Sunday Readings

 Epistle Reading:
 Rom 8: 28-39

 Gospel Reading:
 Mt 13: 36-43

Gospel

Then, dismissing the crowds, He went into the house. His Disciples approached Him and said, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds in the field." He said in reply, "He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the Kingdom. The weeds are the children of the Evil One, and the enemy who sows them is the Devil. The Harvest is the end of the age, and the harvesters are Angels.

Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send His Angels, and they will collect out of His Kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth. Then the Righteous will shine like the sun in the Kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears ought to hear."

This is the truth. Peace be with you



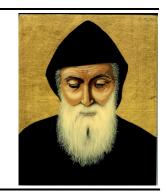
Liturgy Intentions

Sat, July 20	Elias the Prophet. C Repose of Ryan Callahan By: Dennis & Ann Marie Wright 4:00 PM	
Sun, July 21	St. Simeon Salus and His Friend St. John. C Repose of Larry Joseph By: Phil & JoAnn Snyder	
Mon, July 22	St. Mary Magdalene. C No Liturgy	
Tues, July 23	St. Sharbel. © Carm, Roger, Tom, Tim & Zander With Love, the Peter & Norma Sawaya Family	
Wed, July 24	St. Christina of Tyre, M Good Health for Fr. Claude Franklin By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family	
Thur, July 25	St. Anne. Mother of Our Lady, the Virgin Mary, C In Loving Memory of Wm. Hedley Brook By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family	
Fri, July 26	St. Bridget of Sweden. C Healing Prayers for Judie, Kathy, Ingrid, Jim & Jerry Zander By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family	
Sat, July 27	St. Pantaleon (Asya), M Repose of Ryan Callahan By: Paula Dwaileebe	
Sun, July 28	The Third Council of Constantinople (681) St. Anthusa, C Bl. Stanley Rother (USA), M For the Deceased Members of the Eade & Bou Nassar Families By: The Family Members	



Saint Joseph Maronite Church

July 21, 2024
Feast of
Saint Sharbel



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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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)
- ♦ Evalina Bordoy (Granddaughter of Kathy Covert)
- Ron DaPolito (Knee Surgery on August 14)

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 7/15-7/28/2024
Burns for Lian, Alleman, Duffy Families
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

Weekly Collection	
Weekend Liturgies:	\$910.00
Special Donation:	\$.00
Candles:	\$24.00
Total Collected:	\$934.00
Approx. Needed Weekly:	\$3,250.00
Weekly Deficit:	\$2,316.00
Fundraiser Income:	\$0.00
YTD Deficit	\$38,917.95

Sunday Lector Schedule:

 July 21, 2024
 Aug 11, 2024

 Mikki Cole
 Lisa Zlockie

 July 28, 2024
 Aug 18, 2024

 Paul Sawaya
 Mikki Cole

 Aug 4, 2024
 Aug 25, 2024

 Brandon LaValley
 Paul Sawaya

Saint Joseph's Church

Annual Lebanese Dinner

Sunday, August 4, 2024 11AM-4DM

Take-Out or Dine In



PRE-ORDERS ONLY! Deadline July 27th

Call or Email: St. Joseph's Office (716) 379-8436 office@stjosepholean.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!



59TH ANNUAL ASSUMPTION PILGRIMAGE

"THE MOTHER OF GOD,
A GIFT TO US"

PREPARING FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR 2025

AUGUST 13-15, 2024

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 paid A. Sawaya 1 case of Chickpeas—\$40 Pine Nuts—\$50 paid A. Sawaya Paper Products—\$100 paid Lisa Zlockie 1 case Lemon Juice—\$40 30 lbs. of Beef—\$100 paid anonymous 30 lbs. of Beef—\$100 paid anonymous 1 case Lemon Juice—\$40 30 lbs. of Beef—\$100 paid anonymous 1 bag of Wheat—\$75 paid A. Sawaya 30 lbs. of Beef—\$100 paid anonymous Pita bread-\$100 IMO Baire family 150 lb. onions—**\$40** Rhodes rolls—\$85 Rice-\$40 Spinach—\$80 Oil—\$50—IMO Nickey & Dick Baire family 1 case of Parsley—\$50 paid A. Sawaya Lemons—\$40 C. & J. Crawford 1 case of Parsley—\$50 IMO Luty Bottled Water—\$25 paid A & S Sawaya & Covert Family Tomatoes—\$50 IMO Luty Soda—**\$80**

& Covert Family

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

50/50 Raffle Tickets

Our Annual Lebanese
Dinner 50/50 Raffle
Tickets are available!
Please take a few to sell
and/or buy to help us
make this a success!

Saint Joseph's Church Annual Lebanese Dinner

Green Onions—\$60 C. & J. Crawford

50-50 Raffle

Sunday, August 4, 2024

1102 Walnut Street, Olean, NY

Donation: \$10

Winner need not be present to win

Head Start Rental Update

We are pleased to announce so good news for a change! We renegotiated our Lease Agreement with Head Start for the rental of the school building for another 5 years. After going back and forth a bit, we were able to have them agree to a **5.4%** annual increase beginning next year, which amounts to **\$4,600.00** more each year starting with our current (2024) base amount of \$85,000.00. This increased amount annually should not only help us with paying the bills for all of our facilities, but hopefully we will have a bit left over to re-invest in the school building, to make necessary repairs and improvements. *71. Claude*

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 items for the **Baskets, Lottery Tickets for** the Money Tree, and/or monetary donations to offset expenses.