



Friday, May 30
5pm - 11pm

Saturday, May 31
3pm - 11pm

Sunday, June 1
1pm - 9pm

RAIN OR SHINE
2025 ANNUAL
LEBANESE FESTIVAL

1013 Ellsworth Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147
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COMMUNION HOST & WINE

The Communion Host and Wine offering for May is donated for a special intention by an anonymous donor.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

We offer a candle in Thanksgiving to God for the miraculous liver transplant received by **Laz Melan Jr.** We are deeply grateful for the healing, for all the prayers, and for the selfless gift from the donor and their family. May this light honor both lives and reflect the grace and mercy that surround them.

Donated by the family of Laz Melan Jr.

PASTOR CONTACT

In case of any needed pastoral assistance, we ask that only the family contact Fr. Kamil on his cell phone at 610-739-8586.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Saturday, May 3 - \$696.00
Sunday, May 4 - \$1,034.00
April Online - \$1,589.20
Total - \$3,319.20

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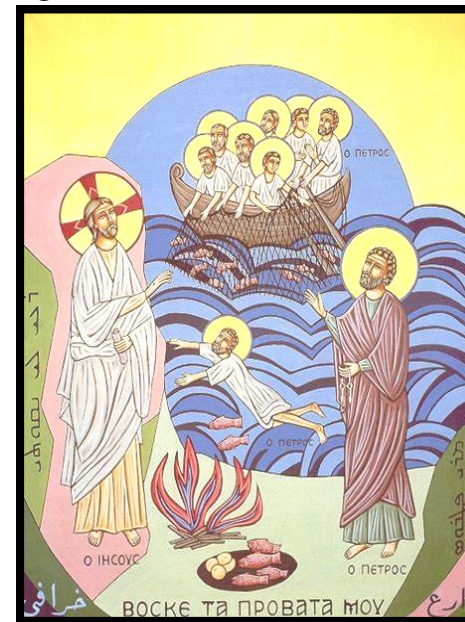
OUR LADY OF LEBANON MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Week 19 - Week 21 Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com Website: ololeaston.org May 10 - May 25, 2025

4th Sunday of The Resurrection



The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint John 21:1-14

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples.

Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish.

That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn.

Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

CLERGY:

Fr. Kamil Al-Chouefati, Pastor

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Closed on Fridays.

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LITURGIES:

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:00 AM
Weekdays: 9:00 AM, Tuesday - Friday
Weekday Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 PM
Confession will be available 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment.

SAVE the DATE



ORDINATION OF
DEACON JOSEPH CHEBLI
TO THE SACRED PRIESTHOOD
MAY 17TH, 2025 @ 10AM

Hotel Reservation By April 15
Courtyard Somerset
250 Davidson Ave, Somerset, NJ
Group Code: JCCJCCA

Our Lady Of Lebanon
Maronite Catholic Church
EASTON, PA
2025 LEBANESE
HERITAGE DAYS

Enjoy Two Days of Family Fun

Live Music & Dancing!
SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Delicious Lebanese
Food & Pastries!



Kalem Issa
Saturday



Eddie Osama
Sunday



Grilled Meats and More ...

RAFFLE

\$10,000 Grand Prize!

Folkloric Dance Performances & Children's Activities!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd
5 PM - 12 MIDNIGHT

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd
11 AM - 10 PM

RAIN OR SHINE 55 SOUTH FOURTH STREET
FREE EASTON, PA 18042
ADMISSION (610) 252-5275
NO PETS ALLOWED LebaneseHeritageDays.com



Starting Thursday, May 1st, we will gather each weekday evening at 7:00 PM to pray the rosary, followed by the Benediction to Our Mother, Mary. On Saturdays and Sundays the rosary will be said 30 minutes before the Liturgy.

*****4th Sunday of the Resurrection - Mother's Day*****

Saturday, May 10 - 5:00 PM - JOHN BOULOS (Anniversary) by the Family

Sunday, May 11-10:00 AM - FOR ALL LIVING AND DECEASED MOTHERS OF THE PARISH by Fr. Kamil

Tuesday	May 13	9:00 AM	EMILE 'AOUTELE' ELIAS by Cheffie and Anthony Koury Jr.
Wednesday	May 14	9:00 AM	DAOUN BOULOS by Laz & Renee Melan
Thursday	May 15	9:00 AM	JEANETTE KASSIS by Anthony & Mireille Karam
		7:00 PM	ROSARY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Friday	May 16	9:00 AM	PATRICE BAURKOT by George & Cathy Weber

*****5th Sunday of the Resurrection*****

Saturday, May 17 - 5:00 PM - ANTHONY MICHAEL SIMONETTA (40 Day Mass) by the Family

Sunday, May 18-10:00 AM - BARBARA KASSIS (Anniversary) by the Family

Tuesday	May 20	9:00 AM	MARY JABBOUR by Bill & Gert Junglas
Wednesday	May 21	9:00 AM	LAUREN BADER SESTITO by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob
Thursday	May 22	9:00 AM	JOHN THOMAS by Lila Melan
		7:00 PM	ST. SHARBEL MASS & ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Friday	May 23	9:00 AM	DEACON ANTHONY KOURY by Marie & Michael Cunningham

*****6th Sunday of the Resurrection*****

Saturday, May 24 - 5:00 PM - HIKMAT (HARRY) BARAKAT by Teresa and Gina Canone and Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Baurkot III and Family

Sunday, May 25 -10:00 AM - AMIN NEHME (4th Anniversary) by Jackie Nehme and Family

Holy Name/St. Theresa Sodality Monthly Meeting

Our May meeting will be held on Monday, May 12th at 6pm this month, in order to accommodate Rosary/Benediction at 7pm. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

4th Sunday of the Resurrection

Gen 1:20-23/Heb 13:18-25/Jn 21:1-14

5th Sunday of the Resurrection

Ezek 34:11-16, 23-25a/Eph 2:1-10/Jn 21:15-19

6th Sunday of the Resurrection

Deut 31:1-3, 6-9/Rom 10:1-13/Lk24:36-48



FOOD PANTRY

This month, the HNS and St. Theresa Sodality are collecting healthy snacks for Project of Easton to help support their outreach to the homeless in our community. Please consider donating individually wrapped snack items (no bulk packages, please) that can easily be added to care bags.

Donations will be accepted before and after all Masses on the weekend of May 17th and 18th.

Your continued generosity makes a real difference—thank you for supporting those in need!

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER

Oh God, You who loved us like a father and a mother, gave us life and embraced us with Your wings of tenderness, we turn to You today and pour out all our worries before You, trusting in Your care for us and thanking You for all Your blessings upon us.

Today, on Mother's Day, we thank you, Lord, for the blessing of motherhood and the intimate bond you create between a person and their mother. We thank you for all the mothers around us and for all their efforts to preserve the lives of their children and guide them to you.

We acknowledge, O God, that the role of a mother is very difficult, especially these days, so we pray that You will be with every mother trying to balance the demands of life, work, and caring for her children.

We pray for every mother who cannot find enough food, shelter, or medical care for her children these days. And for every mother raising her children alone due to the death of a spouse or a breakup, bearing the burden alone.

We pray for every mother who is unable to care for her family as she wishes due to illness or physical disability.

We pray for every mother who raises her children in places suffering from war and conflict, earthquakes and disasters, and who worries about their safety and fears for their future.

We pray for every mother who raises and cares for children with special needs or physical disabilities, and who expends endless physical and mental effort.

We pray for every mother who has chosen to raise children who are not her own flesh and blood, but has taken those who have no family under her wing and given them the necessary care.

We pray for every mother who has been separated from her children due to travel or health and misses them being with her.

We raise to you, O Lord, every mother who has lost her children, whether in the womb or after many years of raising and loving them. Compensate them, O Lord, for their loss and grant them from your tenderness.

Today, O Lord, we remember all the mothers who have passed from this world to be with you forever, remembering them with appreciation and love, and thanking you for everything we experienced with them.

You, O Lord, are our Father and Mother, and in your bosom is our home. Hear our prayers, we your sons and daughters who trust in you, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, to you be glory forever. Amen

Wishing all the wonderful women of our parish a joyful and blessed Mother's Day!