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Saint George Maronite Catholic Church

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August 17, 2025 Eleventh Sunday of Pentecost

Meet Your Clergy

Fr. Tony Saab, Pastor frtonysaab@gmail.com

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Liturgical Schedule

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10:00am Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 8:30 am (Latin rite); 10:30 am

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist
Thursday at 6:00pm



Office Hours

Mon, Weds, Thurs, and Friday by appointment. 401-7238444 email:

stgeorgeri1@gmail.com

Jihane Ayoub
Office assistant administrator

Sacraments

Baptism & Confirmation

One month in advance with the Pastor.

Matrimony:

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

Reconciliation:

One hour before liturgies, or by appointment.

Please call the office or email frtonysaab@gmail.com

Anointing of the Sick:

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



Weekly collections

\$1,260.00

Thank you for your continued support!









FREE ADMISSION & PARKING

Liturgical Intentions

8/16			
4:00pm	Memorial liturgy for the deceased members of the Osko family, requested by Saliba Osko and his loving family.		
8/17			
8:30am	Mass of Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Lourdes, requested by Chancy-Antoine family		
10:30am	Memorial liturgy for Youssef and May Hoyek, requested by their loving son Gaby.		
8/23			
4:00pm	Four-year anniversary for Mary Ann Solomon , requested by her loving children Donald Jr. and Cheryl.		
8/24			
8:30am	Birthday remembrance for Romeo Moretti, requested by his loving family.		
10:30am	Anniversary liturgy for Marie, Fadia, and Zakhia Kosseifi , requested by Therese Hachem and her loving family.		
8/30			
4:00pm	Memorial liturgy for Raymond and Therese Yazbek , requested by George and Lydia Yazbek.		
8/31			
8:30am			
10:30am			
9/6			
4:00pm	One-year anniversary liturgy for Lillian D. Barish, requested by her loving family.		
9/7			
8:30am			
10:30am			
	The Rosary For all the souls of the faithful departed With Bishop Gregory Mansour and Fr. Vincent Farhat along with many people from our Eparchy join in. Thursday Every Thursday 5:00 PM EST Via Zoom MEETING ID: 849 9601 4935 PASSCODE: 337494 Forty-day liturgies are considered a priority. When necessary, they will be scheduled with other previously reserved intentions.		

ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST SEASON

the Fruit of the Mission to the Jews The Repentance of Zacchaeus the Tax Collector

Ez 18: 1 + 21-23 + 27-28

The word of the LORD came to me: If the wicked man turns away from all the sins he has committed, if he keeps all my statutes and does what is just and right, he shall surely live. He shall not die! None of the crimes he has committed shall be remembered against him; he shall live because of the justice he has shown. Do I find pleasure in the death of the wicked—oracle of the Lord GOD? Do I not rejoice when they turn from their evil way and live? If the wicked turn from the wickedness they did and do what is right and just, they save their lives; since they turned away from all the sins they committed, they shall live; they shall not die.

Ephesians 2:17-22

He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the

Father. So then you are no longer strangers and sojourners, but you are fellow citizens with the holy ones and members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the capstone.



Through him the whole structure is held together and grows into a temple sacred in the Lord; in him you also are being built together into a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

Luke 19:1-10

He came to Jericho and intended to pass through the town. Now a man there named

BUT ZACCHAEUS STOOD UP AND
SAID TO THE LORD, "LOOK, LORD,
HALF OF MY POSSESSIONS I GIVE
TO THE POOR, AND IF I HAVE
CHEATED ANYONE, I WILL REPAY IT
FOURFOLD."
- LUKE 19:8

Zacchaeus, who was a chief tax collector and also a wealthy man, was seeking to see who Jesus was; but he could not see him because of the crowd, for he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree in order to see Jesus, who was about to pass that way. When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." And he came down quickly and received him with joy. When they all saw this, they began to grumble, saying, "He has gone to stay at the house of a sinner." But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over." And Jesus said to him,

"Today salvation has come to this house because this man too is a descendant of Abraham. For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost."

CALLING ALL FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS! If you would like to volunteer for our annual festival, please contact Amal Simon, 617-584-4515 or email amalshumar@gmail.com. Volunteers are needed for all activities for all three days. Thank you, as always, for supporting our church!



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FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 19 2:00PM - 12:00AM SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 20 2:00PM - 12:00AM **SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 21** 12:00PM – 7:00 PM

LIVE MUSIC | FOOD | DANCE | RAFFLE | HOOKAH | FUN FOR ALL



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2025 Festival Banner Sponsorship Form

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Gold - \$500 Vinyl Banner (24" X 36") (2' x 3')

> Silver - \$250 Vinyl Banner (18" X 24")

address. Your contributions are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Festival dates: September 19, 20 and 21, 2025

Deadline: September 8, 2025 Credit Cards, Venmo and PayPal also accepted.

If you should have any questions, please contact the church office at 401-723-8444 or call Jihane Ayoub at 401-714-6200

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St. Mary's Syriac Orthodox Church's Annual

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Festival



DJ Roy C



"The Prince"
Marwan Zgheib
Saturday



Chris Hawat Sunday Afternoon





August 22, 23 & 24, 2025





Friday: 5 PM - 11PM

Saturday: 12 PM - 12AM

Sunday: 1 PM - 9PM

Authentic Mediterranean Cuisine: Kabobs, Baklava, & More Family Fun for All Ages: Bouncy House, Music, Candy & More

SMaly Instruction Drive, Shrewnbury, MA 01545



MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

UST 22-24

FRI 5-11 PM SAT 12-11 PM SUN 12-5 PM

DELICIOUS HOMEMADE LEBANESE FOOD & SAJ PLUS: GAMES, RAFFLES, BAR, HOOKAH, & LIVE MUSIC

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