



SAINT SHARBEL MISSION

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March 28, 2021]

PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY LITURGY | at 11:00 AM

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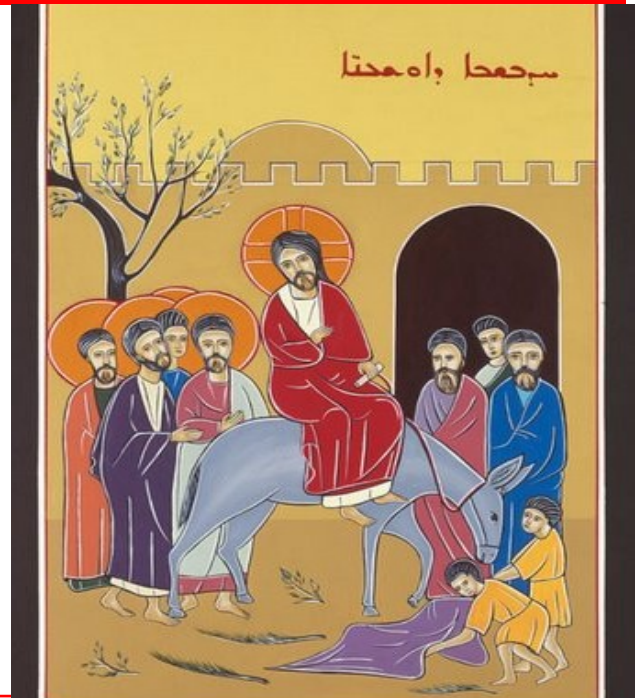
Subdeacon: Claude Shiver

Sunday Liturgy: 11:00 AM

Saturday Liturgy: 5:00 PM

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 6:30 PM

Holy Days of Obligation: 6:30 PM



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READINGS

March - April/2021

March 28	Hosanna Sunday (Palm Sunday)	
	Epistle	Gospel
	Phil 1:1-13	Jn 12:12-22
April 4	The Glorious Resurrection	
	Epistle	Gospel
	1Cor 15:12-26	Mk 16:1-8



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

March 28	11:00 AM	Remember Me in Your Kingdom	By: The Priest
April 4	11:00 AM	All Parishioners	
April 11	11:00 AM	Youssef Cordahi	By: Alex Cordahi

HOSPITALITY - COFFEE HOUR / 2020

March 28	Maamoul Sale & Hosanna Luncheon
April 4	Easter Egg Hunt
April 11	Coffee Hour



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

PARISH OFFERING

March 21, 2021



Weekly offering	\$612.00
Donation	\$300.00
Stipend	\$650.00
Total Income	\$1,562.00

Thank You for your generosity and your support

Important Messages

Holy Week Daily Readings

Monday: Heb 6:1-9; Mt 21:17-27
 Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:13-17; Lk 13:22-30
 Wednesday: Heb 2:5-12; Jn 11:47-54
 Thursday: 1 Cor 11:23-32; Lk 22:1-23
 Friday: Heb 12:12-21; Jn 19:31-37
 Saturday: Rom 5:1-11; Mt 27:62-66
 Midnight: Phil 2:1-11; Mt 28:1-10



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

Is a vigil light burning 24/7 and kept near the Blessed Sacrament. The light indicates the unfathomable mystery of the Eucharistic presence of Jesus. It reminds us of the reverence due to the Sacrament. The burning light is a pious custom as a way of prolonging our adoration and prayer to honor His presence.

Thank You for Supporting Your Church

Thank You for Supporting Your Church During these difficult times of Corona-virus that is forcing everyone to take extreme precautions and remain at home, your Church needs your support and asks you to continue making your financial offerings. You may do so in various ways:

- By Mail at: 600 Mount Vernon Church Rd., Raleigh NC 27614
- Via our website www.saintshatbelchurch.org by clicking on Donate
- Direct Deposit to First Citizens Bank : Routing #: 053100300, Acc # 000861430571
- Vanco: by downloading on your smartphone the free Give+ application

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Second Collection: Eparchial Charities Appeal
February 15—April 4, 2021

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS - 2021

Due to the Coronavirus, no social activity will take place until further notice.

Upcoming Feasts

- March 28: Hosanna Sunday
- April 1: Holy Thursday
- April 2: Great Friday
- April 4: Glorious Resurrection

Hosanna Sunday

Qurbono P. 284; Creed P. 748; Anaphora of the Twelve Apostles P. 754

Lenten Observances 2021

For us Maronites, Lent begins on Ash Monday, February 15, 2021 and lasts until Holy Saturday (April 3) at noon. The following Lenten guidelines are observed in the Eparchy of Saint Maron.

- All Maronites who are physically capable are to abstain from meat on Ash Monday (February 15) and all Fridays of Lent.
- Ash Monday and the 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. The rest of the day normal meals can be taken, but without meat. All Maronites who are physically capable are to fast on these two days.

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Holy Week Liturgical Schedule:

Palm Sunday: Blessed Palms will be distributed and we will process outside (weather permitting) or inside the Church. (11:00 AM)

Monday & Tuesday: Arrival at the Harbor Divine Liturgy and Benediction of the Holy Cross. (6:30 PM)

Holy Wednesday: The Rite of the Lamp, anointing with Holy Oil and Divine Liturgy. (6:30PM)

Holy Thursday: Divine Liturgy and Washing of the Feet. (6:30 PM)

Great Friday of Crucifixion: Signing of the Chalice. (10:00 AM)

Great Friday of Crucifixion: Procession for Burial of the Lord. No kissing the Cross (6:30PM)

Holy Saturday of the Light: Prayer of Forgiveness. (11:00 AM)

Easter Sunday of Resurrection: Midnight and Day Divine Liturgy. (12:00 AM & 11:00 AM)

The Liturgies of Holy Week are an inspiration to us. We become more intimately aware of Christ's love, compassion, forgiveness and mercy for us. Hope to see you.

Please note there will be **NO** Liturgy on Saturday at 5:00 PM.