



## Saint George Maronite Catholic Church

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February 18, 2024

### Sunday of the healing of the Leper

#### Office Hours

Mon, Weds, Thurs, and Friday, from 9am-12pm The office is closed on Tuesday

#### Liturgical Schedule

Wednesday 7:00pm, Thursday and Friday 10:00am

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am (Latin rite) and 10:30 am

**Exposition of the Holy Eucharist** Thursday 6:00pm

#### Meet Your Clergy

Rev. Tony Saab, Pastor  
[frtonysaab@gmail.com](mailto:frtonysaab@gmail.com)  
401-400 1441 (Urgent calls only)

Farid Zaarour, Deacon  
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#### Weekly collections

**Making a generous donation from the hard work of your hands is your opportunity to participate in God's work and support the ministry of His Church.**

الكرم في العطاء هي فرصة لك للمشاركة في عمل الله و لدعم رسالة الكنيسة.

Weekend 2/11 Total Collection \$1,706.00

Utilities \$418.00

#### SACRAMENTS

**Baptism & Confirmation:** One month in advance with the Pastor.

Suggested Donation: Church: \$200 Priest: Free Will

**Matrimony:** Arrangements should be made by couples six months prior to the wedding date.

Suggested Donation: Church \$500. Priest: Free Will

#### **Reconciliation:**

One hour before liturgies, or by appointment

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please notify the Rectory if a member of your family is ill, or hospitalized, or homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion at home.

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## Liturgical Intentions

2/17 4:00pm	Memorial liturgy for <b>Mary Michael, Ernest Mari, Vladimir Loskoutov, Donald Solomon</b> , and all the deceased members of the Holy rosary sodality, requested by the members of the HRS.
2/18 8:30am 10:30am	Forty day liturgy for <b>Beverly Rozzero</b> , requested by her loving family. Fourth Year anniversary for <b>Edward Donovan</b> , requested by his loving family.
2/24 4:00pm	Birthday memorial for <b>Donald Solomon, SR.</b> , requested by his children Donald and Cheryl.
2/25 8:30am 10:30am	One year anniversary for <b>Fr. Paul Mouawad</b> , requested by his loving family.
3/2 4:00pm	
3/3 8:30am 10:30am	Second anniversary liturgy for <b>Malcolm Badway</b> , requested by his loving family.
3/9 4:00pm	Twenty-eight birthday remembrance of <b>Alexandria M. Saker</b> , requested by her loving family.
3/10 8:30am 10:30am	Memorial liturgy for <b>Youssef Howayeck</b> , requested by his son Gaby, and his loving family.
3/16 4:00pm	
3/17 8:30am 10:30am	
3/23 4:00pm	One year anniversary for <b>Valerie A. Thomas</b> , requested by her son George, his wife Christine, and their loving family.
3/24 8:30am 10:30am	<b>HOSANA SUNDAY/ PALM SUNDAY</b>

### **Romans 6:12-23**

Therefore, sin must not reign over your mortal bodies so that you obey their desires. And do not present the parts of your bodies to sin as weapons for wickedness, but present yourselves to God as raised from the dead to life and the parts of your bodies to God as weapons for righteousness. For sin is not to have any power over you, since you are not under the law but under grace. What then? Shall we sin because we are not under the law but under grace? Of course not! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to someone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that, although you were once slaves of sin, you have become obedient from the heart to the pattern of teaching to which you

were entrusted. Freed from sin, you have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of the weakness of your nature. For just as you presented the parts of your bodies as slaves to impurity and to lawlessness for lawlessness, so now present them as slaves to righteousness for sanctification. For when you were slaves of sin, you were free from righteousness. But what profit did you get then from the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed from sin and have become slaves of God, the benefit that you have leads to sanctification, and its end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Praise be to God always.

### **Mark 1:35-43**

Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed. Simon and those who were with him pursued him and on finding him said, "Everyone is looking for you." He told them, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come." So he went into their synagogues, preaching and driving out demons throughout the whole of Galilee. A leper came to him (and kneeling down) begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean. Then, warning him sternly, he dismissed him at once. This is the Truth. Peace be with you.



The Spirituality of our Lenten

Traditions & Practices  
with Bishop Gregory Mansour

8pm EST  
March 6th

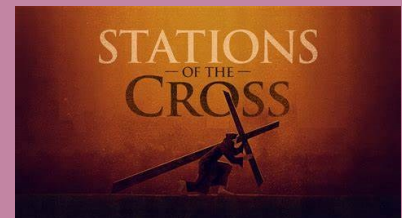
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*Maronite Couples*  
Eparchy of St. Maron

### **Stations of the Cross**

#### **Adoration of the Cross**

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**Every Friday during Lent**

**7:00pm**



St. George Maronite Catholic Church

St. Joseph  
75th Annual  
Hafli

Saturday  
March 16, 2024  
@7pm

Superstar  
Anwar El Amir



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Grand Raffle

Admission: \$100 • VIP \$150  
Includes Mazza and Dinner

Envision Hotel Grand Ballroom  
31 Hampshire St. Mansfield MA 02048

FOR TICKETS PLEASE CONTACT: Jihane Ayoub 401-714-6200  
George Thomas 401-480-8812 • Michael Saker 401-323-7409

Please spread the word that our 75th Annual Hafli will be celebrated on Saturday March 16,

2024. Help promoting door admission tickets, raffle tickets, and Ad book advertising to your friends, relatives, and loved ones.

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SAINT GEORGE MARONITE  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
75th Annual Saint Joseph Hafli  
GRAND RAFFLE

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NAME:

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1ST PRIZE \$2,500  
2ND PRIZE \$1,500  
3RD PRIZE \$1,000

Drawing will be held on Saturday March 16, 2024 at the Envision  
Hotel Grand Ballroom - 31 Hampshire Street, Mansfield, MA 02048

Do not have to be present to win. Donation \$100 per Ticket

No. 250

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VIP  
\$150



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Saturday March 16, 2024 7:00PM  
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