

**SUNDAY OF THE ENTRANCE INTO LENT  
MARCH 3, 2019**



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat. 3/02**  
4:00 pm For John O'Grady,  
by Carol Rondeau.

**Sun. 3/03** **Sunday of the Entrance into Lent**  
**Miracle at Cana in Galilee**  
11:00 am For Alfredo Ona,  
by the family.

**Mon. 3/4** **ASH MONDAY**  
7:00 pm **Mass with Blessing and Distribution**  
**of Ashes**  
For Rose Delaney,  
by Dorothy Murray & family.

**Tue. 3/05**  
12:00 noon For Sabile Tartak and family  
by Antoinette Tartak.

**Wed. 3/06**  
12:00 noon For Attorney George M. Thomas,  
by the family.

**Thurs. 3/07** **The 7 Young Men of Ephesus**  
12:00 noon For J.C.,  
by Elie and Mela Attie.

**Fri. 3/08** **NO DAYTIME MASS**  
7:00 pm **Stations of the Cross and**  
**Benediction of the Cross**

**Sat. 3/09** **The Forty Martyrs**  
4:00 pm For Glen D'Ambrosio,  
by Joe Shaia.

**Sun. 3/10** **Second Sunday of Lent**  
**Healing of the Leper**  
11:00 am For Youssef Lahoud,  
by the Family of the Sacred Heart.

**FOOD DRIVE FOR SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**  
This Saturday and Sunday, **March 2 & 3**, the Knights of  
Columbus will be collecting your food donations.

**"100 CLUB" RAFFLE**

Congratulations to **Samir El Hage**, who was the winner  
of the February "100 Club" drawing!

**LAST CALL...**

**ADVERTISING IN OUR PARISH BULLETIN & WEBSITE**

The donation for an advertisement to run in our  
bulletin every week and for an entire year, beginning  
**March 2019**, is as follows:

- Business Card (size 2 ½ x 1 ½): \$200.00
- Double Business Card (size 1 ½ x 3): \$ 300.00
- 1/3 of a Page (size 8 ½ x 3 ½): \$ 650.00
- Half a Page (size 8 ½ x 5 ½): \$1,000.00
- Full Page (size 8 ½ x 11): \$2,000.00

**Please provide us with an electronic copy of your advertisement.** If interested please call the office at  
954-522-3939.

**ASH MONDAY**

**Ash Monday** is a day of fasting and abstinence. Ashes  
will be distributed after the 7pm Mass.

**DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES**

In addition to Ash Monday, there will be distribution  
of ashes on **Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>**, after the 12 noon  
Mass.

**LENTEN DEVOTIONS**

Join us for *Stations of the Cross* and *Benediction of the*  
*Cross* every Friday of Lent at 7:00pm, beginning March  
8<sup>th</sup>.



**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS** time begins **next Sunday, March 10**. Please remember to advance your clock "forward  
one hour" on Saturday night.

**PARISH FINANCES**

Collection February 23-24	\$1,421.00
Candles	\$ 159.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,580.00</b>



LENT recalls the forty days of our Lord's fasting in the desert, which He undertook before entering into his public ministry. He fasted for forty days and forty nights.

### LENTEN DEVOTIONS

*Stations of the Cross followed by Benediction of the Cross,*  
every Friday during Lent at 7:00 pm.

### 2019 LENTEN OBSERVANCES

All Maronites who are physically capable are to **abstain from meat** on all Fridays of Lent.

Ash Monday (3/4/19) and the Great Friday of the Crucifixion (4/19/19) are also days of **fasting**.

Fasting in the Maronite Church involves eating and drinking nothing at all (except water and medicine) from midnight until noon. The rest of the day normal meals can be taken but without meat. All Maronites who are physically capable are to fast on these two days.

### TRADITIONAL LENTEN FASTING

Clergy, religious and laity who wish to observe the more traditional Maronite practice of fasting and abstinence are encouraged to do so.

**Every day of Lent (Monday through Saturday), except Sunday, is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat and dairy products (eggs, butter, milk, etc.).**

**Fasting involves eating and drinking nothing at all (except water and medicine) from midnight until noon.**

**The rest of the day normal meals can be taken but without meat or dairy products. Dairy products are excluded because they are animal byproducts.**

Other than Sunday, the following Holy Days are exempt from fasting and abstinence: **(Mar. 9)** Feast of the 40 Martyrs, **(Mar. 19)** Feast of Saint Joseph and **(Mar. 25)** Feast of the Annunciation.



**Heart of Jesus Maronite Catholic Church**

# **Men's Club**

## **BBQ**

**Sunday, March 3, 2019**



Please join the Men's Club on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>  
following Mass  
for a Barbeque luncheon

### **MENU**

**Hamburgers  
Hot Dogs  
French Fries  
and Soft Drinks**

**Donation: \$10.00**