

Sunday Readings

Epistle Reading: 2 Cor 10:1-11

Gospel Reading:.....Jn 1:29-34

Gospel:

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.' I did not know him, but the reason why I came baptizing with water was that he might be made known to Israel." John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from the sky and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the Holy Spirit.' Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

This is the truth. Peace be with you.

Liturgy Intentions

- Sat, Jan 8** *St. Carterius the Priest, M*
Reading: Col 2:1-7; Mt 3:13-17
Repose of Elias Eade, Jr. 4:00 PM
By: Alfred Eade
- Sun, Jan 9** *1st Sunday after Epiphany | St. Eustratius, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 10:1-11; Jn 1:29-34
Repose of Peggy Tufts10:00 AM
By: Nancy & David McClelland
- 40-Day Memorial for Jackie Attard
By: The Family
- Mon, Jan 10** *St. Gregory, Bishop of Nyssa, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 10:12-18; Mk 1:1-8
No Liturgy
- Tue, Jan 11** *St. Theodosius of Antioch, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 11:1-6; Jn 1:19-28
Great health Sue McRae 9:00 AM
By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family
- Wed, Jan 12** *The Council of Trent (1545)|St. Tatiana, M*
Reading: 2 Cor 11:7-15; Jn 3:22-30
Repose of Timothy Jadowski 9:00 PM
By: The John Ash Family
- Thur, Jan 13** *St. Jacob of Nisibis, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 11:18,22-30; Jn 3:31-36
For the living & deceased in all our lives ..9:00 AM
By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family
- Fri, Jan 14** *St. Hilary, Bishop of Poitiers, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Mt 14:1-12
Love, Peace & Happiness 9:00 PM
By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family
- Sat, Jan 15** *Our Lady of the Snows|St. John Calybites, C*
Reading: 2 Cor 12:11-16; Jn 10:40-42
Repose of Michael Malick..... 4: 00 PM
By: Kathy, Jason & Kevin Hamed
- Sun, Jan 16** *Memorial of the Chains of St. Peter, Ap*
Reading: 2 Cor 4:5-15; Jn 1:35-42
Birthday remembrance for
Genevieve Dwaileebe 10:00 AM
Love, Dennis & Ann Marie Wright & Family



Saint Joseph Maronite Church

January 9, 2022
First Sunday
After Epiphany



Divine Liturgy

Weekdays (Tuesday — Friday) 9:00 AM
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 10:00 AM
Holy Days (unless otherwise specified) 6:30PM

Confession

30 Minutes before each liturgy or upon request

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Peace Be With You

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Please Pray for those who are Sick, in the Hospital, Homebound or Quarantined, especially:

- ◆ Roberta Mahar (Eden Heights)
- ◆ Larry & Sharon Daniels for Peggy Dieterman
- ◆ Dr. Babi Delaney & Jim McGarigal for Nikki Conwetter
- ◆ Judy & Steve York
- ◆ Vicky Eddy (recovering from a fall)
- ◆ Coradean "Deany" Simon (Buffalo Hospital)
- ◆ Coradean "Corkey" Simon Deany's Mom (The Pines)
- ◆ Bob Ash
- ◆ Rocky Baire

Please let us know if anyone should be added to or removed from the prayer list.

Please Contact the Office if you would like a Pastoral Visit!



Sanctuary Lamp

For the Weeks of 1/1-1/15/2022

Burns for The Sawaya & Lian Families

By: The Peter & Norma Sawaya Family

In the same way, let your light shine before others that they may see your charitable deeds and glorify your Father in Heaven.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM / CHRISMATION (CONFIRMATION):

Please notify the Priest at least a month ahead for preparations.

CROWNING (MARRIAGE):

Contact the Priest at least 6 months ahead for preparations and necessary paperwork.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please notify the Priest if a family member is sick.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Thursdays at noon to Laurie Losey (Parish Secretary)

Weekly Collection

Weekend Liturgies:	\$512.00
Candles:	\$27.00
Special Offering:	\$340.00
Total Collected:	<u>\$879.00</u>
Approx. Needed Weekly:	\$3,250.00
Weekly Deficit:	-\$2,371.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Put your spare change to good use!

Starting January 1st place your spare change in the jar by the front door of the church. On January 31st the money will be counted and the total collected will be matched dollar for dollar by the Ash Family for the benefit of St. Joseph Maronite Church.

Thank you for your generosity!

COLLECTED TO DATE: \$325.00

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2022 Sanctuary Lamp Schedule: If you would like to sponsor a date in 2022 for the Sanctuary Lamp please contact the church office. **It is \$20 to reserve a *two week period*.** The reservation sheet is in the foyer for your convenience.

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Cor 9:7

- On behalf of St. Joseph's, I wish to thank the anonymous donors of \$2,000.00 we received this week.
- In addition we received another donation of \$500.00.
- May God bless these anonymous benefactors of St. Joseph's Parish.

Christmas Flowers: Bless all of you who contributed towards the Christmas poinsettias that adorn our beautiful altar. Your generosity is very much appreciated!

