

## Sunday Readings

Epistle Reading: ..... 1 Cor 1: 18-25  
Gospel Reading: ..... Jn 12: 20-32

## Gospel

Now there were some Greeks among those who had come up to worship at the Feast. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we would like to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus.

Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit."

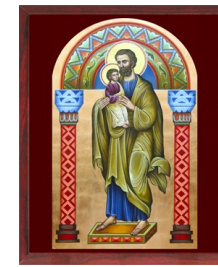
"Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for Eternal Life. Whoever serves Me must follow Me, and where I am, there also will My servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves Me." "I am troubled now. Yet what should I say? 'Father, save Me from this hour'? But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify Your Name."

Then a voice came from Heaven, "I have glorified it and will glorify it again." The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder; but others said, "An angel has spoken to Him." Jesus answered and said, "This voice did not come for My sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the Earth, I will draw everyone to Myself."

*This is the truth. Peace be with you*

## Liturgy Intentions

- Sat, Sep 14** *Exaltation of the Holy Cross*  
Repose of Fred Eade  
By: Phil & JoAnn Snyder ..... 4:00 PM
- Sun, Sep 15** *St. Shaina, C / St. Sassine, M*  
Repose of Rita Lynch  
With Love, Sawaya, Cole  
& Hibye Families ..... 10:00 AM
- Mon, Sep 16** *St. Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage*  
No Liturgy
- Tues, Sep 17** *St. Sophia and Her 3 Daughters, M*  
In Memory of Jerry Sziminski  
By: Phil & JoAnn Snyder ..... 9:00 AM
- Wed, Sep 18** *The Flight of the Lord Jesus to Egypt*  
In Loving Memory of Than Cramer  
(for Wilday Family)  
With Love, Peter & Norma  
Sawaya Family & Dr. Knight ..... 9:00 AM
- Thur, Sep 19** *St. Januarius, M*  
Happy Birthday Tina, Zander & Tommy  
With Love, Peter & Norma  
Sawaya Family ..... 9:00 AM
- Fri, Sep 20** *St. Eustatius and His Wife and Children, M*  
In Loving Memory of Joseph Capito  
With Love, the Sawaya  
& Lian Families ..... 9:00 AM
- Sat, Sep 21** *St. Quadratus, Bishop of Athens, M*  
57th Wedding Anniversary of  
David & Nancy McClelland (actual day: Sept 16)  
By: The Family ..... 4:00 PM
- Sun, Sep 22** *St. Phocas and His Companions, M*  
In Memory of Rita Lynch  
By: Alex & Mikki Cole ..... 10:00 AM



# Saint Joseph Maronite Church

## September 15, 2024

## Exaltation of the Holy Cross



### 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 a fall)
- ◆ 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)
- ◆ Tom Freitag (Prayers for his left-side torn Rotator Cuff and Shoulder)
- ◆ William Tunberg (Relative of the Ash Family in CA)

*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 9/9-9/22/2024**

**Burns for Our God-Children**

**By: David & Cherie 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: .....	<b>\$475.00</b>
2nd Collection: .....	<b>\$54.00</b>
Candles:.....	<b>\$18.00</b>
Total Collected: .....	<b>\$547.00</b>
<b>Approx. Needed Weekly:</b> .....	<b>\$3,250.00</b>
Weekly Deficit: .....	<b>-\$2,703.00</b>
<b>Fundraiser Income:</b> .....	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>YTD Deficit</b> .....	<b>\$42,572.20</b>

**Sunday Lector Schedule:**

<b>Sep 15, 2024</b>	<b>Oct 6, 2024</b>
Mikki Cole	Lisa Zlockie
<b>Sep 22, 2024</b>	<b>Oct 13, 2024</b>
Paul Sawaya	Mikki Cole
<b>Sep 29, 2024</b>	<b>Oct 20, 2024</b>
Brandon LaValley	Paul Sawaya

**St. Joseph's Church**

**Oktoberfest**

ST. JOSEPH'S HALL | 1102 WALNUT STREET | OLEAN, NY

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024 12PM-6PM**

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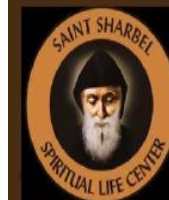
**3 VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS**

**SEPTEMBER 26 -- MARONITE PATRIARCHS  
(FR. DOMINQUE HANNA)**

**OCTOBER 3-- MARONITE HISTORY  
(CHORBISHOP SEELY BEGGIANI)**

**OCTOBER 10 -- MARONITE MARTYRS  
(FR. CLAUDE FRANKLIN)**

**Via Zoom on Thursdays  
8:00-9:30PM EST**



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