

## UPCOMING DATES

**ST. MARON VIGIL MASS.....Thurs, Feb 8th**  
**ST. MARON HAFLI.....Saturday, Feb 10th**  
**ASH MONDAY.....Monday, Feb 12th**  
**MEATLESS DINNER.....Friday, Feb 23rd**  
**ST. JOSEPH'S BAKE SALE.....Sunday, Mar 17th**

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The address is **@ololchurch-easton**.  
Please be sure to specify for what your  
contribution is intended.

### SANCTUARY CANDLE

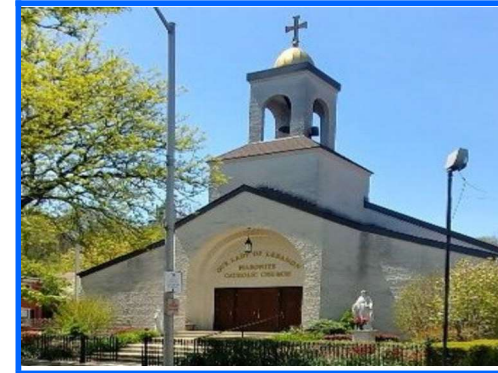
The Sanctuary candle for February  
is donated in loving memory of  
**Deacon John Hanni, Anthony Hanni  
and Louis Hanni** by Marie Hanni

### 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, Jan 27 5:00 PM - \$281.00  
Sunday, Jan 28 10:00 AM - \$663.00  
Mail-In - \$300.00  
Total - \$1,244.00



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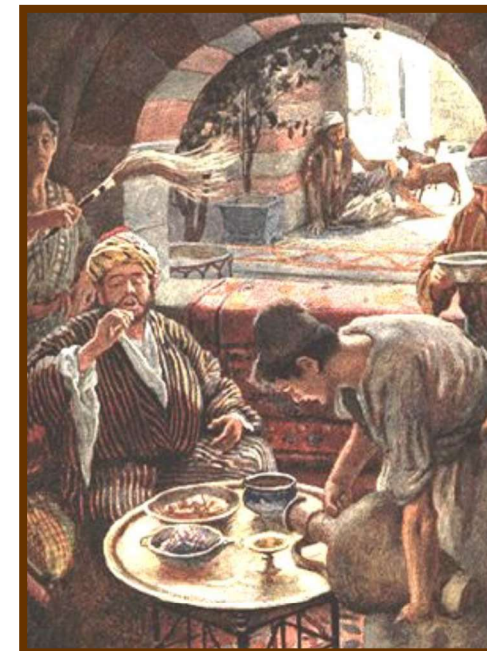
Week 5 - Week 7

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

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

Feb 3 - Feb 18, 2024

## Sunday of the Faithful Departed



### The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 16:19-31

"There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores.

The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames."

But Abraham said, "Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us."

He said, "Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house for I have five brothers that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment." Abraham replied, "They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them." He said, "No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent." He said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."

### 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.

### CLERGY

Fr. Youssef Keikati. Pastor  
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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### 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 guide 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*



\*\*\**Sunday of the Faithful Departed*\*\*\*

Saturday, Feb 3 - 5:00 PM - LAURI JABBOUR by Robert & Betsy Walker

Sunday, Feb 4 - 10:00 AM - WAJIHA KABA & RIMAH MELHEM by Francois & Bernadette Atallah & Family.  
Coffee hour to follow.

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| Tuesday   | Feb 6 | 9:00 AM | PATRICE BAURKOT by Jacqueline Nehme   |
| Wednesday | Feb 7 | 9:00 AM | DAOUN BOULOS by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob  |
| Thursday  | Feb 8 | 7:00 PM | ST MARON FEASTDAY VIGIL MASS - HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION<br>MARIE ROSE KOUMI by Rafih and Lila Hayek |
| Friday    | Feb 9 | 9:00 AM | BERLIN KASSIS by Lila Melan   |

***SECOND COLLECTION - NOTRE DAME MINI-THON - SAT., FEB 10 & SUN., FEB 11***  
*The proceeds from this collection will benefit childhood cancer at Hershey Medical Center.*

\*\*\**Sunday of Entrance into Lent/Miracle at Cana in Galilee*\*\*\*

Saturday, Feb 10 - 5:00 PM - CHARLES LOHOLDT (80TH ANNIVERSARY OF NOT RETURNING FROM WORLD WAR II)  
by the Family

Sunday, Feb 11 - 10:00 AM - FR. GEORGE EID (Hadchit) by Fr. Youssef

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| Monday    | Feb 12 | 9:00 AM | ASH MONDAY<br>FRANCES MELHEM by Mark & Colleen Tone Ziegenhorn |
|           |        | 7:00 PM | QUEENIE JABBOUR by the Hon. Judge & Mrs. Robert Ellwood        |
| Tuesday   | Feb 13 | 9:00 AM | ANTHONY HANNI by James Canone                                  |
| Wednesday | Feb 14 | 9:00 AM | GEORGE KOORIE by Judith Lichty                                 |
| Thursday  | Feb 15 | 9:00 AM | HABOUK SHUMAR by Merhan Wahby                                  |
| Friday    | Feb 16 | 9:00 AM | MILAD HAYEK by Rafih and Lila Hayek                            |
|           |        | 7:00 PM | STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION                          |

\*\*\**Healing of the Leper*\*\*\*

Saturday, Feb 17 - 5:00 PM - GEORGETTE CIAMBRONE by Nick and Ronnie Ciambrone

Sunday, Feb 18 - 10:00 AM - Available

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday of the Faithful Departed  
*1 Thes 5:1-11 / Lk 16:19-31*

Miracle at Cana in Galilee  
*Rom 14:14-23 / Jn 2:1-11*

Healing of the Leper  
*Rom 6:12-23 / Mk 1:35-45*

LENTEN GUIDELINES

**Fasting:-** All the faithful who are physically capable are to fast everyday during Lent. Fasting involves no eating and drinking at all, (except water and medicine) from 12 Midnight until 12 Noon. We urge those who are not physically capable to make an effort on Ash Monday and Good Friday.

**Abstinence** of meat is encouraged on Ash Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays during Lent and everyday during Holy Week.

Please Join Our Lady of Lebanon For

St. Maron  
Haflì

Saturday, February 10th 2024

Our Lady of Lebanon Church Hall  
55 S Fourth Street  
Easton PA 18042

STAR KALEM ISSA

RSVP TO:  
Jennie Melhem 484-725-7025  
Anthony Melhem 484-547-2045

Doors Open @6:30 PM  
BYOB  
Full Dinner Buffet  
Adults: \$65  
Under 10: \$30  
Under 4: Free

2024 Eparchial LENTEN Retreat

Mar 09, 2024, 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

St. Sharbel Maronite Church, 14 Reeve St,  
Somerset, NJ 08873

REGISTER

Registration closes Mar 01, 2024, 11:59 PM

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

2024 MINI-THON

Saturday, February 17th

OLOL will have a second collection  
Saturday, Feb 10th & Sunday, Feb 11th  
for those who wish to donate.

The Penn State IFC/PHC Dance Marathon (THON) is the largest student run philanthropy in the world. The proceeds benefit the Four Diamonds Fund, conquering childhood cancer, at the Hershey Medical Center in Hershey, PA.

E-BIKE SAINT MARON CHURCH  
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2 Winners  
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\$20.00  
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DRAWING:  
SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024 - 2PM

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