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Sunday, May 29, 2022, 7th Sunday of the Resurrection

Sunday, May 29, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Sunday, June 5, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock (Pentecost Sunday)

Joseph Fahed (40 Day Anniversary)

Sunday, June 12, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Philip and Georgette Issa and Ramez Sarkis

Thursday, June 16, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy and Holy Hour

Sunday, June 19, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

For all fathers, living and deceased

Wednesday, June 22, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy in honor of Saint Sharbel

Sunday, June 26, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Paul Mazloom

Sunday, July 3, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Sunday, July 10, 2022 at 11:00 o'clock

Nancy Karam

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, June 5, 2022

Halim Younes, Anthony Beasley, John Nadder & Fawzi Abouchabke

Ushers for Sunday, June 12, 2022

Roger Abou Jaoude, Elie Malkoun, Kevin Pitzer and George Choueiry

Altar Servers for Sunday, June 5, 2022

Jason Pitzer and Peter ElKhoueiry

Thank you for your generosity

Summary of the Collection for **Sunday, May 22, 2022**

Regular Collection \$ 1703

Pledge \$ 1000

Donation by mail \$ 450

Memorial Contribution \$ 500

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

Second Collection

May 29, 2022, Catholic Communications Campaign: Following the norms established by the USCCB, 50% of this collection is sent to them for national Catholic television, radio and other media, and 50% is retained by our Eparchy for the Maronite Voice and any other communication needs the Eparchy may have.

Save the Date

The Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Church Annual Lebanese Food Festival will be held on **Saturday, September 17, 2022 from noon to 11 p.m.** More information in future bulletins. Please save the

Scripture Readings

Sunday, May 29, 2022 (7th Sunday of the Resurrection)

Eph 1:15-23; Jn 13:31-35

Sunday, June 5, 2022 (Pentecost Sunday)

Acts 2:1-21; Jn 14:15-20

Sunday, June 12, 2022 (Sunday of the Most Holy Trinity)

Rom 11:25-36; Mt 28:18-20

date and we appreciate your assistance and cooperation to make this upcoming festival the success you want it.



Memorial Day is an American holiday, observed on the last Monday of May, honoring the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971. Many Americans observe Memorial Day by visiting cemeteries or memorials, holding family gatherings and participating in parades. Unofficially, it marks the beginning of the summer season. (History.com).

May God reward their services and sacrifices by granting them His eternal kingdom.

Our Lady of Lebanon

The first Sunday in May we celebrated the memorial of Our Virgin Mother under the title of “Our Lady of Lebanon.” The Maronite Church has always had a special devotion to the Virgin, as is evidenced by the great number of churches which are dedicated to her both in Lebanon and in our own country. Mary, moreover, plays a special role in the Church’s liturgy: There are numerous *hoosoyeh* dedicated to her, *qoley* and hymns which extol her virtues, and constant petitions which beg her intercession. And yet, Mary is always seen in the Maronite liturgy as the Mother of the Lord, the *Theotokos*, in whose womb the Word took flesh:



Hail Mary! In your virginity, you became the mother of the mighty One who fills heaven and earth.

Hail Mary! In your virginity, you became the mother of the ancient One whose name was before the sun was created.

Hail Mary! In your virginity, you became the mother of the Creator who formed Eve and gave her to Adam. Blessed are you, Mary, in whose womb dwelled in holiness the only begotten Son who is one in nature and in Splendor with the Father.

It is because of Mary’s unique position as Mother of the Lord that the Church knows that it can turn to her and seek her intercession with her Son:

O Mother of the Life, petition your divine Son to Keep away from us all the effects of evil, to preserve us from all animosity and to strengthen us on our way.

As we honor the Virgin Mother of the Lord under her title of “Our Lady of Lebanon,” we pray for the land of our ancestors in the faith, for the whole Maronite Church, and for those parishes which are dedicated under her patronage. May Our Lady of Lebanon assist us by her prayers. Amen (*Maronite Prayer of the Faithful*)

**ANGRY? NEED A WEAPON?
PRAY THE ROSARY!**

**JOIN US AS WE PRAY THE
ROSARY
EVERY 2ND MONDAY OF
THE MONTH AT 8PM ET**

**TO BUILD A CULTURE OF LIFE &
TO OVERCOME EVIL IN THE WORLD
LED BY BISHOP ELIAS ZAIDAN,
BISHOP GREGORY MANSOUR
OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE**

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

JUN 13	AUG 8
JUL 11	SEPT 12

ZOOM LINK tinyurl.com/ofslmonthlyrosary