

Sunday Readings

Old Testament Reading:.....Ezek 18:1, 21-23, 27-28
Epistle Reading:.....Eph 2:17-22
Gospel Reading:..... Lk 19:1-10

Gospel

Jesus came to Jericho and intended to pass through the town. Now a man there named Zacchaeus, who was a chief tax collector and also a wealthy man, was seeking to see who Jesus was; but he could not see him because of the crowd, for he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree in order to see Jesus, who was about to pass that way. When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said to him, “Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house.” And he came down quickly and received him with joy. When they all saw this, they began to grumble, saying, “He has gone to stay at the house of a sinner.” But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, “Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.” And Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house because this man too is a descendant of Abraham. For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost.”

This is the truth! Peace be with you!

Liturgy Intentions

- Sat, Aug 1

St. Shmouni and Her Seven Sons, M
In Memory of Edward Eade
By: His Mother & Family .. 4:00 PM
- Sun, Aug 2

Translation of the Relics of St. Stephen,
The First Martyr
11th Sunday of Pentecost
Birthday Remembrance for Joan Van Heusen
By: Fr. Chuck & Marie 10:00 AM
- Mon, Aug 3

David the Prophet

No Liturgy
- Tues, Aug 4

St. John Vianney, the Cure d’Ars, C
For the Intensions of the Vo Family
By: Thanh & Han Vo 10:00 AM
- Wed, Aug 5

Moses the Prophet
For the Vietnamese Community of NC
By: Vo Family..... 10:00 AM
- Thur, Aug 6

The Transfiguration of Our Lord
Healing for Ingrid Franklin
By Fr. Chuck & Marie 10:00 AM
- Fri, Aug 7

St. Doumit, M
Repose of Grace Ash
By: Bob Ash 10:00 AM
- Sat, Aug 8

St. Dominic, Founder of the Order
of Preachers, C
Pope St. Sixtus II (+258), M
.....
4:00 PM
- Sun, Aug 9

St. Matthias, Ap
12th Sunday of Pentecost
In Loving Memory of Richard Thomas
And Mom & Dad
With Love P/N Sawaya Family & John Gordon ...
.....10:00 AM



Saint Joseph
Maronite Catholic
Church

August 2, 2026
11th Sunday of
Pentecost



Divine Liturgy

Weekdays (Tuesday — Friday)10:00 AM
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday10:00 AM
Holy Days(unless otherwise specified) 12:15 & 5:30 PM

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:

- ♦ Maria Oszwaldowska & Family (Special Intention)
- ♦ Joanne O’Brien– Sister of Ron Dapolito (Sick & In Hospital Rochester, NY)
- ♦ Mike Losey (Husband of Laurie Losey, suffered two strokes)
- ♦ Cynthia Crawford ♦ Phyllis Gayton
- ♦ Coradean “Deany” Simon (The Pines)
- ♦ Pat Tucker (The Pines)
- ♦ Kathy Baldwin ♦ Teresa Hibye
- ♦ Missy (13y/o with Cancer)
- ♦ William Tunberg (Relative of the Ash Family in CA)
- ♦ Maria Putzke (Breast Cancer)
- ♦ The Chew Family
- ♦ Jan Mulgrew (sister of Jo Ann Snyder—Knee Replacement)
- ♦ James Snyder (On Heart Transplant list at Cleveland Clinic)
- ♦ Steve Mike (Prostate Cancer– Brother of Fr. Anthony Salim)

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 7/27/26-8/9/26

Simon & Eade Families

By: 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:	\$1108.00
Candles:.....	\$18.00
Total Collected:	\$1126.00
Individual Donation:	\$0.00
Special Collection:.....	\$0.00
Second Collection:	\$0.00
Fundraiser Income:.....	\$0.00
Total Income for the Week:	\$1126.00

Sunday Lector & Reader Schedule

Lector Schedule

Aug 2, 2026
Brandon LaValley

Aug 9, 2026
Marie Van Heusen

Aug 16, 2026
Lisa Zlockie

Reader Schedule

August 2, 2026
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Price List

1 Large Dinner \$25

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

Kibbe.....\$3 each or 2/\$5

Spinach Pies.....\$2 each or 3/\$5

Hummus.....\$2

Tabouli.....8 oz. \$5

Grape Leaves.....6/\$5

Kibbee Wrap.....\$8

Pita Bread.....\$1/piece

Bulgar Wheat..... \$3.00

1 Piece Baklava.....\$3.00

2 Piece Baklava..... \$5.00

5 Piece Baklava..... \$10.00

Bread package, Flat or Pita..... \$6.00

Can of Soda.....\$2.00

Bottle of Water.....\$1.00

THANK YOU

If you plan on donating a basket or basket items for the Lebanese dinner, please bring your items or baskets to the church office.

*If you have any questions about the basket raffle or how you can help, please refer to Mikki Cole 716-498-4279

** Annual Lebanese Dinner 50/50 raffles tickets are in the office!

This raffle is a great part of the Lebanese Dinner Fundraiser. So please do your best and sell as many as possible. The tickets are only \$10 a piece. Get your family and friends either to buy or sell them as well. THANK YOU!

Lebanese Dinner Cooking Schedule:

As August 9th and the Lebanese Dinner approaches, we will be preparing the food this upcoming week. We are looking for any and all volunteers to assist us.

The Lebanese Dinner Cooking Schedule:

Wednesday, Aug 5: 11am-6pm
Kibbie

Thursday, Aug 6: 11am-6pm
Touboulli—Grape Leaves

Friday, Aug 7: 11am-6pm
Humus—Grape Leaves

Saturday, August 2: 9am-1pm
Spinach Pies and Setup