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Sunday, January 14, 2024, Second Sunday After Epiphany

Sunday, January 14, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock

Alice Gebara and Boutros Abboud Zoghbi

Sunday, January 21, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock

Marie Fares Nasr (mother of George and Claude BouAbboud) 40 day anniversary

Monday, January 22, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

Liturgy in honor of Saint Sharbel

Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock

Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock

Elias Maroun Andary (father of Elsi El Sayed) 40 day anniversary

Thursday, February 8, 2024 (Eve of St. Maron Feast Day) Divine Liturgy at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock

Monday, February 12, 2024 (Ash Monday) at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy and distribution of Ashes

Friday, February 16, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy and Benediction with the Holy Cross

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 14, 2024

Halim Younes, Victor Beasley and Rafah Elias

Ushers for Sunday, January 21, 2024

Halim Younes, Anthony Beasley, John Nadder and Fawzi Abouchabke

Altar Servers for Sunday, January 21, 2024

Mateo AbouJaoude and Jason Nasr

Thank you for your generosity

Summary of the Collection for Sunday, January 7, 2024

Regular collection \$1812
Pledge \$ 750
Donation by mail \$ 330
Epiphany Collections \$ 324

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

March for Life

Bishop Gregory Mansour invites you to join fellow Maronites from across the United States to march for the unborn, and to witness to the sanctity and dignity of human life from the womb to the tomb. The **2024 March for Life** will take place on Friday January 19, 2024, in Washington, D.C. (See next page for complete schedule).

Second Collection

On Sunday, **January 28, 2024**, a second collection will be taken for the Catholic Bishops' Worldwide Charities (this collection combines

Scripture Readings

Sunday, January 14, 2024 (Second Sunday after Epiphany) 2 Cor 4:5-15; Jn 1:35-42

Sunday, January 21, 2024 (Sunday of the Priests)

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

Sunday, January 28, 2024 (Sunday of the Righteous & Just)

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

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.

Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration

Starting on **Sunday, January 28, 2024** and every last Sunday of each month following the Divine Liturgy, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for private prayer and meditation. We tried to hold the Eucharistic Adoration on a weekday night, but it was not convenient for many.

Attention all MYO

The annual regional retreat for the Maronite Youth Organization (MYO), ages 13 to 18 years old, will take place **March 15, 16, 17, 2024,** at Saint Anthony Maronite Church in Glen Allen [Richmond] Virginia. If you would like to attend, please let me or Dalal Moura know. Registration forms and permission slips will be provided. Thank you.

Ushers

As the number of our ushers and greeters dwindles, we are in need of a few more people to serve in this capacity. Please let me or Mr. Halim Younes know if you are willing to serve as an usher and the schedule will be announced in the weekly bulletin. Thank you.

End of the Year Statements

- ♦ End of the **year contribution statements** were mailed this week to all our active donors. If you do not receive yours in the next few days, please let the Pastor (**not a third party**) know ASAP.
- ◆ If your address or phone number has changed, please call the church office (**not a third party**) and update your file. It is vital that we keep your file up-to-date.
- ♦ If you are new to the Parish, we bid you a warm welcome and urge you to register in the Parish and get actively involved in the life of the parish.



JAN 18-21 WASHINGTON D.C.

Thursday January 18

5:00 PM Evening vigil at the Basilica of the

National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D.C.

Friday January 19

11:00 AM Meet at Starbucks for the March

Dinner at the Seminary Library 6:00 PM Talk/Q&A with Father Rudolph

Social Outing TBD

Saturday January 20

Mass in the Byzantine Chapel at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the 10:30 AM

Immaculate Conception, Washington, D.C.

Social Outing

Sunday January 21

TBD

Liturgy at Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite 11:00 AM

Church and Seminary

Reception to follow in church hall

*Schedule is subject to change

Questions? Contact mya.eparchystmaron@gmail.com Hotel block info can be found at myaeparchystmaron.org/events



