Mass Times

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)

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.

Our Clergy

Rev. Tony K. Akoury
   Pastor

Rev. Mr. Robert Calabrese
   Deacon

Rev. Mr. David Nasser
   Sub deacon

Rev. Mr. Michel Bassil
   Sub deacon
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.

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**Readings of the Week**

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**Mass Intentions**

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

- **Sunday, August 21**
  - 11:00 AM
  - For Kathie Calabrese

- **Tuesday, August 23**
  - 10:00 AM
  - For Edie Isaf
  - Requested by Fred and June Isaf

- **Wednesday, August 24**
  - 10:00 AM
  - For Steph Eich
  - Requested by Georgette Samaritan

- **Thursday, August 25**
  - 10:00 AM
  - For Michael Sexton
  - Requested by Joan Walsh

- **Friday, August 26**
  - 10:00 AM
  - For Michael Sexton
  - Requested by Joan Walsh

- **Saturday, August 27**
  - 5:00 PM
  - For Michael Mondalek
  - Requested by Tom and Mary Brunner

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**PRAYER REQUESTS**

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**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.

**Info@sjmcc.org**

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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 EUCHARISTIC 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
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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.
The parishioners and clergy of St. Joseph Church wish to express our deepest gratitude to Kathie Calabrese who directed our MCF religious education program for many years. Thank you for your dedicated service to our parish!

We are very happy to announce that Ghada Osta, who teaches the post-Communion class, has very generously accepted the position as director. Thank you, Ghada!

Thanks also to Masami Uemoto, who will continue to teach the First Communion class, and to Veronica Pallos, who will continue to teach the pre-First Communion class.

We are very blessed to have such wonderful, dedicated teachers!
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

Collection box in the vestibule
During September and October, the Knights of Columbus are collecting clothing for Catholic Charities.

New and lightly used clothing for men, women, and children, and for all seasons of the year are welcome!

Please leave your donations in the box in the vestibule. Thank you for your generosity.

To all who donated school supplies and book bags to the Knights of Columbus “Back to School” project. Mass will be offered for your intentions on September 16.

August 25
All Saints Catholic Church

6:30-7:30 Dinner
7:30-10:00 Bingo!
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