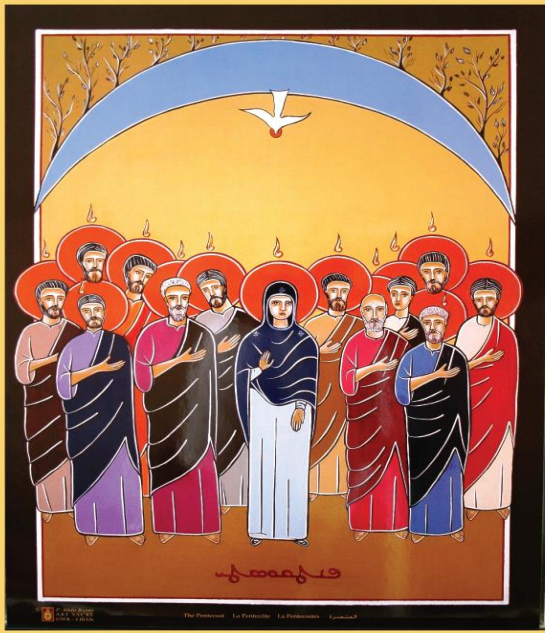




EPARCHY OF SAINT MARON  
CANADA



## **SAINT ANTHONY'S PARISH**

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**Bingo Committee: Abdallah Khalifeh**

**Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 10:00 AM. – 2:00 PM.**

## **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.**

**Weekly Bulletin**

**Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017**



## ***Fourteenth Sunday of the Pentecost***

**الأحد الرابع عشر من زمن العنصرة**

**September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017**

**٣ أيلول ٢٠١٧**

Our weekly bulletin is available online at: [www.stanthonyparish.com](http://www.stanthonyparish.com)

Designed and maintained by Acey Gaspard

# 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- BABBAZ GRILL: \$ 100.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 2- Andrey MOUSALLEM (Cedar Insurance): \$ 500.00 (Cash)
- 3- Charles & Cindy SAAD: \$ 500.00 (Cash)
- 4- Khalid & Amira GORGIS: \$ 200.00 (Windsor) (Cash)
- 5- Mouayed AL-SAIEGH: \$ 150.00 (Windsor) (Cash)
- 6- Jenan Jamil FATEHALLAH & Aliya YOUSEF: \$ 500.00 (Windsor) (Cheque)
- 7- Income from festival sales: \$ 46,647.53
- 8- Windsor Tunnel Exchange: \$ 100.00 (Cheque)
- 9- Anonymous: \$ 400.00 (Tecumseh) (Cheque)
- 10- Anonymous: \$ 200.00 (Cash)
- 11- Donations: Free Luncheon, Sunday August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017: \$ 450.00
- 12- Mufeed AL-SIGH: \$ 300.00 (Windsor) (Cash)

**TOTAL: \$ 513,839.52**

**CONDOLENCES:** Our deepest Sympathy to the family of David Raffoul, who passed away in Leamington, at the age of 48. The Funeral Mass was held by Fathers Santos and Charles Saad on Friday September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at 2:00 PM at Saint Michael Church in Leamington. May God Rest his Soul in Peace and grant consolation to his Family.

**CONDOLENCES:** Our deepest Sympathy to the parishioners of Saint Michael Church and to the family of Father Patrick William Fuerth, who passed away at the age of 75. Monsignors Elie Zouein and Charles Saad attended the funeral mass that was held on Friday September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at 11:00 AM at Saint John the Evangelist Church in Woodslee. May God Rest his Soul in Peace and grant consolation to his Family.

**CONGRATULATIONS:** Congratulations to Alice Boutros & Doctor Michael DiGiovanni who were united in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony at Saint Anthony's Church on Saturday September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 at 1:00 PM. May God bless them both and give them a long and happy life together.

**THANK YOU:** Father Charles Saad would like to thank all the volunteers who helped with Our Lady of Lebanon Festival 2017. 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.

## UPCOMING MEMORIAL MASSES

INTENTION	DATE	TIME
1- Bakhos Gebrail (40 Day Memorial Mass)	Sunday, September 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2017	11:00 AM
2- Sister Mantoura Francis (40 Day Memorial Mass)	Sunday, September 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	9:30 AM
3- Hanne Zakariya (1 Year Memorial Mass)	Sunday, September 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	9:30 AM
4- Joe Barakat Najem (1 Year Memorial Mass)	Sunday, October 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	11:00 AM

## NEXT SAJ LUNCHEONS

1-	Jesus the King	Sunday October 29, 2017	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
2-	Saint Anthony the Great	Sunday January 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
3-	Saint Anthony Of Padua	Sunday June 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass
4-	First Sunday after Festival	Sunday August 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	Free SAJ and FALAFEL Luncheon after 11:00 AM Mass

All proceeds go to the New Saint Anthony's Church

## Last Week's Collection

58 Envelopes	\$	976.00
Loose	\$	434.00
Candles	\$	74.30
Donation toward the Cross light from Paul & Souad JACOBS	\$	200.00
<b>Festival 2017 Sponsors: New Church Mufeed AL-SIGH</b>	\$	300.00
<b>Total:</b>	\$	<b>1,984.30</b>

## Income of the Shrine – August 2017

Canadian	\$	48,221.60
US	\$	18,147.00
<b>Total</b>	\$	<b>66,368.60</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.

**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 \$ 70,220.00 and the Gross Total of the Festival is about \$ 180,000.00 May God Bless them and their Families.

**INCOME FROM FESTIVAL SALES:** The total from the Festival 2017 sales to date is: \$ 47,097.53

## FIRST BANS OF MARRIAGE:

Jessica Gaspard & Daniele Palazzolo on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 at Saint Anthony's Church at 1:30 PM.

**ENGLISH MASSES:** NO ENGLISH MASSES at Saint Anthony's Church During the month of September. Father Charles Saad will be in Lebanon. Fathers Tony Farah and Milad Salloum 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 October 6<sup>th</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, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017**  
**Fourteenth Sunday of the Pentecost**  
**الأحد الرابع عشر من زمن العنصرة**

- 9:30 AM – Mass for the intention of Hadchit's Martyrs  
(Tony Hadchiti & Family)
- 11:00 AM – Mass for the intention of Bakhos Gebrail  
(40 Day Memorial Mass)  
& his wife Knouh Jamile Gebrail  
(2 Year Memorial Mass) (Family)

**Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Saint Rosalie (+1170) / القديسة روزالي (+1170)*

- 5:30 PM – Prayers

**Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Saint Zachary the father of John the Baptist (1<sup>st</sup> Century)*  
*القديس زكريا والد يوحنا المعمدان (القرن الأول للميلاد)*

- 5:30 PM – Rosary, Litany & Ya Omm-Allah

**Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Memorial of the miracle of Saint Michael the Archangel in Kolusi (2<sup>nd</sup> Century)*  
*تذكار أعجوبة ميخائيل رئيس الملائكة في قولوسني (القرن الثاني)*

- 5:00 PM – Prayers of our Lady's Confraternity

**Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Sozen, Martyr (+303) / الشهيد صوزن (+303)*

- 5:00 PM – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Birthday of the Virgin Mary / ميلاد مريم العذراء*

- 5:00 PM – Prayers

**Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Saint Joachim and Saint Anne, the parents of Virgin Mary (1<sup>st</sup> Century)*  
*القديس يواكيم والقديسة حنة والدا سيدتنا مريم العذراء (القرن الأول)*

**Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**Fifteenth Sunday of the Pentecost**  
**الأحد الخامس عشر من زمن العنصرة**

- 9:30 AM – ONE MASS Celebrated by Father Tony Farah  
For the intention of Zachary Thomas  
(2 Year Memorial Mass)  
& deceased family members (Family)

**Fourteenth Sunday of the Pentecost**

**الأحد الرابع عشر من زمن العنصرة**

نشهد في إنجيل هذا الأحد حسن ضيافة مريم ومرتا تجاه يسوع. داخل البيت نرى حالتين مختلفتين للشقيقتين: الأولى جالسة عند قدمي يسوع تُصغي إلى كلامه، والثانية مُهمكة بأمر الضيافة. بل أنّها تُعاتب الربّ لِعدم أكثرائه أن تتقاعس الأخت عن واجب الضيافة. وهنا يلوم يسوع مرثا منبهاً إياها من القلق الفارغ. لا يرفض يسوع العمل، ولكنّه يُشدّد على ما هو أفضل وأهم. يُريد منها أن تستفيد من الوقت المعطى لها لِنبيل المغفرة والنعمة. كما يُريد يسوع من مرثا أن تفتح له باب قلبها، قبل بيتها الحجريّ، وتستقبله في كيانها. ونحن متى استقبلنا الربّ يسوع في بيوتنا، إن كان في تمثال، صورة أو صليب، هل نَتَمّ بالقشور، ناسين أن نفتح له باب قلبنا ليعمل فينا ومن خلالنا، ويُعيننا في وقت الضيق؟ لا شكّ، في أنّ العمل الذي يُريده يسوع منّا هو الخدمة والحضور وغسل الأرجل... ولكن كلّ ذلك بعد الإصغاء إلى كلمته والتّعمّ بغيرانه حتّى يكون عملنا شهادة لملكوته.

**Gospel: Luke 10: 38 - 42**

**Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2: 1 - 13**

In this Gospel, we witness the hospitality of Martha and Mary towards Jesus. In this brief encounter we see two very different temperaments in Martha and Mary. Martha loved to serve, but in her anxious manner of waiting on Jesus, she caused unrest. Mary, in her simple and trusting manner, waited on Jesus by sitting attentively at His feet. She instinctively knew that what the Master most wanted at that moment was her attentive presence. You see Martha had become so involved in all her duties that she wasn't listening to what Jesus was teaching. Jesus doesn't condemn Martha for trying to be a good hostess. Rather, he tells her that the problem is she has become anxious and troubled over these things. She has lost her perspective of why she was serving in the first place. Her mission should have been, and probably was at first, to give Jesus a place to teach others and to be able to minister to his needs. But she has lost sight of that and actually interrupted Jesus' teaching to vent her frustrations. Jesus said that even though what Martha was doing was important, there was only one thing that was needful, which is sitting at Jesus' feet learning from his teaching. When we neglect time alone with God and time learning from His word, we may become anxious and troubled about many things.

**Next Sunday:**

**Fifteenth Sunday of the Pentecost**

**الأحد الخامس عشر من زمن العنصرة**

**Gospel: Luke 7: 36 - 50**

**Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1 - 10**