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Weekly Bulletin

Sunday August 27, 2006 – Sunday September 3, 2006

Clergy

Rev. Father Jihad Younes
Deacon Martin Rachid
Subdeacon Earl Matte
Subdeacon Charles Rossie

Parish Staff

Pam Aziz – Parish Secretary
Darrell Frye – Maintenance
Pat Haley – Caterer

Parish Leaders

Lewis Walterhouse II– Parish Council
Dee Gardner – Choir Director
Dottie Byrnes – Organist
Freda Hearsch – Religious Education
Cindy Shaheen – Altar Society
Jeanette Walterhouse – Morningstar



Liturgy Schedule

Monday	9a.m.
Tuesday	9a.m.
Wednesday	9a.m.
Thursday	9a.m.
Friday	12noon
Saturday	8:30a.m.
	5p.m.
Sunday	10a.m.
2 nd Sunday of the month	10a.m. (English)
	12noon (Arabic)

Adoration

Friday 11a.m.

Confessions

½ hour before liturgy on
Saturday and Sunday and
by appointment.

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Raffle and Hafli

October 28, 2006

Grand Prize
2006 Buick LaCrosse
4 Door
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Additional Prizes

\$50 Gift Certificate Hani Haloun
\$50 Gift Certificate Jerusalem Inn
\$50 Gift Certificate Tim Hortons
\$50 Gift Certificate Taboons

Sacrament of Baptism, please contact the priest at least **1 month** before the intended date for the baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage, please contact the priest at least **6 months** before the intended date for the wedding.

Sick calls, please notify the Church office as soon as possible if you want communion for your sick. We usually do sick calls on Wednesdays.

Pray for our sick and homebound Parishioners:



Joe Rachid
Jeannie Rossie
Charlie Rossie
Marge Okal

Sarah Marshall
Mike Rizik
Hanneh Chammas
Betty Mansour
Doris Beck
Eddie Rashid
Rose Johnson
Dorothy Mattar
Ferris Adado
Mayford Penhaligon

Jeanette Walterhouse
Joe Faris
Beth Garner
Hap Maroun



**Our Lady of Lebanon
Office Hours**

Monday 9am – 5pm
Tuesday 9am – 5pm
Wednesday 9am – 5pm
Thursday 9am – 5pm
Friday 9am – 5pm



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MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 27: 13th Sunday of Pentecost St. Bianeen the Hermit

10A.M.: (1Cor 3:1-11; Lk 8:1-15) Reader: Robert Pollack
- Rep. Milia Gebrael by Family
1st Anniversary

MONDAY 28: NO MASS TODAY

St. Moses the Ethiopian, Confessor &
St. Augustine, Dr. of the Church
- NO MASS

TUESDAY 29: NO MASS TODAY

The Beheading of St. John the Baptist
- NO MASS

WEDNESDAY 30:

- In Thanksgiving by James & Theresa
Manoharan

THURSDAY 31: St. Abda, St. Aegidius & St. Zakhia, Confessors

- Rep. Winston Walterhouse by Gerald &
Brenda Tyler

FRIDAY Sept. 1: St. Simon the Stylite, Confessor

12NOON

- Rep. Lola Williams by Woody & Dottie
Mattar

SATURDAY 2:

8:30A.M.

Special Intentions

5P.M.

- Rep. John Solomon by Jason & Joumana
Klansek

SUNDAY 3: 14th Sunday of Pentecost

10A.M.: (1Thes 2:1-13; Lk 10:38-42) Reader: David Allen
- Rep. Jim Maroun by Sam
- Rep. Michael Hannoush by George &
Nadia Damouni & Family

SUNDAY 10: Exaltation of the Holy Cross

10A.M.: (1Cor 1:18-25; Jn 12:20-32) Reader: Ferris Anthony
- Rep. Gerald Knight by Josie & Family
- Rep. Wadad Athony by Ferris & Family

Weekly Contributions

July 30: \$2032
August 6: \$2977
August 13: \$1836
August 20: \$2175



ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be no morning mass on Saturday, August 26, 2006 and also on Monday, August 28 and Tuesday, August 29, 2006. Father will be out of town but the office will be open.

The Ladies Altar Society will be having a meeting on Wednesday, September 13, 2006. This meeting will be held at Sorrento's at 6pm. Please RSVP to Elsie Shaheen at 810-732-2887 or to Cindy Shaheen at 810-659-8758 by September 12, 2006.

Chorbishop Faouzi Elia will be visiting our parish on Monday, September 11, 2006. There will be a general parish meeting on Monday night from 7pm to 9pm. Every parishioner is invited and welcomed to attend. All members of all committees must attend.

Father Jihad is doing home visits. His goal is to visit every parishioner in the parish. He is doing ½ hour visits and asks that you please not cook. We have tried to contact all parishioners. If you were not called and would like a visit from Father please call the church office.

There has been a new website set up to help with humanitarian aid in Lebanon. It is very easy to make a donation at this website. The website is www.aidlebanonusamaronite.com.

Enrollment for Religious Education has begun. Please see Freda Hearsch to enroll your child/children before classes begin. Classes begin on Sunday, September 10, 2006 following Liturgy if anyone is interested in teaching please see Freda.

In addition to having a raffle and Hafli to raise money we are also publishing a booklet containing various advertisements as well as individual and/or family memorials. If you would like to submit either an advertisement and/or a memorial please see Duane Gardner



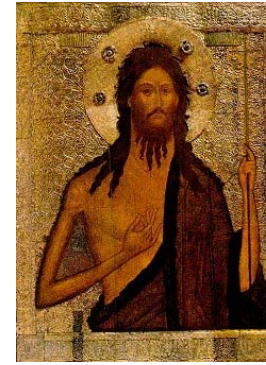
Church cleaning for the
Month of August:

Mary Ann Sheehan

Altar Servers Schedule for:

Sunday, August 27: Team 2
Sunday, September 3: Team 1

The Beheading of St. John the Baptist



Saint John the Baptist was called by God to be the precursor of His divine Son. In order to preserve his innocence spotless, and to improve upon the extraordinary graces which he had received in his earliest infancy, he was directed by the Holy Spirit to lead an austere and contemplative life in the wilderness. There he devoted

himself to the continuous exercise of devout prayer and penance.

When Saint John was thirty years old, the faithful minister of the Lord began to discharge his mission. Clothed with the garments of penance, he announced to all men the obligation weighing upon them of washing away their iniquities with the tears of sincere compunction. He proclaimed the Messiah, who was of his own age but whom he had never seen, when one day Jesus came to be baptized by him in the Jordan. Saint John was received by the poor folk as the true herald of the Most High God, and his voice was, as it were, a trumpet sounding from heaven to summon all men to avert the divine judgments. Souls were exhorted by him to prepare themselves to reap the benefit of the mercy offered them.

When the tetrarch Herod Antipas, in defiance of all laws divine and human, married Herodias, the wife of his brother Philip who was yet living, Saint John the Baptist boldly reprimanded the tetrarch and his accomplice for so scandalous an adultery. Herod, motivated by his lust and his anger, cast the Saint into prison. About a year after Saint John had been made a prisoner, Herod gave a splendid entertainment to the official world of Galilee. Salome, a daughter of Herodias by her lawful husband, pleased Herod by her dancing, to the point that he made her the foolish promise of granting whatever she might ask. Salome consulted with her mother as to what to ask, and that immoral woman instructed her daughter to demand the death of John the Baptist, and that the head of the prisoner should be immediately brought to her on a platter. This barbaric request startled the tyrant himself; but governed by human respect he assented and sent a soldier of his guard to behead the Saint in prison. Thus died the great forerunner of our blessed Savior, some two years after his entrance upon his public ministry, and a year before the death of the One he announced.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

11 Visit and meeting with Chorbishop
Elia from 7pm to 9pm.
10 Religious Education begins

OCTOBER

28 Car Raffle and Hafli

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Castel Sant'Angelo In Rome

(Picture taken in May 2006)

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