

**7th Sunday of the Resurrection
May 17, 2015**

SATURDAY 5/16/15 - 4:30 PM
+Birthdays **Herbie & Marie Peters Karam**
requested by M/M Gaynor Cawley and Family

SUNDAY 5/17/15 - 11:00 AM
+ **1st Anniv. Margaret Dillenburg**
requested by Joseph Dillenburg & Family

9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies
Mon 5/18: +Atty. **Albert B. Mackarey**
requested by A. J. Hazzouri
Tues. 5/19: +Margaret **Dillenburg**
requested by Juliette Saadi & the Saadi Family
Wed. 5/20: +Stanley **F. Karam**
requested by Josephine Michaels
Thurs. 5/21: +Josephine **M. Mowad**
requested by Maria Mackarey
Fri. 5/22: **NO LITURGY**

Altar Servers

Sat. May 16: **Joseph Hazzouri**
Sun. May 17: **Robert Rade**

Lectors

Sat. May 16: **Kathy Karam Cawley**
Sun. May 17: **Atty. Margaret Dillenburg**

SANCTUARY EXPENSES
for the month of May
are offered in Loving Memory of
Esmé Karam Hazzouri
and **Mary (Monnie) Karam**
by the **Hazzouri Family**

**Pentecost Sunday
May 24, 2015**

SATURDAY 5/23/15 - 4:00 PM
Ordination to the Dignity of Periodeut of
the Very Reverend Francis J. Marini

SUNDAY 5/24/15 -11:00 AM
For the Parishioners and in Thanksgiving
offered by Monsignor Marini

9:00 AM Weekday Liturgies
Mon. 5/25: +Paul **Ackourey**
requested by testamentary bequest
Tues. 5/26: +Eleanore **Ann Nasser**
requested by Tom & Fran Douaihy
Wed 5/27: +Mary **S. Karam**
requested by Richard & Kim Hazzouri
Thurs. 5/28 +Timmie **McGill**
requested by Dr. Joseph & Judith Soma
Fri.: 5/29: **NO LITURGY**

Altar Servers

Sat. May 23: **Robert Rade & Jude Wheeler**
Sun. May 24: **Robert Abdo**

Lectors

Sat. May 23: **Attorney Paul P. Ackourey**
Sun. May 24: **Maria Yamin McAndrew**

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 4/26/15

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$891	\$0	\$20	\$911

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS 5/3/15

Collection	Fuel	Assessment	Total
\$1,355	\$105	\$35	\$1,495

**The Votive Candle before the Blessed Virgin Mary burns in May
in loving memory of Albert M. Nehme**
**The Votive Candle before Saint Joseph burns in May
in loving memory of Joseph and Alice Sirianni**
**The Votive Candle before the Infant of Prague burns in May
for a Special Intention**
**The Votive Candle before Saint Jude burns in May
for a Special Intention**

CONGRATULATIONS: to **Nicholas Joseph Petrewski** and **Luciana Angelina Valvano** who made their **First Holy Communion** at our parish on **Sunday, May 3, 2015**. Nicholas is the son of **Chris and Ami Vancosky Petrewski** and Luciana is the daughter of **Jamie and April Nehme Valvano**. Special thanks to our religious education teacher **Lisa Abdo** doing such a great job in preparing the children to receive their First Communion.

ASCENSION THURSDAY: **Thursday, May 14th** is the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord, a **Holy Day of Obligation**. Maronite Catholics are obliged to attend the Divine Liturgy or Holy Mass for the Feast under pain of mortal sin. **For the convenience of the parishioners, the Feast Day Mass will be celebrated at 6:30 PM.**

MEETINGS: 1) The **Pastoral Council** meets on **Sunday, May 17th at 12:30** in the Parish Center; and 2) the **Sodality** meets on **Sunday, May 31st at 12:30 PM** in the Parish Center;

LEBANESE HERITAGE FESTIVAL 2015: The first meeting of the 2015 Lebanese Heritage Festival Committee was held on Wednesday, April 29th at 6:30 PM in the Church Hall. Initial plans were made for the **Festival on Sunday, September 20th**. Much help will be needed for food preparation, etc. Further details will be announced next month.

ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL is over and we sent **\$4,501.03** to Bishop Mansour. Thank-you to all who contributed. **Your generosity helped us exceed our goal for the first time.**

ENVELOPE RETURNS: Apr. 26th: Regular 31=15%, Fuel 0=0%, Assessment 1=.5%; May 3rd: Regular 40=20%, Fuel 10=5%, Assessment 3=1.5%. 210 envelopes are out.

2015 PARISH BUDGET STATUS AS OF 5/3/15

	Collections	+	Fuel/Utilities	+	Assessment	=	Total
Budgeted:	\$24,930	+	\$3,798	+	\$3,456	=	\$32,184
Received:	\$24,718	+	\$1,145	+	\$687	=	\$26,530
	(\$212)	+	(\$2,653)	+	(\$2,869)	=	(\$5,634)

Christians in Lebanon are suffering. Please pray for Lebanon! If you are able to relieve some of the suffering, please visit: www.caritas.org.lb