

LITURGIES

Sundays 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 am.

Weekdays 8:00 a.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.

DAILY ROSARY DEVOTIONS

I pray the Holy Rosary daily at 7:30 a.m.

Please join me when you can.

CONFESSION

Every Saturday - 2:00 - 4:00 pm or by app't.

Sunday - before Mass and ending 10 minutes before Mass begins.

READINGS

Gal 6 : 1 - 10

Mat 25 : 14 - 30

READERS

Sunday, October 20 - 8:30 am Paul Boulos

Sunday, October 20 -11:00 am Nathan Stewart

Sunday, October 27 - 8:30 am Beverly Peters

Sunday, October 27 -11:00 am Tina Maroon

Counting Our Blessings

Sunday, October 13, 2013 \$2,145.00

EVENTS TO COME

LADIES GUILD MEETING

Sunday, October 20, 2013

MEN'S CLUB MEETING

Sunday, October 20, 2013

CAREGIVERS MEETING

Sunday, November 3, 2013

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Friday, November 1, 2013 9:00am – 3:00pm

Beloved Parish Family In Christ Jesus Our Lord,
Rosary reflections continued.

Some special memories about the Rosary come to my mind this time.

I can remember the one neighbor who lived at the end of our road. He was elderly and was greatly blessed with a large and spiritual family. He would walk in his little yard during the days of good weather and pray one Rosary after another. Another elderly man who live next door to us was blind from a work accident and he too prayed the Rosary over and over again throughout the day. There are

stories of the many Rosaries a day prayed by Blessed John Paul before he was Pope and during the time he was Pope. The holy servant of God St. Padre Pio has a very similar story and I also know a Jesuit Priest who also prayed many Rosaries each day.

The world needs lots of prayer, the same for our families and for sure for the good of our souls. One danger to us is having our guard down and giving the evil one a way to catch us in a weak moment. The Rosary prayer can be a spiritual shield for us that no one could get passed it. It is a good thing to pray one part of the Rosary each day and if we need to we can do this devotion more than once.

This time I share with you the Third Glorious Mystery taken from Pope Emeritus Benedict XIV about the Coming of the Holy Spirit on Mary and the Apostles in the Upper Room. Of course this is the first time the Apostles are anointed by the Holy Spirit of God but for the Blessed Virgin Mary it is the second time. I hope the meditation by our Holy Father is helpful to you and to your appreciation of the Rosary.

The Mystery of Pentecost - We contemplate [the Virgin Mary] in the glorious mystery of Pentecost. The Holy Spirit, who at Nazareth descended upon her to make her the Mother of the Word Incarnate (cf. Lk. 1:35) descended... on the nascent Church joined together around her in the Upper Room (cf. Acts 1:14).

We invoke with trust Mary Most Holy, in order to obtain a renewed outpouring of the Spirit on the Church in our days

It is a good thing to dedicate our prayers for the intentions of our Holy Father and for the good of all the Catholic Church.

DAYS AWAY FROM THE PARISH

Wednesday, October 23 – Saturday October 26
Father will be in St. Louis for the Instillation of Bishop Elias and for the testimony of retirement of Bishop Robert. No morning Masses from Wednesday through Saturday. **A Mass of anticipation for Wednesday will be offered on Tuesday evening, October 22 at 7:00 pm.**

Upcoming Events

OUTSIDE OUR PARISH

✪ Wednesday, October 23 – Saturday, October 26 traveling to St. Louis for the Installation of His Excellency Bishop Elias Zaiden and for the retirement celebration of His Excellency Bishop Robert Shaheen.

✪ The 11th Annual Grand Hafli, hosted by Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Maronite Catholic Mission, will be held on Saturday, October 26, 2013, at The Club at Shadow Lakes, Aliquippa, PA. Dinner will include Lebanese and American food favorites. Live Music will be provided by Amin Sultan & Ensemble. Visit the Mission's FaceBook page for more information. For tickets, call (724)375-2860

✪ The St. Elias Ladies Guild is sponsoring a fundraiser, **Sunday, November 10, 2013 from 1:30 – 4:00pm.** The event will include an authentic lunch served by "Catering by Verba's" followed by Latin Performances and dancing lessons presented by "The Dance Team" (Joe Forndale, dance instructor). Join them at the Cultural Center, 8023 Memphis Ave., Brooklyn, OH 44144. A donation of \$35.00 per person is appreciated and please R.S.V.P. no later than November 4.

Please call for reservations and add'l details:

Janet Jacobs 216-749-3495 or Andree Ade 440886-0498

GET READY TO "Fall Back"



Day light savings time will end on Sunday, November 3 which means we turn our clocks back one hour. The extra hour of sleep is a good thing. Be sure to turn your clocks back one hour on Saturday night, November 2 before you go to sleep.

RELIGIOUS ED TEACHERS SEMINAR AT ST. MARON'S IN YOUNGSTOWN

Chorbishop Michael Kail will lead a seminar for Religious Ed Teachers on Saturday, November 2 from 9:00 - 12:00 noon. This is a good thing for us to participate in.



Parish Advisory Board Elections

4 New member positions are up for election:
The Parish will vote for two members
The Pastor will choose two members.

About nominations and voting:

Date for voting – Sunday, October 27, 2013.

-After the final blessing at Mass the Ushers will hand out nomination forms for your proposals.

-All nominations need to include your name and the name of the person you nominate.

-You need to be 18 years old or older to make a nomination.

-Nomination forms not signed or not of the correct minimum age are disqualified.

-Candidates you choose for nomination should be faithful church members.

-Candidates nominated will be contacted by the Pastor to be sure they accept the nomination.

-All candidates who accept the nomination will be listed on a voting ballot for your voting choice.

-Voting day will be on Sunday, October 27, 2013.

-Following the final blessing at each Mass, ballots will be distributed. You will be asked to choose two names and then you must sign your name.

-Ballots without a signature will be disqualified. *Only one ballot per voter.*

-Ballots will be collected into a sealed box then counted by three Parish Advisory Members in the presence of the Pastor and one other outside witness.

-The candidates with the highest count of votes will be notified by the Pastor along with the two members of his choice.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22 – FEAST OF BLESSED JOHN PAUL II

A very memorable event was his Pastoral visit to the United States in the Fall of 1987. At his arrival in Miami on September 10 he stated the purpose of his visit. *I come to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all those who freely choose to listen to me; to tell again the story of God's love in the world; to spell out once more the message of human dignity, with its inalienable human rights and its inevitable human duties.*"

SECOND COLLECTION

Our Second collection today will be taken up and offered to our Eparchy for the Propagation of Faith.

AMERICA RECYCLES DAY!!

Bonus Week - November 10-16

We want to thank you for your recycling efforts and **Keeping America Beautiful.**

During the Bonus Week, River Valley Paper Company will give us an **extra \$5.00/ton** for our paper, so let's fill up those bins! Remember, recycling financially benefits our Church AND environmentally benefits our one and only Earth!

Monthly Meeting Reminders

**Hall Advisory Board will meet
Tuesday, October 29 – 6:30 pm**

**Parish Advisory Board will meet
Wednesday, October 30 – 7:00 pm**



Welcome to all our youth for a day of lots of fun activities. Please check out the sign up poster in the Church lobby for a count of guests. Also there is a sign up for Parents. The Religious Education Teachers are looking for some help from our Parents so please allow our teachers to share with you ways you can help them.



Calling Our
Young Artists!

POSTER & ESSAY CONTEST

NAM has sent printed materials for all our youth to participate in an annual contest. A cash prize will be awarded to the best entries. See the Religious Ed Teachers for details.

A LESSON TAKEN FROM OUR MARONITE CATECHISM SERIES FOR THE 5TH GRADE

This lesson is about the White Garment

After the Baptism, the celebrant presents the newly baptized person with a white garment to wear. This white garment symbolizes that the person has "put on" Christ and has risen with Christ to new life. The garment is the "robe of glory" lost to us when Adam and Eve sinned. The prayer of vesting challenges the newly baptized person to begin a new way of acting, living by gospel values.

Our Lady of the Cedars of Mount Lebanon
MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

CAJUN JOE'S

GUMBO PARTY

Chicken Gumbo, Red Beans and Rice,
Sweet & Spicy Wing Dings,
Roasted Chicken, and Fruit Pies

*Fresh Smith Raised
Gerber Chicken*

Saturday
November 2nd, 2013
12:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Ohio's Best Gumbo!

Affordable Family Fun

507 South Cleveland Massillon Road
Fairlawn, Ohio 44333

Divine Liturgy Schedule

October 13th through October 20th

Sunday	20	8:30 Fred Boshara by Emily & Dick Siebert 8:30 Mary Monsour by OLOC CAREGIVERS 11:00 Angela Marie Adamczyk, Margaret Marie Zito by Tom & Peggy Maroon & Family	St. Shallita, Martyr / St. Paul of the Cross, Founder of the Passionists / St. Andrew of Crete
Monday	21	8:00 David Miller by Linda Easterday	St. Ursula / St. Hilarion
Tuesday	22	8:00 Eric Mattei by Anne Mattei	Bl. John Paul II, Confessor / St. Philip of Heraclea / St. Mary Salome, Mother of James and John
Wednesday	23	8:00 Paul Lonsway by Elum Family	St. John of Capistrano, Priest
Thursday	24	Special Intentions for Bishop Robert Shaheen by Fr. Bill	St. Hareth and Companions, Martyrs / St. Anthony Mary Claret
Friday	25	8:00 John Easterday by Linda Easterday	Sts. Chrysanthus and Daria / St. Crispin, Martyr
Saturday	26	8:30 Poor Souls by Theresa Calko	St. Demetrius, Martyr / St. Evaristus, Pope, Martyr / Sts. Lucian and Marcian
Sunday	27	8:30 Gina Peters by Tom & Yvonne Jesser 8:30 Harvey Kelly by Barb & Lee Buchwalter 11:00 A Special Intention 11:00 Harvey Kelly by OLOC Ladies Guild	St. Frumentius, Martyr / St. Florentius

UPCOMING SERVICES AND DATES TO REMEMBER

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, ALL SAINTS DAY – A HOLY DAY

Vigil Mass, - Thursday, October 31 – 6:30 pm.

Feast Day Mass – Friday – 8:00 pm.

This is also the First Friday for November. The usual schedule of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will go from 8:30 am – 3:00 pm. Please come for a visit with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament on this great Feast Day.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 – ALL SOULS DAY

Mass at 8:30 am for all the Souls in Purgatory. Special intention envelopes for this feast day are available for your use on the table in the back of the Church. Help yourself. All your intentions will remain at the Altar for the entire month of November.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3 – CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH SUNDAY

This special feast day begins the new liturgical year for us our Maronite Catholic Church.

More information in the next bulletin.