport Mansions.  
BEACHES OR SHOPPING: Enjoy sun and surf at the popular, Esplanade Beach or Shopping on famous Thames St. and America's Cup Avenue.

**FRIDAY, JULY 7**

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
HAIL JORDAN FOLLOWED BY TALENTED **AMIN SULTAN** & LOCAL TALENT FROM ST. ANTHONY OF THE DESERT. EVENING DINNER BY THE HENRY FAMILY.

**EXCURSIONS**  
ROGER WILLIAMS PARK  
200  
Enjoy 150 acres of fun around the globe!  
BOTANICAL GARDENS: New England's largest greenhouse garden, a beautiful rose maze and many outdoor perennial gardens to explore.  
BOATING: Family friendly boating, rentals, other rides on the famous Swan boats, electric boats, singleperson kayaks and a pirate ship sail.

**WORK SHOPS**  
THE SYNOD  
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 12:30 PM THURSDAY TO 12:30 PM FRIDAY  
PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECTS ON OUR YOUTH TODAY  
MCF SUMMER CAMP 11-6  
MID YOUTH ACTIVITIES 7-12  
MID ROUND TABLE AND PROFESSIONAL DISCUSSION: Explore spirituality, counseling, social justice, AOR, resume writing and more.