



St. Michael the Archangel Maronite Catholic Church

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**A Community of
Prayer,
Love and Fellowship.
We Welcome You!**

“The Eastern Churches are the treasures of the Catholic Church” Blessed John XXIII

Divine Liturgy Schedule: Saturday at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Daily Liturgy Schedule: Tuesday through Friday at -9:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: First Tuesday of Month-6:30 p.m. Benediction at 7:00 p.m.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: If you wish to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Church Office.

Mystery of Reconciliation: In order to provide greater availability, the Mystery of Reconciliation is normally celebrated one half hour before Divine Liturgy and by appointment.

Mystery of Crowning: Engaged couples must be registered, active members of the parish. Please make an appointment with the pastor at least six months prior to the requested date of marriage.

Inquiry Sessions: For those interested in finding out more about what it means to be Catholic, or seeking information toward the possibility of becoming members of the Catholic Church, please call the Church Office for more information.

Hospital Calls – If someone is in the hospital, please call the Church Office to inform Father Sam.

Parish Trustees: Chairperson – Lynn Vaughan, Deputy – Chuck Van Heusen
Members: Eileen Hicks, Thomas McLamb, Dr. John Handley, and Mary Joan Fredette.
Knights of Columbus: John Handley – 864-6548
Youth Advisors: Thomas McLamb, and Marie VanHeusen **Altar Guild:** Betty Morgan
Sacristan: Ray Miller

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK SEASON OF GLORIOUS PENTECOST AUGUST 11 – 12, 2012

TWELFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

Reading: Eph 3:1 – 13; MT 15:21 – 28; Liturgy begins on page 27.

Sat. Aug. 11 5:00 p.m. +Howard Maxwell by Shirley Maxwell.
Sun. Aug. 12 10:30 a.m. +Samuel Zahran – 40 Day Mass by the Family.
Mon. Aug. 13 NO LITURGY
Tue. Aug. 14 9:00 a.m. For Vocations.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2012

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION – HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

12 Noon Parish Family & Faithful Departed.
6:30 p.m. Parish Family & Faithful Departed.

NO LITURGIES REMAINDER OF WEEK

AUGUST 18 – 19 2012

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (LATIN RITE)

Sat. Aug. 18 5:00 p.m. +MSgt Gary Chancellor by Chris Cooper.
Sun. Aug 19 10:30 a.m. +Joseph Zahran by Lorraine Petersen.

Tithes & Offerings	\$1,707.01
Fuel	5.00
Candles and Devotions	<u>56.00</u>
	\$1,768.01

Building Fund (Restricted)	\$80.00
God Bless You for Your Support	

FINANCIAL REPORT – JULY 2012

Income (Collection & Donation)	\$7,499.61
Expenses	<u>8,369.74</u>
Net Overage	(-\$870.13)

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND BREAD AND WINE – AUGUST are available.

VOCATIONS CHALICE

	Saturday		Sunday
Aug. 11	MJ & Warren	Aug. 12	Nels & Kim Kinnerup
Aug. 18	Darlene Darling	Aug. 19	The Campaniles
Aug. 25	Mary Rorke	Aug. 26	TBA

LECTORS

	Saturday		Sunday
Aug. 11	Ed Baez	Aug. 12	Stephen Kenny
Aug. 18	Rick Criste	Aug. 19	Ron Foster
Aug. 25	John Handley	Aug. 26	Marie VanHeusen

DINNER/PARTY: There will not be a Hafli this year. In its place there will be a Lebanese Dinner/Party in the Parish Hall. More information and details will be posted soon. Continue to keep Saturday, 13 October 2012, open.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE AT HOME AND IN HOSPITALS: Jimmy Monsour, Ana Damian, Shirley Maxwell, Seminarian Philip Johnson, Bishop Gossman, Bishop Stephen Doueihy, Rita Guzinski, Linda Lewis, Fr. Greg Goolsby, Chris Kluck, Mel & Rose, Melody Butler Lindsey, Karen Trainor, Ingrid Handley, Lorraine Petersen, Hector Bastista, Steve Berti, Riqui Alonso, and Carolyn Dorroll. Those requesting special prayers may contact Grace Jenkins at 323 – 0787

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: On Summer Vacation.

LOVE LUNCH: First Wednesday at the Salvation Army on Alexander Street.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING: First Sunday at 12 Noon.

USHERS & GREETERS – AUGUST: Wanda & Ron Foster.

REFRESHMENTS – AUGUST: Ed Baez.

BIRTHDAYS – AUGUST: Jeffrey Palmer, Nicole Jenkins, Gloria Palmer, Grace Jenkins, Wanda Foster, Kerri Palmer, Debi Chase, John Lewis, and Francis Younger.

ANNIVERSARIES – AUGUST: Bill and Betty Morgan.

IN MEMORIAM – AUGUST: Ford Delph, William Kadelac, Rose Bsbeer, Howard Maxwell, and Louise Zahran.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS WHO ARE DEPLOYED:

John Howe, Chris Dean Kropik, Peter Shamatta and Chaplain Tim Meier.

PRAYER FOR THOSE SERVING: Heavenly Father, grant a courageous heart, a quick mind and a serene spirit to those serving throughout the world, ready to offer their talents if necessary their lives, for the cause of truth, justice, and liberty. Make them always, even in these difficult circumstances, true witnesses to Your goodness, love, and compassion and finally, bring them safely back to their homes and families. Amen.

PRAY FOR OUR SEMNARIANS AND VOCATIONS: Ian VanHeusen in Philadelphia; Imad Chiti & Vincent Talamas in Washington, DC; Charbel Ashkar in Lebanon; and Alex Joseph in Cromwell, CT. Subdeacon Gabriel Gubash, Fadi Bazzuzi, and George El-Hajj in DC.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL MINISTRIES:

St. Michael's has been asked to contribute 32 oz. jars of jams or jellies and sample size personal toiletry items. Please place your items in the basket located at the entrance to the Church. Month of July 52 lbs.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS – AUGUST: That young people, called follow Christ, may be willing to proclaim and bear witness to the Gospel to the ends of the earth.

PRAYER CHAIN: Contact for the prayer chain is Grace Jenkins at 910-323-0787.

COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST:

Wednesday, August 15 – Feast of the Assumption.

Building Fund & Fuel any time during month.

NOTICE: Items in the refrigerator and freezer are NOT community property. So please refrain from removing them. You are welcome to purchase drinks if you wish.

DATES TO REMEMBER

15	August	Feast of the Assumption (Holy Day of Obligation)
27 – 29	August	Fr. Sam in Raleigh for Catholicism Seminar
1	September	Yard Sale
13	October	Parish Lebanese Dinner/Party
23 – 26	October	Fr. Sam in New York for
2 – 4	November	MYA Workshop in Washington, DC
10	November	Ordination to Sub-Deacon of Ron Foster
22	November	Thanksgiving Day
25	December	Christmas Day

PASTOR'S CORNER

I will be taking some time off. In my absence on Saturday, 18 August, Fr. Micheas Langston will be the celebrant. You all know him. On Sunday, 19 August, Fr. David Noone, who is new to the area, will be your celebrant. Fr. Noone is from the Diocese of Albany, NY, and recently retired to Fayetteville. He served as pastor of St. Frances de Sales/Christ Our Light Parish in Albany for 27 years. His other assignment have included campus ministry at the University of Notre Dame, IN., and hospital chaplaincies. This will be his first opportunity to worship with a Maronite Community. His Mass however will be the Latin Rite. I'm sure you will welcome him and Fr. Micheas in the true Maronite Fashion. A special thanks to them for being available.

A Very Special Congratulations to ANNIKA – MARIE NESBITT who is making her First Communion the Sunday, 12 August 2012, at the 10:30 a.m.

Have A Blessed Week,



“The Church (like so many other things in life) is not so much something we inherit from generations past or take over from our predecessors as it is something on loan to us from future generations” (Matthew Kelly)
