

# SAINT SHARBEL MISSION

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# WEEKLY BULLETIN #040

- October 30, 2016 -

[ Sunday of Christ The King]

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Tuesday 10 A.M - 4 PM

#### SUNDAY LITURGY | at 1 P.M

## Chapel Of Mary Mother of the Angels



St Francis of Assisi 11401 Leesville Raleigh, NC 27613

#### **CLERGY**

Rev. Elias Khalil Subdeacon Claude Shiver

#### **MINISTRIES**

Parish Council	Melody Isaak
Stewardship	John Molite
Building Com.	Nagib Nasr
Religious Ed	Marsha Shiver
Ladies Guild	Yvonne Majlaton
<b>Choir Directors</b>	John Jajo
	Denise Harb

MYO directors Sami Shara

Zena Chemali

# **ONLINE GIVING**

Please remember our Mission by maintaining your donation through our Online Service by visiting our Website and clicking on the following

# http://saintsharbelchurch.org/donate/

Your weekly donation will maintain our mission in her journey and keep our doors open.

UPC	OMING	MEETINGS & EVENTS
Nov 1		All Saint's Day
Nov 1	7:00 PM	Parish Council
Nov 2		All Soul's Day
Nov 6	12.00 AM	Daylight Saving Time Ends
Nov 6	1:00 PM	Opening of the Liturgical year
Nov 6	2:00 PM	Sunday School
Nov 8		Election Day
Nov 13	1.00 PM	Divine Liturgy
Nov 13	2.00 PM	Choir Practice

#### SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM & CHRISMATIONS: Preparation is required. We encourage this to begin at least one month before the Baptism.

**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements six (6) months in advance.

**CONFESSIONS:** Sunday 12.15-12:45 PM & by appointment

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Welcome to our parish family. Please be sure to register with our parish by calling the Parish House.

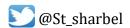
**SICK CALLS:** If someone is hospitalized, sick, in rest homes or unable to leave home, please let us know by calling the Parish office.



St Sharbel's Mission 2016 Christmas Party Details to Follow



https://www.facebook.com/st.sharbel.ral.nc/





READINGS	0ct 30-Nov	06, 2016
Sunday	Sunday of Christ the King	
	Rom 12: 9-21	Mt 25: 31-46
Monday	1 Cor 10:1-13	Mt 13:44-46
Tuesday	Heb 12: 18-24	Mt 5: 1-12
Wednesday	1 Cor 12: 1-11	Mt 18: 23-35
Thursday	1 Cor 12: 12-27	Mt 22: 15-22
Friday	1 Cor 13: 1-13	Mt 21: 28-32
Saturday	1 Cor 9: 24-27	Mt 8: 14-22
Next Sunday	Consecration of the Church	
	Heb 9: 1-12	Mt 16: 13-20

#### $\div$ LITURGY INTENTIONS $\div$

**Sunday Oct 30, 2016** - for the rest of soul of Rabih Homsi by his cousin Denise Harb and her family

Sunday Nov 6, 2016 - Available

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# PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Oct 23, 2016

 1st Collection ( 28 Env. / Checks) (\$404 / Loose)
 \$1814.00

 Luncheon
 \$328.00

 Building Fund
 \$1000.00

 Anniversary Dinner
 \$3415.00

Total Income

\$4415.00

## UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS

**Nov 13** Maronite Patriarchal Charities.

HOSPIT	ALITY / COFFEE HOUR	
Oct 30 Denise & George Harb		
Nov 06	Available	

To sponsor a coffee hour contact Mrs. Anna Franca Abi-Aad.

P A	RISH PROGRAMS
Oct 30	Sunday School
Nov 06	Sunday School
Nov 13	Choir Practice

#### **POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS / October 2016**

**Universal:** That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics.

**Evangelization:** That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

## POINTS OF INTERESTS

**Thank You!** We would like to extend a sincere thank you for all that participated in the 20th Anniversary of our Mission. A special thank you to The Three Seasons Catering and their owner Mr. Faris & Mrs Zeina Hanna for donating the Banquet dinner on Friday.

Thank you to the parishioners who prepared the food for our luncheon.

Thank you to Mrs. Lisa Saleh who worked hard on the Anniversary Ad Book, we thank as well the parishioners, businesses and churches who placed ads in our Commemorative Ad Book.

Another big thank you, goes to the parish council and his members, the stewardship committee and our MYO, choir members and especially our subdeacon Claude. We can't forget all our donors and supporters and all who made new pledges for the new church building, thank you for such wonderful donations.. This event would not be a success without God and without you!

Congratulations. On Sunday October 23, 2016, during his visit to our Mission, his Excellency Bishop Gregory J. Mansour confirmed 6 of our Youth. We congratulate: Philip Jamal Ward, Andrew Joseph Molite, Jenna Rose Molite, Marc Anthony Molite, Anthony Joseph Trimigliozzi. May God who granted you to bear his living seal, enable you to keep it in innocence for the life of your soul.

**"To feed the Need".** The gala scheduled for Nov. 5th, 2016 has been postponed. The To Feed the Need non-profit will be focusing the attention to the plight of those in need as a result of Hurricane Matthew. To Feed the Need is collecting food and clothing through December 15, 2016 to be distributed to those adversely affected as a result of Hurricane Matthew. To donate to the Hurricane Mathew effort they may give me the funds or they may go online and donate, noting in the memo "Hurricane Matthew Relief" at tofeedtheneed.org

Invitation! You are cordially invited to a Traditional Ukrainian Luncheon, November 4, 2016, 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Dine in or take out! The menu will include fresh, locally made Kielbasa and Cabbage rolls with cheddar potato Pieroghi from the Perla Ukrainian Bakery in Parma, Ohio. At the Cary C. Jones Community Building 309 Holleman Street Apex, North Carolina. Plates: \$11 in advance, or \$13 at door. For more information and to place advance orders visit <a href="http://www.saintnicholasraleigh.org/">http://www.saintnicholasraleigh.org/</a>

join us for an ukrainian luncheon



Dear Fellow Parishioners & Friends of St Sharbel.

Congratulations and THANK YOU for a beautiful weekend celebrating 20 years of the Maronite Catholic Community in Raleigh! We were blessed and grateful to have Bishop Gregory, Father Joe, Father Sam, Deacon Benny and Deacon Chuck join us to celebrate this memorable occasion! We had friends from Greensboro, Charlotte and beyond North Carolina to help us celebrate our Mission's anniversary as well as witness the Confirmation of six young adults from our community while the Bishop blessed Baby Mendez as the newest member of St. Sharbel!

Additionally, we had a great start to re-launch our capital campaign efforts as the weekend kicked off with a special dinner commemorating 20 years in Raleigh. The proceeds from the dinner and silent auction allowed us to deposit almost \$5,000 into our Building account.

Over the weekend, we announced our goal to receive \$200,000 in payments by existing and new pledges before December 31st as work is set to begin on the property soon. We generated 27 new pledges for a total of \$47,520 this weekend with pledges ranging from \$10 to \$10,000. Two of our Mission's youth made pledges of \$10 and \$50 respectively! Almost \$25,000 was deposited this week towards our goal of collecting \$200,000 by the end of this year.

No matter how big or small, every pledge and contribution counts! If you have made a pledge and have already paid, thank you! If you have not made a pledge, please consider making a a 3 year pledge and look to contribute 33% by year end to help us achieve this next milestone.

The time is NOW! This is a pivotal time in our history to help secure and grow the next 20 years and beyond for our children and grandchildren and for those that have yet to learn of St. Sharbel Church in the Triangle area!

Do not be afraid, we are building! We are asking for everyone's support to get involved! We need you as the time is NOW!