



11th Sunday of Pentecost August 13th, 2017



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| Saturday | August 12 | 4:00 PM | Anniversary Remembrance of Anthony & Theresa Mecca (Family) |
| Sunday | August 13 | 8:30 AM 11:00 AM | For the soul of Philomena Yimin-McKay M/M Charles Joseph Birthday remembrance of Marianna & Marie Barack (Barack Family) |
| Monday | August 14 | 7:00 PM VIGIL | In Honor of Our Blessed Mother |
| Tuesday | August 15 | No Liturgy | The Assumption of the Virgin Mary - (Day of Obligation) |
| Wednesday | August 16 | 12:00 PM | For the soul of Marie Elias Karam-Kassouf (Anne Ayoob) |
| Thursday | August 17 | 12:00 PM | For the soul of Naji Selfani (Adib Mady) |
| Friday | August 18 | 12:00 PM | For the soul of Joseph Anthony Raimond (Terry Raimond) |
| Saturday | August 19 | 4:00 PM | Wedding Anniversary of Janet Anthony (Family) |
| Sunday | August 20 | 8:30 AM 11:00 AM | For the soul of His Excellency, Bishop-Emeritus Robert Shaheen For the soul of Marie Elias Karam-Kassouf (Bill Eassie) |

Second Collection: September 10, 2017 Catholic University of America
(This collection provides funding for academic scholarships at CUA. Our own seminarians are given a 50% discount in tuition.)



Please Remember Our Lady of Victory Church In Your Will



Month of August

Altar Bread & Wine:

Sanctuary Lamps: *In loving memory of the deceased members of the Basil Family*

Altar Bread & Wine or Sanctuary Lamps Can each be sponsored for a donation of \$25 a month, in loving memory of your loved ones.

Weekly Offering

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| August 6, 2017 | \$1,686.00 |
| Yearly Budget | \$208,000.00 |
| Year to Date (including envelopes received by mail) | \$77,737.00 |
| Building Fund | 240.00 |
| Building Fund to Date: | \$1,777.00 |
| Budget to make up | \$130,263.00 |

Thought of the Week

When you really give yourself to God, no difficulty will be able to shake your optimism.

~ St. Josemaria Escriva ~



Eucharistic Adoration

Your faith will help you realize that it is Jesus Himself who is present in the Blessed Sacrament, waiting for you and calling you to spend one special specific hour with Him each week.

Pope John Paul II

*When was the last time you visited Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist!!!
Come Visit on Tuesdays from 12 PM to 5 PM*

Scripture Readings & Readers

August 12-13
Reading: Eph 2:17-22
Gospel: Lk 19:1-10
 4:00 PM Hedwigis Joseph
 8:30 AM Larry Joseph
 11:00 AM Georges Kassouf

August 19-20
Reading: Eph 3:1-13
Gospel: Mt 15:21-28
 4:00 PM Ken Dorsey
 8:30 AM Joanne Samraney
 11:00 AM Layla Assaf



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Banns of Marriage

Second Bann of Marriage:

~Zeina Atallah & Aziz Kazour

If anyone has a reason for this marriage not to take place, please notify the Priest.

Upcoming Meetings & Events

-Festival meeting **Wednesday, Aug 23 @ 7pm**
 -Pastoral Council meeting, **Tues, Oct. 3 @ 7pm**

A Special Thank You

From Fr. Raymond Bassil to all the parishioners of Our Lady of Victory Church for their welcoming and hospitality. He asks the blessings of Our Lord Jesus Christ to be bestowed on each one of you. He is leaving on **Wed. Aug. 16** to Batroun, Lebanon.

Condolences

Our deepest sympathy to the family of **Zeina Naous-Boulos** who passed away this week.
Through the Mercy of God, may her soul rest in peace.

BUILDING FUND VICTORY DINNER

August 5th dinner proceeds \$1,770. Next dinner is Saturday, October 7th. No dinner in September. If you have any questions, contact **Anthony Romah** at 412-589-0514 or **Anne Ayoob** 412-298-6305.

2017 Kennywood/Sandcastle/Idlewild Tickets

Thanks to the generous gift from OLOV friend, we have few tickets available for MCF/Youth Children. Anyone wishing to receive some, please call the office 412-278-0841 or email Marie @ office@olovpittsburgh.org. *First come first served.*

Maronite Christian Formation Registration

-Registration for 2017-18 is going on. Forms are in the hall. Please fill out the form and give to **Lori Evans** or drop off at the office. **Lori** can be reached at 412-445-9131.
 -First day of MCF class is **Sunday, August 27th**
 -Teachers meeting, **Sunday, Aug. 13 @ 9:30**

Please Keep In Your Prayers



Our Parishioners, relatives and friends who are ill, homebound or recently underwent surgery: **Norma Lindenfelder, Maxine Schoen, Theresa Crawford, Maha Basil, Joseph Samraney, Carol DeSando, Liz Mowod, Sr. Tulia And Elodia DiBenedictis, Michael Rattie, Aneesa Ferris, Marilyn Torchia, Chuck Borik, Alicia Hruby, Mahassen Kazour, Angie Joseph, Helen McGoun, Sonia Barack, Diana Kuzma, Joanne Samraney, Elaine Moses, Alice Marrato, Martha Charron, Dr. Adnan Abila, John McDowell, Ashley Ayoob, Frances Barack, Marguerite Shollito, Reem Makhoul, Patricia Walasik, Martha Kail, David Zennie, Peter DeSando, Ingrid Franklin and Sam Mahfood**

Pittsburgh Lebanese Festival

Dates are:

- Friday, September 15th from 11am-10pm
- Saturday, September 16th from 11am-10pm
- Sunday, September 17th from 12 pm-6pm

Festival Sponsorship Opportunities

Please provide us with the **content for the sponsorship display** (text, business logo or other art work) by completing the form previously mailed to you. **Submit all Ads with your payment to the Church by Monday, September 4th.** Email the form to: Maronite@comcast.net or Call Church office 412-278-0841

Festival Wishing Wall Donations

The Wishing Wall Donation board located in the hallway contains the necessary food product items. You may place your product donations by the wall or in the library. Donations (Product or Cash donations) can be made up through **September 3rd**. Contact Anne Ayoob at 412-298-6305 or the Church office at 412-278-0841

OLOV Parish Raffle

Pick up your tickets & help us by selling or purchasing. Additional tickets are available by calling **Subdeacon Bahige and Micheline Alchoufete** at 412-341-6442 or church office **Drawing Sunday, Sept. 17, 2017 @ 5:00 PM.**

Festival Bake Sale Donations

We are looking for **bakers & volunteers** (perfect for teens that need volunteer hours) for our **Bakery/ Dessert Table** at our upcoming church food festival, **September 15-17**. We are in need of baked goods donations & shift volunteers for the dessert table. Our customers especially love Middle Eastern desserts. **All baked goods must be dropped off at the Church on Thursday, September 14.** If you are interested in donating baked goods or volunteering, please contact **Aleen Atencio** at 412-498-3536 or aleenatencio@yahoo.com Thank you!



Scripture Verse of the Week

When Jesus entered Jericho, a rich man named Zaccheus was trying to see Jesus, but because of the crowd, he could not. So he climbed a sycamore tree. When Jesus passed by He said: "Zaccheus, hurry down quickly, for today I must stay at your house."

Luke 19: 1-10