

Sunday, May 17, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

Liturgy in honor of St. Sharbel's birthday requested by the family of Saint Sharbel (a luncheon reception to follow in the social hall)

Friday, May 22, 2026 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy in honor of Saint Sharbel

Saturday, May 23, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.

Bernadette Mouawad El-Khoury (requested by Marcelle, Mary, Hoda, Dallal and Tony El-Khoury)

Sunday, May 24, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

Tanios Abi Najm (40 Day anniversary requested by his family)

Sunday, May 31, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

Elie Moukarzel (40 Day anniversary, requested by his family)

Sunday, June 7, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

- ◆ Mounira Abi Khalil Chedid, requested by Antoine Chedid
- ◆ Nabil Youssef Mezher (requested by Maroun Mezher)

Sunday, June 14, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

Saturday, June 20, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.

Jacqueline Wadih Nohra (mother of George Choueiry)

Sunday, June 21, 2026 at 11:00 o'clock

For all fathers, living and deceased

Monday, June 22, 2026 at 7:30 p.m.

Divine Liturgy in honor of Saint Sharbel

Sunday, June 28, 2026 at 11 o'clock

Charles Thomas

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

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May 17, 2026, Seventh Sunday of the Resurrection

Ushers for Sunday, May 17, 2026

Halim Younes, Roger AbouJaoude, and Kevin Pitzer

Ushers for Sunday, May 24, 2026

Halim Younes, John Nadder and JoAnne Nasr

Ushers for Sunday, May 31, 2026

Halim Younes, Gebran Fattouche, Antoine Issa and Joseph Nasr

Altar Servers for Sunday, May 17, 2026

Marek Oszwaldowski, Michael Fawaz and Jason Nasr

Thank you for your generosity

Summary of the Collection for May 10, 2026

Regular Collection	\$1252
Donation by mail	\$ 425
Pledge	\$ 350
Individual Contribution	\$ 500

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

Scripture Readings

Sunday, May 17, 2026 (Sunday after the Ascension)

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

Sunday, May 24, 2026 (Pentecost Sunday)

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

Sunday, May 31, 2026 (Sunday of the Trinity Sunday)

Rom 11:25-36; Mt 28:16-20

Second Collections

On **Sunday, May 17, 2026**, a second collection will be taken for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. (This collection is used for Missions in the USA. Our Eparchy has received grants from the USCCB from this collection for several years.)

On **Sunday May 31, 2026**, a second collection will be taken for the 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. Thank you for your generosity

Ushers Needed

We are still looking for a few more people to serve at the Liturgy as Ushers. If you are interested, please let **me or Halim Younes** know so we can make the schedule. Thank you for your service.



The Ascension took place forty days after Easter on the Mount of Olives, between Jerusalem and Bethlehem, in the presence of the Virgin Mary and many of the disciples. He rose "and is seated at the right hand of the Father."

He, who is one in being with the Father, gave us a place in heaven, by virtue of his human nature, for he said: "I will go to prepare a place for you."

The Feast of the Ascension is a feast of redemption and victory; it calls us to our true homeland, that is, heaven where Christ awaits us. To Him be glory forever (Maronite Prayer of the Faithful, Volume II).



JOIN US FOR A
**PARISH
PICNIC**

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 12-6 PM

Barcroft Park

4200 S Four Mile Run Drive
Arlington, VA 22206



ENJOY:

- Picnic lunch
- Games and activities
- Playground



So we may best prepare, please RSVP by May 16 with your number of guests by text, phone or email to:

Janine Helou
703-599-8341

janine.helou@gmail.com

Donations are appreciated!

WHAT TO BRING:

- **Your appetite!**
- **Games and activities:** If you wish, bring your backgammon board or a game to share.
- **Friends and family**



**“ I am sending
the promise of my
Father upon you.
But stay in the city
until you are clothed
with power from
on high. ”**

LUKE 24:49