Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM
English & Aramaic

Sunday 9:00 AM
English and Aramaic

11:00 AM
English & Aramaic and Arabic

Tuesday-Friday 10:00 AM
(in the Chapel)

Confessions
30 minutes before every Divine Liturgy

Eucharistic Adoration
every Thursday at 9:30 AM
(before Mass)

Mass Times
During August there will be only one Mass on Sundays, at 11 AM.
No 9 AM Mass.
There will be a 5PM Liturgy on Saturdays.
To offer a Mass for a loved one, please stop by the parish office or call us to check the schedule and book your Mass.

Readings of the Week

Sunday, 8/14  
Eph 2:17-22  
Lk 19:1-10

Monday, 8/15  
Rom 12:9-15  
Lk 1:46-55 or 10:38-42

Tuesday, 8/16  
Lk 12:22-31

Wednesday, 8/17  
Acts 24:1-2a,5-b, 9-13,17-21  
Lk 12:32-34

Thursday, 8/18  
Acts 24:27-25:12  
Lk 12:35-40

Friday, 8/19  
Acts 25:13-14a, 22-27  
Lk 12:42-48

Saturday, 8/20  
Acts 26:1-2a, 6-10, 12-19  
Lk 12:49-53

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 13  
5:00 PM  
For Mary Ann Vetrano  
Requested by Fred and June Isaf

Sunday, August 14  
11:00 AM  
For Sobhi and Hoda Azzi  
Requested by George and Elie Azzi

Tuesday, August 16  
10:00 AM  
For Kara Bryant  
Requested by Ann Hartle

Wednesday, August 17  
10:00 AM  
For Hannah Walker  
Requested by Fred and June Isaf

Thursday, August 18  
10:00 AM  
For Fred and June Isaf

Friday, August 19  
10:00 AM  
For Father Peter Boulus  
Requested by the Shamatta Family

Saturday, August 20  
5:00 PM  
Forty Day Liturgy  
For Michael Mondalek  
Requested by Pete and Nancy Mondalek

PRAYER REQUESTS

Call for Altar Servers!!
Boys who have received First Holy Communion are eligible to serve. Please see Deacon Bob before or after the 11AM Divine Liturgy on Sunday, or contact the parish office.
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The flowers on the altar for the month of August are given by George and Eli Azzi in memory of Sobhi and Hoda Azzi.

The candles, bread, and wine for the month of August are given by the Shamatta Family in memory of Michael Stevens.

If you would like to donate flowers or candles, bread, and wine for the altar in memory or honor of a loved one, please contact the parish office at info@sjmcc.org. Names will be published in the bulletin.
NATIONAL EUCARHISTIC REVIVAL

“My flesh for the life of the world”
“Mi carne para la vida del mundo”
John 6:51

Mission
To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

Vision
A movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission “for the life of the world.”

Strategic Pillars

1. Foster encounters with Jesus through kerygmatic proclamation and experiences of Eucharistic devotion.

2. Contemplate and proclaim the doctrine of the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist through the Truth of our teaching, Beauty of our worship, and Goodness of our accompaniment of persons in poverty and those who are vulnerable.

3. Empower grassroots creativity by partnering with movements, apostolates, parishes, and educational institutions.

4. Reach the smallest unit: parish small groups and families.

5. Embrace and learn from the various rich intercultural Eucharistic traditions.
Atlanta Community Food Bank Can Drive

Collecting non-perishables through the end of August

Please help by donating nutritious, non-perishable items, with expiration dates at least 8 months away.

PLEASE NOTE: NO BABY MILK/FORMULA

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School Supplies Drive

Back-packs, paper, pens, pencils, crayons, rulers, etc.

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Children’s Restoration Network
July 29, 2022

His Eminence Cardinal Bechara Peter Rai
Maronite Patriarch of Antioch and All the East
Bkerke, Lebanon

Your Eminence and Beatitude,

Last week, we were deeply saddened to hear about the arrest and detention by the Lebanese General Security authorities of His Excellency Moussa El-Hajj, Archbishop of Haifa and the Holy Land along with the confiscation of his personal belongings, medical aid, and financial assistance for the needy in Lebanon. This act comes at a time when Lebanon’s sovereignty is in jeopardy and the Lebanese suffer economic hardship and despair.

On behalf of our Eparchies (Clergy, Religious, and Lay Faithful), we reiterate our full and total support for you, our Patriarch, as head and father of our Maronite Church. We stand in solidarity with you, with the Synod of Bishops, and with all our brothers and sisters suffering in Lebanon. Lebanon is a beautiful country, where religious beliefs are a bridge, not a hindrance to conviviality and cooperation. We are proud of our Lebanese roots, and we feel your pain and suffering.

We also applaud your courage and your vision and agree with you on the importance of “Active Neutrality” of Lebanon. We call on all the Lebanese officials, especially Christian Representatives, to embrace this direction, and for the U.N. to formally recognize the neutral status of Lebanon. Thus, Lebanon will remain as St. John Paul II said, “more than a country, it is a message” of conviviality between Christians and Muslims where every citizen has a role in the development of Lebanon. If we do not stand united as one people working together for the future of our country, we are liable to fall victim to outside influence. Lebanon must continue to stand strong to retain its identity if we are to succeed and surpass to a better future.

We stand with you, Your Eminence. We place ourselves under your disposition, and we continue to place our resources giving a helping hand to our brothers and sisters. Lastly, we also accompany you with our prayers for your well-being and for peace, sovereignty, and prosperity in Lebanon. May the prayers of Our Lady of Lebanon, St. Sharbel, and all the Saints be with us.

Totally yours in Christ,

+ Gregory Mansour
Bishop of the Eparchy of St. Maron of Brooklyn

+A. Elias Zaidan
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