

**Tenth Sunday of Pentecost  
August 10, 2014**

**SATURDAY 8/9/14 - 4:30 PM**

+ **Therese M. Buzad**  
requested by Mikhael & Shirley Gustin Mourad  
**SUNDAY 8/10/14 - 11:00 AM**

+ **Joseph & Alice Habeeb McDonnell and son Robert** requested by the Children  
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**9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies**

**Mon. 8/11 + Eleanore Ann Nasser**  
requested by Doumiet, Michele & Juliette Saadi  
**Tues. 8/12 + Sarkis T. Tulaney**  
requested by Dr. Joseph J. & Judith Soma  
**Wed. 8/13 + Marie Gianetta**  
requested by Cy and Jane Douaihy & Family  
**Thurs. 8/14 NO LITURGY**

**Fri. 8/15 at 6:00 PM Assumption of the BVM  
For the Parishioners**

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**Altar Servers**

**Sat. Aug. 9: Joseph Hazzouri**  
**Sun. Aug. 10: Jude Wheeler**  
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**Lectors**

**Sat. Aug. 9: Mary T. Mackarey Fielding**  
**Sun. Aug. 10: Bro. Joseph McDonnell CSC**  
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**SANCTUARY EXPENSES**

are offered  
for the month of August  
in loving memory of  
Albert and Evelyn Nehme  
by Joseph A. Nehme

**Eleventh Sunday of Pentecost  
August 17, 2014**

**SATURDAY 8/16/14- 4:30 PM**

+ **8th Anniv. Amelia Sumilas**  
requested by Josephine Michaels & Family  
**SUNDAY 8/17/14 -11:00 AM**

+ **Attorney Albert B. Mackarey**  
requested by Dr. & Mrs. Paul Mackarey  
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**9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies**

**Mon. 8/18 + Joseph E. Pesavento**  
requested by Dave Donlin & Kathie Burkie  
**Tues. 8/19 + Ablain P. Abdalla**  
requested by Richard & Kim Hazzouri  
**Wed. 8/20 +76th Anniv. Astir Zogby Hashem**  
requested by the Hashem Family  
**Thurs. 8/21 + John W. Gaudenzi, Sr.**  
requested by Cy & Jane Douaihy & Family  
**Fri. 8/22 NO LITURGY**

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**Altar Servers**

**Sat. Aug. 16: Robert Rade**  
**Sun. Aug. 17: Robert Abdo**  
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**Lectors**

**Sat. Aug. 16: Ann Abbott Bryant**  
**Sun. Aug. 17: Albert J. Mackarey**  
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**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 7/27/14**

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$1,537	\$130	\$90	\$1,757

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 8/3/14**

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$1,042	\$42	\$20	\$1,104

**The Blue Votive Candle before the Blessed Virgin Mary burns in August  
in Loving Memory of Assad and Anna Michaels Deeb and infant son Alfred  
The Red Votive Candle before Saint Joseph burns in August  
in Loving Memory of Thomas Maroon**

**The Purple Votive Candle before the Infant of Prague burns in August  
in Loving Memory of Cissie Douaihy**

**The Red Votive Candle before Saint Jude burns in August  
in Loving Memory of Dr. and Mrs. Edward D. Soma.**

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**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION:** is Friday, August 15th and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Maronite Catholics are obliged to attend the Divine Liturgy or Holy Mass on this day under pain of Mortal Sin. For the convenience of the parishioners, Mass will be celebrated on the Feast at 6:00 PM.

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**CONGRATULATIONS:** to our new Subdeacon Said (Cy) John Joseph Douaihy and his wife Jane and son Doug. Subdeacon Cy was ordained to the Minor Orders of Cantor, Lector and Subdeacon on the Feast of Saint Ann in our parish Church by His Excellency, the Most Reverend Stephen Hector Douaihy, D.D., S.T.D., Bishop Emeritus of the Eparchy of Saint Maron of Brooklyn.

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**SPECIAL THANKS:** to Subdeacon Robert Rade, our servers Robert G. Rade, Jr. and Jude Wheeler, our Music Director Jeanette Soma Wagner and choir, and everyone who helped make Subdeacon Cy's ordination a beautiful event. Special thanks also to Maria Mackarey and Mary Theresa Mackarey Fielding who put on the post-ordination reception in our Church Hall, and the City Café (Juliette and Doumiet Saadi) for catering the delicious Lebanese food.

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**MEETINGS:** the next meeting of the 2014 Lebanese Heritage Festival Committee will be held on Wednesday, August 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in the Church Hall. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

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**FESTIVAL NEWS:** 1) Pastry Baking will be done on Wednesday August 6, Thursday August 7 and Friday August 8 beginning each day at 9:00 AM. Many volunteers are needed. Please help even if only for a few hours. 2) Anyone wishing to donate towards the purchase of the meat for our upcoming 20th Lebanese Heritage Festival contact Eddie Deeb (570-346-9969) or the Church Office (570-344-2129)

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**FESTIVAL SPONSORS:** The Festival Sponsorship Letter and Form was enclosed in the last bulletin. Please respond promptly so we can have the sponsorship signs ready for the Festival. Many Sponsors are needed. For additional forms, contact the Church Office or go to the parish website.

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**MELKITE FESTIVAL:** Saint Joseph Melkite Church's 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Lebanese-American Food Festival will take place at the Church grounds on Cabrini Avenue on Saturday August 9<sup>th</sup> from 4 PM to 10 PM and Sunday August 10<sup>th</sup> from Noon to 7 PM. Featured will be Middle Eastern Food and pastries, local picnic favorites, games, used books, baskets and DJ entertainment

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**ENVELOPE RETURNS:** July 27th: Regular 32=16%, Fuel 4=2%, Assessment 6=3%; August 3rd: Regular 30=15%, Fuel 5=2.5%, Assessment 1=.5%. 210 envelopes are out.

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**2014 PARISH BUDGET STATUS AS OF 8/3/14**

	Collections	+	Fuel/Utilities	+	Assessment	=	Total
<b>Budgeted:</b>	\$42,935	+	\$6,541	+	\$5,952	=	\$55,428
<b>Received:</b>	\$38,661	+	\$1,929	+	\$1,838	=	\$42,428
	(\$4,274)	+	(\$4,612)	+	(\$4,114)	=	(\$13,000)

