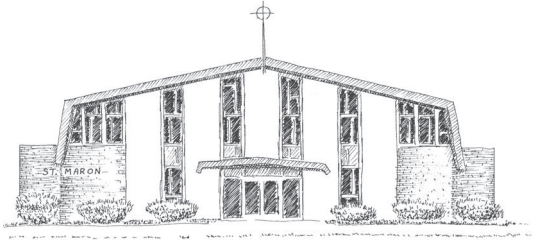


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ELEVATION TO CHORBISHOP

HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL BECHARA BOUTROS RAHI ELEVATED MSGR. LOUIS BAZ TO THE RANK OF CHORBISHOP.

THE OFFICIAL ORDINATION WILL BE NEXT SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

ONLY ONE MASS ON THAT DAY AT 11:30 AM **FOLLOWED WITH A LUNCH/RECEPTION**

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES



SAINT THERESA OF CALCUTTA

Mother Teresa was born Anjeze Gonxhe Bojaxhiu on August 26, 1910, in what is now Macedonia. When she was 18 she moved to Ireland and joined the Sisters of Loreto with the hope of becoming a missionary. That desire was fulfilled when she was sent to India, where she lived the rest of her life. For many years she taught school to girls in Calcutta, but after her life-changing train journey, she felt “the call.” She knew then she was to leave teaching and the convent to devote herself to serving the poor. She began wearing a simple white and blue sari, adopted Indian citizenship, completed basic medical training, and ventured into the slums to serve the “the poorest of the poor.” Eventually she was joined by others and founded a new religious community—the Missionaries of Charity. Internationally recognized for her work, including being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, she never lost zeal to give “wholehearted and free service to the poorest of the poor.” She died of heart failure on September 5, 1997, at age 87. She was beatified as “Teresa of Calcutta” in 2003 and canonized in September 2016

Saturday, September 3, 2016

4:00 p.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Sunday, September 4, 2016

9:30 a.m. [Lector: Robert Safadi]

- For Maureen Justine George, by Mary Michaels
- For good health, by parishioner
- For the poor souls in purgatory, by Msgr. Baz
- For all the sick in the parish, by Msgr. Baz

11:30 a.m. [Lector: Alex Agbay]

- For Mike Michael, by Dr. Claire Ammoun Issa
- Boulos Helou & daughter Victoria Fares, by Cesar and Diane Helou
- For the poor souls in purgatory, by anonymous
- For all the sick in the parish, by Msgr. Baz

Monday, September 5, 2016

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Tuesday, September 6, 2016

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Wednesday, September 7, 2016

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Thursday, September 8, 2016

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Friday, September 9, 2016

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Rose Baz, by Msgr. Baz

Saturday, September 10, 2016

4:00 p.m. NO MASS

Sunday, September 11, 2016

9:30 a.m. NO MASS

11:30 a.m. [Lector: Alex Agbay]

- ORDINATION TO CHORBISHOP FOR MONSIGNUER LOUIS BAZ BY BISHOP ZAIDAN
- FOR THE INTENTION OF THE NEW CHORBISHOP LOUIS BAZ, BY HIS FAMILY IN DETROIT, DR. AND MRS. EDWARD DAHER
- FOR YOUSSEF AND ROSE BAZ

**YEAR OF MERCY
JUBILEE of MERCY
MERCIFUL like THE
FATHER**

Parish Staff

Church Attorney	Mr. Don Howard
Director of Public Relations	Dr. Daher Rahi
Church Accountant	Mr. Peter Jabbour
Hall Manager	Mr. Rudy Jabbour
Ladies Altar Society President	Ms. Veronica Asmar
Ushers Coordinator	Mr. Raymond Mabarak
Religious Education	Mrs. Julie Gharios
Organist	Mr. Teddy Tedesco
English Soloist	Ms. Mary Anderson
History & Archive Coordinator.	Ms. Veronica Asmar

DIVINE LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturdays at 4:00 p.m.

Sundays at 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Weekdays at 9:00 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
The Office is closed on Weekends.

MYSTERY OF BAPTISM & CHRISMATION

You must be a **registered** and **active** member of the parish. Please inform the church office when your child is born. Arrangements should be made **between the parents and the church three weeks in advance of the date** you desire to have your child Baptized and Chrismated. Godparents must be baptized, at least age 14 and must provide a letter of "Good Standing" from their lawful pastor.

MYSTERY OF CROWNING

Allow a MINIMUM of SIX months for all necessary preparations including pre-marriage sessions. The new Code of Canons for the Oriental Churches (CCEO) makes this time frame an absolute necessity. No exceptions will be made unless for extreme reasons.

MYSTERY OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Notify the parish offices or the priest as soon as possible if a family member is in the hospital, nursing home, or is a shut-in, so that the priest can minister to them

Our Offerings to God

Our offerings for Sunday, both Collections on **Sunday August 28, 2016 is \$1,513.00. Thank you for your support to St. Maron Church**

Please contact the Rectory to donate the Host and Wine for \$50.00/month, we will be accepting donations from three different families each month.

- **Bread and Wine** for the month of September 2016, in memory of **Fayez & Nader Shaers**, by **Margo Shaers**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of September 2016, for **Ghassan Ghafari**, by **Theresa Ghafari**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of September 2016, for **Hanna & Rose Haddad**, by **M/M Phillip Tayah**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of October 2016, for **Philip & Yasmine Tayah**, by **M/M Phillip Tayah**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of October 2016, in memory of **Laura Vertacke 1 year anniversary**, by **Madeline Foster**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of October 2016, for **Mike Michael**, by **Dr. Claire Ammoun Issa**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of November 2016, in memory of **Joseph Kaspor 70 year death anniversary**, by **Madeline Foster**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of November 2016, for good health for **the Rahi family**, by **Chrissy Kassab and her family**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of November 2016, for good health for **Elias Lattouf**, by **M/M Tony Barrak**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of December 2016, for **all members of the Parish**, by **Madeline Foster**
- **Bread and Wine** for the month of December 2016, for good health for **Hanna Youwanis**, by **M/M Tony Barrak**

SECOND COLLECTION

There is a second collection today, September 4th for the Catholic University of America, please be generous. Thank you.

LET US KEEP PRAYING FOR THE SICK

Don Howard, Josephine Saigh, Emily Michael, Dr. Claire Ammoun, Victoria Andreson and all the sick in our parish. Thank you.

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR FEASTS

- 9—2 St. Mammias the Great**
- 9—5 Sts. Sharbel, Bishop of Edessa & sister**
- 9—6 St. Michael the Archangel**
- 9—8 Birth of the Virgin Mary**
- 9—14 Exaltation of the Glorious Cross**
- 9—15 Sts. Sassine & Shaina**
- 9—24 St. Thecla, first woman Martyr**

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet to be recited on the first Saturday of every Month. it will be recited on **Sunday October 2, 2016, at 10:30 A.M.**

The "family that prays together, stays together" and it can only bring great blessings to your family and to our parish.

SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday September 4 Rom 13:8-14 Luke 10:25-37

Sunday September 11 Acts 20:17-18; 28-32, 36

John 12:24-26

Arabic, Catechism, and Dabke classes

Arabic, Catechism, and Dabke classes will start in September. On Sunday's from 10:30 -11:30AM.

REUNION MASS

Reunion Mass the Third Sunday of Each Month at 9:30AM:

Next Reunion Mass: Sunday, September 18th, 9:30 am

The Mass will be followed by a Social Hour in St. Maron Hall. Please join us. Invite your friends and relatives. Reconnect with old friends and make new ones. Let's keep St. Maron Church relevant.

Thank You & See You Then,

Chuck Thomas, Louis Dasaro, George Massu, Chris Dasaro, Richard Massad, Toni Dasaro, Maria Dasaro, Robert Okonowski, John Okonowski, Geri Okonowski, Mark Thomas and many more.

PICNIC 2016

I would like to thank Rudy Jabbour and all who worked, donated and supported our picnic this year. May the Lord bless all of you.

SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE VICTIMS OF THE FLOODING IN LOUISIANA

Most Rev. Joseph E. Kurtz, President of the USCCB has asked that all dioceses in the United States to take up a **special collection for the victims of the flooding in Louisiana**. This collection will be held on **Sunday September 18, 2016**.