



EPARCHY OF SAINT MARON  
CANADA

## **SAINT ANTHONY'S PARISH**

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**Weekly Bulletin**

**Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017**



## ***Twelfth Sunday of the Pentecost***

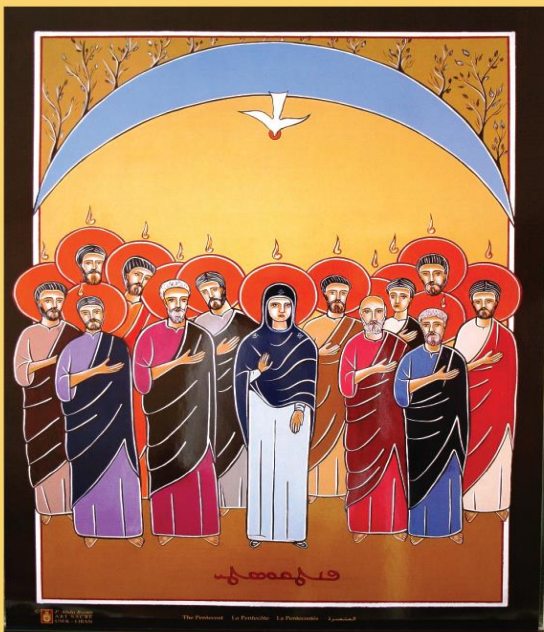
**الأحد الثاني عشر من زمن العنصرة**

**August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

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## **MASSES AND CELEBRATIONS**

**Sunday: 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM.**

**English Mass, Sunday: 5:00 PM.**

**Daily Mass: 6:00 PM.**

**Daily dedication Prayers: 5:30 PM.**

**Tuesday: Rosary & Litany: 5:30 PM.**

**Wednesday: Our Lady's Confraternity: 5:00 PM.**

**Thursday: Adoration: 5:00 PM.**

**First Sunday of each month:**

**English Youth Mass: 5:00 PM.**

### **CONFESSIONS:**

**15 Minutes before daily Mass at 5:45 PM.**

### **SICK / SHUT-IN VISIT:**

**Please call 519-322-2282**

### **BAPTISMS:**

**Please call the Church Office at least one month prior to Baptism date.**

### **MARRIAGES:**

**Please contact the Parish Priest a minimum of six months in advance of the desired date of marriage.**

### ***Our Parish Mission Statement***

*The Faith Community of Saint Anthony's Parish, Leamington, open to the Spirit as disciples of Jesus Christ, envision our mission as proclaiming, witnessing and celebrating the Kingdom of God and keeping alive the Maronite Tradition among us through SERVICE, HEALING and RECONCILING LOVE.*

**St. Anthony's is a Registered, Charitable, non-profit organization.**

# Parish Information

**THANK YOU:** Father Charles Saad would like to cordially thank the parishioners and friends for their generous donations towards the New Saint Anthony's Church, Leamington.

EACH FAMILY IS KINDLY INVITED TO MAKE A YEARLY DONATION IN ORDER TO BUILD THE NEW CHURCH.

Every Sunday we share in the Bulletin the last 12 donations:

- 1- BALAD MARKET: \$ 100.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 2- DIJLA & ALFORAT: \$ 200.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 3- ALPINA AUTO SERVICES: \$ 100.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 4- OLIVE TREE MARKET: \$ 100.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 5- AZZA NAFD: \$ 20.00 (Windsor) (Cash)
- 6- BABBAZ GRILL: \$ 100.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 7- Andrey MOUSALLEM (Cedar Insurance): \$ 500.00 (Cash)
- 8- Charles & Cindy SAAD: \$ 500.00 (Cash)
- 9- Khalid & Amira GORGIS: \$ 200.00 (Windsor) (Cash)
- 10- Mouayed AL-SAIEGH: \$ 150.00 (Windsor) (Cash)
- 11- Jenan Jamil FATEHALLAH & Aliya YOUSEF: \$ 500.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 12- Anonymous: \$ 200.00 (Cash)
- 13- Vivian GEESO: \$ 100.00 (Cheque)
- 14- Income from festival sales: \$ 46,647.53

**TOTAL: \$ 512,389.52**

**CONDOLENCES:** Our deepest Sympathy to the family of Juliette Dakhil Elmsann (mother of Rita wife of Tony Naamtallah), who passed away in Haddath Bayrouth, Lebanon, at the age of 68. The Requiem Mass will be held on Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 9:30 AM at Saint Anthony's Church. May God Rest her Soul in Peace and grant consolation to her Family.

**THANK YOU:** Father Charles Saad would like to cordially thank all the sponsors for Our Lady of Lebanon Festival 2017 for their generous donations of money and gifts. The total to date is \$ 69,220.00 and the Gross Total of the Festival is about \$ 180,000.00 May God Bless them and their Families.

**THANK YOU:** Father Charles Saad would like to cordially thank Anthony Sarkis Jabbour, son of Sarkis & Sharife Jabbour, who donated \$ 25000.00 (twenty-five thousand dollars) towards the New Saint Anthony's Church. May God bless him and his family.

**THANK YOU:** Father Charles Saad would like to thank the Saint Anthony's Knights of Columbus for donating 4 bikes towards the raffle during Our Lady's Festival 2017 and a woman who donated \$ 300.00 towards the raffle.

**ANNUAL BBQ:** The Lebanese Forces Windsor-Leamington invites you to their Annual BBQ on Sunday August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 1:00 PM at the Leamington Lebanese Club.

## UPCOMING MEMORIAL MASSES

INTENTION	DATE	TIME
1- Juliette Dakhil Elmsann (Requiem Mass)	Sunday, August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	9:30 AM
2- Mike Malkoun (1 Year Memorial Mass)	Sunday, August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	11:00 AM
3- Bakhos Gebrail (40 Day Memorial Mass)	Sunday, September 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2017	11:00 AM
4- Sister Mantoura Francis (40 Day Memorial Mass)	Sunday, September 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	9:30 AM

## NEXT SAJ LUNCHEONS

1-	First Sunday after Festival	Sunday August 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	FREE SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
2-	Jesus the King	Sunday October 29, 2017	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
3-	Saint Anthony the Great	Sunday January 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
4-	Saint Anthony Of Padua	Sunday June 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass

All proceeds will go to the New Saint Anthony's Church

## Last Week's Collection

20 Envelopes	\$ 380.00
Loose	\$ 6,306.25
Candles	\$ 35.75
Paper Work	\$ 20.00
<b>Festival 2017 Sponsors: New Church</b>	
Charles & Cindy SAAD (Cash)	\$ 500.00
Khalid & Amira GORGIS (Windsor) (Cash)	\$ 200.00
Mouayed AL-SAIEGH (Windsor) (Cash)	\$ 150.00
Jenan Jamil FATHEHALLAH & Aliya Yousef (Windsor) (Cheque)	\$ 500.00
Anonymous (Cash)	\$ 200.00
Vivian GEESO (Cheque)	\$ 100.00
<b>INCOME FROM FESTIVAL SALES</b>	<b>\$ 46,647.53</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 55,039.53</b>

## Income of the Shrine – Festival 2017

Canadian	\$ 40,603.00
US	\$ 15,397.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 56,000.00</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 111,039.53</b>

## MONTHLY AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL

Fourteen Parishioners are donating to date:

1- \$ 50	2- \$ 35	3- \$ 15	4- \$ 30	5- \$ 50	<b>TOTAL</b>
6- \$ 25	7- \$ 30	8- \$ 100	9- \$ 25	10- \$ 50	
11- \$ 25	12- \$ 60	13- \$ 50	14- \$ 30		<b>\$ 575.00</b>

**AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL:** Father Charles Saad would like to thank an anonymous who is donating a monthly payment of \$ 30.00 towards the New Saint Anthony's Church. Fourteen families are donating to date, for a total of \$ 575.00 every month. May God bless them.

## SECOND BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

Alice Boutros & Michael DiGiovanni on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 at Saint Anthony Church at 1:00 PM.

**ENGLISH MASSES:** NO ENGLISH MASSES at Saint Anthony's Church During the month of September. Father Charles Saad will be in Lebanon and another priest will celebrate Sunday morning masses.

**LEBANESE CLUB:** Everyday from 11:00 AM till 2:00 PM, all you can eat Buffet at the Leamington Lebanese Club for just \$ 12.00 tax included. Different menu everyday.

**PRAYER GROUP:** Every First Friday of each month. Next meeting will take place on Friday September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at 7:00 PM. For more information, contact Noel Tawil.

**WEEKLY BULLETIN:** If you like to receive the weekly Bulletin by e-mail, please contact the church office at: 519 322 2282, or send your e-mail address at stanthony.leamington@maronites.ca

**Saint Anthony's Maronite Parish**  
**Masses & Celebrations during the week**



**Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

***Twelfth Sunday of the Pentecost***

**الأحد الثاني عشر من زمن العنصرة**

- 11:00 AM – Mass for the intention of all Parishioners and Pilgrims at the Our Lady of Lebanon Shrine followed by FREE PICNIC LUNCHEON

**Monday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

***Saint Samuel, the prophet (1040 B.C.) / (١٠٤٠ ق.م.)***

- 5:30 PM – Prayers
- 6:00 PM – Mass for Sister Mantoura Francis (*Sarkis & Martha Jraije*) And for Alice Boutros (*Challita & Mansoura Saad*)

**Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**

***Simforianos, Martyr (+180) / (١٨٠+)***

- 5:30 PM – Rosary, Litany & Ya Omm-Allah
- 6:00 PM – NO MASS  
Mass & Procession at Saint Charbel Windsor

**Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017**

***Mar Isaac (Late 7<sup>th</sup> century) / (أواخر القرن السابع)***

- 5:00 PM – Prayers of our Lady's Confraternity
- 6:00 PM – Mass for Aoun Aoun (*Family*) And for Joe Hanna Youssef (*Theresa Obeid*)

**Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

***Eftecheus, Martyr (2<sup>nd</sup> century) / (مطلع القرن الثاني)***

- 5:00 PM – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 6:00 PM – Mass for Wajih & Badiha Taouil & Daughter Theresa Farah (*Family*) And for Bakhous Aziz (*Mr. & Mrs. Charbel Youssef*)

**Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

***Saint Louis, king of France (+1270) / (١٢٧٠+)***

- 5:30 PM – NO MASS  
TRIP TO NIAGARA FALLS

**Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

***Adrianos, Martyr (+306) / (٣٠٦+)***

- TRIP TO NIAGARA FALLS

**Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

***Thirteenth Sunday of the Pentecost / الأحد الثالث عشر من زمن العنصرة***

- 9:30 AM – Mass for Juliette Dakhil Elmsann (*Family*) / Rite of Incense
- 11:00 AM – Mass for Mike Malkoun (*1 Year Memorial Mass*) (*Family*) / Rite of Incense
- 1:00 PM – Annual Free Barbecue by the Lebanese Forces at the Shrine

**Twelfth Sunday of the Pentecost**

**الأحد الثاني عشر من زمن العنصرة**

في إنجيل اليوم، نرى يسوع ينتطى الأرض العبرانية ليصل إلى أرض وثنية هي أرض صيدا وصور حتى يدعو جميع الأمم إلى الملكوت. فإذا بامرأة كنعانية تصرخ طالبة مساعدته. لقد عرفت أنّ يسوع ابن داود، هو ابن الله المخلص لجميع شعوب الأرض. فطلبت منه أن يرحمها ويشفي إبنتها، في البداية يسوع تجاهلها. لكنّها لم تتراجع، عندها أجابها يسوع: "لا يُحسن أن يؤخذ خبز البنين ويُلقى إلى جراء الكلاب." هنا خفف يسوع قول اليهود الذي يعتون الوثنيين بالكلاب لأنهم كانوا يعبدون الأصنام. ولا يفهم من هذا القول سوى امتحان لإيمان الأم الوثنية وللدلالة أنّ الخلاص يبدأ باليهود ويتوجّه إلى العالم أجمع. وهنا المفاجأة الكبرى عندما قبلت هذه المرأة الكنعانية كلام يسوع وقبلت أن تُنعت بهذا اللقب المهين إن بلغتها نعمة الربّ وشفيت إبنتها. وهذا ما جعل يسوع يهتف معظماً إيمان المرأة أمام تلاميذه. حدث اليوم وإيمان الكنعانية يضعنا وجهاً لوجه مع الإيمان الحقيقي الذي ينقل صاحبه الجبال، فليكن لنا الإيمان الحقيقي الواثق دائماً بنعم الربّ. آمين.

**Gospel: Matthew 15: 21 - 28**

**Reading: Ephesians 3: 1 - 13**

This passage describes when Jesus ministered outside of the Jewish territory. A Canaanite woman puts the Lord Jesus, Son of David, on the spot by pleading for his help. She recognized that Jesus was God anointed One who would bring healing and salvation, not only to the people of Israel, but to the Gentiles as well. She asks Jesus to show mercy and compassion to her tormented daughter. At first Jesus seemed to pay no attention to her, He was testing her faith. When she persisted, Jesus answered by saying one should not take food prepared for their children and throw it to the dogs. The Jews often spoke of the Gentiles as "unclean dogs" since they worshipped idols. This humble Canaanite woman was not put-off by Jesus' refusal. In desperation and hope, she pleads with Jesus to give some of the "crumbs that fall from the table" to the "little dogs". How great was the power of her faith. Her daughter accordingly was immediately healed. Jesus praised this woman for her faith and love because she made the misery of her child her own. "Lord Jesus, increase our faith in your saving power and deliver us for all evil and harm. Amen".

**Next Sunday:**

***Thirteenth Sunday of the Pentecost***

**الأحد الثالث عشر من زمن العنصرة**

**Reading : Corinthetaiens 3: 1 - 11**

**Gospel: Luke 8: 1 - 15**