

**Healing of the Blind Man  
April 6, 2014**

**SATURDAY 4/5/14 - 4:30 PM**  
+ Ablain P. Abdalla  
requested by Atty. Paul & Bernadette Ackourey  
**SUNDAY 4/6/14 - 11:00 AM**  
+ Albert Peter & Evelyn Sarkis Nehme  
requested by the Family

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**9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies**

**Mon. 4/7 + James J. Michaels**  
requested by the Emmi Family  
**Tues. 4/8 + Atty. Albert B. Mackarey**  
requested by Ed Cammerata  
**Wed. 4/9 + Sarkis T. Tulaney**  
requested by Barbara A. Hazzouri  
**Thurs. 4/10 + 24th Anniv. Joseph Sumilas**  
requested by Josephine Michaels & Family  
**Fri. 4/11 at 6:30 PM + Therese M. Buzad**  
requested by Drs. Thomas & Lorraine Artabane  
**7:10 PM—Stations/Benediction of the Cross**

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**Altar Servers**

**Sat. Apr. 5: Robert Rade**  
**Sun. Apr. 6: Robert Abdo**

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**Lectors**

**Sat. Apr. 5: Albert J. Mackarey**  
**Sun. Apr. 6: Atty. Donald C. Ligorio**  
**Good Friday Evening: Several Volunteers are**  
**needed. Please contact the Rectory if you are**  
**able to read.**

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**SANCTUARY EXPENSES**

for the month of April are  
offered in loving memory of the  
Deceased Members  
of the Ackourey Family  
by  
Atty. Paul & Bernadette Ackourey

**Palm Sunday & Holy Week  
April 13, 2014**

**SATURDAY 4/12/14- 4:30 PM**  
+ Birthday Linda Mackarey Lee  
requested by Maria Mackarey  
**SUNDAY 4/13/14—11:00 AM**  
For all the Children of the Parish

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**9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies**

**Mon. 4/14 + Marie Peters Karam & Deceased of**  
**the Peters Family** requested by Barbara Naumann  
**7:00 PM: Stations of the Cross & Confessions**  
**Tues. 4/15 + Gregory W. Brennan**  
requested by M/M Philip Nehme  
**8:00 PM: Harbor Service & Confessions**  
**Wed. 4/16 + Paul Ackourey**  
requested by testamentary bequest  
**7:00 PM: Service of the Lamp & Confessions**  
**Holy Thursday 4/17 at 7:00 PM—Washing of the**  
**Feet & Nocturnal Adoration until Midnight**  
+ Fayad & Montura Michaels req. by the Family  
**Good Friday 4/18 at Noon—Anaphora of the**  
**Signing of the Chalice**  
**7:00 PM—Burial of the Lord & Confessions**

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**Altar Servers**

**Sat. Apr. 12: Joseph Hazzouri**  
**Sun. Apr. 13: Robert Rade and Jude Wheeler**  
**Holy Thursday & Good Friday: ALL servers are**  
**needed. Be in Sacristy 1/2 hour before service.**

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**Lectors**

**Sat. Apr. 12: Mary T. Mackarey Fielding**  
**Sun. Apr. 13: Children of the Parish**

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**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 3/23/14**

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$822	\$0	\$115	\$937

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 3/30/14**

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$1,390	\$10	\$60	\$1,460

**2014 BISHOP'S APPEAL as of 3/30/14**

\$3,415 = 85% of our goal collected.

The Blue Votive Candle before the Blessed Virgin Mary burns in April  
for a Special Intention requested by the Petrewski Family  
The Red Votive Candle before Saint Joseph burns in April  
in Loving Memory of Al and Evelyn Nehme

The Purple Votive Candle before the Infant of Prague burns in April  
for a Special Intention requested by Angie Mackarey  
The Red Votive Candle before Saint Jude burns in April  
in Loving Memory of Mrs. Lena Mackinder

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**PALM SUNDAY BAKE SALE:** The ladies of the Sodality will be baking for the Palm Sunday Bake Sale on **Wednesday April 9, Thursday April 10, Friday April 11 & Saturday April 12.** We need everyone who is able to help, women and men as well. Please mark your calendars and come help us. Also we need **home baked goods such as cookies, cupcakes, cakes, brownies, etc.** for the Bake Sale. **Please help us make this a big success for the Sodality.**

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**CHILDREN'S EASTER PARTY:** will take place in the Church Hall on **Palm Sunday** immediately after the 11:00 AM Liturgy. **All the children of the parish are cordially invited to attend to meet and receive a gift from the Easter Bunny.**

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**LENTEN GROUP ACTIVITY:** On **Sunday, April 6th**, we will attend an afternoon screening of the new movie "Son of God" at the **Montage Cinemark.** The event is **sponsored by the Parish Life Committee** and is open to all ages. Exact time is not yet available, but if you are interested in going, please contact Parish Life Committee Chair **Tara Russo by telephone at 570-357-7746 or email at trusso@pennscribe.com by Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup>.** We will all meet as a group at the theatre, and if we have at least 25 people we will get a discount from Cinemark.

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**THE ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL:** is coming to a close at Easter. Please respond as soon and as generously as possible. As of now we have only collected 85% off our goal. Please send in your donation now and help us reach our goal.

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**OUR LEBANESE YOUTH ON FACEBOOK:** [www.Facebook.com/YoungLebaneseAmericans](http://www.Facebook.com/YoungLebaneseAmericans).

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**MEETINGS:** The April meeting of the Pastoral Council is cancelled. The Heritage Festival Committee will meet on **Wednesday, April 30th at 6:30 PM** in the Parish Center Conference Room.

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**2013 FINANCIAL REPORT:** The Parish's 2013 Financial Report was sent out with the last bulletin. In the next few months, further information will be sent out by letter from the Stewardship Council concerning the financial status of the parish and the need to improve it. Please watch for them.

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**ENVELOPE RETURNS:** Mar. 23rd: Regular 32=16%, Fuel 0=0%, Assessment 3=1.5%; Mar. 30th: Regular 40=20%, Fuel 1=.5%, Assessment 2=1%. 210 envelopes are out.

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**2014 PARISH BUDGET STATUS AS OF 3/30/14**

	Collections	+	Fuel/Utilities	+	Assessment	=	Total
Budgeted:	\$18,005	+	\$2,743	+	\$2,496	=	\$23,244
Received:	\$16,083	+	\$645	+	\$745	=	\$17,473
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