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*January 23, 2022, Third Sunday after Epiphany*

Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock  
Najmieh Abi Najm (40 Day Anniversary)

Sunday, February 6, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Wednesday, February 9, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.  
Saint Maron Feast Day

Sunday, February 13, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Thursday, February 17, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.  
Divine Liturgy and Holy Hour of Adoration

Sunday, February 20, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock  
Joseph Fares Fayad

Tuesday, February 22, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.  
Liturgy in honor of Saint Sharbel

Sunday, February 27, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Monday, February 28, 2022 (Ash Monday) at 7:30 p.m.  
Divine Liturgy and blessing of the ashes

Reconciliation (Confession) is available every Sunday between 10:15 and 10:45 a.m. before the Divine Liturgy.

**Let us Pray the Rosary**

Please join fellow parishioners as we pray the Holy Rosary every **Sunday at 10:15 a.m.** in preparation for the Divine Liturgy and in honor of our Blessed Mother, Mary.

**Ushers for Sunday, January 30, 2022**

**Halim Younes, Gebran Fatouche, Antoine Issa and Joseph Nasr**  
(If you will not be attending the Liturgy on that day, please get in touch with **Halim Younes** to find a replacement.

**Ushers for Sunday, February 6, 2022**

**Fawzi Abouchabke, Maroun Mezher, Tony ElKhoury and Mark Malkoun**

**Altar Servers for Sunday, January 30, 2022**

Jason Pitzer and Peter ElKhoueir

**Thank you for your generosity**

Summary of the Collection for **Sunday December 16, 2022**

Regular Collection	\$ 672
Donation by mail	\$ 30
Pledge	\$ 100

Thank you for your generosity and may God bless you all.

**Second Collection**

**On Sunday, January 23, 2022**, a second collection will be taken for the Catholic Bishops' Worldwide Charities (this collection combines the four USCCB collections: Central & Eastern Europe, the Church in Latin America, Catholic Relief Services (CRS) and Operation Rice Bowl which is a part of CRS). The total is divided evenly. All funds collected will be forwarded to the Chancery for transfer to the USCCB.

**Scripture Readings**

**Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock**

Rom 7:1-6; Jn 4:5-7, 9-26

**Sunday, February 6, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock**

1 Tim 4:6-16; LK 12:42-48

**Sunday, February 13, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock**

Heb 12:18-24; Mt 25:31-46

**Marriage Banns**

The Marriage Banns are announced for the second time between **Benjamin Blanchette and Stephanie Marie Kassab**. Anyone knowing why they should not be married in the Catholic Church is bound in conscience to make it known to the priest.

**End of the Year Statements**

The End of the year contribution statements were mailed to all our active donors. If you do not receive yours or if you find an error in your statement, please let the Pastor know ASAP.

Please see the next page for suggestions on ways to support your church financially. We thank you for your generosity and support.

**FYI**

**What is the place of the Our Father in the Scriptures?**

The Our Father is the "summary of the whole Gospel" (Tertullian), "the perfect prayer" (Saint Thomas Aquinas). Found in the middle of the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5-7), it presents in the form of prayer the essential content of the Gospel. (For further reading: Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC): # 2761-2764, 2774)

**Why is it called the "Lord's Prayer"?**

The Our Father is called the "*Oratio Dominica*", that is, the Lord's Prayer because it was taught to us by the Lord Jesus himself. (For further reading: CCC 2765-2766, 2775)

**What place does the Our Father have in the prayer of the Church?**

The Lord's Prayer is the prayer of the Church par excellence. It is "handed on" in Baptism to signify the new birth of the children of God into the divine life. The full meaning of the Our Father is revealed in the Eucharist since its petitions are based on the mystery of salvation already accomplished, petitions that will be fully heard at the coming of the Lord. The Our Father is an integral part of the Liturgy of the Hours. (For further reading: CCC 2767-2772, 2776)

## *Ways to Support Your Church*

### *Online Donation*

- 1) Log on to: <https://secure.myvanco.com/YHC6>
- 2) Or visit the Parish's website: [www.Ololdc.org](http://www.Ololdc.org) and look for online donation to the right side of the screen
- 3) Select your funds and amount and click the "donate" button. From there, you can choose a donation amount and frequency, then proceed to payment
- 4) Enter Payment Method (credit card, debit card, etc.) Since Vanco charges 4% processing fee, you will be asked if you want to add the fee to your donation. You can even save your payment information for future donations
- 4) Review and submit your gift by clicking "submit"
- 5) The Online Donation **does not replace** the collection basket on Sunday or the donation by mail. It is only a convenient way for those who prefer to use it.

### *Yearly Pledge*

#### *How to:*

You can send your contributions through your bank's "Bill Pay", the exact same way you pay any other online bill. It is the easiest way to make a recurrent monthly transfer and it is free.

Should you decide to do so, log into your bank's website and choose "bill pay" services and add "Our Lady of Lebanon Church" as a "payee" using the information below:

**Payee Name:** Our Lady of Lebanon Church  
**Payee Address:** 7237 15<sup>th</sup> Place, NW, Washington, DC 20012

**Amount:**        \_\_\_ \$500 per month  
                     \_\_\_ \$300 per month  
                     \_\_\_ \$200 per month  
                     \_\_\_ \$150 per month  
                     \_\_\_ \$100 per month  
                     \_\_\_ per month

Please check **recurrent** on the first of each month.

If you use the church envelop system, please include your envelope number.

Please fill out this form and mail it back to the church office so we can estimate our budget. The mailing address: **7237 15<sup>th</sup> Place, NW, Washington, DC 20012.**

May God Bless you and reward you abundant

