



We would like to welcome to our parish “Voices of Faith”.
This group represents 13 different faiths and are visiting various churches.

We will be having some refreshments after the Liturgy in the social hall. All are welcome to enjoy!

Natural Family Planning Talk



The Family and Sanctity of Life Office presents Natural Family Planning Talk on Thursday, July 16th at 8:00 PM.

Join this special talk in honor of Natural Family Awareness week with Eparchial NFP Coordinator, Marise Frangie.

Marise is a Certified Creighton Model Fertility Care Practitioner, Supervisor and Educator.

There is a flyer on the bulletin board in the main entrance with ZOOM ID and passcode.

SAVE THE DATE

Please join **Bishop Gregory Mansour** at the
Eparchy of Saint Maron's 17th Annual Benefit Dinner.

Thursday, October 15, 2026, at The Metropolitan Club.

More details to follow

**ST. ELIAS MARONITE
CATHOLIC CHURCH
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July 12, 2026



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel/July 16th

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Liturgy Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 10:30 am

Weekdays: 9:00 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Every Friday following the 9:00 am
Liturgy until 5:00 pm

Mystery of Reconciliation: Saturdays from 4:00 PM to
4:40 PM and Sundays from 9:45 AM to 10:15 AM
or by appointment

LITURGY INTENTIONS

WEEKEND OF JULY 11 & 12, 2026

Saturday: 5:00 PM: Joseph Silek, Sr, RIP (Sam & Dawn Silek)

Sunday: 10:30 AM: Scott & Joseph Sexton, Jake Lyons & James Kerin (Andrea Sexton)

Monday, July 13: 9 AM- Justin Fussell, RIP

Tuesday, July 14: 9 AM- Frank Murrie, healing (Lourice Thomas, II)

Wednesday, July 15: 9 AM- Lisa Ellis, blessings on retirement (Lourice Thomas, II)

Thursday, July 16: 9 AM- Souls in Purgatory

Friday, July 17: 9 AM- Souls in Purgatory

WEEKEND OF JULY 18 & 19, 2026

Saturday: 5:00 PM: Souls in Purgatory

Sunday: 10:30 AM: Celebration of St. Sharbel— Feast Day July 23rd

Offertory— July 5 - \$3,545.00

Second Collection—this weekend, 7/11 & 7/12 for the needy.



ALTAR EUCHARIST CELEBRATION JULY

**In honor and memory of all Americans who make us, the United States of
America on our Nation's 250th Anniversary
By Lourice L. Thomas, II**



Daily Scripture Readings

Week of July 12, 2026

Monday: Acts 15:36-16:1-3,6-10 : Luke 11-1-4

Tuesday: Acts 16:11-23 : Luke 11:5-8

Wednesday: Acts 16:25-34 : Luke 11:9-13

Thursday: Acts 17:1-12 : Luke 11:14-23

Friday: Acts 17:16-20, 22-24,30-34 Luke 11:24-26

Saturday: Acts 18:1-11 : Luke 11:27-32

Sunday: Romans 8:28-39 : Mt 13:36-43

SAVE THE DATE - PARISH POTLUCK

We will be celebrating the Feast of St. Elias, (Feast Day is July 20th) with a potluck after the 10:30am Liturgy on **July 26th.**

**PLAN TO BRING A MAIN DISH AND/OR A DESSERT TO SHARE AND
A 2 LITER BOTTLE OF SODA**

**DUE TO THE HEAT, WE WILL NOT BE GRILLING.
WE NEED HELP IN THE KITCHEN, (SET UP) AND TO CLEAN
AFTERWARDS.**



DONATIONS FOR ALTAR FLOWERS

We are in need of flowers to decorate the image and relics of
St. Sharbel on his feast day which falls on Thursday, July 23rd.

If you are willing to donate, please let Fr. George or Deebie know



Book of Offering—REMINDER

As our church is sorely in need of more liturgy books (Book of Offering) we are reaching out to any and all who might want to help in this endeavor. We are offering the books to be left in church as a memorial to a loved one, in honor of a special occasion or other reason for recognition. We ask for a fee of \$50.00 and a printed announcement will be placed in the front page of the book. If someone wants to purchase a book as their own property, we also offer one for \$40.00. Please see Rima or Glenda in the Gift Shop or you can reach out to Deebie in the office for further information.

Venezuela Earthquake Help

If anyone wishes to donate monetarily to help Venezuela victims of the earthquake, please let the office know. We will be donating through Samaritan's Purse as they are helping with various items such as water, food, blankets, tents, temporary shelters, etc.

God bless and reward you