

### 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>	<u>Sponsored by:</u>	<u>Sponsored for:</u>
May 12, 2019	Stewardship Committee	Thank you to all parishioners
May 19, 2019	William Salhany & Family	Memory of Ruth Salhany (9 years)
May 26, 2019	<i>not available</i>	Charitable Gift Program
June 2, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
June 9, 2019	St. Mary Church	Church School Graduation & Luncheon
June 16, 2019	Matt & Amani Kelley	Memory of our fathers: John Kelley and Emil Awad
June 23, 2019	<i>not available</i>	
June 30, 2019	Their Loving Family	Fred & Sophie Hallal
July 7, 2019	<i>not available</i>	Family Day
July 14, 2019	<i>not available</i>	Rain Date for Family Day
July 21, 2019	Dr. Zeyad & Norma Morcos	Our son, (St. Elias), & dad
July 28, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
August 4, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
August 11, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
August 18, 2019	<i>not available</i>	Feast Day
August 25, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
September 1, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
September 8, 2019	St. Mary Church	Church School Welcome Back Luncheon
September 15, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
September 22, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
September 29, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
October 6, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
October 13, 2019	St. Mary Church	Bazaar Kick-Off Luncheon
October 20, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
October 27, 2019	<i>Open for sponsorship</i>	
November 3, 2019	St. Mary Church	St. Mary Annual Bazaar

### Coffee Hour Committee:

Jiana Daikh (401)644-6437 and Sousan Karwashan (508)294-1832.

Please contact them to sponsor a coffee hour.

## SAINT MARY ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

*Sunday, May 12, 2019*

### Upcoming events:

- ♦ **May 24-27th: Antiochian Village Family Camp**
- ♦ **May 26th: Church School Clean-A-Thon Fundraiser (to benefit 'Food For Hungry People')**
- ♦ **May 27th: Memorial Day & Prayers at Walnut Hill Cemetery**
- ♦ **June 5th: Ladies Society Annual Dinner**
- ♦ **June 9th: Church School Graduation & Luncheon**
- ♦ **June 22nd: DOWNE Parish Life Conference**
- ♦ **July 7th: Family Day (rain date- July 14th) (following Liturgy)**



**Family Day**  
July 7th ~ 1pm

(rain date July 14th)

**Food \* Games \* Fun**

*Masonic Youth Center, 116 Long Street, Warwick, RI*  
*Free ~ (donations greatly appreciated to offset costs)*



### Ladies Society Annual Dinner

This year's Annual Ladies Society Dinner will be held on Wednesday, June 5th at 6:30pm at the Grist Mill in Seekonk, MA. The cost is \$40pp (this includes tax & tip). You may pick one entree: Jumbo Baked Stuffed Shrimp, Baked Stuffed Chicken or 10oz Angus. All dinners include pleasant company, baked potato, vegetable of the day, homemade breads, dessert, coffee, tea or soda, and of course, a full salad bar. Please contact Linda Dvelis (401)724-3221 or Elaine Swistak (401) 724-3333 no later than May 26th with your choice of meal.



## 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)

**May 10th-12th:** YES Weekend at the Parish Center

**May 26th:** Clean-A-Thon Fundraiser to benefit 'Food For Hungry People'

**June 9th:** Church School Graduation & Luncheon

**August 5th-9th:** St. Mary Summer Camp

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Dear Sunday School parents,

Christ is Risen!

As many of you know, over the past however many years, our Sunday School has done a walk-a-thon to raise money for the Archdiocese's Food for Hungry People program. This year the event will be on Sunday, May 26.

But there's a twist. Instead of doing a walk-a-thon, we are going to do a clean-a-thon. That is, instead of walking around the block, we are going to have our students walk around the church and parish center with trash bags and gloves and clean up all the trash that is around. The Sunday School teachers will supervise and make sure nothing dangerous or unseemly happens.

This will still be a fundraiser, just like before. And, just like before, the proceeds will go to the Food for Hungry People program. I have attached the sponsor sheet. Please encourage your students to get as many sponsors as possible. It's for a great cause!

And, as always, let me know if you have any questions.

Matt



## Mother's Day Coffee Hour

Today, Sunday, May 12th there will be a Mother's day coffee hour hosted by the stewardship committee. This will be free as a thank you to parishioners for their time, talents and treasure and in honor of all the mothers, grandmothers, aunts and special women in our lives.



## 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.