COMMUNION FOR SHUT-INS: Holy Communion is available to parishioners who are unable to come to Church. Upon request, Holy Communion will be brought to a home, hospital or other facility by Monsignor Francis, Deacon John Hanni, Subdeacon Robert Rade or Subdeacon Cy Douaihy. All requests are to be made to Monsignor Francis who will make arrangements for fulfilling the request. Parishioners are encouraged to have Communion brought to them when unable to come to Church, even if only temporarily.

PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS



Residential & Commercial Real Estate Experts since 1950 We're here to help with any realty needs! 570-342-4115 <u>www.nasserrealestate.com</u> nasserrealestate@aol.com



Hospital for Companion Animals 375 North Ninth Avenue Scranton, PA 18504 Tel: 570-346-7297 www.drpaws.com





EXPERIENCE LEBANON PARADISE OF THE MIDDLE EAST

JUNE 19-27,2020

Byblos, Jounieh, Harrisa, Beiteddine, Sidon, Beirut, Cedar Forest, Gibran, Museum, Baalbek, Zahle

\$3395.00 Price Includes:

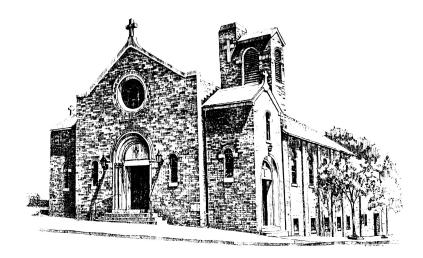
Airfare First Class Hotel Accommodations based on twin share. All transfers and transportation are by private air-conditioned vehicles. Bilingual US Guide and a Licensed Tour Guide in Lebanon. Tours, sightseeing and admissions as per itinerary. All applicable taxes Meals as indicated on the itinerary

FOR RESERVATIONS CALL THOMPSON TOURS AT 570-344-8664 OR 1-866-484-6677 VISIT US AT OUR ONLINE BOOKING SITE

WWW.THOMPSONTOURS.COM

Saint Ann Maronite Church

1320 Price Street - Scranton, PA 18504-3336 Church Office (570) 344-2129 Reverend Monsignor Francis J. Marini, Pastor Subdeacon Robert G. Rade Subdeacon Said J. Douaihy Email: StAnnScranton@aol.com Parish Website: www.saintannmaronite.com



DIVINE LITURGIES: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 AM SUNDAYS: 10:30 AM SATURDAYS: 4:30 PM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: 1 Hour before Mass First Sunday of Each Month Saturdays at 4:00 PM or by appointment **CONFESSIONS: COMMUNION CALLS:** First Friday of the Month By arrangement with the Pastor **BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION: MARRIAGE:** Couples must see the Pastor at least 6 months in advance **ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please notify the Pastor of family illness BOARD OF CONSULTORS: Dr. Thomas A. Artabane, Mary Ellen Nasser and Atty. Joseph C. Peters. Meets at the call of the Pastor. PAŠTORAL COUNCIL: Atty. Paul P. Ackourey, President; J. Maximilian Peters, Vice President; Maurice Abdalla; Norman P. Artabane (HNS); Anne Hazzouri McAndrew (Sodality), Tara Cawley Russo and Constantino M. Siconolfi. Meets on the Second Sunday of each month from October through May. FINANCE COUNCIL: G. David Wagner, Chairman; Joseph E. Ferris, Thomas J. Hashem, Jr., Michael Mackarey, Jr. & Arthur Russo. Meets at the call of the Pastor.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: Noon to 5:00 PM

Fourth Sunday of Easter May 3, 2020

SATURDAY 5/2/20 - 4:30 PM +Paul Ackourey requested by testamentary bequest

SUNDAY 5/3/20 - 10:30 AM +Maria Mackarey requested by Josephine Michaels & Family

9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies

Mon. 5/4: +Rose Strimpler requested by the Family Tues 5/5: +Catherine Shoulin requested by the Family Wed. 5/6: +Rose Strimpler requested by the Family Thurs. 5/7: +Catherine Shoulin requested by the Family Fri. 5/8: NO LITURGY

LectorsLectorSat. May 2:VolunteerSat. May 9:Sun. May 3:VolunteerSun. May 10:

SANCTUARY EXPENSES

are offered in May in loving memory of Esme Hazzouri and Mary (Monnie) Karam by the Hazzouri Family

Fifth Sunday of Easter May 10, 2020

SATURDAY 5/9/20 - 4:30 PM: +Adeeb A. Hazzouri requested by M/M Joseph Abood

SUNDAY 5/10/20 - 10:30 AM +Joseph J. Abdo, Sr. requested by Drs. Thomas A. & Lorraine Artabane

Mon. 5/11: +Rose Strimpler requested by the Family Tues. 5/12: +Catherine Shoulin requested by the Family Wed. 5/13: +Rose Strimpler requested by the Family Thurs. 5/14: +Catherine Shoulin requested by the Family Fri. 5/15: NO LITURGY

Volunteer Volunteer

WEEKLY COLLECTION 4/12/20 HOLY WEEK & EASTER COLLECTION Collection Fuel Assessment Total \$2,663 \$30 \$20 \$2,713

WEEKLY COLLECTION 4/19/20 Collection Fuel Assessment Total \$405 \$10 \$10 \$425

The Blessed Mother Candle burns in May in loving memory of Adeeb A. Hazzouri The Saint Joseph Candle burns in May in honor of all the healthcare workers tirelessly helping those affected by COVID-19

The Infant of Prague Candle burns in May for health, well-being & strong Faith in the family of Petey Fleischut

The Saint Jude Candle burns in May for a Special Intention for full recovery of all the victims of the coronavirus

The Saint Maron Candle burns in May for a Special Intention of Johanna Maroon The Saint Sharbel Candle burns in May for a Special Intention

MEETINGS: All meetings are CANCELLED due to the national emergency.

SODALITY FOOD DRIVE: for Saint Patrick's Food Pantry continues, and a container for donations of canned and dry food is in front of the Cry Room window until Pentecost Sunday (May 31st). The Food Pantry is unable to distribute food which is beyond the expiration date printed on the packaging. Donations may also be left on the Parish Center porch.

SODALITY WHITE ELEPHANT SALE: is postponed until after the coronoavirus lockdown is lifted. We are still collecting clean, used items for the sale. To donate, call **Anne McAndrew (570-510-4997)**, **Marguerite Rade (510-650-4111)** or any Sodality member.

NEW CHALLENGE GRANT: Bishop Gregory and the Catholic Extension Society have offered our parish another \$4,000.00 grant **IF** we can match that amount by earmarked donations by May 30th. The Finance Council believes we should try to win the grant money. For the 2019 Matching Grant, we asked twenty persons to donate \$200.00, but afterwards, a number of parishioners told us that they would have participated if we had made the program more public and more affordable. So, this time, to give more people a chance to take part, we are asking anyone who can donate **at least \$100.00** to help us reach the goal. If you would like to participate, please send in your check payable to Saint Ann Maronite Church for at least \$100.00 with a note on the memo line "2020 Challenge Grant". We will record your donation on your 2020 Parish Contribution Record and it is tax deductible. If you decide to donate, **please send in the donation as soon as possible** because the Challenge Grant has a strict deadline.

ENVELOPE USE: Easter—April 12th: Regular 15=12%, Fuel 2=1.5%, Assessment 1=.7%; April 19th: Regular 10=8%, Fuel 1=.7%, Assessment 1=.7%. 130 envelopes are out.

PARISH ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION STATUS AS OF 4/19/20

	Collections	+	Fuel/Utilities	+	Assessment	=	Total
Budgeted:	\$13,248	+	\$3,680	+	\$3,072	=	\$20,000
Received:	\$18,380	+	\$441	+	\$495	=	\$19,316
	+\$5,132	+	(\$3,239)	+	(\$2,577)	=	(\$684)