

DIVINE LITURGIES

SAT. : 03 MARCH / PARABLE OF THE PRODIGAL SON

4:30 PM Repose of **Aaron Bella** by Family
Repose of **Judge Martin P. Joyce** by Betty Joyce

SUN. : 04 MARCH / PARABLE OF THE PRODIGAL SON

8:30 PM Repose of **Hassane Victor Khoury**
by Sue Nakley & Family
Repose of **Hind El-Hayek** by Frances Rouhana & Family

11:00 AM Repose of **Fran Farris** by Joe & Marilyn Joseph
Repose of **Joseph Dohar** by Larry & Diana Berringer

MONDAY: 05 MARCH

8:30 AM Repose of **Kitty Rotar** by Steve & Joanne Vernarsky

TUESDAY: 06 MARCH

8:30 AM Repose of **Charlene Essad Smith**
by Subdeacon James & Paula Essad

WEDNES.: 07 MARCH / 7 YOUNG MEN OF EPHESUS

8:30 AM Repose of **Michael Malagisi** by Daily Mass Group

THURSDAY: 08 MARCH

No Liturgy

FRIDAY: 09 MARCH / THE FORTY MARTYRS

12:00 Noon Repose of **Barbara Rotunno**
by Subdeacon James & Paula Essad

7:00 PM BENEDICTION OF THE CROSS

SAT. : 10 MARCH / HEALING OF THE PARALYTIC

4:30 PM Repose of **Joseph Dohar** by Charles & Donna Zidian
Repose of **Gladys Thomas** by Sami & Rita Rafidi
Repose of **Gabriel A. Vigorito**
by loving wife, Janes A. Vigorito

SUN. : 11 MARCH / HEALING OF THE PARALYTIC

8:30 PM Repose of **John Dohar**
by Fred, Annie & Joseph Ciariello
Repose of **Paula Dohar** by Hekmat & Jean Estephan

11:00 AM Repose of **Virginia George** by Children,
Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren
Repose of **Carmella & Edward Farris & Joseph &
Florence Sosnowski** by John, Laurie, Johnny &
Victoria Farris

PLEASE PRAY FOR the following people who have died in the past years, Mar. 3-9: Rose Barak, Marisa DiDomenico, Marie Francis, Rose Abraham, Richard Vantell, Sr., Alice Saker, Thomas J. Thomas, James Simon, Sr., Tabita A. Galip, Catherine Rita Joseph, Gabriel Vigorito, Nabihah Hayek, Abbas Abby Thomas, Sr., Josephine Essad, Shamseen Baz, Julia Manser.

IN THE HOSPITAL: Terry Khoury, St. E's Youngstown.



FIRST READING: 2 Cor 13: 5-13

GOSPEL: Luke 15: 11-32

LECTORS - Mar. 3 & 4

Saturday 4:30 PM Madeline Clarke
Sunday 8:30 AM Parents of 2nd Graders
11:00 AM Joseph Simon

ALTAR SERVERS - Mar. 3 & 4

Sat. 4:30 PM Emily Smith, Volunteer
Sun. 8:30 AM Anthony & Anissa Essad
11:00 AM Jacob, Christopher & Alexander
Simon

USHERS FOR MARCH

Sat 4:30 pm Michael Dohar, Bob Stanton, Ray Nakley, Jr.
Sun 8:30 am Joe Warino, Joe E. Chahine, John Dohar
11:00 am Johnny Farris Jr., Salloum Sahyoun, George Clarke



NEXT WEEK'S READING: 1 Tim 5: 24- 6:5

GOSPEL: Mark 2: 1-12

LECTORS - Mar. 10 & 11

Saturday 4:30 PM Neil Taylor
Sunday 8:30 AM MCF Grades 5-6
11:00 AM Julie Palusak

ALTAR SERVERS - Mar. 10 & 11

Sat. 4:30 PM Tristan & Antonio Maroun
Sun. 8:30 AM Marc & Nic Judy, Vincent Machuga
11:00 AM Joseph & Dominic Marzano,
Thomas Awaida

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT FEBRUARY 25, 2018

Offertory Collection: \$3,454.00

75 Envelopes of 300 used



Other Weekly Income: \$2,750.00

February Loan Balance: \$87,160.56

Needy: \$5.00

Lebanese Food Sales: \$562.25



SHUT-INS: (at home) - Frank Santisi, Jr., Saada Simon, Bessie Thomas, Liz Manser, Bill & Georgette Hammond, Tom Dohar, M. Charlotte Mike.

SHUT-INS : Elaine Zenn, (Sunrise), Karimeh Rafidi (Christine Valley), Madeline Michael Boulson National Church Residences), Fay Basile, Mary Shaheen, (Antonine Village), Abraham Hammond, (Austin Woods), Maron Fares, (Omni Manor).

SANCTUARY CANDLES—MARCH

In Loving Memory of **John & Josephine Jakubek**
by their Children

In Loving Memory of **Joseph & Eleanor Beshara**
by George & Ronald Beshara

In Loving Memory of **Nabeh Joseph Rouhana**
by Frances Rouhana

ALTAR WINE—MARCH

In Loving Memory of **Norman E. Bishara**
by Lloyd & Linda Yazbek & Family

ALTAR BREAD—MARCH

In Loving Memory of **Frances Farris** by Julia Simon



Congratulations to the following students of St. Maron Youngstown MCF for winning 1st place in 3 categories in the NAM Vocations Awareness Poster Contest.

Kylee Molnar won 1st place in Grades K-1;

Laura Awaida won 1st place in Grades 2-3;

and **Lily Essad** won 1st Place in Grades 7-9.

Rose Sahyoun will be give awards during the 8:30am Liturgy this Sunday.

BIRTHDAYS

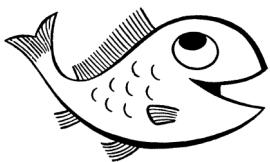
- Mar. 03 Christina Chahine, **Chorbishop Michael Kail**
- Mar. 04 Kenneth Carano,
- Mar. 05 Michael Rohan, Nicolas Santisi
- Mar. 06 Ave Farris, Edward Farris, Frank Santisi, Sied Thomas
- Mar. 07 Chloe Zidian
- Mar. 08 Adwane Warchol
- Mar. 09 George Rohan, Sr., Alexander Simon



Bakers - Prepare !!! The Fish Fry is here. Please get your best recipes ready to delight our hungry customers. One of the most common responses, other than how great the fish dinner is, was the great desserts offered.

Nam Retreat: March 17th at the Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon. Speaker is Fr. Alex Harb. See the flyer inserted for detailed information.

Announcements



The St. Maron Fish Fry continues from 3-7pm, Fridays of Lent.

Do you want to fast this Lent? Try this !!

- Fast from hurting words and say kind words.
- Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.
- Fast from anger and be filled with patience.
- Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.
- Fast from worries and trust in God.
- Fast from pressures and be prayerful.
- Fast from bitterness and fill your heart with joy.
- Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to all.
- Fast from grudges and be reconciled.

-- Pope Francis

Tickets are available for the NAM 25th Annual Spring Raffle. Only 420 tickets are printed. \$17,500 in cash prizes. Tickets are \$100 each and the drawing will take place on April 22nd at the St. Maron Parish in Torrington, CT. To purchase, call Beverly Mike-Nard (330-509-5437) or Rose Sahyoun (330-565-7238).



The Fish Frys have been doing GREAT. Let's continue to help where ever we can. And don't forget to VOTE for St. Maron on the Living Bread Radio Contest!! We are currently in 1st place. To vote, go to livingbread-radio.com - You can vote once a day and if we continue to do as well as we are, we can win \$200.00.....just by voting.

Lent is a time to attend Church....and not just on the weekends! It's a special time to incorporate an extra day of worship into your busy schedules. Plan to attend every day during Holy Week. Come to a weekday Liturgy if possible. Join us for the Benediction of the Cross every Friday at 7:00 pm. You'll be glad you did !!