Coffee Hour Sponsorships

The Parish Council has decided to implement a new system to organize our coffee hours. There are two ways to handle this: when a couple, family, or an individual decides to sponsor the coffee hour, you may do it on your own which entails purchasing the pastry & juice, making the coffee, setting up the table, and cleaning up. The second option is to donate $200 to the church so that a Parish Council member will handle the coffee hour on your behalf.

Date: Sponsored by: Sponsored for:

March 11, 2018 Yacoub & Charlotte Mitri Health of Family
March 18, 2018 The Karam Family Georges Karam (1 Year Memorial)
March 25, 2018 Antiochian Women NAB Project
April 1, 2018 not available Palm Sunday
April 8, 2018 not available PASCHA
April 15, 2018 Sam Matook & Family Kay Matook (1 Year Memorial)
April 22, 2018 John & Anita Chamoun Wajeha Chamoun (1 Year Memorial)
April 29, 2018 William Salhany & Family Memory of Ruth Salhany
May 6, 2018 not available
May 13, 2018 Open for sponsorship
May 20, 2018 not available
May 27, 2018 Their Loving Family Memory of Fred & Sophie Hallal
June 3, 2018 The Order of St. Ignatius Church School Graduation
June 10, 2018 Open for sponsorship
June 17, 2018 Open for sponsorship
June 24, 2018 Open for sponsorship
July 1, 2018 Jim & Beth Schillawski Memory of Charles & Lillian Sakey
July 8, 2018 not available Family Day
July 15, 2018 not available Family Day (rain date)
July 22, 2018 Dr. Zeyad, & Norma Morcos Health of Elias Morcos (son)
July 29, 2018 Open for sponsorship
August 5, 2018 Open for sponsorship
August 12, 2018 Open for sponsorship
August 19, 2018 Feast Day
August 26, 2018 Open for sponsorship

There are still many open dates to sponsor a coffee hour. Either call the church office, or see Mirna or Walid Nakhoul on Sunday after Liturgy.

Please consider sponsoring a coffee hour.

SAINT MARY ANTIΟCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday, March 4, 2018

Second Sunday of Lent

March is Antiochian Women’s Month

During the month of March, in all the Churches of our Archdiocese, we highlight and remember the Ministry of Women in our Church. Being founded on the model of Mary the Mother of God herself and the Service of the Myrrh-bearer ministry is foundational for without it the Church would not exist. During March, the Women will be reading the Epistle, taking the collection, and ushering as they do all year long.

May God bless all of the Women of the Holy Church and bless their ministry.

Epistle

English/Arabic

March 4th: Cindy Hayes/Mirna Nakhoul Marlene Samra & Marlene Marshall
March 11th: Linda Dvelis/Hadeel Samaan Sue Ayoub & Elaine Gauthier
March 18th: Lois Kilsey/Charlotte Mitri Mary Massiwer & Janice Hallal
March 25th: Nora Matook/Salwa Khoury Lorice Hallal & Elaine Wilbur

The next Outreach Ministry Meeting will be held on Sunday, March 11th during Coffee Hour. Please plan on attending as we have a lot to discuss.

Ladies Society Dinner ~ March 25th

to benefit the NAB Antiochian Women’s Project

“Strengthening the Ministries of our Church”

The funds we raise this year will go to strengthen the following ministries in our Archdiocese: Encouraging-Supporting-Funding: Ordained Ministry, Teaching Ministry, Music Ministry, Monastic Ministry, Service Ministry, Youth Ministry & Admin. Ministry.

ALL proceeds will be sent to our Project

Menu: Fish, Syrian Rice, Vegetables, Salad, Dessert, Coffee

$15- Adult * $8 Children-under 12 * 6 years and under-free
Happy Birthday to everyone who has a birthday during the month of March!

Nora Abdelahad  Charles Abosamra  Elaine Agaty
Michael Andrews  Michele Astphan  Paul Astphan
Lillian Betor    Kristen Burke    Bryan Chowning
Fatat El-Khaouli Maria Guirguis  Mary Gurghigian
Paula Hallal    Dan Hayes         Colette Jeha
Fred Kilsey     Elene Mahfous     Kristen Moussalli-Seddiqui
John Salhany    Ken Salhany       Virginia Salhany
Michel Saliba   Beth Schillawski  Walter Schroder
David Shwaery   Donna Slemen      Florence Spenard

**if you have a March birthday and do not see your name– we do not have it in our database– please email or call the church office to have you and your family members added.**

**Arabic cooking/food orders**

**Grape Leaves**
Order: March 11th– Order Deadline
Cooking: Saturday March 17th– 9:30am
Pick-up: Saturday March 17th– 12pm(noon) & Sunday, March 18th– during coffee hour

**Foods will be available by pre-order only!**

The Ladies are taking orders for these items. Order forms available in the back of the church, on our website: www.stmarypawtucket.org, by calling the office (401)726-1202, or by contacting Salwa Khoury (401)434-8877.

**Great Lent and Holy Pascha 2018**
**Easter Flowers (Holy Friday and Pascha)**

Please make a donation to help decorate the Church for Holy Week and Easter.

**For Good Health and Blessing of:**

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**In Loving Memory of:**

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Your name: 

Donation: 

To all those who would like to contribute for the Easter Flowers; checks should be made out to St. Mary Orthodox Church and earmarked “Easter Flowers”.

All donations should be received by April 1st.