

Sunday Readings

Epistle Reading: 1 Cor 12: 12-13, 27-30

Gospel Reading: Mt 10: 16-25

Gospel

“Behold, I am sending you like sheep in the midst of wolves; so be shrewd as serpents and simple as doves. But beware of people, for they will hand you over to courts and scourge you in their synagogues, and you will be led before governors and kings for My sake as a witness before them and the pagans. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say. You will be given at that moment what you are to say. For it will not be you who speak but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you.

Brother will hand over brother to death, and the father his child; children will rise up against parents and have them put to death. You will be hated by all because of My name, but whoever endures to the end will be saved.

When they persecute you in one town, flee to another. Amen, I say to you, you will not finish the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.

No disciple is above his teacher, no slave above his master. It is enough for the disciple that he become like his teacher, for the slave that he become like his master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more those of his household!”

This is the truth! Peace be with you!

Liturgy Intentions

Sat, June 22 *St. Eusebius (Hawshab), M*
100th Birthday Remembrance for
Don & Betty Snyder
By: Phil & Jo Ann Snyder **4:00 PM**

Sun, June 23 *St. Agrippina, M | The Council of Ephesus (431)*
Repose of Larry Joseph
By: Joe & Roberta Mahar **10:00 AM**

Mon, June 24 *Birth of St. John the Baptist, M*
No Liturgy

Tues, June 25 *Sts. Zechariah & Elizabeth, C*
In Loving Memory of Maragret Gertner
With Love, the Peter & Norma
Sawaya Family & Dr. Knight **9:00 AM**

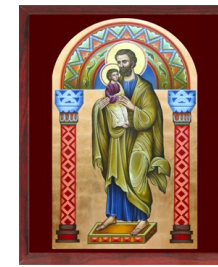
Wed, June 26 *St. Josemaria Escrivá, C |
Bl. Yaacub Haddad the Capuchin, C*
In Loving Memory of Rev. Robert & Vera Goode
With Love, the Peter & Norma
Sawaya Family **9:00 AM**

Thur, June 27 *St. Samson the Hospitable, C*
As of yet NO LITURGY INTENTION **9:00 AM**

Fri, June 28 *St. Irenaeus, Doctor of the Church, M*
As of yet NO LITURGY INTENTION **9:00 AM**

Sat, June 29 *Sts. Peter and Paul, Ap*
Repose of Fred Eade
By: Marcia Nadillon **4:00 PM**

Sun, June 30 *Twelve Apostles, Ap.*
50th Anniversary of Priesthood
for Fr. Anthony Salim
By: Dennis & Ann Marie Wright **10:00 AM**



Saint Joseph Maronite Church

June 23, 2024 6th Sunday of Pentecost



Divine Liturgy

Weekdays (Tuesday — Friday) 9:00 AM
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM
Holy Days (unless otherwise specified) 6:30PM

Confession

30 Minutes before each liturgy or upon request

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Peace Be With You

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Please Pray for those who are Sick, in the Hospital, or Homebound:

- ◆ Joe Hollister (recovery from mild stroke)
- ◆ Vicky Eddy (The Pines)
- ◆ Maria Oszwaldowska & Family (Special Intention)
- ◆ Easton James & Brynn Isabel Hamed (Son & Daughter of Sara & Lindsey)
- ◆ Baby Luca Turco with heart complications
- ◆ Coradean "Deany" Simon (The Pines)
- ◆ Phyllis Gayton
- ◆ Kathy Baldwin
- ◆ Emily Schnitzer (17 yr old niece of Cherie LaValley, diagnosed with MS)

*Please let us know if anyone should be added to or removed from the prayer list.
Please Contact the Office if you would like a Pastoral Visit!*

The Sanctuary Lamp
For the Weeks of 6/17-6/30/2024
Burns for the Peter & Norma Sawaya Family
By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family

*In the same way, let your light shine before others that they may
See your charitable deeds and glorify your Father in Heaven.*

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM / CHRISMATION (CONFIRMATION):

Please notify the Priest at least a month ahead for preparations.

CROWNING (MARRIAGE):

Contact the Priest at least 6 months ahead for preparations and necessary paperwork.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please notify the Priest if a family member is sick.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Thursdays at Noon

Weekly Collection

Weekend Liturgies:	\$579.00
Special Donation:	\$0.00
Candles:.....	\$35.00
Total Collected:	\$614.00
Approx. Needed Weekly:	\$3,250.00
Weekly Deficit:	-\$2,636.00
Fundraiser Income:	\$0.00
YTD Deficit	\$29,549.95

Sunday Lector Schedule:

June 23, 2024	July 14, 2024
Mikki Cole	Lisa Zlockie
June 30, 2024	July 21, 2024
Paul Sawaya	Mikki Cole
July 7, 2024	July 28, 2024
Brandon LaValley	Paul Sawaya

Baskets Needed & Money Tree Donations

The moment you have been waiting for! The Lebanese Dinner and Raffles is quickly approaching and we need your help!

We are in need of Raffle items for the **Baskets, Lottery Tickets for the Money Tree, and/or monetary donations to offset expenses.**

Saint Joseph's Church
Annual Lebanese Dinner

Sunday, August 4, 2024

11AM-4PM

Take-Out or Dine In



PRE-ORDERS ONLY! Deadline July 27th

Call or Email: St. Joseph's Office

(716) 379-8436

office@stjosephlean.com

Large Lebanese Dinner - \$25.00

(Dinner Includes: 6 Grape Leaves, 2 Spinach Pies, 2 Kibbee, 1 Pita Bread, Tabouli & Hummus)

Small Lebanese Dinner - \$15.00

(Dinner Includes: 3 Grape Leaves, 1 Spinach Pie, 1 Kibbee, 1 Pita Bread, Tabouli & Hummus)

Ala Carte Items:

6 Spinach Pies -	\$16.00	1 lb Grape Leaves -	\$22.00
1 lb Kibbee -	\$25.00	1 lb Tabouli -	\$10.00
1 lb Hummus -	\$7.00	Lebanese Bread -	\$6.00
5 Baklava-	\$10.00		

Basket Raffle - 1 Sheet \$10.00 or 3 Sheets \$20.00

50/50 Raffle - \$10.00 Tickets

Money Tree Raffle - \$1.00 Chances

All Raffles will be Drawn at the end of the Event!

Lebanese Dinner Donations

We are seeking monetary donations to offset the cost of the following items to be purchased for the **Lebanese Dinner on Sunday, August 4, 2024:**

Pine Nuts— \$50	1 case of Chickpeas— \$40
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1 case Lemon Juice— \$40	30 lbs. of Beef— \$100
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1 50# bag of Wheat— \$75	30 lbs. of Beef— \$100
Pita bread— \$100	30 lbs. of Beef— \$100
Rhodes rolls— \$85	1 50 lb. onions— \$40
Spinach— \$80	Rice— \$40
1 case of Parsley— \$50	Oil— \$50
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Tomatoes— \$50	Bottled Water— \$25
Green Onions— \$50	Soda— \$80

Please feel free to put donations in a sealed envelope in the weekly collection and earmark for **"Lebanese Dinner Donation."** You may also mail to the Church office.

THANK YOU

Grape Leaves Needed

June is the best month for picking grape leaves. We will need grape leaves for our **Lebanese Dinner on August 4, 2024.** If you would like to help, please:

1. **Pick the grape leaves (preferably the large ones)**
2. **Clean them**
3. **Dry them**
4. **Stack them and count them**
5. **Wrap in saran wrap & foil or place them in a zip lock bag**
6. **Label the amount with permanent marker**
7. **Freeze them**
8. **Bring them to the church; we can store them in the kitchen Freezer**

