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.

<u>Date</u> :	Sponsored by:	Sponsored for:
September 23, 2018	A Friend of St. Mary	
September 30, 2018	Monika Messore	Health of her Family
October 7, 2018	Emile Sarkis	Memory of:
,		Najib N. Sarkis & Jamile F. Sarkis
October 14, 2018	not available	Bazaar Kickoff Luncheon
October 21, 2018	The Samra & Marshall Fan	nilies Health of their Families
October 28, 2018	Sandra Matook & Family	George Matook (1 Year Memorial)
November 4, 2018	not available	Annual Holiday Bazaar
November 11, 2018	Open for sponsorship	V
November 18, 2018	not available	
November 25, 2018	Open for sponsorship	
December 2, 2018	Open for sponsorship	
December 9, 2018	not available	Choir Appreciation
December 16 2018	not available	Church School Pageant
December 23, 2018	Open for sponsorship	8
December 30, 2018	Open for sponsorship	
January 6, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
January 13, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
January 20, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
January 27, 2019	not available	Annual Parish Meeting
February 3, 2019	Geoff Ayoub	Memory of Naseem Ayoub (5 Years)
February 10, 2019	not available	Outreach Committee Luncheon
February 17, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
February 24, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
March 3, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
March 10, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
March 17, 2019	Open for sponsorship	
March 24, 2019	not available	Antiochian Women Fish Dinner

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 ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Upcoming events:

• September 29th: Harvest Hafli– 8pm-1am

Singer: George Hadchiti

- September 30th: 4pm-6pm-Sunday School/Teens Bowling at Town Hall Lanes, Johnston, RI
- October: Youth Month
- October 5th-7th: Diocese Family & Teen SOYO Camp in N.H.
- October 14th: Bazaar Kickoff Luncheon & Shower
- October 20th: 5:30-9pm-Sunday School/Teens Fall Harvest Party
- November 2nd, 3rd & 4th: Annual Holiday Bazaar
- December 9th: Choir Appreciation Day
- December 12th: Ladies Christmas Party at Twin Oaks
- <u>December 16th</u>: Christmas Pageant/Dinner
- December 31st: New Year's Hafli- more info to follow....



St. Mary Church School & Teen SOYO News

Attention All Parents: Please bring your children to the Liturgy before Church School. Church School starts every Sunday following communion (Approx. 11:15am)

September 30th: 4pm-6pm-Sunday School/Teens Bowling at Town Hall Lanes, Johnston, RI

October 20th: 5:30-9pm-Sunday School/Teens Fall Harvest Party

<u>December 16th</u>: Christmas Pageant/Dinner

Fall Hafle 2018

Saturday, September 29th

St. Mary Parish Center
1 St. Mary Way, Pawtucket
Doors open:7:30pm
Dinner: 8:00pm

Featuring George Hadchiti & Ensemble

<u>Tickets</u>- \$70 Adults \$30 Children (12-17)

For Tickets & Reservations:

Fr. Elie Estephan (240) 205-9079 Walid Nakhoul (401) 692-1250 Tony Kabak (401) 744-6317



Diocese Family Camp and our Diocese Teen SOYO Fall Camp

October 5-7, 2018 at the St. Methodios Faith & Heritage Center in Contoocook, NH.

Both events will be held at the same location over the same weekend as we did last year. Family Camp and the Teen SOYO Fall Camp will overlap for some activities including meals and church services, but each will have its own distinct program. The guest speaker for the weekend will be Ms. Katrina Bitar, YES Program Director for FOCUS North America.

All teens in grades 7-12 are encouraged to attend the Teen SOYO Fall Camp.

Family Camp is open to families of all ages. Parents of teenagers are welcome to attend Family Camp while their children attend Teen SOYO Fall Camp.

www.soyofallcamp.org for more information.





The Bazaar Committee has started its preparations for the 2018 Bazaar to be held at the Parish Center November 2nd, 3rd, 4th. Your generous support and participation are needed to help ensure the success of this annual event for our church and community. Please contact Bazaar Chair Salwa Khoury (401) 434-8877 if you are interested in helping.

Giftcards & New items NEEDED!

Giftcards & New items are still needed to make baskets and also for the Penny Social & Silent Auction Tables for the Bazaar.

Please give to either Salwa or the church office as soon as possible. If you need a letter for a donation (for tax purposes) please call the Church Office and we will provide one.

The Bazaar is approaching quickly and the new table "Vintage Christmas" is looking for <u>NEW</u> and <u>SLIGHTLY USED</u> items...ex: dishes, figurines (santa, snowmen), glassware, serving pieces, flower arrangements, etc. Please bring them down to the Parish Center and leave in the Coat Room.

(This is NOT a White Elephant table. We need high quality items.)

Church News & Organization Activities

Coat Drive

The Outreach Committee is looking for gently used children & adult coats (all sizes). Please bring them to the Parish Center during the month of October to be distributed to families from our "Soup Kitchen" outreach project.



Arabic Liturgy

Arabic Liturgy is being offered the first Saturday of each month at 6:00 P.M. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. **please note date change for October



BAZAAR COOKING/BAKING SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 26th: 9:30– Dates & Apricots

Wednesday, October 3rd: 9:30-Mamoul Nuts

Wednesday, October 10th: 9:30-Graybee

Saturday, October 13th: 9:30-Sfeeha Saturday, October 20th: 9:30-Sfeeha Saturday, October 27th: 9:30-Sfeeha



Everyone is welcome and encouraged to help with the cooking! Come help us in making these delicious foods for our Bazaar.



COMING SOON! St. Mary's Famous Annual Bayaar

Friday, November 2nd, 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Saturday, November 3rd, 10:00 am - 9:00 pm Sunday, November 4th, 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

4EATURING

Middle Eastern Cuisine
Middle Eastern Pastry
Homemade Candy
Homemade Braided Cheese
Salad Bar
Penny Social
Silent Auction
Vintage Christmas Booth
Cash Raffle & Grand Raffle





Arts & Crafts

Pictures with Santa

St. Mary Antiochian Orthodox Church | St. Mary Parish Center One Saint Mary Way | Pawtucket, RI

For more information please call 726-1202 or view our website at www.stmarypawtucket.org

ST. MARY ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH ANNUAL BAZAAR

NOVEMBER 2nd, 3rd, 4th 2018



The Bazaar Committee is establishing a Leg of Lamb Drive Program

To help defray the kitchen costs of our annual event.

Everyone has an opportunity to donate Legs of lamb at a cost of \$30 each. You simply make your donation, And the committee will purchase the lamb.

Just fill out the donation form below and return it to the church with your check. We'll do the rest!

Thanks for your generosity and support. Bazaar Committee

Lamb Drive Donation Form			
Quantity	@ \$30 each	Total enclosed:	
Name(s):			
Address:			
Phone:			
Payable to:	St. Mary Antiochian Ort Attention: Bazaar Committee 249 High Street, Pawtuc Phone: (401) 726-1202		

St. Mary Parish Bookstore

Many beautiful Orthodox religious items are available from the St. Mary Parish bookstore and display case. These include Icons, Christmas and greeting cards, Liturgical music CD's, prayer books, coloring books, Crosses and Orthodox Bibles. These make wonderful gifts and reflect the *Tradition of our Orthodox Faith*. All proceeds benefit the general fund. of the Church. Please see Fr. Elie if you wish to purchase these gifts.

ONLINE BULLETIN

The Bulletin is available online on our website at: http://stmarypawtucket.org



Bulletin Submissions

Please help us provide a quality weekly bulletin by submitting all prayer requests and announcements to the church office by <u>Noon on Wednesdays</u>. Any requests received after this time will be in the following week's bulletin. Thank you for your cooperation.

Visitations

Please contact Fr. Elie with any names of parishioners that are in need of visitation either at home, in hospital or nursing homes.