

Our Lady of Lebanon

Maronite Catholic Church

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Feast Of Our Lady Of Lebanon April 26, 2020



Facebook Prayer Broadcasts

We continue to pray with you through our Facebook page:
https://www.facebook.com/groups/OLLChicago/
(Visit our website ollchicago.org for more liturgical resources):

Monday – Saturday at 7 pm Sunday Mass at 11 am

We pray for your health and well-being, And look forward to pray together.

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Mass intentions of Sunday for May 03

Khalil & Eugenie Shmayel - Said & Jamile Maalouf Antoine & Angel Daou - Kamal & Sylvie Medawar Salime, George & Boutros Choufani سليمة الشوفاني، جورج الشوفاني، بطرس الشوفاني Reymona Damouni - Kamele & Fahed Farah كاملة فرح - فهد فرح Eliane George - Alice Nasr - Freddie Fleifel Aiwas David, Widad David, Romeh David and Khwanza David.

Let us remember

We pray for our Beloved Ones who died during the Month of May

Francis Zamito - Shirley Zamito - Reine Chartouni - Fred Guttas - Naseem Fahel - Agnes Dumit - John Jage - Barcha Lebbos - Eli Joe Jage - Amelia Lutfy - Sophie Nahra - John Bomrad - Fred A. Maalouf - Alexander Rash - Colette Woods — Fouad Amawis - Rocco D. Pietrandomo - J. Herbert Flagh -

WEEKLY COLLECTION REMINDER

I hope, you all staying safe and well.

It is a challenging time for all of us.

But do not be afraid, do not be discouraged.

For the Lord your God will be with you.

Unfortunately, due to the Coronavirus,
Liturgies are not being celebrated.
However, our Church complex incurs expenses.
PLEASE continue to financially support our Parish.
You may Mail your donations envelope or go to
ollchicago.org where you can donate online.

Palm Sunday: \$2,895 Easter Sunday: \$4,208 Sunday April 19: \$2,410 Sunday April 26: \$3,044

Thank you for your continued financial support and generosity and prayers as our country and people get through this most difficult situation.

May God keep you safe and watch over you.

Sunday Readings - May 03, 2020

قراءةٌ من سِفرِ المزاميرِ: اَلْمَزْمُورُ الْثَّانِي وَالسِّتُونَ. و بارك يا سيّد.
إلى اللهِ تَسْكُنُ نَفْسي، ومنه خَلاصي.
صخرَتي هوَ وخَلاصي - هو حِصْني ومَلجَأي فَلَا أَتزَعْزَعْ.
إلى اللهِ وَحدَه اسْكُني يا نَفْسي فإنَّ مِنه رَجائي.
خالِقي هوَ ومُخلِّصي - مَلجَأي فلا أَتزَعزَعُ.
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عِندَ اللهِ خَلاصي ومَجْدي وفي اللهِ صَخرَةُ عِزِّي ومُعتَصَمي.
تَوَكَّلُوا عليه أيّها الشَّعبُ. وأسكُبوا أَمامَه قُلوبَكم. إِنَّ اللهَ مُعتَصَمٌ لَنا.
لَيسَ بَنو آدَمَ إِلاَّ هَباءً ولَيسَ بَنو البَشَرِ إِلاَّ كَذِبًا.
لا تتكلوا على العُنفِ وَالظُّلْمِ وَلاَ تَتَفَاخَرُوا بِالسَّرِقَةِ والنَّهْبِ.
فإذا وَفَرَت ثَروَتُكم فلا تُعَلِّقوا بِها قُلوبَكم.
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لَكَ الرَّجُمَةُ يَارَبُ وَمَرَّتَيْنِ سَمِعْتُ هَذَا: أَنَّ الْعِزَّةَ والقُوةَ لِلهِ.
لَكَ الرَّحْمَةُ يَارَبُ فَأَنْتَ تُجَازِي الإِنسانَ بِحَسَبِ عَمَلِهِ. هَلِّلُويا!

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul the Colossians; Abouna give me your blessing.

Brothers and Sisters, We do not cease praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding to live in a manner worthy of the Lord, So as to be fully pleasing, in every good work, Bearing fruit and growing in the knowledge of God, Strengthened with every power, in accord with his glorious might, For all endurance and patience, with joy giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light. He delivered us from the power of darkness And transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, In whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Renewal of the Consecration of The United States of America to the Blessed Virgin Mary - May 1, 2020

This prayer of consecration will be offered on behalf of the entire country by the Most Reverend José H. Gomez, Archbishop of Los Angeles and President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray: O God, Father of mercies, whose Only Begotten Son, as he hung upon the Cross, chose the Blessed Virgin Mary, his Mother, to be our Mother also, grant, we pray, that with her loving help your Church may be more fruitful day by day and, exulting in the holiness of her children, may draw to her embrace all the families of the peoples. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. R. **Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 19: 25-27

Standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary of Magdala. When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple there whom he loved, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son." Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother." And from that hour the disciple took her into his home.

The Gospel of the Lord. / R. Thanks be to God.

DECADE OF THE ROSARY

Our Father - 10 Hail Marys - Glory Be

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy.

PRAYER OF RENEWAL OF OUR CONSECRATION TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Let us now entrust our country and ourselves once again to the Virgin Mary's care:

Most Holy Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church, you are the fairest fruit of God's redeeming love; you sing of the Father's mercy and accompany us with a mother's love. In this time of pandemic we come to you, our sign of sure hope and comfort.

Today we renew the act of consecration and entrustment carried out by those who have gone before us. With the love of a Mother and Handmaid, embrace our nation, our parish and our homes which we entrust and consecrate once again to you, together with ourselves and our families.

In a special way we commend to you those particularly in need of your maternal care. Mary, Health of the Sick, Mother of Consolation, Help of Christians, Queen and Mother of Mercy, Seat of Wisdom, Mother of God, accept this act of consecration that we make today with confidence, and help us to be your Son's instruments for the healing and salvation of our country and the world.

Mary, Mother of the Church, we ask your intercession for the needs of our country, that every desire for good may be blessed and strengthened, that faith may be revived and nourished, hope sustained and enlightened, charity awakened and animated; guide us, we pray, along the path of holiness. Mary our Mother, bring everyone under your protection and entrust everyone to your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. R. **Amen.**

CONCLUDING PRAYER

Bestow the grace of your kindness upon your supplicant people, O Lord, that, formed by you, their creator, and restored by you, their sustainer, through your constant action they may be saved. **R. Amen**.

May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil and bring us to everlasting life. R. Amen.