

SAINT SHARBEL MISSION

WEEKLY BULLETIN #2019-10
[March 10, 2019]



PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY LITURGY | at 1:00 P.M.

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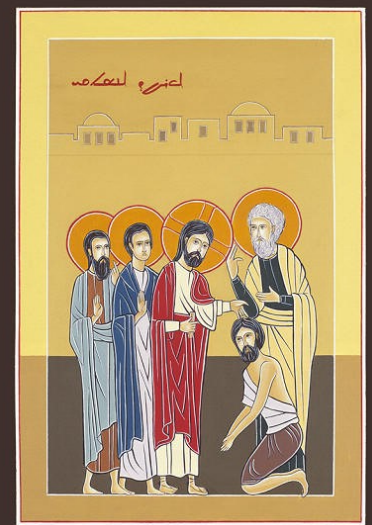
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READINGS**March / 2019**

Sun Mar 10	Healing of the Leper	
	Epistle	Gospel
	Rom 6:12-23	Mk 1:35-45
Sun Mar 17	Healing of the Hemorrhaging Woman	
	Epistle	Gospel
	2 Cor 7:4-11	Lk 8:40-56
Sun Mar 24	Parable of the Prodigal Son	
	Epistle	Gospel
	2 Cor 13:5-13	Lk 15:11-32
Sun Mar 31	Healing of the Paralytic	
	Epistle	Gospel
	1 Tim 5:24 - 6:5	Mk 2:1-12

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

Mar 10	1 PM	Personal Intentions	
Mar 17	1 PM	Athelia Averitt Shiver & Joseph M El-Khoury	Claude & Marsha El-Khoury Shiver
Mar 24	1 PM	Nadia Hanna Rahal	Fadi & Leonarda Rahal
Mar 31	1 PM	Elie Batouli	May Batouli & Family

**PARISH OFFERING****Feb 24, 2019****Message from our Bishop**

<i>Weekly offering</i>	<i>\$1,159.00</i>
<i>Donation</i>	<i>\$400.00</i>
<i>Ash Monday</i>	<i>\$376.00</i>
Total Income	\$1,935.00

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.

May Our Lady's prayer be with us

+ Gregory

Thank You for your generosity and your support



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 pastor, the Subdeacon, or Marsha Shiver know.

HOSPITALITY - COFFEE HOUR / 2019

Mar 10	Hady & Ana Abi-Aad
Mar 17	Claude & Marsha El-Khoury Shiver
Mar 24	Mercy Meal by Fadi & Leonarda Rahal
Mar 31	May Batouli
April 7	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 10	2nd Collection	Eparchial Charities Appeal
Mar 14	7:00 PM	Parish Council Meeting

Lent Schedule

Lent this year will start on March 4th with Ash Monday. The Liturgy will be celebrated with Blessing and Distribution of the Ashes at 7:00 pm.

Every Friday during Lent, starting on the 8th of March and until the 12th of April, we will pray the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm.

Hosanna Sunday, and afterwards, Liturgy will be celebrated at the new Church.

During Holy week, April 15 to April 18, we will daily celebrate the Liturgy at 7:00 pm.

Thursday of the Mysteries on the 19th, the Washing of the Feet.

Great Friday of the Crucifixion on the 19th, Signing of the Chalice at 9:00 am, and Jesus's burial at 7:00 pm.

Saturday of the Light on the 20th, Prayer of Forgiveness.

Resurrection Sunday on the 21st, Rite of Peace: Midnight and Morning Liturgies.

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Lenten Observances

All Maronites, who are physically capable, are to abstain from meat on Ash Monday (March 4, 2019) and all Fridays of Lent

Ash Monday and Great Friday of the Crucifixion are also days of fasting.

Fasting in the Maronite Church involves eating and drinking nothing at all (except water and medicine) from midnight until noon.

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The 2019-2020 NAM Scholarships are open. Same as last year, rather than using only paper applications, NAM are now using an online application for a majority of the scholarships offered. The applications for all scholarships offered by NAM can be found online.

USEK Scholarship: The University of the Holy Spirit-Kaslik, Lebanon. **10 Summer scholarships** will be awarded which will include full tuition and dormitory; and **\$500** once the semester is completed. Available for college students; Summer 2020.

NDU Scholarship: Notre Dame University-Louaize, Lebanon. **12 scholarships for the Spring or Fall semester**, both include full tuition and dormitory; and **\$500** once a semester is completed. Available for college students; Spring/Fall 2020.