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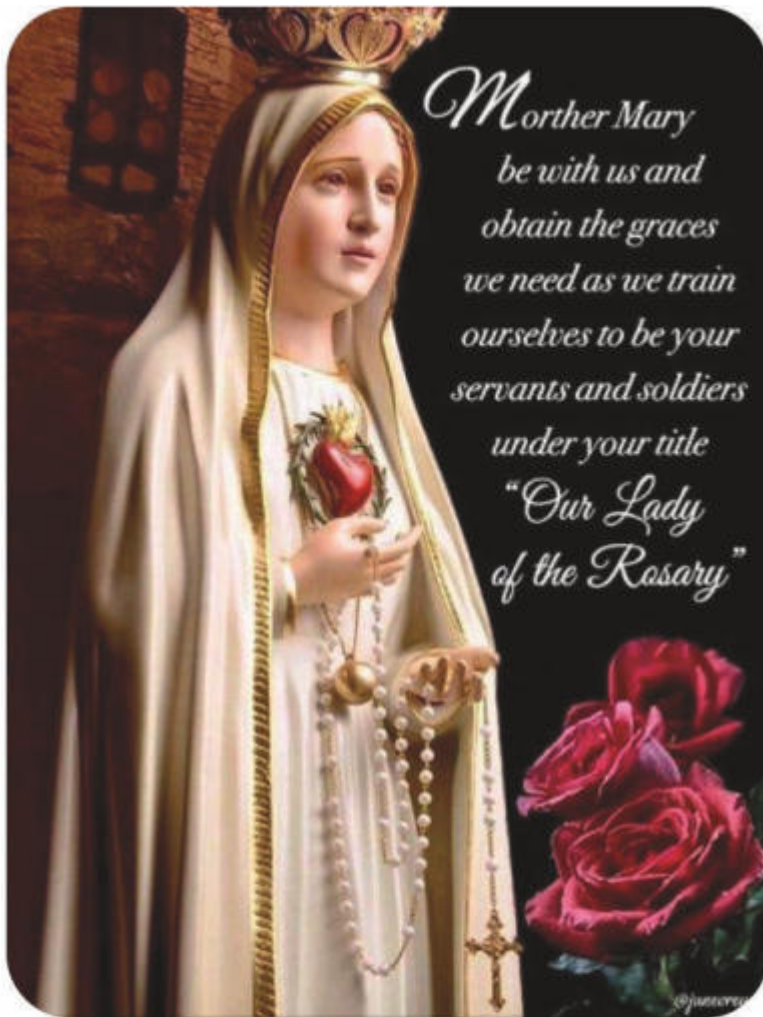
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SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS

OCTOBER 24, 2021

READING Galatians 6:1-10 GOSPEL Matthew 25:14-30



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CHORBISHOP ALFRED BADAWI

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MICHAEL MAGYAR

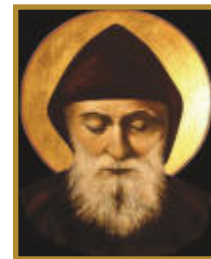
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DIVINE LITURGY

SATURDAY: 4:00 PM

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

ROSARY

30 MINUTES BEFORE

SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

1st Saturday: 3:30 PM

FAMILY OF SAINT SHARBEL
HEALING MASS & BENEDICTION

22nd Day of Every Month

7:00 PM (Fall/Winter)

SAINT SHARBEL MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22ND

- 7:00 PM— The Family of Walid Azawee Mass of Thanksgiving, by Family
- 7:00 PM— The Family of Zade Jamil Mass of Thanksgiving, by Family
- 7:00 PM— Blake Hamamah Special Intentions, by Grandmother, Nidal
- 7:00 PM— Najman Abro Special Intentions for Healing, by Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

- 4:00 PM— Bob & Mary Niemic 50 Year Wedding Anniversary, by Cousin, Rosie Moffett
- 4:00 PM— Cecilia John 97th Birthday, by Family
- 4:00 PM— Dee Boulus, by Linda Thomas
- 4:00 PM— Backus Michael Habib Birthday Remembrance, by Daughter and Son-In-Law, Mary & Bob Niemic
- 4:00 PM— Matty Moroun, by Sister, Anne Moroun
- 4:00 PM— Nadia Tannous, by Daniel and Salwa Thomas
- 4:00 PM— Mona Badawi, by Bob and Anne Marie Fares
- 4:00 PM— Judith Deeby, by Georgia Andary

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

- 9:30 AM— Vivian Joseph Simon Memorial Mass, by the Joseph Family
- 9:30 AM— Russell and Nancy Ward Remembrance, by Daughter & Son-In-Law, Pat & George Helou
- 9:30 AM— Sande Ward 1 Year Remembrance, by Pat and George Helou
- 9:30 AM— George J. Sassin, by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Campbell
- 9:30 AM— Penny Sam 10 Year Remembrance, by Husband, George Sam
- 9:30 AM— Janet (Peters) Roberts 11 Year Remembrance, by Mickey & Julie Thomas
- 9:30 AM— Charles Kassab 26 Year Remembrance, by Mickey & Julie Thomas
- 9:30 AM— Sam Nahas 50 Year Remembrance, by Family
- 9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Leonard Thomas and Joyce Neumaier

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

- 11:30 AM— Sandy Thomas Special Intentions, by Family
- 11:30 AM— Michel and Fadia Nahed and Living and Deceased Family Members, by Pastor
- 11:30 AM— Antoine (Tony) Sayegh, by Wife, Jane and Daughter and Son-In-Law, Janelle & Shawn
- 11:30 AM— Sabah Hanna, by Family
- 11:30 AM— Dr. Anis Georges Chalhoub, by Parishioners
- 11:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Nawal Karromi
- 11:30 AM— Therese Sfeir, by Nazira Yasso
- 11:30 AM— Anthony Abraham, by the Shaker Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

- 1:00 PM— Baptism Sarah Renee Namuk

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

- 9:30 AM— Owen Petrzelka, by Family
- 9:30 AM— Michael and Catherine Joseph, by Mary Medley
- 9:30 AM— Joe Deeby and Judy Deeby, by Sister, Donna Deeby
- 9:30 AM— Mona Badawi, by Raif and Hanan Harik

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

NO LITURGY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

NO LITURGY

READERS

READERS FOR:

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23
4:00 PM - Janet Peters

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24
9:30 AM - Pat Helou

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24
11:30 AM - Lena Haidar
George Fares

READERS FOR:

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30
4:00 PM - Julie Hakim

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31
9:30 AM - Lilian Aiman Afram

READERS FOR:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31
11:30 AM - Rita Yammine
Sue Malkoun

THANK YOU!

WEEKLY COLLECTION

October 16 & 17, 2021

Envelopes: \$5,397.00

Online: \$900.00

Total Collection: \$6,297.00

Thank you and God bless you for your kind generosity!



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30TH

- 4:00 PM— **Mary Hakim Grandmason 40 Day Remembrance**, by Family
- 4:00 PM— **Timothy Lutfy 7 Year Remembrance**, by Mother, Mary and Allan Brazier
- 4:00 PM— **Matty Moroun**, by Sister, Anne Moroun
- 4:00 PM— **Mona Badawi**, by Toufic and Jeanette Soyad



SANCTUARY CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER BURNS FOR:

In Loving Memory of
Al & Kay Latouf
by Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

- 9:30 AM— **Michael Joseph**, by Mary Medley
- 9:30 AM— **Deceased Members of the Crispin, Shaker and Abraham Families**, by Joe & Terry Shaker
- 9:30 AM— **Mona Badawi**, by Sam & Kathy Taormina
- 9:30 AM— **George J. Sassin**, by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Campbell

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

- 11:30 AM— **Sandy Thomas Special Intentions**, by Family
- 11:30 AM— **The Yammine and Maakaroun Families**, by May Maakaroun and Family
- 11:30 AM— **Naseem Makhoul Elnashar 40 Day Remembrance**, by Son and Daughter-In-Law, Claude and Henriette Elnashar and Family
- 11:30 AM— **Sabah Hanna**, by Family
- 11:30 AM— **Mona Badawi**, by Raif and Hanan Harik
- 11:30 AM— **Therese Sfeir**, by Raif and Hanan Harik

BREAD AND WINE

FOR THE YEAR 2021 - 2022

Living and Deceased Members of the
Michel and Fadia Nahed Family

CHAPEL CANDLE

FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER BURNS FOR:

In Loving Memory of
Al & Kay Latouf
by Family

INCENSE AND CHARCOAL

FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

In Loving Memory of
George & Henriette Chalhoub
by Family

HOLY DAY MASSES

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST
ALL SAINTS DAY
Masses at 9:30 AM and 7:00 PM

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND
ALL SOULS DAY
Masses at 9:30 AM and 7:00 PM

*Please feel free to bring a picture of
your deceased loved ones
for display during the Mass.

**PLEASE make sure to take it
back home with you after Mass.





Dear Friend of St. Sharbel,

I pray that you and your loved ones are doing well and are staying safe during these trying times.

As the country, and indeed the entire world, continues to deal with the global health and economic crises caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, and as the needs of those both inside and outside of our parish community continue to grow, #GivingTuesday 2021, a day of global giving, will be celebrated this upcoming November 30th. **#Giving Tuesday is the single largest giving movement in the world – centered around the ideals of generosity and collective action.**

The purpose of #GivingTuesday is to inspire each of us to take action to benefit our communities and humanity, and we are able to do so as a Parish community with our various outreach ministries and programs, many of which are funded through your support of #GivingTuesday. For instance, since the Port Beirut explosion August 4, 2020, St. Sharbel Church has been supporting Caritas Lebanon, the Lebanese Red Cross, fire fighters and first responders, orphanages, private schools and needy families in Lebanon. In addition, since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, past #GivingTuesday support has been used to provide monetary stipends and gift cards to many families in need throughout our community.

I ask for your support in this year's #Giving Tuesday efforts. Please prayerfully consider making a donation of any size, large or small, to St. Sharbel Church between now and this special day of November 30th, #Giving Tuesday 2021.

For donations by credit card, please call the office at 586-630-0002 anytime on or before November 30th, or you may use the online donation link that will be provided in the upcoming weekly bulletin emails. More information on how to participate will be forthcoming in the coming days.

Thank you to all who have supported and continue to support our multiple outreach efforts thus far. Your continued support is greatly appreciated, and I hope and pray your circumstances will allow you to thoughtfully consider generously giving to St. Sharbel for this year's #GivingTuesday appeal, so that the community of St. Sharbel may continue our many outreach missions, ministries and programs.

Please be assured of my continued prayers and my gratitude. Thank you and may God and St. Sharbel continue to watch over and bless you and your loved ones!

Gratefully, Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Chorbishop Alfred Badawi, Pastor

Rosemary Kautz, Co-Cair

Allan Brazier, Co-Chair

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

- Oct 22 Healing Mass of Saint Sharbel 7:00 PM
- Oct 24 Sunday Mass Live Stream 11:30 AM
- Oct 24 LAS Meeting 10:30 AM
- Oct 26 Bible Study 7 PM
- Oct 30 Trunk or Treat 6:30 PM
- Nov 1-22 LAS Sponsored Thanksgiving Food Drive
- Nov 1 All Saints Day Masses 9:30 AM & 7 PM
- Nov 2 All Souls Day Masses 9:30 AM & 7 PM
- Nov 30 Giving Tuesday
- Dec 4 Christmas Retreat w/ Deacon John & Bobbi Sfire
- Dec 11 Christmas Recital 7 PM Church
- Dec 18 Christmas Play at Both Masses
- Dec 31 New Year's Eve Family Night

PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Friends,
A word from Pope Francis ~

“The abandonment and sufferings of the Servant of the Lord, even unto death, prove so fruitful that they bring redemption and salvation to many.”

This weekend we celebrate the 6th Sunday in the Season of the Holy Cross. The Scripture readings of the Season of the Holy Cross turn our focus upon our ultimate destiny with God. It is time to focus on the truly important things. May we do so as best as we can.

And as we near the end of this month of October, the beauty of autumn is in full bloom and will quickly fade and give way to winter! On Saturday, October 30th, we will celebrate with our children here at St. Sharbel Church our annual Trunk or Treat event.

IN APPRECIATION...

As we approach the month of November, we will be mindful of giving thanks to God for all of our blessings. On the weekend of November 6th & 7th, we will gather together at each of our weekend Masses with appreciation and gratitude for all of the many gifts God pours over us each day.

YOU ARE INVITED NOVEMBER 6TH & 7TH

I wish to extend an invitation, along with Deacon Mike, to all of our parishioners to join us after each of the Masses on Saturday, November 6th and Sunday, November 7th to break bread together in our Parish Hall. We wish to acknowledge and thank you for all of the times you offer a portion of your time, talent and treasure in Stewardship to St. Sharbel Church. We thank each of you for sharing your gifts with St. Sharbel Community as a grateful return to the Lord for all of His abundant blessings.

#GIVING TUESDAY

NOVEMBER 30, 2021

With the month of November and thoughts of giving thanks and assisting others with our treasure, I encourage you to take time to read the letter on Page 4 of this bulletin.

Giving Tuesday provides us with an opportunity to respond to God's abundant gifts to us through the sharing of our time, talents, and treasure.

Please join us in praying the following prayer together in preparation for the upcoming Giving Tuesday Campaign.

A PRAYER FOR GENEROSITY

Lord, I want to be a more generous person.

I am sorry for the times I was blinded by what I wanted and failed to be grateful for the abundant blessings you had already poured into my lap. Please show me how to be a more grateful and generous person. Help me to see how my gifts can make a difference in my parish and my community. Let me use my financial blessings in a way that is sacred and holy. Give me the strength to turn away from the temptation of too many material possessions. May I share the gifts you entrusted to me in exactly the way you had hoped I would. And may I know the deep joy that comes from holy and sacrificial giving. Amen.

Let us continue to pray the powerful prayers of the Holy Rosary in defense of life. St. Joseph, defender of life, pray for us! Faithfully yours in Christ,

Chorbishop Alfred, Pastor

CONGRATULATIONS!

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION

Congratulations to
Michael Chiesa and Gloria Soyad
on the Baptism of their Son,
Leo Pierre Michael Chiesa
at St. Sharbel Church
on Sunday, October 17, 2021
by Chorbishop Alfred Badawi.

*May Leo be steadfast in his faith
and grow constantly in the Lord!*

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to
Bob and Mary Niemic
as they celebrate their
50th Wedding Anniversary!

Congratulations to
Charbel and Rana Habib
as they celebrate their
10th Wedding Anniversary!

Congratulations to
Souhail and Marian Habchi
as they celebrate their
8th Wedding Anniversary!

*May our Lord bless these couples as they
continue to provide witness to the love of God
by their commitment to each other and their family!*

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Congratulations and
Happy Birthday Blessings to
Cecilia John
as she celebrates her
97th Birthday!

*May God bless you with good health
and happiness and abundant graces!*



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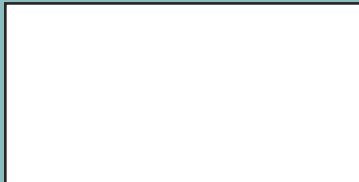
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