



St. Michael the Archangel Maronite Catholic Church

806 Arsenal Avenue .Fayetteville, NC 28305
Office: 910 - 484 - 1531



Email: stmikeoffice@gmail.com website: stmichaelsmaronite.net July 7, 2024

8TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - Feast of the Masabki Brothers



FORGIVE OTHERS AS CHRIST HAS FORGIVEN US

Nothing is clearer in the Gospel than our call to forgive life's hurts, and yet nothing can be more difficult than acting on this command of Jesus. Many Christians do not even try because the forgiveness of some hurts seem impossible. Yet all of us know of Jesus' inspiring examples of forgiveness: forgiving His disciples who betrayed, denied, and abandoned Him in His hour of greatest need; forgiving His executioners from the cross. Pride and a hardened heart are common obstacles to entering into the forgiveness process. Three Practical Suggestions to Get Forgiveness Started:

CLERGY

Fr. Paul Damien,
Pastor

Fr. Jack Morrison
(retired)

PARISH OFFICE

HOURS:

Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday

10:00 AM to 2:00
PM

LITURGY / MASS :

Tues - Fri: 9:00 am

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 10:30 AM

Office Email:
stmikeoffice@gmail.com

Facebook:
Saint Michael the
Archangel Maro-
nite Catholic
Church

1. PRAYER FOR THE DESIRE TO FORGIVE When someone has hurt us deeply, we may have little or no desire to forgive them. On the contrary, we only have a desire to get even or have nothing to do with them. Once when I was in that situation, I started to say the following prayer: Jesus, you know how much I despise N_____ and how I have absolutely no desire to forgive him/her. In fact, my only desire is to get even with him/her. Yet I also know that continuing to rage against this person is no good for my body, mind, or spirit and is certainly contrary to Your word, which calls us to forgive life's hurts. So I humbly ask You to do for me what I cannot do for myself. Place in my heart a desire to forgive this person for the sake of my own well-being and for the sake of my relationship with You.

2. PRAYER OF REPENTANCE When a hurt occurs, it is rare that we are totally free of all wrongdoing. We may be guilty of talking about our offender in an un-Christian way. This step in the forgiveness process is very important because it calls us to stop focusing on the sin of our offender and to start owning our own sin. A helpful prayer at this stage may be the following: Jesus, as You know, I have no problem focusing on the wrong N_____ has done to me, but I am reluctant to admit the wrong I may have done before, during, or after this hurt occurred. Please help me to have the courage to name my wrongdoing, and please forgive me for my sins in this relationship.

(continued on page 3)

The Blessed Masabki Brothers will be canonized in Rome on October 20,204

Our Eparchy is organizing a pilgrimage / tour to Rome for this great event.

More info to come later.

“ 8th Sunday of Pentecost”

Saturday, July 6- 5:00 PM: Healing mass for family members & friends by MJ & Warren Hahn

Sunday, July 7- 10:30 AM: All souls in Purgatory By Thanh & Han Vo Nguyen

Tuesday	Jul 9	9:00 am	St. Pancras, M	
Wednesday	Jul 10	9:00 am	The Three Blessed Massabki Martyrs, M	Kim Ngan Nguyen’s intentions By Thanh & Han Vo Nguyen
Thursday	Jul 11	9:00 am	St. Benedict, Abbot, C	For Thanh & Han Vo intentions By Thanh & Han Vo Nguyen
FRIDAY	Jul 12	9:00 am	Sts. Rufina and Secunda, M St. Susanna of Rome,	

“9th Sunday of Pentecost”

Saturday July 6- 5:00 PM: Rhonda’s & Anh Hien’s birthday By Thanh & Han Vo Nguyen


Sunday July 7- 10:30 AM: - Queenie Jabbour (Birthday remembrance) by family (Fr.Paul)
- For Thanh & Han Vo Nguyen family by Thanh & Han (Fr. Jack)

READERS

7/6	Kimberly Phelan	7/7	Marie Catalana
7/13	Rick Criste	7/14	Ray Miller
7/20	Kathy Criminger	7/21	Wayne Nesbitt
7/27	MJ Hahn	7/28	Annika Nesbitt

To be listed as Reader, please
text Kim Phelan @ 352-317-8529
or email :consecrated2021@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Sign up today, at the church entrance for a Holy Hour!

**Every Thursday
9:30 am - 2:00pm
Rosary for Peace
@ 9:30 am**

CATHOLIC SOCIAL MINISTRIES

Place your donation of Peanut butter & jelly in the basket next to the Confessional.


**May Donations :
225 lbs.**

SCRIPTURE

8th Sunday of Pentecost
Rom 8:1-11/Mt 12:14-21

9th Sunday of Pentecost
2 Cor 5:20-6:10/Lk 4:14-21

Celebration of St. Sharbel, C
Rom 8:28-39/Mt 13:36-43



GIFTS OF THANKSGIVING

Offer the Incense, Candles and Wine for one month in memory/honor of someone for a \$25 donation.

July 2024
In remembrance of
Phillip Montaldo
By Emma Montaldo

NEW!



THANK YOU

Collection : (June 30)	\$ 1867.00
Candles	\$ 72.00
2nd collection (Peter's Pence)	\$ 315.00



UPCOMING EVENTS *Mark Your Calendars*

Date changed	YARD SALE
July 29th - August 2 9:00 am - 2:00 pm	VBS-Vacation Bible School

The Cumberland County *Department of Social Services* is seeking your help in purchasing book bags and school supplies (gift cards allowed) for the children in Foster Care (400 children).



Please drop your donation in the church hall before August 1st. May almighty God bless you and reward you a hundred folds.

ONLINE GIVING



PRAYER CHAIN



Please contact Lucy Zahran to **join the prayer chain** or with prayer requests

CCD updates

Religious Education classes will resume on August 28th . Look for registration forms during Vacation Bible School.

VOCATION CHALICE

- 7/6: Volunteer
- 7/7: Kimberly Phelan
- 7/13: Volunteer
- 7/14: Chris Cooper



If your family would like to volunteer to pray for Vocations to Religious Life , please text or email **Kimberly P. @ (352)317-8529 or consecrat-ed2021@gmail.com**

FROM THE LADIES GUILD



The Yard Sale will take place at a future date. We are hoping that next time, we will be having more volunteers and donations to be able to have a fruitful event that can bring better financial support for our church . The summer timing was not in favor of getting volunteers and much needed donated items.

(continued from page 1)

3. PRAYER FOR THE OFFENDER I have personally found that the decision to pray for the offender can be very helpful in the forgiveness process. It is always helpful to keep in mind that people hurt us or fail us not because they are evil monsters, but because they, like us, are imperfect, wounded, and sinful people. Just as we often need God's mercy and the mercy of others, we need to be ready, with God's grace, to share His mercy with others. A helpful prayer at this time may be the following: Lord, You created N _____ wonderfully, just as You created me. You love this person just as You love me — with all my faults and weaknesses. You know I don't love this person very much at this time, but You do. Share with me Your love for him/her. Also, God, I ask You to bless this scoundrel. Sometimes I, too, am a scoundrel and in need of Your blessing. If we fervently say these prayers over and over, we will most likely discover that God is creating a new heart in us, a heart that is growing in its capacity to forgive.

May we forgive each other as HE has forgiven us

GRILLED GINGER VIETNAMESE RESTAURANT

5052 Yadkin Rd
Fayetteville, NNC 28303

(910)867-2227 - (910) 867-6226



www.grilledginger.com



Mon-Sat: 11:00am-8:00pm
Closed Wednesday & Sunday

The Barbeque Hut

"Quality Food at Family Prices"



2965 Owen Drive • (910) 484-1975
2802 Fl. Bragg Road • (910) 485-5390
www.thebarbequehut.com

Owned & Operated By: Alfred & Julie Barefoot
Call Us With Your Catering Needs!



*Congratulations to St. Michael Archangel
Ladies Guild, established in 2013,
celebrating 11 years of service. Committed
to "promoting the work of the Church &
building a spiritual community of faith
within the Parish."* AD BY: **MJ**

Warren Hahn

Cape Fear Soap Box Derby



P: 910.835.5071

E: capefear@soapboxderby.org
www.capefear.soapboxderby.org

An Official Licensed Partner of
the International
Soap Box Derby®

Craig Jones
Auto-Homeowners-Renters-Commercial
Carolina Planning Insurance
910-425-0097

1840 Owen Dr. Ste 104
Fayetteville, NC 28304
Fax: 910-425-4181

Tire Sales & Service

Jimmy Crumpler
Owner

400 Person Street
Fayetteville, N.C. 28301
Phone: (910) 485-8881
Fax: (910) 485-1401



Yokohama
Tires

Bridgestone
Tires

Firestone
Tires

"The Closer You Look, The Better We Look"



114 Westwood Shopping Ctr.
Fayetteville, NC 28314
heritagejewelersfnc@gmail.com
heritagejewelersfnc.com

Est. 1974



Kenneth P. Berti
President
910-867-5935
Steve & Rose Berti

Matheson Consulting

www.faybest.com

Don C. Matheson
President & CEO

don@faybest.com

(910) 484-7946

SUPERIOR BAKERY

2433 Hope Mills Road
Fayetteville, NC 28304

910-424-4242

Fax 910-423-7976

nick@superiorbakerync.com

Nick J. Poulos - Owner



TOP OF THE LINE AUTO SALES

Bottom Line Prices
BUY * SELL * TRADE



1326 Robeson St.
Fayetteville, NC

Wayne Bradley
cell: 910.850.6748

Wk: 910.826.2277
Fax: 910.826.2278

web: TopofTheLineAutoSales.com