



Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church

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Weekly Bulletin

Sunday August 9, 2009 – Sunday August 16, 2009

Clergy

Rev. Hanna Tayar
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Parish Staff

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Parish Leaders

Chuck Solomon – Parish Council
Dee Gardner – Choir Director
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Freda Hearsch – Religious Education
Mary Matte – Altar Society
Jeanette Walterhouse – Morningstar Society



Liturgy Schedule

Monday	9a.m.
Tuesday	9a.m.
Wednesday	9a.m.
Thursday	9a.m.
Friday	12noon
Saturday	5p.m.
Sunday	10a.m.

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:



Catherine Shaker
Aziz Massad
Sue Stubbert
Michelle Garey
Amy Burke
Ralph Wofford
Agnes Torok

Louise Rizk
Helen Azzarello
Sarah Mar shall
Hanneh Chammas
Hap & Eve Maroun
Joe Faris
Ann Faris
Ray Faris
Dorothy Mattar
Wanda Maroun
Phillip Shaker
Ann David
Margaret Okal
Pat Pollack



Our Lady of Lebanon Office Hours

Monday	10am – 3pm
Tuesday	10am – 3pm
Wednesday	10am – 3pm
Thursday	10am – 3pm
Friday	10am – 3pm



MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY August 9: 11th Sunday of Pentecost

10A.M.: (Eph 2:17-22, Lk 19:1-10) Erik Lindhurst

- Rep. Najla Assaf by Mike & Madeleine Zerka
- Int. Aziz Massad by Bob & Joanne Potts
- Int. David Rizik by Duane & Dee Gardner

MONDAY 10: St. Laurence, Martyr

- Int. Massad Toufic Massad by Josie Knight

TUESDAY 11: St. Clare, Confessor

- Rep. Tom Alex by Ronald Duso

WEDNESDAY 12: Moses the Prophet

- Rep. Ferris Adado by Mon & Elsie Shaheen

THURSDAY 13: St. John Berchmans

No Mass

FRIDAY 14: St. Maximilian Kolbe, Martyr

6:00 PM

- Int. of All Parishioners

SATURDAY 15: The Assumption of the Virgin Mary

5:00 PM

- Rep. Sylvia Zerka by Albert & Thereze Karam

SUNDAY August 16: 12th Sunday of Pentecost

10A.M.: (Eph 3:1-13, Mt 15:21-28) Diane Massad

- Reprs. Eddie & Doris Gazall by George & Virginia Rizk
- Int. Aziz Massad by Duane & Dee Gardner
- Reprs. Najla Assaf & Angel Tannous by Robert & Nawal Gebrael

SUNDAY August 23: 13th Sunday of Pentecost

10A.M.: (Eph 3:1-13, Mt 15:21-28) Diane Massad

- Rep. Massad Toufic Massad by George & Virginia Rizk
- Int. David Rizik by Josie Knight
- Rep. Thomas Alex Bob & Sharon Griffiths

Altar Servers Schedule:

August 16: Team 2

August 23: Team 3

Church cleaning for August:

Cindy Shaheen

Assumption of Mary Prayer

Father in heaven, all creation rightly gives you praise, for all life and all holiness come from you. In the plan of your wisdom she who bore the Christ in her womb was raised body and soul in glory to be with him in heaven. May we follow her example in reflecting your holiness and join in her hymn of endless love and praise.

Amen

Announcements:



We will have our Parish picnic to celebrate the Feast of the Assumption, Friday 8/14/09 following 6:00 PM mass. The church will provide meat to grill, beverages, plates and silverware. Please bring a salad or dessert to pass.

Mark Your Calendar

August:

August 14: Parish Picnic

August 15: The Assumption

September:

Sept. 12-13: Ordination Toni Massad



The Blessed Virgin Mary's Assumption into Heaven

Sacred writings teach that the Blessed Virgin was assumed body and soul into heaven either without dying or shortly after death. The Assumption of Mary is not only a participation in her Son's resurrection, but a preview of our future resurrections. As such, the dogma of Mary's Assumption is firmly rooted in the actions and person of Christ, and in the virtue of Christian hope. Let us then also keep the solemn Assumption feast to honor the joyful departure of God's Mother



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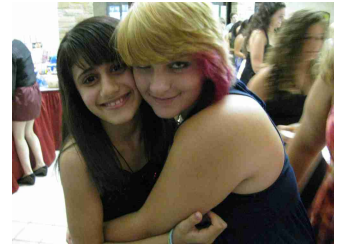
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2009 MYO Youth Retreat- Ligonier, PA



On July 21st the Our Lady of Lebanon MYO (Maronite Youth Organization) left for the 2009 Youth Retreat in Ligonier, PA at the Antiochian Village. Over the next five days the 16 youth from our church joined almost 200 other youth from around the country to participate in discussion groups, lectures, and leadership building activities. The theme of the weekend was "Roots" with our main focus on learning about the history of the Maronite Church and how we all fit in to it. Although we all come from different backgrounds, we learned that our roots run deep like the Cedars of Lebanon. Bishop Gregory Mansour was also present at the retreat, giving the youth a lecture on our history, and also celebrating Divine Liturgy. A lot of fun was had by all; many played sports, danced at the hafliis, and enjoyed a great day at the water parks. Next year we hope to bring more of our youth to the retreat, if you or you know someone that would like to join the MYO please contact Johnny Solomon or Noha Zerka.



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