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Fifth Sunday of Pentecost, June 20, 2021

## Sunday, June 20, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock

For all fathers, both living and deceased

Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy and Benediction of St. Sharbel

Sunday, June 27, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock

Najm Abou Jaoude (40 Day Anniversary)

Sunday, July 4, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock

Sunday, July 11, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock

George Khoury

Sunday, July 18, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock (Feast of St. Sharbel)

Members of Our Lady of Lebanon both Living and deceased

Sunday, July 25, 2021 at 11:00 o'clock

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

**The last Sunday of every month,** a Holy Hour of Adoration will take place after the 11:00 a.m. 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 June 27, 2021

Halim Younes, Victor Beasley, Rafah Elias and Gebran Fatouche (If you will not be attending the Liturgy on that day, please get in touch with Halim Younes to find a replacement. The ushers will also count the collection and make the deposit before they give it to the priest to take it to the bank.)

## Thank you for your generosity

Summary of the Collection for Sunday, June 13, 2021

Regular Sunday Collection\$2700Donation by mail\$ 200Memorial Contribution\$ 200

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

### Sunday School Registration

**Following the Divine Liturgy**, Janine Helou will be taking registration for Sunday School (Religious Education). The Sunday School, open to all young people from pre-school to high school, will resume (we hope and pray) in-person in the middle of September. We are also in a desperate need for a few **good men and women** to teach religious education and help us pass on our Maronite Catholic faith and traditions to our younger ones. Thank you for helping us.

## **Scripture Readings**

**Sunday, June 27, 2021, Sts. Peter and Paul** 2 Cor 11:21-30; MT 16:13-20

**Sunday, July 4, 2021, 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pentecost** 2 Cor 3:1-6; LK 10:1-7

#### Second Collection

**Sunday, June 27, 2021**, a second collection will be taken for the Holy Father (Peter's Pence). The Peter's Pence Collection enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to requests to aid the most needy throughout the world.

## Covid-19 Update

## Staring on Sunday, June 27, 2021:

- ♦ Holy Communion will be given under both species, on the tongue
- ♦ Holy Water font will be filled again
- ♦ The obligation for all to attend Divine Liturgy on Sunday and Holy Days of obligations will be reinstated
- ♦ Masks are optional unless required by local law
- ♦ The normal exchange of the Greeting of Peace will **return on August 15, 2021**

### Attention All Youths



Please note that deadline for registration is June 23, 2021.



rs. John B. Dodd, of Washington, first proposed the idea of a "father's day" in 1909. Mrs. Dodd wanted a special day to honor her father, William Smart. William Smart, a Civil War veteran, was widowed when his wife (Mrs. Dodd's mother) died in childbirth with their sixth child. Mr. Smart was left to raise the newborn and his other five children by himself on a rural farm in eastern Washington state.

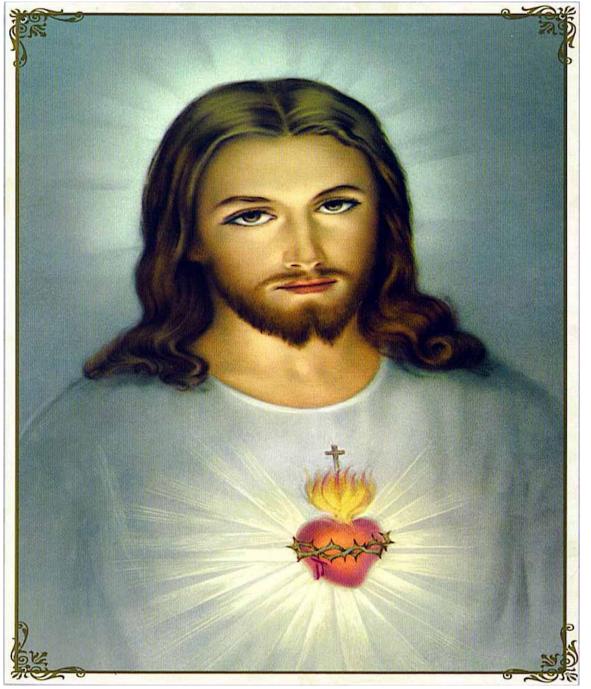
The first Father's Day was observed on June 19, 1910 in Spokane, Washington. At about the same time in various towns and cities across America other people were beginning to celebrate a "father's day."

In 1924 President Calvin Coolidge supported the idea of a national Father's Day.

In 1966 President Lyndon Johnson signed a presidential proclamation declaring the 3rd Sunday of June as Father's Day.

Father's Day has become a day to not only honor our father, but all men who act as a father figure.

Happy Father's Day to all fathers and fathers to be. May our Heavenly Father guide you and through you, may He guide us. Enjoy Your Day.



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