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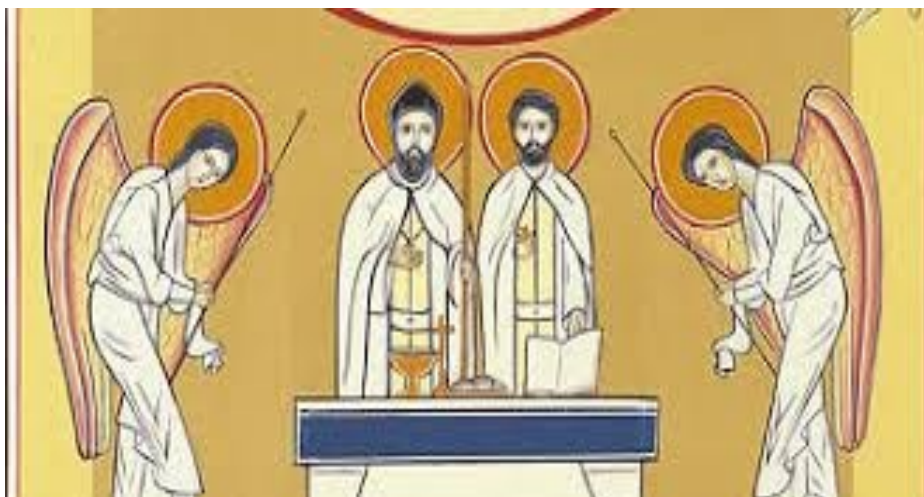
Maronite Catholic Church

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January 24

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SUNDAY OF THE PRIESTS



The Altar & Rosary Society will NOT have a meeting for January & February 2021.

Next Meeting Date will be announced.

Second Collection

January 24, 2021

United States Catholic Bishops' Worldwide Charities



St. Theresa, inflamed with the love of God, Pray for us.



MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY OF THE PRIESTS

Sat. 4:00pm	1/23	Tony Prushinski 1 Year Anniversary by Gabriel & Karen Khalife
Sun. 10:00am	1/24	Nick Punko Jr. by Greg & Cynthia Collins
		Hinid Al Ashkar by George & Sonia Khalife

DAILY MASS

Tues 9:00 am	1/26	Marcella Thomas by Mimi Bereznak & Jean Decker
Wed 9:00 am	1/27	Michael Kormos by Lena Michael
Thurs 9:00am	1/28	Marie Hudson by Georgette & Matthew Austin
Fri 9:00am	1/29	Anthony “Tony” Perugino by CJ & Tom Potsko

SUNDAY OF THE RIGHTEOUS AND JUST

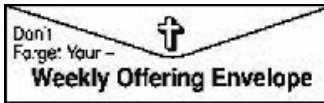
Sat. 4:00pm	1/30	Rosemary & George Bereznak by Mimi & John Bereznak
		Gerald Decker by Mimi & John Bereznak
Sun. 10:00am	1/31	Anthony & Madeline Ellis by Tony, Beth, Peter, MaryAnn Ellis & Family
		Nick Punko Jr. by Dick Wren & Family

DAILY MASS

Tues 9:00am	2/2	Michael Kormos by Georgette Austin
Wed 9:00am	2/3	Marie Hudson by Frank & Maryann Nockley
Thurs 9:00 am	2/4	Diane Maroun by Lena Michael
Fri 9:00am	2/5	Nicole Wallace by Bob & Alice Corba

SUNDAY OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Sat. 4:00pm	2/6	40 Day Mass for Marie Hudson
Sun.10:00am	2/7	Cecelia Koury by Dr. Michael Koury
		John & Josephine Thomas



Collection	Candles	Capital Campaign
\$ 2561	\$103	\$100

Sanctuary Offerings for
January

Bread– Theresa Shiner by Sharon Koter

Evelyn Wahlbright by
Lillian Madaya

Sadie Bedwick Ellis
by Mr. & Mrs. William Bedwick

Wine– Theresa Shiner by Sharon Koter

Evelyn Wahlbright by Lillian
Madaya

Sadie Bedwick Ellis by Mr. &
Mrs. William Bedwick

Candle– Theresa Shiner by
Sharon Koter

Evelyn Wahlbright by
Lillian Madaya

Sadie Bedwick Ellis by Mr.
& Mrs. William Bedwick

To Request an Offering:

Please call Joyce at: 814-1415

Sunday of the Priests

Readings:

1 Tim 4: 6-16

Lk 12:42-48

**Please remember to take your
2021 Offering Envelopes. They are
located in the back of the church.**



Join Us!

Adoration

of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Thursday Evening

6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

A COMMUNITY OF PRAYER, LOVE & TRADITION. COME & SEE!

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The season of Epiphany ends and Great Lent quietly knocks at our door. Before we approach this magnificent season, we remember those who have gone before us.

The concept of journey is central to the Maronite view of death. On the three Sundays before Lent we remember the departed, beginning with the priests. Bishops and priests are our companions on our journey to God. The Mystery of the Priesthood was instituted by Christ, the High Priest, at the last supper. It has been handed through the apostles and their successors, the bishops, continuing the priesthood of the Old Testament tradition.

Inspired by the Holy Spirit – bishops, priests and deacons preach the Gospel and worship and serve the Mysteries to God's people. They are the earthly image of the unending heavenly priesthood of Christ. They serve the altar and the Mysteries to build up the people of God. In the Maronite Church, the ordination of the deacon, priest and bishop take place within the Qorbono after the bishop and priests have received Communion and before its distribution to the congregation.

Throughout history Christ has provided priests to serve his altar sometimes in large numbers and sometimes fewer. Worldwide 1.2 billion Catholics are being served by only 412,236 priests. (2,900 per priest). The harvest is plenty, but the laborers are few.

This is a grim warning and because of the dangers and temptations that the bishop and priest face, we must pray for them, both the living and the deceased so that they may enter into the house of the Lord and reap the rewards of the faithful servant.



St. Theresa, filled with love of neighbor, Pray for us.

