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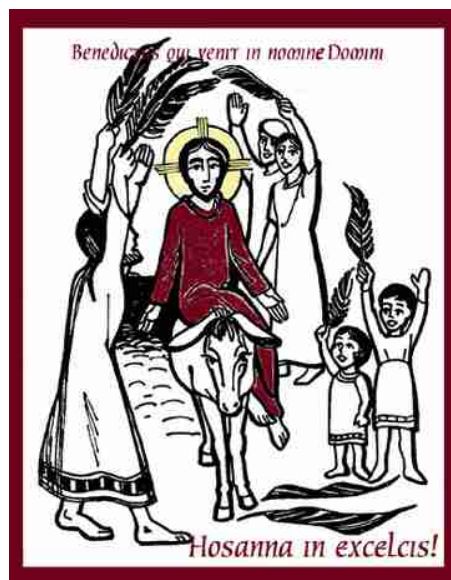
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Calling all Bakers!

The Ladies Altar Society is looking for donations of baked goods to help with their Lenten Bake Sale. The Lenten Bake Sale will be held on Saturday, March 31 and Sunday, April 1, 2007 following Liturgy. If you are interested in donating baked goods to help out please contact Eliane Zerka. Please have all baked goods here at 10am on Saturday, March 31, 2007.



The Altar Society is also taking donations of pop and water for the Salad Supper Bingo. Please see any Altar Society member. The Salad Supper Bingo will be held on Wednesday, May 9, 2007. There is also a need for salads. If you would consider making a donation of a salad or two please see Pat Pollack.




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Holy Week Schedule

Monday, April 2:
7pm Evening prayer and Adoration of the Cross. 


Tuesday, April 3:
7pm Evening prayer and Adoration of the Cross.

Wednesday, April 4:
7pm Evening prayer and Rite of the Lamp.

Thursday, April 5:
6pm Liturgy and Rite of the Washing of the Feet. 
7pm Adoration of the Eucharist until Midnight

Friday, April 6: Good Friday
9am Liturgy of the PreSanctified 
6pm Rite of the Burial of the Cross

Saturday, April 7:
12noon Confessions
12:30pm Prayer of Forgiveness

Sunday, April 8: Resurrection Sunday
10am Liturgy of Great Sunday of Resurrection 

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Weekly Bulletin Sunday March 25, 2007 – Sunday April 1, 2007

Clergy

Rev. Father Jihad Younes
Deacon Martin Rachid
Subdeacon Earl Matte
Subdeacon Charles Rossie

Parish Staff

Pam Aziz – Parish Secretary
Darrell Frye – Maintenance
Pat Haley – Caterer

Parish Leaders

Albert Zerka– Parish Council
Dee Gardner – Choir Director
Dottie Byrnes – Organist
Freda Hearsch – Religious Education
Cindy Shaheen – Altar Society
Jeanette Walterhouse – Morningstar
Rob Kowalk – Spiritual Growth Coordinator



Liturgy Schedule

Monday	9a.m.
Tuesday	9a.m.
Wednesday	9a.m.
Thursday	9a.m.
Friday	12noon
Saturday	9a.m.
Sunday	10a.m.
2 nd Sunday of the month	10a.m. (English)
	12noon (Arabic)

Adoration

Friday 11a.m.

Confessions

½ hour before liturgy on Saturday and Sunday and by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism, please contact the priest at least **1 month** before the intended date for the baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage, please contact the priest at least **6 months** before the intended date for the wedding.

Sick calls, please notify the Church office as soon as possible if you want communion for your sick. We usually do sick calls on Wednesdays.

Pray for our sick and homebound Parishioners:



Sarah Marshall
Ferris Adado
Hanneh Chammas
Hap Maroun
Joe Faris
Doris Beck
Ann Faris
Dorothy Mattar
Sharon Griffiths



Tom & Margaret LaBranch

Our Lady of Lebanon Office Hours

Monday 9am – 5pm
Tuesday 9am – 5pm
Wednesday 9am – 5pm
Thursday 9am – 5pm
Friday 9am – 5pm



MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 25: Sunday of the Blind Man The Annunciation

10A.M.: (2 Cor 10:1-7; Mk 10:46-52) Reader: Freda Hearsch
- Rep. Yvonne, Elias & Youssef Najjar by
Eva Joubran & Family

MONDAY 26: St. Gabriel the Archangel

- Rep. Michael Rizik by Tyl & Family

TUESDAY 27:

- Intentions of Julia Shaker & Ferris Adado

WEDNESDAY 28:

- Rep. Antoine Massoud by Mon & Elsie
Shaheen

THURSDAY 29: St Cyril of Baalbek

- Rep. Baby Saverimuthu by James & Theresa
Manoharan

FRIDAY 30: St. John of Salamis

12NOON

- Rep. Delores Gallagher by Mary Ann
Sheehan

SATURDAY 31: The Rising of Lazarus

9A.M.:

- Special Intentions

5P.M.

- Rep. Victor Diab by Hector & Rose Khoury

- Rep. Elias Deibis by Joan Lowe

- Rep. Keith Foster

1st Anniversary by Marjorie & Lisa Foster

SUNDAY, April 1: Palm Sunday

10A.M.: (Phil 1:1-13; Jn 12:12-22) Reader: Clergy

- Living & Deceased of Shaheen & Okal
Families by Family

SUNDAY, April 8: Easter Sunday

10A.M.: (Phil 2:1-11; Mt 28:1-10) Reader: Clergy

- Intentions of all Parishioners

Prayer of Adoration

Hail to thee, true body born
From Virgin Mary's womb!
The same that on the cross was nailed
And bore for man the bitter doom.

Thou, whose side was pierced and flowed
Both with water and with blood;
Suffer us to taste of thee,
In our life's last agony.

O kind, O loving one!
O sweet Jesus, Mary's Son!

Announcements

We would like to express our deepest sympathy to Mary Marino and the Marino Family in the passing of their loved one Sam.

O Lord, in your grace grant rest to your servant Sam who sleeps in your hope. May Sam's soul rest in peace. Amen

Our deepest sympathy to Tyl Rizik and the Rizik Family in the passing of Mike. Mike passed away on Wednesday, March 21, 2007.

Lord, Grant rest to your servant Mike and may your perpetual light shine upon him. May Mike's soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

There will be a meeting for all Altar Servers on Saturday, March 31 at 10am until 12noon.

On Saturday, March 31 beginning at 10am there will be Easter activities for the children. There will be an Easter Egg Hunt and the children will also practice for Palm Sunday. Children should be picked up at 12noon.

Group Discussion for Tuesday, March 27, at 7pm will be Sin and examination of conscience. Please come join us.

We would like to take a moment to thank everyone for all the prayers and masses for Antoine Massoud. Thank you for all the kind and comforting words during our time of sorrow. We would also like to thank the choir for the beautiful music that was sung. God Bless you all. Josef & Mona Massoud and the Massoud Family

Father will be out of town beginning Monday, April 9, 2007 returning on Monday, April 16, 2007.

Please pay special attention to the bulletin for mass schedule while he is gone.

Prayer for Good Friday

**Father, look with love on your people,
the love which our Lord Jesus Christ showed us
when he delivered himself up
and suffered the agony of the cross,
for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

St. Gabriel the Archangel



The day before the great feast of the Annunciation, the Church celebrates the feast of the Archangel who brought to earth the glad tidings that Mary was chosen to be the Mother of the Incarnate God.

This angelic Messenger appears several times in the history of God's chosen people. He came to Daniel the prophet after he had a vision of the future Persian and Greek empires, to explain the vision to him, as Daniel narrates in the eighth chapter of his book. So great was the Archangel's majesty that the prophet fell on his face trembling.

The Angel of the Incarnation again appeared to the prophet to answer his prayer at the end of the exile, and advise him of the exact date of the future Redemption by the long-awaited Messiah.

When the fullness of time had come, Gabriel was sent several times as the harbinger of the Incarnation of the Most High God. First, to the Temple of Jerusalem, while Zachary stood at the altar of incense, to tell him that his wife Elizabeth would bring forth a son to be called John, who would prepare the way of the Lord. (Luke 1:17) Six months later the great Archangel again appeared, bearing the greatest message God ever sent to earth. Standing before the Blessed Virgin Mary, this great Archangel of God trembled with reverence as he offered Her the ineffable honor of becoming Mother of the Eternal Word. Upon Her consent, "the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us." It was he, we can readily believe, who also fortified Saint Joseph for his mission as virginal father of the Savior.

Gabriel rightly bears the beautiful name, *the strength of God*, manifesting in every apparition the power and glory of the Eternal. According to some of the Fathers of the Church, it was Saint Gabriel, Angel of the Incarnation, who invited the shepherds of Bethlehem to come to the Crib to adore the newborn God. He was with Jesus in His Agony, no less ready to be the strength of God in the Garden than at Nazareth and Bethlehem. Throughout Christian tradition he is the Angel of the

Incarnation, the Angel of consolation, the Angel of mercy.

PRAYER TO ST. GABRIEL

O God, the lover of the salvation of mankind, who did commission blessed Gabriel, assisting before your throne, to announce to the ever glorious Virgin, the mystery of your blessed Son's becoming man, we beseech you, that recurring to his intercession, we may be helped in all our wants, spiritual and temporal, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Altar Server Schedule

April 1: Palm Sunday, All Altar Servers
April 5: Holy Thursday, All Altar Servers
April 6: Good Friday, All Altar Servers
April 8: Easter Sunday, All Altar Servers



Church cleaning for the
Month of April:

Diane Massad & Sue Rasak

Weekly Contributions

February 25: \$2415
March 4: \$2022
March 11: \$2264
March 18: \$2159



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

MARCH

31 Easter Church Cleaning
31 Lenten Bake Sale

APRIL

1 Lenten Bake Sale
6 Good Friday
6 Great Friday Supper
8 Easter

