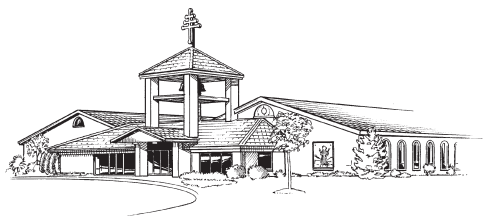


11TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - JULY 31, 2005



Saint Sharbel Church

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Reverend John Paul Kimes, Associate Pastor

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THE MARONITE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF SAINT SHARBEL WARREN, MICHIGAN

Liturgy Schedule

Weekday Liturgies (*Summer schedule*)

Monday-Friday 9:00 AM - Chapel

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM

11:30 AM

Rosary

•Every Saturday following
4:00 PM Liturgy (Day Chapel)

•Every Second Thursday
at 12:00 Noon (Main Church)

Bingo: Thursdays & Fridays at 6:30 PM

Bingo Office: 586-826-8748

For Banquet Hall & Catering Information:

Contact Tony Abunassar

Cell: 248-890-9544 Home: 248-524-1481

THE MARONITE MISSION OF SAINT RAFKA

Serving the Maronites of the Greater West Side
Using the Student Chapel at Madonna University
14221 Levan Road • Livonia

LITURGY: 11:30 AM EVERY SUNDAY

New Telephone Number: (734) 634-9225



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Confessions: Available anytime upon request and one-half hour prior to Weekend Liturgies.

Baptism & Chrismation: You must be a registered and active member of the parish. Please inform the Church Office when your child is born. Arrangements should be made with the Church three (3) weeks in advance of the date you desire to have your child Baptized and Chrismated. If you have any questions, please make an appointment.

Marriage: Allow a **MINIMUM of six months** for all necessary preparations including premarriage sessions. The Code of Canons for the Oriental Churches (CCEO) makes this time frame an absolute necessity. **Exceptions will be made only for extreme, valid reasons. The couple to be married should contact the Church prior to making any other arrangements.**

Sick Calls: Please notify the Parish Office or one of the priests as soon as possible if a family member is in the hospital or nursing home. Please also notify us if any family member is a shut-in.

Maronite Christian Formation: Classes resume Sunday, September 18th, from 10:30 to 11:25 AM. **Registration begins July 31st.**

Adult Bible Study: Study resumes Tuesday, September 20th at 7:00 PM.

Teenage Bible Study: Study resumes Wednesday, September 21st at 5:00 PM.

Lebanese Literature: Information on the resumption of classes next weekend. Classes are on Saturday mornings.

New Parishioners: Welcome! Kindly register at the Church Office during regular hours or in the Sacristy following Weekend Liturgies.

Maronite Census: Whether you attend a Maronite Parish or not, if you are a Maronite, the Eparchy would like to know who and where you are. Please complete a Maronite Census online at www.maronitecensus.net

WEEKEND LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR JULY 30TH & 31ST
SATURDAY, JULY 30TH

4:00 pm -Raquel Ahee, by Shelley & Walter Griffin
 -Margaret Rose Sassin, by Barbara Vertache

SUNDAY, JULY 31ST

9:30 am -Anthony Palombo, **40 Day Rembr.**, by His Daughters, Marge, Pat & Diana
 -Alex Agbay, Sr. by His Family.
 -James G. Andary, **Birthday Rembr.**, by Wife & Family
 -Donna Redscher, by cousin, Jackie Gibson
 -Carmen Yapur, by Maybelle Tomlin

11:30 am -Ronald Hatty, by Thomas Hatty

WEEKDAY LITURGIES/SERVICES AUGUST 1ST THRU AUGUST 5TH

Monday, August 1st

9:00 am -Patricia Monsur, by Family & Friends

Tuesday, August 2nd

9:00 am -Gerda Lehew, by Shirley Belcovski

Wednesday, August 3rd

9:00 am -Charles & Bettie Dawood, by Their Children

Thursday, August 4th

9:00 am -Naif Thomas, by The Family

Friday, August 5th

9:00 am -Nabil Hamama, **Birthday Rembr.** by Melissa

WEEKEND LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 6TH & 7TH
SATURDAY, AUGUST 6TH

4:00 pm -Edward & Dorothy Malkoun, by Danny & Rose Jacobs
 -Dorothy Szydlowski, by Her Family
 -Iola Herbert, by Rita La Hood & Diane Lepere

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7TH

9:30 am -Anthony Palombo, **Birth. Rembr.**, by Rose Ann & Tom Joseph
 -Raquel Ahee, by Dr. & Mrs. Paul Thomas
 -Mary Macy, by Carolyn Neam

11:30 am -Foster Eid, by Dolores Eggen

INTENTIONS FOR SAINT RAFKA MISSION

Sunday, July 31st

11:30 am
 -For The Intentions of the Felician Sisters

Sunday, August 7th

11:30 am
 -For The Intentions of the Felician Sisters

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES...

SATURDAY LEBANESE LITERATURE CLASSES:
 -Classes are in Summer Recess

MARONITE CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES:
 -Classes resume **September 18th**

ADULT BIBLE STUDY...
 -Classes resume **September 20th**

TEENAGE BIBLE STUDY...
 -Classes resume **September 21st**

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF:
JULY 24TH - JULY 31ST

SUNDAY, JULY 31ST -
Eph 3:1-3
Lk 10:17-24

Monday	Rev 7:9-17 Mt 10:16-22
Tuesday	1Cor 11:27-34 Lk 12:16-21
Wednesday	Heb 4:3-13 Mt 21:33-46
Thursday	1Cor 12:12-18 Lk 12:27-31
Friday	1Cor 12:19-31 Lk 12:32-34
Saturday	2Cor 3:7-17 Mk 9:1-7



SUNDAY, AUGUST 7TH
Eph 4:1-16
Lk 11:9-13

SCHEDULE FOR READERS...



Sat. August 6th - 4:00 pm
John Daniel
 Sun., August 7th 9:30 am
Brother Anthony
 Sun., August 7th 11:30 am
Corine Nahed - Arabic
Nicole Nahed - English

PRAY FOR ALL THOSE
WHO ARE ILL
IN HOSPITALS, NURSING FACILITIES
OR THEIR OWN HOME.

UP & COMING EVENTS						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14

- August 1-5th Vacation Bible School: Serengeti Trek
- August 13-15 Assumption Pilgrimage to Nat'l Shrine of OLOL
- September 16th Catholic Near East Welfare Association Auction
- September 18th Start of Rel. Ed. Classes
- October 12th Knights of Columbus Clergy Night-St. Sharbel
- Nov. 20th Ladies Altar Society Bake Sale
- Dec. 4-11th Parish MCREST Week

RECENT MARRIAGES...

Congratulations also to **Chady & Cascia (Hanna) Shaya** on their Crowning. Chady & Cascia were married on Friday, July 22nd here at St. Sharbel.

Congratulations also to **Sarkis & Charlette (Souss) Douaihy** on their Crowning. Sarkis & Charlette were married last Saturday, July 23rd here at St. Sharbel.



May **Chady & Cascia** and **Sarkis & Charlette** share happy and long lives praising God for his gift of married life!

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP.....

will meet on Wednesday August 3rd at 7:00 pm in the conference room.

FIRST FRIDAY....

is August 5th. Eucharistic Adoration will be held in the chapel of Our Lady of Elige after the 9:00 am Liturgy until 12:00 noon. Sign-up sheet can be found in the church foyer.

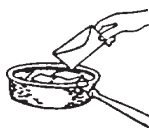
DID YOU KNOW...

Our electric bill averages more than \$5,000.⁰⁰ a month? Our Water bill averages more than \$1000.⁰⁰ a month? Our gas bill averages more than \$2,500.⁰⁰ a month? Our average janitorial and maintenance expenses average more than \$3,000 per week?

YOUR CHURCH SUPPORT...

Sunday, July 24, 2005 \$3,221.00

If you need envelopes, please contact the Church Office.



CELLULAR PHONES OFF PLEASE....

Please turn your cellular phones off before you enter the Church. You don't need a phone to hear God's voice. Thank you for respecting the House of God and your fellow parishioners who have gathered for quiet reflection and prayer.

SAINT RAFKA MISSION NEWS...



We continue to gather in the Student Chapel at Madonna University, 14220 Levan, in Livonia. Please spread the word. We celebrate Liturgy every Sunday at 11:30 am.

New Phone Number: (734) 634-9225

We will have a general meeting for the mission community on **THURSDAY, AUGUST 18th** at **Shaheen & Denise Boumaroun's house located at 16289 Aspen Valley Drive in Northville**. See insert for directions.

Don't forget to spread the word to your families and friends about our weekly liturgies. We need to continue to grow. And don't forget that we will be here, all summer long. The Church does not take a vacation! Also, if you know of families in the area, please tell one of the priests so that we can make contact with them, if they are not already attending St. Rafka.

NEW ALTAR CLOTHES....

Thanks to the Ladies Altar Society, we have new, fitted altar clothes. While the top cover (made of natural flax) remains, the frontal is changeable. The Ladies Altar Society bought several different frontals to use for special feasts. We thank the ladies for their dedication and hard work in maintaining the altars of our Church. Also, please support their bake sale in November.

BINGO...

We need your help! Come and support your church. Many of us work every week. It would be nice to alternate so we could all have a break from time to time. If for some reason you're unable to work, come and play bingo! Either way, it helps your Church.

RETAIL THERAPY & MARKET SHOWCASE...

Saint Sharbel will once again hold a Retail Therapy & Market Showcase on **November 5th**. The event features kitchen & bathroom items, household items, children's books and goods, plastics and the latest gadgetry...There will be even more vendors this year and this one will be on a Saturday to allow for better attendance. More information to follow...

RETIRED AND SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM.....

RSVP of Macomb is recruiting volunteers, age 55 and over, to serve as tutors in Macomb County Schools during the 2005-2006 school years. To learn more about this and other rewarding volunteer opportunities, contact RSVP of Macomb at 586-412-8054.