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Saint George Maronite Catholic Church

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September 28, 2025 Second Sunday after the Holy Cross

Sunday Gospel

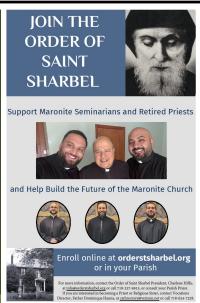
Matthew 24:1-14Jesus left the temple area and was going away, when his disciples approached him to point out the temple buildings. He said to them in reply, "You see all these things, do you not? Amen, I say to you, there will not be left here a stone upon another stone that will not be thrown down." As he was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples approached him privately and said, "Tell us, when will this happen, and what sign will there be of your coming, and of the end of the age?" Jesus said to them in reply, "See that no one deceives you. For many will come in my name, saying, 'I am the Messiah,' and they will deceive many. You will hear of wars and reports of wars; see that you are not alarmed, for these things must happen, but it will not yet be the end. Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be famines and earthquakes from place to place. All these are the beginning of the labor pains. Then they will hand you over to persecution, and they will kill you. You will be hated by all nations because of my name. And then many will be led into sin; they will betray and hate one another. Many false prophets will arise and deceive many; and because of the increase of evildoing, the love of many will grow cold. But the one who perseveres to the end will be saved. And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached throughout the world as a witness to all nations, and then the end will come.

16th Annual Benefit Minner 2025

> Wednesday, October 22 The Metropolitan Club One East 60th Street New York City

6:00 - Cocktail Reception and Silent Auction 7:00 - Dinner





Liturgical Intentions

9/27	
4:00pm	Forty-day liturgy for Fr. Naji Kiwan, offered by the parish family.
9/28	
8:30am	
10:30am	One-year anniversary for Bahij Boutros , requested by his loving family.
	Five-year memorial for George Youssef Baaklini, requested by his loving family.
10/4	
4:00pm	Ten-year anniversary for Barbara Badway , requested by her loving family.
10/5	
8:30am	Memorial liturgy for Ernest Mari, requested by his loving family.
10:30am	Memorial liturgy for Deceased members of the Ghalborji family , requested by their loving family.
10/11	
4:00pm	Birthday remembrance for Joseph and Mary Simon , requested by Terri Barkett.
10/12	
8:30am	
10:30am	Memorial liturgy for The Fallen Soldiers of the Lebanese Army , requested by LACD New England Chapter.
10/18	
4:00pm	Memorial liturgy for Solomon and Lillian Solomon, requested by their loving family.
10/19	
8:30am	
10:30am	One year anniversary for Afife Hachem , requested by her loving family.
10/25	
4:00pm	Two-year anniversary for Donald J. Solomon , requested by his children Donald JR. and Cheryl.
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	First year anniversary for Barbara White , requested by her loving family.
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Announcement corner

- Registration for **FIRST COMMUNION 2025-2026.** Please fill out a form found at the church entrance and bring it to the church office asap. Baptism certificates are required for all registering children.
- Congratulations to our Raffle prize winners: First Prize, Tony Simon. Second Prize, Mike Vendito. Third prize: Taym ElHanout.

To reserve a liturgy intention, please call or email the church office. Forty-day liturgies are considered a priority. When necessary, they will be scheduled with other previously reserved intentions.

Meet Your Clergy

Fr. Tony Saab, Pastor frtonysaab@gmail.com

Deacon Farid Zaarour fzaarour@yahoo.com

Liturgical Schedule

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

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist

Saturday at 2:00pm- 4:00pm

A heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all who have worked hard, participated, and donated to the success of our Annual Lebanese Festival! God bless and reward them all!



Office Hours

Mon, Weds, Thurs, and Friday by appointment.

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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

\$1,308.00

Thank you for your love and support to your parish family!



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Famous Steak Fry

Where: Cranston Council 1738, 70 Pettaconsett Avenue (upstairs hall), Cranston, RI 02920

When: Saturday, September 27, 2025 from 6:30PM

This event marks the start of our yearly Holiday Food Drive.
Please bring canned or dry foods for donation.

12oz NY Sirloin grilled to perfection

Baked Potato, Garden Salad, Rolls & Butter

Shrimp Cocktail (5) Appetizer

Coffee and Desserts

Cash Bar

50/50 Raffle

\$25.00 Per Person

RSVP to Alan Caruolo either by email(preferred) agc1266@cox.net

or text at (401)225-9546

no later than Friday September 19, 2025

(All proceeds will go to our charity fund for future donations and good works)