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Welcome Father Chawki



With the blessing of Bishop Gregory Mansour, Father Chawki Raffoul will temporarily assist Father Kamil in the pastoral care of our parish family. We are grateful for his presence among us and look forward to the time we will share together. Please join us in offering Father Chawki a warm and heartfelt welcome.

OUR LADY OF LEBANON MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

55 South 4th Street
Easton, PA 18042
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Week 10 - Week 12 Email: ololchurch@yahoo.com Website: ololeaston.org Mar 7, 2026 - Mar 22, 2026

TRICKY TRAY MARCH 20-22

SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY 20TH TRICKY TRAY: 4-8 PM LENTEN MEAL: 4-7 PM	SATURDAY 21ST TRICKY TRAY: 12-7 PM COMFORT FOOD SERVED ALL DAY	SUNDAY 22ND TRICKY TRAY: 8 AM-1 PM BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY
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300+ prizes - \$25-\$1,500 value

For more information and early bird specials, visit our website:
<https://sites.google.com/view/hfs-hsa/tricky-tray-weekend>
ATM available
Questions? Email - trickytray@holyfamilynazareth.com



Bishop Gregory Mansour will be with us in Easton for the MYO Mid-Atlantic Lenten Retreat on March 14-15. We joyfully welcome Sayedna and pray that his time with our youth will be blessed, uplifting, and fruitful.



Parable of the Prodigal Son



The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke 15:11-32

The Lord Jesus says: 'There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, "Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me." So he divided his property between them.

A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and travelled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything.

But when he came to himself he said, "How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands.'

So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son." But the father said to his slaves, "Quickly, bring out a robe the best one and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!" And they began to celebrate.

Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, "Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound." Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. But he answered his father, "Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!" Then the father said to him, "Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found."

4TH ANNUAL OLL MYA BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER

DATE: APRIL 4TH 2026 TIME: 11:00AM

★ \$185 TEAM ENTRY FEE

500 ZUCKSVILLE RD, EASTON, PA 18040

★ PRIZE: TROPHY AND T-SHIRTS

VICTOR KARAM (610-905-3465) | ARTHUR JACOB (484-542-3434)



COMMUNION HOST & WINE

The Communion Host and Wine offering for the month of March is donated in loving memory of, and in birthday remembrance for, **CATHERINE (KATTOUR) MELAN** by the Family

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle for March is donated in loving memory of **DIMITRA GIACOUMOPOULOS ACHI** by her parents Nick and Susan Giacoumopoulos

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Saturday, Feb 28 -	\$954.00
Sunday, Mar 1 -	\$1,038.00
Total -	\$1,992.00








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**. Fr. Kamil's email is clergy95@gmail.com

CLERGY:
Fr. Kamil Al-Chouefati, Pastor
Deacon Adonis El-Asmar

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
Tuesday - Friday: 6:30 PM
Holy Days of Obligation: 7:00 PM
Confession is available 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment.

*****Parable of the Prodigal Son*****

Saturday, Mar 7 - 5:00 PM - ROSE SYMIA (Birthday Remembrance) by her Children and Grandchildren

Sunday, Mar 8 - 10:00 AM - BERLIN (5th Anniversary) AND JOHN KASSIS by the Family

**Fr. Kamil will be away for the annual clergy retreat beginning Monday, March 9th, and returning on Friday, March 13th. The weekday Masses originally scheduled for this week will be moved to the following week, however, Father will return in time for the Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 13th at 7:00 PM.
In case of emergency, please contact Father on his cell phone at 610-739-8586.**

Friday	Mar 13	7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION
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*****Healing of the Paralytic*****

Saturday, Mar 14 - 5:00 PM - GEORGETTE CIAMBRONE by Nick and Ronnie Ciambrone

Sunday, Mar 15 - 10:00 AM - CHAFICA (CHEFFIE) KOURY (40 Day Mass) by the Family

Tuesday	Mar 17	6:30 PM	DEACON ANTHONY KOURY by Cathy and George Baurkot
Wednesday	Mar 18	6:30 PM	TONY KARAM by Marie Joseph
Thursday	Mar 19	6:30 PM	ST. JOSEPH'S FEAST DAY JEANETTE KASSIS by Mr. & Mrs. Badwi Jacob
Friday	Mar 20	9:00 AM	LOIS BURKOT by Marlene Bedway
		7:00 PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION

*****Healing of the Blind Man*****

Saturday, Mar 21 - 5:00 PM - GEORGE MOURANI (Memorial Mass) by Fr. Kamil

Sunday, Mar 22 - 10:00 AM - JOSEPH MELHEM JR. (Birthday Remembrance) by his wife Joumana Melhem and Children

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Parable of the Prodigal Son

Zech 3:1-7 / 2 Cor 13:5-13 / Lk 15:11-32

Healing of the Paralytic

Is 35:1-6, 8, 9b-10/Tim 5:24-6:5/Mk 2:1-12

Healing of the Blind Man

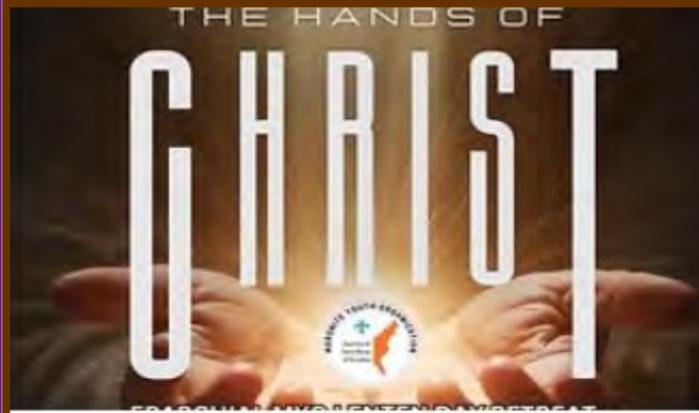
Is 42:6-8, 16-18/2 Cor 10:1-7/Mk 10:46-52

PRAYER FOR PEACE: O God of peace and Father of mercies, we come before You with sorrowful and pleading hearts, entrusting to Your loving care the peoples of the Middle East. For decades they have endured conflict, fear, and deep suffering. Only Your divine grace can bring the lasting peace that human efforts alone cannot achieve.

Pour forth Your Holy Spirit upon the leaders, authorities, and all who hold influence in this region. Soften their hearts, enlighten their minds, and guide them to seek justice, reconciliation, and the common good rather than violence and division.

As the prophet proclaimed, "May justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever flowing stream." Grant comfort to all who mourn, healing to the wounded, and protection to the innocent. Bring unity where there is discord, hope where despair has taken root, and love where hatred has hardened hearts.

Let the peace of Christ, the peace that surpasses all understanding, guard the hearts and minds of all Your children in this land so dear to the history of our salvation. Strengthen our trust in Your power to restore harmony, rebuild communities, and renew the face of the earth. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



2026 MID-ATLANTIC LENTEN RETREAT
Mar 14, 2026, 9:30 AM - 6:30 PM
Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Church, 55 S 4th St, Easton, PA 18042, USA

[More info](#)

[Register](#)

St. Joseph's Annual Bake Sale Tricky Tray & Raffle

Sunday, March 22nd, 11:00 AM

Our Lady of Lebanon Church hall

Come Join Us for Our Annual St. Joseph's Bake Sale! Enjoy a delicious assortment of homemade treats, and try your luck at our 20+ Tricky Tray prizes, featuring beautiful St. Joseph and St. Theresa statues and even an iPad!

Tricky Tray sheets and raffle tickets will be available for sale after each Mass



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Lent/Easter Music Concert



Our Lady of Lebanon Church

March 21 / 7:00 PM

Tickets \$20: Contact Fr. Kamil

SECOND ANNUAL Flourish Women's Retreat
April 17 - 19, 2026

Restored, Refreshed & Renewed in Christ
"Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom" 2 Cor 3:17

- The St. Sharbel Spiritual Life Center, Pittsburgh, PA
- Hotel Block: Double Tree Hilton
- Registration fee: \$155
Space is limited, be sure to register by April 3rd. Use QR code below!



With Keynote Speaker, **Johnette Benkovic Williams**

Join us for this uplifting Retreat with special guest Johnette Williams, Founder of Women of Grace® & EWTN TV and Radio Host.

For more information Contact: Linda DiNardo George (540)520-1679