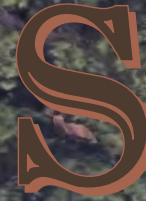
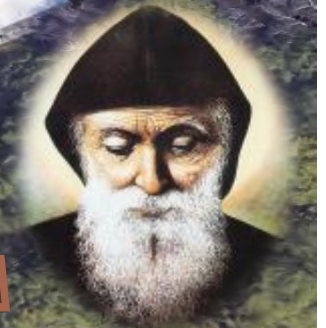


SAINT SHARBEL MISSION

WEEKLY BULLETIN #2019-7
[February 17, 2019]



Saint Sharbel

PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY LITURGY | at 1:00 P.M.

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Glorious Epiphany

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READINGS

February- March / 2019




Sun Feb 17	Sunday of the Righteous & Just	
	Epistle	Gospel
	Heb 12:18-24	Mt 25:31-46
Sun Feb 24	Sunday of the Faithful Departed	
	Epistle	Gospel
	1 Thes 5:1-11	Lk 16:19-31
Sun Mar 3	Sunday of the Entrance into Lent: Miracle at Cana in Galilee	
	Epistle	Gospel
	Rom 14:14-23	Jn 2:1-11
Mon Mar 4	Ash Monday	
	Epistle	Gospel
	2 Cor 5:20-6:7	Mt 6:16-21

DATE	TIME	* LITURGY INTENTIONS *	FROM
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Remember your loved ones with Mass Intentions

Feb 17	1 PM	Available	
Feb 24	1 PM	Available	
Mar 3	1 PM	Available	
Mar 10	1 PM	Available	

	PARISH OFFERING	Message from our Bishop
	Feb 3, 2019	

<i>Weekly offering</i>	<i>\$1,093.00</i>
<i>Donation</i>	<i>\$200.00</i>
<i>Luncheon</i>	<i>\$415.00</i>
Total Income	\$1,708.00

The upcoming priestly vocation discernment weekend, will take place at Our Lady of Lebanon Seminary in Washington DC on Friday, March 29; Saturday, March 30 and Sunday, March 31, 2019.

I kindly ask you to put the attached information in your Bulletin, and on your social media, and to personally encourage young men to join us for this event.

Thank You for your generosity and your support

May Our Lady's prayer be with us
+ Gregory



February 1st marked the date that we got possession of our new Church. We will be doing some renovation and getting it ready to celebrate our first Divine Liturgy at our new home. We hope to eventually move there before Palm Sunday.

Let us thank God for His generosity to us and pray for him to help our community to put our hands together to fulfill our dream.

May God bless all Donors

MYO Regional Retreat

St. Anthony Maronite Church, Glen Allen, Virginia, will again host the **MYO Regional Retreat** on **March 15-17, 2019** in their parish hall. This is an overnight retreat that will be held at the church. The theme will be “Being a Maronite Catholic Today.” You can find the promotional flyer at the link : <https://www.maroniteyouth.org/2019-myo-southern-regional-retreat/>

Any adult who would like to Chaperon must do a background check, take the child abuse training, and sign Code of Ethics, Internet and Social Media, and a Policy Document. Please let the pator, the Subdeacon, or Marsha Shiver know.

HOSPITALITY - COFFEE HOUR / 2019

Feb 17	John & Rita Jajo
Feb 24	Available (Need Sponsor)
Mar 3	Available (Need Sponsor)
Mar 4	Available (Need Sponsor)
Mar 10	Available (Need Sponsor)



*To sponsor a coffee hour pls. contact Mrs. Anna Franca Abi-Aad
Tel:(954) 806-9909 Or Email: abetriz@yahoo.com /Donation for coffee hour is appreciated*

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS - 2019

Mar 4	7:00 PM	Ash Monday Liturgy
Mar 4 - April 19	2nd Collection	Eparchial Charities Appeal

New Parish Council

Last Sunday February 10th, the election of the new parish Council took place at Jacoba Hall after Saint Maron's Feast luncheon. 100 votes were casted with two ballots voided: one was not clear and the other had 8 names instead of 7.

The winners, in alphabetical order:

- 1- Abi-Aad, Hady
- 2- Aoun, Mounib
- 3- Daoud, Nathalie
- 4- Harb, Yolla
- 5- Ishak, Maroun
- 6- Jabbour, Nadim
- 7- Shara, Sami

Four were appointed by the Pastor:

- 8- Karam, Salah
- 9- Saleh, Joseph
- 10- Sayde, Chadi
- 11- Shehdan, Anne

Congratulations to the new Council, and a big thanks to the outgoing one who endured and has done a great job under very difficult circumstances.

Various Committees will be formed to carry on the many works needed to make our Parish an example to others in unity, family, and love.

Sunday of the Righteous and the Just

Today the Maronite Church celebrates the Sunday of the Righteous and the Just. This is actually the traditional Maronite feast in honor of all the saints. Whereas the Latin Church celebrates the feast of All Saints on November 1st, the Maronite Church, following its ancient tradition dedicates this Sunday in their memory.

On this day, we call to mind all the men and women, children of the Church, who have followed the path of justice and righteousness. We remember the prophets, apostles and martyrs, the hermits, ascetics, men and women religious, as well as all Christians who have led holy lives.

As our Liturgy so often reminds us, they are just in the sight of God because they have patterned their lives on Jesus Christ, the just One.

The saints are our models; their prayers and fasting have taught us to fight against sin and temptation and so gain the reward of righteousness.

The saints are our intercessors; by their prayers we obtain the pardon of our sins and are strengthened in the Christian virtues.

They were the salt of the earth and the light of the world, they call us to follow their path. Through their intercession may we one day merit eternal life with God.