

LITURGY INTENTIONS

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

REQUESTED BY

Saturday	July 29	5:00 pm	Linda M. Kairouz (Anniv.)	The Family
Sunday	July 30	10:00 am	Jolee Manns	Jamie Abraham
Sunday	July 30	12:15 pm	Linda M. Kairouz (Anniv.) Loulou Khoury Said, Hanneh, Boutros & Souhad Hayek	The Family The Family The Family
Tuesday	Aug 1	8:00 am	Ghassan & Linda Kairouz	The Family
Wednesday	Aug 2	8:00 am	Fahed M. Kairouz Thomas Wilson	The Family Mrs. Dolores Godlewski
Thursday	Aug 3	8:00 am	Rose M. Kairouz Kairouz	The Family
Friday	Aug 4	8:00 am	Ghassan & Linda Kairouz	The Family
Saturday	Aug 5	5:00 pm	Sadie A. Joseph (Anniv.) Halim Habib (10 year Anniv.) Bedie N. Joseph Jacob Akiki	The Joseph Family Mrs. Amy Habib & Family Mrs. Amy Habib & Family M/M Fouad Hage
Sunday	Aug 6	10:00 am		
Sunday	Aug 6	12:15 pm	Aziz Hazzan Loulou Khoury	Mrs. Laila Hazzan The Family

The Altar Bread for July is in loving memory of the Hayek Family by Marie Hayek

The Altar Wine for July is in loving memory of the Hayek Family by Marie Hayek

The Sanctuary Lamp for July is in loving memory of the Hayek Family by Marie Hayek

Wealth May Last A Lifetime. A Legacy of Charity & Good Deeds Lasts Forever.

PLEASE REMEMBER ST. JOHN MARON PARISH IN YOUR ESTATE PLANNING

**OUR GRATITUDE TO ALL WHO ARE SUPPORTING ST. JOHN MARON CHURCH.
YOUR GENEROSITY IS A BLESSING.
PARISH STEWARDSHIP (July 23, 2017)**

Regular Tithes: 5:00 pm & 10:00 am Mass: \$796.00 12:00 pm Mass: \$532.00 Total: \$1,328.00

*ALTAR SERVERS:	Sun. 10:00 am: Elias & Jonathan Mansour	*LECTORS:	Sat. 5:00 pm	Tom Haykel
			Sun. 10:00 am	Nila Khoury
			Sun. 12:15 pm	Rita Hayek
*PEACE BEARERS:	Sun. 12:15 pm:			
*INTERCESSIONS:	Sun. 12:15 pm:			
		*DEACONS:	Sat. 5:00 pm	
			Sun. 10:00 am	Nila Khoury
			Sun. 12:15 pm	Henri Khoury
*GIFT BEARERS:	Sat. 5:00 pm: Debbie and Sam Tartick			
	Sun. 10:00 am: Julie and Paul Hage			
	Sun. 12:15 pm: The Hayek Family			

LEBANESE FESTIVAL

IT'S HERE ~ ENJOY!

We warmly welcome ALL to our 19th Annual Western New York Lebanese Festival. With the help of the Blessed Mother and the many devoted volunteers, we pray we will have a successful Festival with good weather and good attendance. Bring your family, relatives, and friends to spend this weekend enjoying all the fun activities.

Our Festival, over the years, has proven to be a great tool not only in joining parishioners and friends, but also to benefit the upkeep, maintenance and renovation of our beloved St. John Maron Church. The grand success of this event is always due in large part to your unending commitment to St. John Maron Church.

Thank you all for your support!!

PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Josette Sfeir, Sarah Attea Griffin, Frances Flynn, Douglas Franke, Mirna Haeick, Chris Curry, Loulou Chbat, Mona Arida, Robert DiSibio, Victor Khoury, Joseph Martino, Theresa Mosey, Pamela Ravangard, Victoria Healy.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

TO BENEFIT THE RENOVATION
OF THE CHURCH

Niagara Frontier Country Club
1058 Lake Road ~ Youngstown, NY
August 21, 2017

For more information contact:

Joe Mahfouz @ 725-3185 or Mark Mahfouz @
566-8658

SAVE THE DATE

The 16th Annual S.A.V.E.-O.N.E
Fundraiser, the
"Taste of Lebanon" dinner,
benefiting an orphanage
in Lebanon, will take place on
Friday, October 13, 2017
at the St. John Maron's Cedars
Banquet Facility.
Details will be forthcoming.

THE SECOND COLLECTION FOR THIS WEEK IS FOR THE ASSESSMENT/BISHOPS APPEAL.

THE SECOND COLLECTION FOR NEXT WEEK IS FOR THE BUILDING FUND.

This Weekend's Sacred Scriptures: Epistle: 2 Cor 5:20 - 6:10 ~ Gospel: Lk 4:14-21

Next Weekend's Sacred Scriptures: Epistle: 2 Cor 3:7-17 ~ Gospel: Mk 9:1-7

ST. JOHN MARON THANKS

THE ORIGINAL PANCAKE HOUSE

Williamsville, Amherst & Orchard Park ~ WWW.OPHWNY.COM

Please support and acknowledge them when needed as a "thank you" for advertising at
St. John Maron Church.

GOD NEVER TAKES A VACATION

As summer is a time of rest, relaxation and fun, Our Lord would want us to enjoy every minute of it! With this in mind, let us not forget to attend mass at our parish. Church attendance usually declines during the summer months. **This is a gentle reminder that attending mass should be as much of a priority as any other activities we plan for the summer.** Wishing all a happy and blessed summer, and remember God is always there for us...God never takes a vacation!!

FESTIVAL GIFT SHOP

We all love to shop..... You don't want to miss shopping in our Gift Shop this year!! Our Festival Gift Shop will feature quite a selection of goods...from unique apparel, unusual gift items, Lebanese food products, to handmade linens and jewelry. As usual, along with cash sales, we will be accepting major credit cards. **We hope to see you there!!**

CONGRATULATIONS

A warm congratulations to Stephanie Chayban, daughter of Doumit and Nada Chayban, on her marriage to Jonathan Jamil on July 22, 2017. Our best wishes for God's blessings and a lifetime of happiness!

A LASTING GIFT

Have you considered making a lasting gift in memory of a loved one in lieu of flowers at a time of Death, Wedding, Baptism, First Communion, or any occasion? Please give primary consideration to **ST. JOHN MARON'S ENDOWMENT FUND & ST. JOHN MARON'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND.** These two special funds will ensure that the work and mission of St. John Maron Church can continue for future generations. Making such a donation is a lasting testament that has great significance.

**UPDATE ON 2017 ASSESSMENT/
BISHOP'S APPEAL**

As we still need \$3,355 toward this appeal, we kindly ask those who have not yet contributed to please send in your contribution as soon as possible. We are required to submit an amount of \$35,000. Thank you to all those who have already donated to this most important appeal. God's blessings to you for your generosity.

CARING & SHARING

During the *Month of July*, we ask you to donate jars of spaghetti sauce and boxes of spaghetti or noodles for the caring and sharing project. The containers are at the entrances of the Church. If you know of any family or person who is in need, please contact Abouna. This information will be kept confidential. As always, thank you for your help!

CHANGE OF ADDRESS?

Please remember to notify the Rectory Office if you have a Change of Address or Phone Number.

GUM CHEWING IN CHURCH

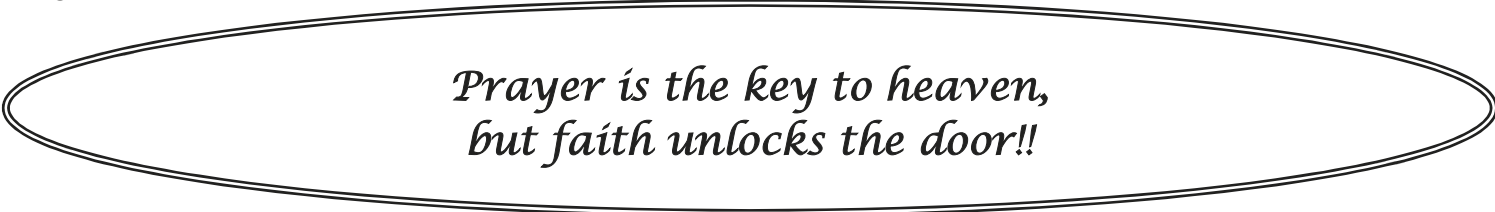
Our Church is a special place calling for special behavior. Our actions should respect the house of God. In that regard, **please refrain from chewing gum in Church, and please do not discard the gum in Church or on the Church grounds.**

PARISH PARKING LOT

All parishioners are kindly advised **to call and notify the parish office if it is necessary to leave your car in the parking lot of St. John Maron Church.** Any car of which the parish is not aware, will be towed away at the owner's expense. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

PLEASE DRESS MODESTLY

With the weather getting warmer, we kindly remind you to dress modestly when you come to Church. The Church is God's sacred house, and we should dress with our best attire when we come to worship God. Please do not come in shorts, mini-skirts, or halter tops. Thank you for adhering to this reminder.



ST. JOHN MARON NEW MEMBERSHIP FORM

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ **Zip:** _____

- New Registration
- Change of Address
- Moving Out Of Parish
- Want Envelopes