



SAINT GEORGE MARONITE CHURCH

UNIONTOWN, PA 5TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST | 03 JULY 2022

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ANTIOCHENE SYRIAC MARONITE CHURCH
*St. George Church is committed to sharing the fullness
of the Gospel and living the richness of the Syriac
Maronite Tradition through worship, charity, and
striving for personal and communal holiness.*

Most Reverend Gregory John Mansour
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Rev. Subdeacon Dr. Charles D. Machesky
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New to St. George?
Welcome! We are happy to have you worshipping
with us! We hope that you will soon call our parish
your spiritual home! Please contact the parish office
for more information.



FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

Dear Friends in Christ,

During the Sundays of Pentecost the Church prays “with the Psalmist David” the great acclamation of the Resurrection of Christ, “This is the Day the Lord has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad!”

In the longer version of this prayer the text elaborates further saying, “This is the Day that has no equal in the past nor in the future. This is the great Feast Day, Crown and Glory of all other feasts!”

The Feast of the Resurrection of Christ is so important that Easter Sunday by itself isn’t enough. In fact, the whole Paschal Season isn’t enough to fully appreciate the sacred event of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. So, for Christians, every single Sunday of the year is a “mini-Easter” where we again commemorate in the most solemn way Our Lord’s Rising from the dead.

This great passion for the Gospel of our Lord’s Resurrection is what inspired the Apostles, their Disciples, and all the Martyrs throughout the ages to give their lives for Christ. May we also be filled with the fervor of faith so that we might celebrate the Resurrection here at church and then spread of the Gospel of Christ throughout the world in our daily lives!

Aboutna Aaron

PARISH INFORMATION

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Liturgical Schedule

Sat | 4:00 pm
Sun | 9:30 am
Tue & Thu | 6:00 pm
Wed & Fri | 8:30 am
Feasts | 6:00 pm



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 19-26 June 2022

1 st Collection	\$2,087.00
Electronic Giving	\$567.00
2 nd Collection	\$236.00
Candles	\$145.00
Received	\$3,035.00
Budget	\$6,600.00
Difference	-\$3,565.00

Stewardship | 2022 YTD

Received	\$76,611.00
Budget	\$84,800.00
Difference	-\$8,189.00

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

SAT 18 JUN 4:00PM	32
SUN 19 JUN 9:30AM	85
TOTAL	117
SAT 25 JUN 4:00PM	54
SUN 26 JUN 9:30AM	86
TOTAL	140

PARISH EVENTS AND POINTS OF INTEREST

Welcome! We wish a **warm welcome** to all our **visitors** and to those who **already call St. George home**. We are happy to have you worshipping with us. Please feel free to introduce yourself to the parish clergy. We hope you will soon make St. George your spiritual home!

Vacation Bible School. Join us on **21-22 July** for a celebration of families at our **Summer Bible School Program**. We will study lessons learned from **families** in the Bible, the life of St. Sharbel, and our own parish families to strengthen us and bring us closer to God. More information is available on Facebook, the Parish Website, and in the eBulletin. **Volunteers** are needed. Please call the Parish Office to **register** your family and/or **volunteer**.

Feast of St. Sharbel. We will celebrate the **Feast of St. Sharbel** on **Friday, 22 July** with **Liturgy at 6:00pm**. There will be a **veneration and blessing with the relics** of St. Sharbel and the Lebanese Saints and the **Anointing of the Sick**. Please invite your friends and family!

Summer Stewardship and Online Giving. Please remember St. George as you travel during the summer months. Our bills and expenses remain even as we enjoy our vacations and travels. Inflation and fuel prices are painful for us individually, but also as a parish as our fuel expenses and other regular utilities are also impacted by the current financial trends. **Online stewardship** is the easiest, most secure, and most reliable way of contributing to the financial stability and health of the parish. **Please consider making your weekly or monthly contributions online. Instructions can be found on the parish website.** Thank you for your continued generous support to St. George Church.

Sick Calls and Emergencies. In the event of an **emergency**, or for **regular** or **as needed** sick calls or communion calls, Fr. Aaron can be reached **directly** via **cell phone** or **email**. His cell phone number and email are on the front of the bulletin and on the back of the bulletin. Appointments for visits, confessions, or spiritual direction can also be made by **phoning or emailing the parish office**.

St. George Food Festival. The **26th Annual St. George Lebanese Food Festival** will be held on **Sunday, 7 August 2022**. Sponsorships, raffle opportunities, and volunteer signups will follow shortly along with other information!

Festival Baskets. **Barb Sisson** is coordinating the **gift basket raffle** for our festival on 7 August. If you are willing to **donate a basket or volunteer** to help, please contact Barb at 724.438.5673.

Festival Pre-Sale. The Ladies Guild will be accepting orders for certain bulk food items before the Food Festival. These orders must be **\$75 or more** and **must** be placed by **Saturday, 23 July 2022**. Orders can be placed by calling Mary Jo at 724.208.0617. Pickup for all orders will be on **Saturday, 6 August 2022** between **Noon and 3:00pm**.

Seeking Collection Counters. Financial **best practices** call for our parish to maintain a fresh and **revolving** team of counters to oversee our weekend stewardship. If you can serve as a counter, please contact the Parish Office to arrange for training and scheduling.

Liturgy Intentions. If you would like to schedule a liturgy for a loved one or any other intention, please **contact the parish office**, send a note via **mail or collection basket**, or **email**. If you have already scheduled a recurring monthly or yearly liturgy please **remember** to send in your stipend before the liturgy is celebrated.

PARISH LITURGICAL AND EVENTS CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
03 5th Sunday of Pentecost St. Jerome, C Liturgy 9:30am +Betty Mane Rafail <i>by Family</i> Exod 1:1-7 Phil 3:7-14 Matt 10:1-7	04 St. Andrew of Crete No Liturgy Acts 9:19-30 Matt 10:8-15	05 St. Macarius of the Cross, C No Liturgy Acts 9:31-43 Matt 13:9-13	06 No Liturgy Acts 10:1-23 Matt 10:12-26	07 St. Thomas the Hermit, C No Liturgy Acts 10:23-43 Matt 10:27-33	08 St. Procopius, M No Liturgy Acts 10:44-48 Matt 10:34-39	09 St. Pancras, M Liturgy 4:00pm +Elsie David <i>by Putty, Rhonda, Brian & Kaycee David</i> Acts 11:19-30 Matt 10:40-:11:1
10 6th Sunday of Pentecost Massabki Martyrs Liturgy 9:30am +Simon, Franklin William, Elias, Andy, & Michael <i>John Family Reunion</i> Ezek 3:1-12 1 Cor 12:12-30 Matt 10:16:25	11 St. Benedict, Abbot No Liturgy Acts 12:1-11 Matt 15:1-9	12 St. Ruffina and Secunda, M St. Susanna of Rome, M No Liturgy Acts 12:12-24 Matt 15:10-20	13 Joel the Prophet No Liturgy Acts 12:25-13:12 Matt 15:21-28	14 No Liturgy Acts 13:26-39 Matt 16:1-4	15 Sts. Cyriacus and His Mother Julitta No Liturgy Acts 13:44-52 Matt 16:5-12	16 Liturgy 4:00pm Health & Welfare of the Chrash & Dimitroff Families Acts 11:19-30 John 3:31-36
17 7th Sunday of Pentecost St. Marina of Qannoubine, C Liturgy 9:30am +Joe & Elizabeth Michael & Son Mike <i>by Woody Kelly & Family</i> Num 11:16-29 Rom 8:28-39 Matt 13:36-43	18 St. Symphorosa & Her Seven Sons, M No Liturgy Acts 14:1-7 Luke 10:8-12	19 St. Margaret of Antioch, M Liturgy 6:00pm Acts 14:8-18 Luke 10:13-16	20 Elias the Prophet Liturgy 8:30am +Mary Louise Chomiak <i>by Charles Alice Yezbak</i> Rom 11:1-8 Luke 4:22-30	21 St. Simeon Salus & His Friend St. John VBS 2:00-5:00pm Liturgy 6:00pm +Connie Ferris <i>by Helen Unice & Thad Durka</i> Acts 15:1-12 Luke 10:25-28	22 St. Sharbel (Vigil) St. Mary Magdalene St. Nohra, M VBS 4:00-8:00pm Liturgy 6:00pm Anointing of the Sick Blessing with Relics 2 Thes 1:1-10 Matt 11:1-6	23 St. Sharbel, C Liturgy 4:00pm +William John Family (Kingwood, WV) <i>by Joseph & Beate Nassif</i> Rom 8:28-39 Matt 13:36-43
24 8th Sunday of Pentecost St. Christina of Tyre, M Liturgy 9:30am +Jesse & Joanne Sulik Risha <i>by Joe & Ronda Risha & Family</i> Isaiah 42:1-9 Rom 8:1-11 Matt 12:14-21	25 St. Ann, Mother of the Virgin Mary, C No Liturgy Acts 15:36-16:10 Luke 11:1-4	26 St. Bridget of Sweden, C Liturgy 6:00pm Acts 16:11-23 Luke 11:5-8	27 St. Pantaleon (Asya), M Liturgy 8:30am 2 Cor 4:7-15 Matt 10:28-33	28 Constantinople III St. Anthusa, C Liturgy 6:00pm Acts 17:1-12 Luke 11:14-23	29 Ezekiel the Prophet St. Martha, the Sister of Lazarus, C Liturgy 8:30am Acts 17:16-34 Luke 11:24-26	30 St. Abdon and Sennen, M Liturgy 4:00pm +Connie Ferris <i>by Ladies Guild</i> Acts 18:1-11 Luke 11:27-32

SACRAMENTAL & PASTORAL CARE

MYSTERIES OF BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION | Sacramental Preparation is required before a baptism can be scheduled. We encourage this to happen **before the birth of a child.**

MYSTERY OF CROWNING | Arrangements must be made at least **six months in advance.** Marriage Preparation is required as part of the process.

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK | If a loved one is hospitalized, ill, or homebound, please call or email the Parish Office. For **emergencies**, please call Father Aaron directly at 315.790.0059.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION | Faith Formation for both **Children and Adults** will be available during the academic year.

CONFESSIONS | Confessions are held on Saturday from **3:30-3:55pm** or **by appointment.**

JULY MEMORIALS

Sanctuary Light	James & Ann Mullen	<i>by Family</i>
Vigil Lights	Available	
Altar Bread & Wine	Ellwood, Freda, & Michael Kelly	<i>by Sherry, Ellwood, Mary, & Families</i>

PRAYER LIST FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Michelle Sante | Lynda Handlin | Teresa Rogers | David Gallo | Aliya Davis | Loretta Joseph | Kimberly Steinmiller | Patty Benson
 Leonard W. Neill II | Davey Rusko | Catherine Delgreco | Joan Mickey | Josette Shady Abi-Nader | Brooklynn Dennis | Rodie Gabriel
 Cookie Shady Benson | Tammy McKenzie | Kamberly George | Lorraine Guynn | Marion Bryson | Eileen Crutchman | Barb Howard Misiak
 Mary C. Barasso | Amanda Gamble | Teresa Rogers | Helen Adams | Marie Ferris | Kay Alexander

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By Mr. Arthur Gabriel
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