



St. Michael the Archangel Maronite Catholic Church

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Sunday Righteous and the Just



Maronite All Saints Day

The Righteous and the Just are all the saints who are in heaven and they are our models. They could be our parents, relatives, and friends. Some saints have been pronounced saints officially by the Church after their death. All in heaven are saints and they can intercede for us.

The Gospel for this Sunday is Matthew 25:31-46. It is the parable of the sheep and the goats. Christian love requires us to see Christ in everyone, no matter who they are. Each of us must find how to live God's love in our own life.

The Gospel is preparing us for Great Lent, drawing our focus on death, judgement, and the final destiny of our soul and of humankind. We need to examine ourselves in this lead up to Great Lent and look for those things causing us to fall short of God's love, so that we can make a genuine change.

A wider dimension to this Gospel is the "Judgement of Nations". As we consider our individual responsibility, we must also consider our collective responsibility to humankind.

Throughout, the Old Testament we see passing of judgment on nations. The world is destroyed by a flood, Israel is rescued from Egypt, God's people are sent to Babylon and brought out.

We are being reminded of our collective responsibility as a Church how we deal with the weak and oppressed. The Church is made up of individuals. Individuals can speak up and insist that the hungry have food, strangers are welcomed and prisoners treated humanly.

The parable should not make us despair about the state of the world. Within our own circles we can make a difference. Our Church congregation should be encouraging one another in doing this, and by working together the blessings are multiplied. What we do in our Parish no matter how small we think it might be, can make a bigger impact than imagined.

CLERGY

Fr. Paul Damien, Pastor
Deacon Chuck VanHeusen
Subdeacon Ronald Foster

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday through Friday
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

LITURGY:

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:30 AM

Weekdays Tues - Fri : 9:00 AM

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Your Parish Council

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****** Sunday of Righteous and Just******

Saturday, February 12 - 5:00 PM: The Donors & Intentions of the Catholic Extension

Sunday, February 13 - 10: 30 AM: The Donors & Intentions of the Catholic Extension

2nd Collection for Soup-er Bowl This Weekend Feb 12th & 13th

We Share: St Michael's on-line giving option at <https://stmichaelsmaronite.weshareonline.org>

Tuesday	Feb. 15	9:00 am	St Faustinus and Jovita	Donny Griswold (Memorial) by the VanHeusen Family
Wednesday	Feb. 16	9:00 am	St Theodore The Recruit	Kim Nguyen (Intentions) by Thanh and Han Vo - Nguyen
Thursday	Feb. 17	9:00 am	St. Agapitus Bishop of Synnada	The Donors & Intentions of the Catholic Extension
Friday	Feb. 18	9:00 am	Pope St. Leo the Great Doctor of the Church	Intentions of Tresa VanHeusen and her mission by Thanh and Han Vo-Nguyen

****** Sunday of Faithful Departed******

Saturday, February 19 - 5:00 PM: The Donors & Intentions of the Catholic Extension

Sunday, February 20 - 10: 30 AM: The Donors & Intentions of the Catholic Extension

When not listed Fr Jack will offer his Masses for The Donors and Intentions of the Catholic Extension

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday of the Righteous & Just
Heb 12; 18-24 / Mt 25: 31-46

Sunday of the Faithful Departed
1Thes 5: 1-11 / Lk 16: 16-31

Sunday of the Entrance to lent /Cana Sunday
Rom 14: 14-23 / Jn 2: 1-11

Healing of the Leper
Rom 6: 12-23 / Mk 1: 35-45



READERS

2/12: Darlene Darling 2/13: Betty Gurney
2/19: Marie VanHeusen 2/20: Annika Nesbitt
2/26: Tom Piner 2/27: Marie Catalana

GIFTS OF THANKSGIVING

Make a donation to offer the Incense, Candles and Wine for one month in memory or to honor of someone.

FEBRUARY GIFT OF THANKSGIVING For Blessings Received

by Darlene Darling

Sunday Collection \$ 2512.00
 Special Donation \$ 2000.00
 Candles / Altar Gifts \$ 31.00
 HVAC Donation \$ 700.00

God Bless You for your support

SUNDAY SOCIAL HOUR HOST SCHEDULE

February 13th Fibronia Kornbluth
 February 20th Marie Catalana
 February 27th AVAILABLE
 March 6th AVAILABLE



There are many open dates in Feb. & March!

CATHOLIC SOCIAL MINISTRIES

St. Michael's has been asked to contribute **jams/jellies and peanut butter (ANY SIZE)** Place donations in the basket next to the confessional.



We Gave ...
90 lbs in January

ADORATION TEMPORARY CHANGE

A request was made to move Adoration. It is now every **Friday**.



9:30am - 6:00pm with Rosary and Benediction at 6:00 pm

Sign up sheets available for at the church entrance!

RELIGIOUS ED / ADULT DISCUSSION GROUP

Wednesdays from 6:30—7:30 PM in the Social Hall.

Deacon Chuck will email the readings for discussion beforehand. 😊

CONFESSION

Confession is offered every Sunday from **9:30am - 10:20am, before the Divine Liturgy.**

*Father asks that you arrive early enough so that the priests are able to reserve ten minutes before Mass to prepare.

VOCATION CHALICE

2/12: Volunteer
 2/13: Dinse Family
 2/19: Volunteer
 2/20:



*Your prayers are needed to encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Consider taking the Vocation Chalice into your home for a week.

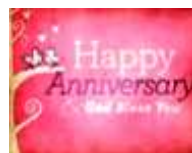
MYO Eparchial Board

Our MYO board is looking to expand. Please consider if you would enjoy working with youth and have some skills that would be a good fit to for our team.

We need people who work well with the youth and social media, as well as those who have graphic design and/or videography and website design skills, and especially people who have a solid spiritual formation and understanding of the Catholic Faith.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Fr. Claude Franklin (50), Sam Ducote, Elizabeth Butcher, Eileen Hicks, Kelly Monsour, Ava Royse, Adrienne Stoeckley, Mary Catherine Blalock, Paul Kuemmerlein, Anna Kate Chapman, Nels Kinnerup, Ace Acevedo, Lucy Stoeckley, Virginia Deason, Jennifer Kenning and Blayne Royse



FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARY

Frank & Marie Catalana



PRAYER CHAIN

Please contact **Lucy Zahran** at church or call the church office to **join the prayer chain** or with **prayer requests.**

BREAKFAST PROGRAM

We support **Operation InAsMuch** helping to serve breakfast to the homeless. Call Ray Miller 580-0396 if interested in serving on **April 5th** or in the future.

The Stations & Adoration of the Cross will be prayed 6:30pm every Friday during Great Lent



We as a parish then gather for a **meager Lenten meal** immediately following in the Social Hall.

There will be a sign-up sheet at the church entrance beginning next weekend for volunteers to bring soup, bread or salads.

All are welcome!



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SAVE THE DATE - St. Michael's Parish Hockey Day
Sunday February 27th (game begins at 3pm)

The St. Michael's Knights of Columbus are hosting a parish family hockey day. The Fayetteville Marksmen will be saluting the military that day. Hopefully you will join us! Ticket info to come soon!



COMING IN 2023

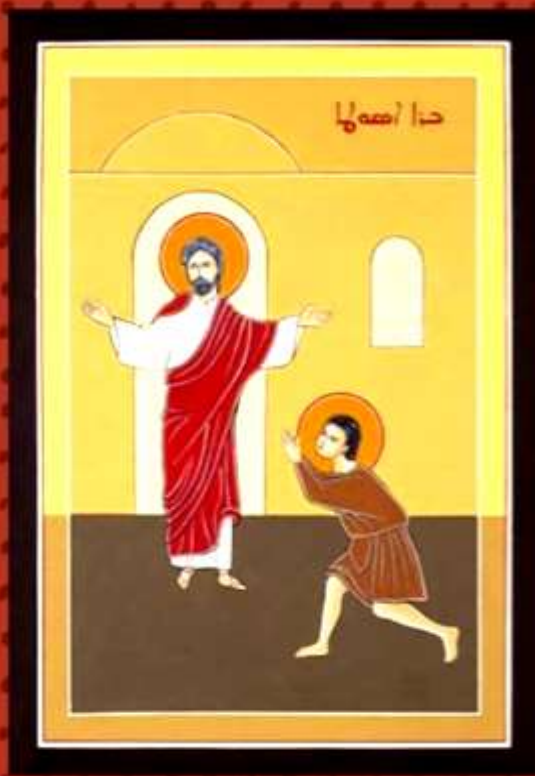
**The 50th Anniversary
of**

**St. Michael the Archangel
Maronite Catholic Church**

Fr. Paul would like to form a committee now to begin planning
the events to celebrate this blessed milestone!

Please contact Fr. Paul at 910-484-1531 if you are interested in
helping in any capacity. One of the things we need now are
pictures from past events showing all that our parish does.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION 2022



GREAT LENT: HEALING AND TRANSFORMATION IN CHRIST

Join the Maronite Sisters and Clergy from our Eparchy of Saint Maron as we reflect and go deeper on applying the message of these powerful Gospels into our lives.

VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS

**FEB. 24: THE SIGNIFICANCE
OF CANA SUNDAY**

MSGR. SEELY BEGGIANI

**MAR. 3: THE HEALING OF
THE LEPER**

FR. RUDY WAKIM

**MAR. 10: THE HEALING OF
THE HEMORRHAGING WOMAN**

DEACON JOE CHEBLI

MAR. 17: THE PRODIGAL SON

FR. VINCE FARHAT

Via Zoom on Thursdays 8:00-9:00PM

[Register Here](#)

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