



# **Saint Maron**

## **Maronite Catholic Church**



### **Sunday of the Most Holy Trinity**

**June 11-12, 2022**

**“Look, how good and how pleasant it is when brothers dwell together in unity” (Psalm 133:1)**



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**Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,**

**No words can express my thanks and gratitude to each and every one who worked hard to make our Annual Lebanese Festival a success.**

**The unity we live in, and the love we share for one another was obvious throughout our preparations during the month of May and during the three days Festival.**

**“Look, how good and how pleasant it is when brothers dwell together in unity”. Yes, that is true. I was overwhelmed with pride when I witnessed how the community worked together, after a very difficult two years. Once again, with Lebanese music playing, the kids dancing, the laughter and cheers of everyone, the grilling, the baking, ... and by the grace of God, we had a great successful Festival. We were one team, one family, one community, united with love and harmony.**

**As Phil Jackson, an American professional basketball player and coach, once said: “The strength of the team is each individual member. The strength of each member is the team.”**

**May we always be filled with the Holy Spirit, the spirit of Love, Unity and Harmony.**

**Fr. Andrawos**

## DIVINE LITURGIES

**Saturday, June 11, @ 6:00PM,**  
**Sunday, June 12, @ 11:00AM,**  
liturgy is offered for the repose of souls of Raymond, Mary and Saleem Dahdah and Albert Anderson requested by Salema and Barbara Dahdah. May their souls rest in peace.

**Saturday, June 18, @ 6:00PM,**  
**Sunday, June 19, @ 11:00AM,**

## ELDERLY COMMUNION

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For everybody's safety  
The hall will be closed  
this **Sunday, June 12, 2022**

## WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR

May 28-29, 2022

Sunday Collection	\$ 1,222.00
Donation	\$ 80.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	\$ 100.00
Coffee Hour	\$ 9.00
Total:	\$ 1,411.00

## WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR

June 5-6, 2022

Sunday Collection	\$ 940.00
Memorial	\$ 350.00
Online	\$ 400.00
Coffee Hour	\$ 0.00
Total:	\$ 1,690.00

## IN OUR PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers Peter Labaki, Nancy Murphy, Marentha Young-Heart, Allison Tretina, Stephanie Devinney, Angela Scorza Anderson, Lisa McBride, Robert Nigro, Thomas Jones, Raymond Fitzpatrick, Henry George, Linda Yeckes, Frankie Olivieri, Richy Grande, Marie Eddis, Mia Andrilla, Jimmy Romeo, Natalie Ciancaglini, Ashley Iaconelli, Stephen Bressi, Elissar Ayoub, Joanne Simon-Turing, Suzanne Haney, Linda DiBernardo, Joan Speck, David Joseph Cook, Eddie Tayoun, Dennis Strelchuk, Gladys Dalcourt, Denise Furey, Mirta Ruiz, Rita Impo, Jade Kellam, Marion Thomas Branca, Francesca Impo, Lucy DiLuce, Laurent Chidiac, Tom Hart, John Hart, Fadi Jaber, Joseph Realdine, Lisa Alestra, John Nader, Joey Gdowick, Francis Joseph Kerns, Samer Chokeir, Kathy Newman, Rita Arrigale, Maryann Bratton, Renee Sahar, Sister Nahida Al-Sawa, James Cordisio, Stacey Fuentes, Debbie Freedenberg, Noel Andjuhar, and Angel Salerno. We ask Almighty God to bless them with good health so that they may join us in the Church and give glory and thanksgiving to God. Please notify the Church office of any family member who is ill so that we may remember them in our daily prayers and on our altar of intention.

## Readings

**First Reading**  
Romans 11:25-36  
**Gospel Reading**  
Matthew 28:16-20

## Our Mission Statement

To seek to know the love of God revealed in Jesus Christ, to celebrate together as a united family of faith, and to share our gifts and talents in loving service to others.

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On the Footsteps of Jesus in Lebanon



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Saturday, July 16  
National Eucharist Revival  
"My Flesh for the Life of the World"



Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Bishop of Crookston, MN and USCCB Chairman on Evangelization and Catechesis.

Saturday, July 16  
Commission on Lebanon



Open discussion on the great challenges Lebanon faces and the efforts that have been made in the US to support a free, sovereign, and democratic Lebanon.



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June 11-12, 2022

### First Reading

#### Romans 11:25-36

**A reading from the letter of Saint Paul to the Romans. Your blessing father...**

Brothers and Sisters:

So that you may not claim to be wiser than you are, brothers and sisters, I want you to understand this mystery: a hardening has come upon part of Israel, until the full number of the Gentiles has come in. And so all Israel will be saved; as it is written, 'Out of Zion will come the Deliverer; he will banish ungodliness from Jacob.' 'And this is my covenant with them, when I take away their sins.' As regards the gospel they are enemies of God for your sake; but as regards election they are beloved, for the sake of their ancestors; for the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all. O the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgements and how inscrutable his ways! 'For who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has been his counsellor?' 'Or who has given a gift to him, to receive a gift in return?' For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever. Amen.

**Praise be to God always.**

فصل من رسالة القديس بولس إلى أهل رومة

يا إِخْوَتِي، لَا أُرِيدُ، أَيُّهَا الْإِخْوَةُ، أَنْ تَجْهَلُوا هَذَا السِّرَّ، لِئَلَّا تَكُونُوا حُكَمَاءَ فِي عُيُونِ أَنْفُسِكُمْ، وَهُوَ أَنَّ التَّصَلُّبَ أَصَابَ قِسْمًا مِنْ بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ، إِلَى أَنْ يُؤْمِنَ الْأُمَمَ بِأَكْمَلِهِمْ. وَهَكَذَا يَخْلُصُ جَمِيعُ بَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ، كَمَا هُوَ مَكْتُوبٌ: "مِنْ صِهْيُونٍ يَأْتِي الْمُنْقَذُ، وَيَرُدُّ الْكُفْرَ عَنْ يَعْقُوبَ؛ وَهَذَا هُوَ عَهْدِي مَعَهُمْ، حِينَ أُزِيلُ خَطَايَاهُمْ". فَهُمْ مِنْ جِهَةِ الْإِنْجِيلِ أَعْدَاءٌ مِنْ أَجْلِكُمْ، أَمَّا مِنْ جِهَةِ اخْتِيَارِ اللَّهِ، فَهُمْ أَحِبَّاءٌ مِنْ أَجْلِ الْآبَاءِ؛ لِأَنَّ اللَّهَ لَا يَتَرَجَّعُ أَبَدًا عَنْ مَوَاهِبِهِ وَدَعْوَتِهِ. فَكَمَا عَصَيْتُمْ اللَّهَ أَنْتُمْ فِي مَا مَضَى، وَرَحِمْتُمْ الْآنَ مِنْ جَرَاءِ عُصْيَانِهِمْ، كَذَلِكَ هُمْ الْآنَ عَصَوْا اللَّهَ مِنْ أَجْلِ رَحْمَتِكُمْ، لِكَيْ يُرَحِّمُوا الْآنَ هُمْ أَيْضًا؛ لِأَنَّ اللَّهَ قَدْ حَبَسَ جَمِيعَ النَّاسِ فِي الْعُصْيَانِ، لِكَيْ يَرْحَمَ الْجَمِيعَ. فَيَا لَعَمْرِي غَنَى اللَّهِ وَحِكْمَتِهِ وَمَعْرِفَتِهِ! مَا أَبْعَدَ أَحْكَامُهُ عَنِ الْإِدْرَاكِ، وَطُرُقُهُ عَنِ الْاسْتِقْصَاءِ! فَمَنْ عَرَفَ فِكْرَ الرَّبِّ؟ أَوْ مَنْ صَارَ لَهُ مُشِيرًا؟ أَوْ مَنْ أَقْرَضَهُ شَيْئًا فَيَرْدُّهُ اللَّهُ إِلَيْهِ؟ لِأَنَّ كُلَّ شَيْءٍ مِنْهُ وَبِهِ وَإِلَيْهِ. لَهُ الْمَجْدُ إِلَى الدُّهُورِ. آمِينَ.

والتسبيح لله دائماً.

## Gospel Reading

### Saint Matthew 28:16-20

#### The Apostle Writes:

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

**This is the truth. Peace be with you.**

#### مِنْ إِنْجِيلِ الْقَدِيسِ مَتَّى

أَمَّا التَّلَامِيذُ الْأَحَدَ عَشَرَ فَذَهَبُوا إِلَى الْجَلِيلِ، إِلَى الْجَبَلِ حَيْثُ أَمَرَهُمْ يَسُوعُ. وَلَمَّا رَأَوْهُ سَجَدُوا لَهُ، بَرَعُمْ أَنَّهُمْ شَكُّوا. فَذَنَا يَسُوعُ وَكَلَّمَهُمْ قَائِلًا: "لَقَدْ أُعْطِيَ كُلُّ سُلْطَانٍ فِي السَّمَاءِ وَعَلَى الْأَرْضِ. إِذْهَبُوا إِذَا فَتَلَمَذُوا كُلَّ الْأُمَمِ، وَعَمِّدُوهُمْ بِاسْمِ الْآبِ وَالْأَبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُسِ، وَعَلِّمُوهُمْ أَنْ يَحْفَظُوا كُلَّ مَا أَوْصَيْتُكُمْ بِهِ. وَهَذَا أَنَا مَعَكُمْ كُلَّ الْأَيَّامِ إِلَى نِهَايَةِ الْعَالَمِ."

**حَقًّا وَالْأَمَانُ لِكُلِّكُمْ.**