

#### Maronite Catholic Church

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November 2, 2025

#### Consecration of the Church





Mass Intentions
Sunday, November 2

Click Here
For Mass Requests

#### 9:30 AM

Elie Nijm (Yanaki Family)

Joseph Yaghi & Marie Antoinette El Haibe (Robert & Rima Antoon) Rihan, Assia, Zaya Gabriel Brakhia, Albert, Josephine, John Desalvo (Juliette Desalvo) Friends for our loved ones in Heaven & on Earth (Salem Family)

11:30 AM

Elie Nijm (Yanaki Family) Elia Antoun (Gharib Family)

Aziz Abdulkarim (Saade Family) Special Intention Miriam Decayser



Mass Intentions Sunday, November 9

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9:30 AM

Deceased of Shaker & Abraham Families (Joe & Terry Shaker)

11:30 AM

Fr Dr William Nijm, Joseph Dacloush & Nazmieh Joubran (Nijm Family)



Join Us in Celebrating

# Independence & Thanksgiving as One Community

### Saturday November 22 @ 6pm

\$25 Per person \$10 per child (Childcare provided)

Enjoy a delicious Thanksgiving dinner with live music by Pamela, Michel, Naji, Wissam & Joseph



# MARONITE YOUNG ADULT MEETING GOD on the Mountain

# BIBLE STUDY SERIES

A Journey through scripture to explore the mountain moments of the bible

## THURSDAYS AT 7 PM

"COME, LET US GO UP TO THE MOUNTAIN OF THE LORD" - **Isaiah 2:3** 



# CHILDREN CHOIR & KIDS CLUB

Friday November 7 at 6:30pm



#### **MRE Corner**



#### A Special Visit from Our Bishop

Our school was honored to welcome Bishop Elias Zaidan this week as he visited our classrooms to spend time with the students and teachers.

The Bishop blessed the students and classrooms, offering special prayers for our school community. It was a truly inspiring day that reminded us all that we are part of a larger Church family united in Christ. We thank Bishop Zaidan for his visit and for sharing his time, wisdom, and blessings with us!

# Welcome to Our Lady of Lebanon Church Etiquette

#### **Before Mass**

- Arrive on time.
- Find your seat QUIETLY.
- Dress modestly and appropriately.
- Silence your phone or any electronic devices.

#### **During Mass**

- Be attentive & actively participate in the prayers.
- Refrain from unnecessary talking or moving around.
- Set clear expectations for kids, help them get engaged, manage disruptions & do not leave them unattended.
- Avoid eating, drinking, or chewing gum.
- Avoid checking messages or using your device.

#### **After Mass**

- Exit calmly and respectfully.
- Leave your area clean and free of trash.
- Greet one another warmly.
- Refrain from political discussions or campaigning on church grounds.

Let us worship God with reverence and awe



LEBANON IS PROUD OF YOU BE PROUD OF YOUR ROOTS

The Maronite Foundation
Proudly Presents

THE MARONITE ACADEMY
INITIATIVE, 9TH ANNUAL SESSION

In honor of the late MICHEL ABI NADER Executive Board Member of the Maronite Foundation

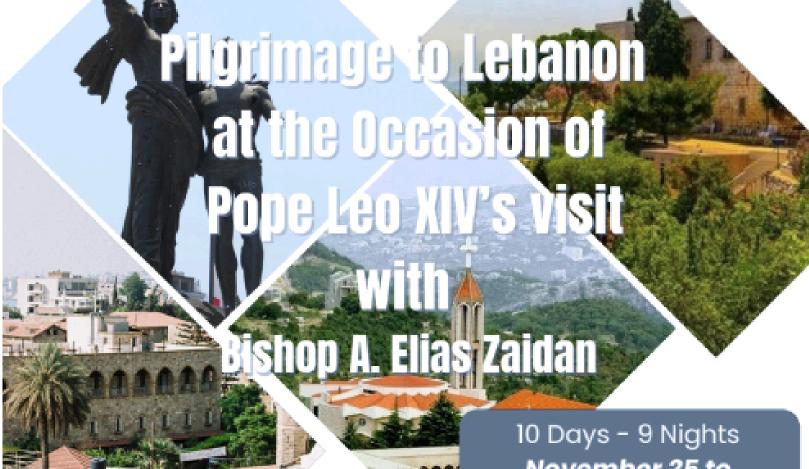
Hosted by the Maronite Foundation in the World and in collaboration with the Holy Spirit University of Kaslik (USEK) Are you of Lebanese descent, living abroad and aged between 20 and 30?

# REGISTER ONLINE NOW

maronitefoundation,org/MaroniteAcademy

to win a trip to Lebanon from August 8 to 23, 2026

\*Candidates must be fluent in English



#### REQUIREMENTS

- \$1,000 Deposit Required Per Person or registration/space cannot be guaranteed
- Departure from the U.S. on November 25 to arrive in Lebanon by November 26
- Full Pilgrimage amount due by November 1, 2025

#### TO RESERVE

Call: Ivette Jackson: 323-336-3168

Jamileh Koury: 818-626-9193

Email: info@eparchy.org

10 Days - 9 Nights

November 25 to

December 5, 2025

Package includes:

- · Stay at 4 Star Hotels
- · All Meals and Tips
- Visits to important sites
- · English Speaking Guide
- Transportation between sites
- Entrance Fees

\$1,600

FOR DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
PER PERSON

\$2,200

FOR SINGLE OCCUPANCY PER PERSON

Flights to/from the United States to Lebanon Round Trip need to be booked separately.

#### Lebanese Upcoming Election 2026

#### **REGISTER TO VOTE**

The Lebanese government has opened registration for Lebanese citizens abroad to vote in the 2026 parliamentary elections.

Registration is available until November 20, 2025. All Lebanese expatriates are encouraged to register and participate in shaping Lebanon's future.



Register online at: <a href="https://diasporavote.mfa.gov.lb/">https://diasporavote.mfa.gov.lb/</a>



#### Readers and Ushers

Mass 9:30 am

Readers

Cheryl Blum

**Ushers** 

Nabil Zahra Francis Kermend Joe Kermend



Mass 11:30 am

Readers

Subdeacon

Ushers

Ed Kneip Elie Masud John Albani

## Let Us Remember our Beloved Ones who died during the month of November

Jackie Shaker
Fred Gilaty
Bernice Simon
Bernice Karsa
Joseph Basil
Sarah Bolis
Helen Dandan

John Desalvo
Linda T. Fischer
George Gage
Regina Gage
Richard Gorra, Jr.
Saleme Gossan
William Halowi

George Hanna
Anton Ibrahim
Joanne Ibrahim
Herbert Jage
Theodore W. Jage
Loucine Kassis
Nasafe Kassis

Farida Khattar Robert D. Kooiker Pierre Mounsef Thomas A. Neely Samir Rizkallah Selma Jage Vokal Joseph Windsor

#### **Weekly Collection**

October 26, 2025: \$3,474

May GOD accept your generous donations and sacrifices

Donate online: <u>www.ollchicago.org</u>
Or mail your check to <u>Our Lady of Lebanon</u>



#### **MYO**

#### (Maronite Youth Organization)

Meetings on Sundays - MRE.
For more information please contact
Gisele Mulcahey or Rosy Sleiman

#### **MYA**

(Maronite Youth Adults)

Meetings on Thursdays.

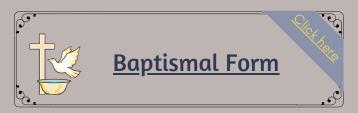
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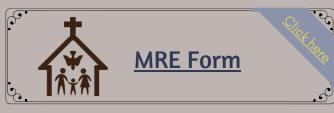
**Mary Mulcahey** 

#### Church Forms











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