

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle for February is donated in loving memory of Deacon John Hanni, Anthony Hanni and Louis Hanni by Marie Hanni

PASTOR CONTACT

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Saturday, Feb 17, 5:00 PM -\$420.00 \$913.00 Sunday, Feb 18, 10:00 AM -\$1,333.00 Total -

venmo

The address is *@ololchurch-easton*.

Please be sure to specify for what your contribution is intended.

ST. MARON HAFLI - Thanks to everyone who helped to make this event a big success.

The gross Income was \$12,590. Expenses were \$3,500.00. Net Income is \$9,090.

Proceeds benefit the youth organizations of our parish.

Lenten Scripture Sharing: Faith, Mercy, Healing



Dive deeper into the Maronite Gospels for the Sundays of Great Lent presented by the Maronite Servants of Christ the Light and

We welcome you to join us live as we highlight spiritual lessons from each Gospel. Participants will also have an opportunity to share their insights as well. Thursdays at

FEBRUARY 22: HEALING OF THE HEMORRHAGING WOMAN

FEBRUARY 29: PARABLE OF THE PRODIGAL SON

MARCH 7: HEALING OF THE PARALYTIC MARCH 14: HEALING OF THE BLIND MAN

MARCH 21: HOSANNA SUNDAY



guest contributors.

8:00pm EST





Please bring your donations to the church hall before or after Mass this weekend, February 24th and February 25th. Volunteers will be there to accept your donations.

No bulk items please.

Thank you for your kindness!





Week 8 - Week 10

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Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman



The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 8:40-56

When Jesus returned, the crowd welcomed him, for they were all waiting for him. Just then there came a man named Jairus, a leader of the synagogue. He fell at Jesus' feet and begged him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter, about twelve years old, who was dving.

As he went, the crowds pressed in on him. Now there was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years; and though she had spent all she had on physicians, no one could cure her. She came up behind him and touched the fringe of his clothes, and immediately her hemorrhage stopped.

Then Jesus asked, 'Who touched me?' When all denied it, Peter said, 'Master, the crowds surround you and press in on you.' But Jesus said, 'Someone touched me; for I noticed that power had gone out from me.'

While he was still speaking, someone came from the leader's house to say, 'Your daughter is dead; do not trouble the teacher any longer.' When Jesus heard this, he replied, 'Do not fear. Only believe, and she will be saved.'

When he came to the house, he did not allow anyone to enter with him, except Peter, John, and James, and the child's father and mother. They were all weeping and wailing for her; but he said, 'Do not weep; for she is not dead but sleeping.' And they laughed at him, knowing that she was dead. But he took her by the hand and called out, 'Child, get up!' Her spirit returned, and she got up at once. Then he directed them to give her something to eat. Her parents were astounded; but he ordered them to tell no one what had happened.

EVENTS MASS SCHEDULE

CLERGY

Fr. Youssef Keikati. Pastor

Deacon Anthony Koury

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Closed on Fridays

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 10:00 AM

LITURGY:

Monday through Thursday

RECTORY & MAILING ADDRESS:

54 South 4th Street, Easton, PA 18042

Weekday Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00

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Feb 24 - March 10, 2024

When the woman saw that she could not remain hidden, she came trembling; and falling down before him, she declared in the presence of all the people why she had touched him, and how she had been immediately healed. He said to her, 'Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace.'

Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman			
Saturday, Feb 24 - 5:00 PM - LAUREN BADER SESTITO by Joe, Suzanne & Jessica Jabbour			
Sunday, Feb 25 - 10:00 AM - FR. LOUIS HASHEM by Fr. Youssef			
Tuesday	Feb 27	9:00 AM	AMIN NEHME by the Family
Wednesday	Feb 28	9:00 AM	AUTEL BOULOS by Joumana Melhem & Children
Thursday	Feb 29	9:00 AM	RIMAH MELHEM by Gerald & Catherine Tone
Friday	Mar 1	<u>9:00 AM</u>	SISTER MARIE CARMEL AND HIND HAYEK by Rafih & Lila Hayek
		7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION
***Parable of the Prodigal Son ***			
Saturday, Mar 2 - 5:00 PM - DEACON JOHN HANNI (1st Anniversary) by the Family			
Sunday, Mar 3 - 10:00 AM - STEPHEN AND AMIRA MOUSSA & GRANDSON, STEPHEN MOUSSA by Fadi & Badowie Jabbour & Family			
Tuesday	Mar 5	9:00 AM	FR. JOSEPH ABDEL SATER by Fr. Youssef
Wednesday	Mar 6	9:00 AM	REV GEORGES HAYEK AND SALMA HAYEK by Rafih & Lila Hayek
Thursday	Mar 7	9:00 AM	AMIN NEHME by the Family
Friday	Mar 8	<u>9:00 AM</u>	GEORGE BAURKOT by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob
		7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION

***Parable of the Prodigal Son ***

Saturday, Mar 9 - 5:00 PM - EVA OLIVER by her Daughters

Sunday, Mar 10 - 10:00 AM - Available

PRAYER FOR PEACE

O Holy One, we know that violence between your children is not according to your will, and we pray that you will help and quide the peoples in conflict to bring the current warfare to an end. We pray for open hearts for all sides to listen and work for peace. We pray for a change of heart for everyone involved in this struggle that they will realize that solutions to this conflict are to be found in negotiations and not weapons.

We ask also for safety for our fellow Christians in the Holy Land that they may continue to serve as living representatives of your Son in the land of his earthly birth. We ask all this in His Name, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen



Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman 2 Cor 7:4-11 / Lk 8:40-56 Parable of the Prodigal Son 2 Cor 13:5-13 / Lk15:11-32 Healing of the Paralytic

1 Tim 5:24-6:5 / Mk 2:1-12

Spring Clean-Up March 15, 2024

at Gethsemane, St, Joseph New, St. Mary Magdalene Cemeteries.

Please remove any items you wish to keep.

ANNUAL LENTEN APPEAL

During this season of sacrifice, please consider making a sacrificial gift for this year's Annual Lenten Appeal for the Eparchy of Saint Maron. There are so many people suffering here and around the world (especially in Lebanon) who can be helped by our prayers, fasting and almsgiving. The Eparchy can be part of your Lenten sacrifice, as we rely upon your generosity to serve the faithful in the Eparchy and the Middle East.

Your gift to this year's Annual Lenten Appeal will support:

- will go for Seminarians.
- important work. 20% of your contribution will go to support Ministries.
- each month. 20% of your contribution will support Retired Priests.
- 10% of your contribution will support Christians in Lebanon and the Middle East.
- resources in the future. 10% of your contribution will be deposited into the Eparchy's Endowment.

Please open your heart once again and make a gift. Your participation in this Appeal impacts the lives of many people, both inside the Eparchy, and in the Middle East. Any gift will be appreciated. Please use your blue Lenten Appeal envelopes or make a donation through Venmo or through our Vanco Portal on our website www.ololeaton.org. Thank you for your generosity.





 Seminarians: We currently have three excellent men preparing for the priesthood. Our seminarians are our future; we need to educate them well so that they can minister effectively as priests someday. The costs of Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Seminary are about \$450,000 per year. 40% of your contribution to this year's Annual Appeal

Ministries: Our outreach to young people, the elderly, families, and in defense of life from conception to natural death, helps people at the most crucial times in their lives. You can ensure that the Eparchy continues this

Retired Priests: The Eparchy's 17 retired priests served the faithful well. We help them with a modest pension

Help for Lebanon and the Middle East: The Eparchy has provided an unprecedented amount of support to help in Lebanon and the Middle East over the past few years. We can never forget the homeland of our Maronite Church.

Endowment: The Eparchy's Endowment Fund supports today's needs and ensures the Eparchy will have