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Our weekly bulletin is available on line at:

[www.stanthonysparish.com](http://www.stanthonysparish.com)

## OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

## MASSES AND CELEBRATIONS

Sunday: 10:00 AM

Daily Mass: 5:00 PM

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Daily Dedication Prayers: 4:30 PM

Wednesday: Our Lady's Confraternity: 4:00 PM

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month: Adoration Hour

## SICK VISIT

Please call 519-322-2282.

For Emergency call

Fr. Michel: 519-613-7475

## BAPTISMS

Please call the Church Office at least one month prior to Baptism date and fill the "FORM" online on the church website

## MARRIAGES

Please call the Church office a minimum of Six months in advance of the desired date of marriage and fill the "FORM" online on the church website.

## RECONCILIATION "CONFESSION"

Please come to Church 45 minutes prior to the daily mass, One hour prior to the Sunday Mass.

In case of an emergency, contact the Priest.



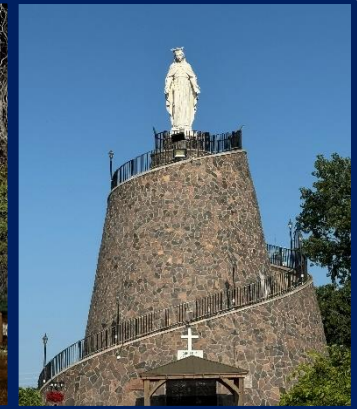
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كنيسة كاثوليكية مارونية



**WEEKLY BULLETIN**

**FEBRUARY 23<sup>RD</sup>, 2025**

## **SUNDAY OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

أحد الموتى المؤمنين

Luke 16:19-31 Thessalonians 5:1-11 - Ezekiel 37:1-10

So, this is the rich man reduced to begging for the help of the poor, who once suffered from hunger; the roles are changed, and everyone can see now who real rich man was, who was the real poor man. In the theatres, when the evening comes, and the actors withdraw and leave their costume, those whom we had seen appear on the stage as generals and predators, show themselves to all as they are in all their misery. It is thus that when death comes, and the spectacle of life comes to an end, all the masks of poverty and wealth fall, and it is exclusively according to the works that are judged who are the true rich, who are the true poor, and those who are worthy of glory or reproach. If the rich man suffers from such cruel torments, it is not because he was rich, but because he was ruthless. The message is simple: look around you and be attentive to the needs of others.

**SAINT ANTHONY'S MARONITE PARISH  
MASSES & CELEBRATIONS DURING THE WEEK**



**Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025**

**Sunday of the Faithful Departed**

**أحد الموتى المؤمنين**

- 10:00 AM – Mass for Boula Tannous & wife Adele & son Mario  
(Dedicated from the family)

**Monday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for Teresia Nehmetallah  
(Dedicated from Leila Tawil)

**Tuesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for Youssef Boutros Obeid  
(Dedicated from Alec & Rita Gebriel)

**Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for David (Daoud) Nohra  
(Dedicated from John Jraige)

**Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for Theresia Obeid  
(Dedicated from Bechara Daher)

**Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for Nancy Sarkis  
(Dedicated from Laurie Tannous-Dainter)

**Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025**

- 5:00 PM – Mass for Boutros & Bakhus Daher  
(Dedicated from the family)

**Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025**

**MIRACLE OF CANA IN GALILEE**

**Entrance into Great Lent**

**أحد مدخل الصوم، عرس قانا الجليل**

- 10:00 AM – 40 Days Memorial Mass for Paul (Boula) Jouraij (Dedicated from the family)



**DAYLIGHT SAVING**

**Don't Forget to set your clock one hour ahead on **Sunday, March 9, 2025,** at **2:00 AM****

**LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION**

**CHURCH INCOME**

36 Envelopes	\$	620.00
Loose	\$	192.00
Candles	\$	58.00
E-Transfer	\$	279.09
Baptism	\$	250.00
Memorial Masses	\$	150.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,549.09</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

**NEW CHURCH PROPOSAL**



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**ASH MONDAY / إثنين الرماد**

**MARCH 3, 2025**

Ashes will be distributed on  
Ash Monday  
March 3<sup>rd</sup> during the Holy Mass  
@ 5:00 PM



Congratulations to Anthony & Pauline Abraham whose son Michael Tony Abraham received the Sacrament of Baptism & Confirmation at St. Anthony's Parish on Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025. May God bless him and his Family and give him a long and Blessed life.

# NEW BULLETIN AD AVAILABLE

1. FULL PAGE \$1000.00 A YEAR
2. ½ PAGE \$500.00 A YEAR
3. ¼ PAGE \$300.00 A YEAR
4. CORNER \$120.00 A YEAR

ALL ADS will be published at the Shrine, St. Anthony's Parish, Facebook, Church website and will be sent to all registered email members.

If you are interested, please contact office @ 519-322-2282 or via email:  
[stanthony.leafington@maronites.ca](mailto:stanthony.leafington@maronites.ca)

## The Ceremony of the **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**



will take place at  
Our Lady of Lebanon Shrine (weather condition)  
**SUNDAY JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2025.**  
**@ 1:00 PM**  
Please mark your calendar.

## **STATIONS & PROCESSION**

### **OF THE CROSS/درب وزياح الصليب**

Stations & Procession of the Cross  
every Friday. Starting March 7, 2025  
@ 5:00 PM

درب وزياح الصليب  
إبتداءً من نهار الجمعة  
الواقع في ٧ آذار ٢٠٢٥ الساعة ٥:٠٠ مساءً

## **JUBILEE 2025**



## **MASS INTENTION REQUEST**

Mass intentions can be requested on the church website. A donation to the church (e-transfer):

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and honorarium to the priest  
[michel.kassas@maronites.ca](mailto:michel.kassas@maronites.ca) is

appreciated. However, this contribution should not be an obstacle preventing the mass celebration. Thank you.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

**<http://www.stanthonysparish.com/>**





# REGISTER NOW

MARONITE YOUTH  
CONVENTION

# 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> MAY

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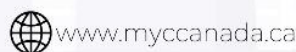
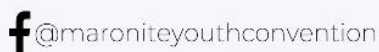
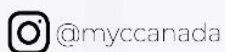


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Maronite Youth Convention  
May 16-18, 2025

**Early Bird: \$230**  
**Regular Price: \$250**

To register, visit our website: [www.myccanada.ca](http://www.myccanada.ca)





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# Theology diploma

The Maronite Institute of Theology and Christian Studies,  
offers for the "Winter 2025" session the course

## DIP-501 Theology of the body (TOB)

1. **Explore** how TOB can renew your understanding of your identity, desires, purpose, and relationships to navigate modern challenges.
2. **Understand** God's original plan for humanity through key concepts such as Original Man, Historical Man, and Eschatological Man.
3. **Reflect** on how TOB ignite the hearts of men & women with the Good News of love, sex, marriage, and the body to live it truly.

course's calender		General info
<i>Hybrid course</i>		
Saturday Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501
Saturday March 1 <sup>st</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501
Saturday March 15 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501
Saturday March 29 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501
Saturday April 12 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501
Thursday Apr 26 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:00am-11:00am (Eastern time)	DIP-501

1- Course fees for Canadians: 50 CAD  
outside Canada: 50 USD, 50 EUR  
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2- Hybrid, classroom and online courses via Zoom App.  
Each registered person who wanted to attend the online course, will receive the link of the lessons by WhatsApp group

Course Teacher: **Mrs. Adeline Khouri**  
Franco-Lebanese and passionate pro-life activist, as well as a certified member of the World Youth Alliance, committed to promoting human dignity. She is a teacher and coach in Theology of the Body (TOB) and collaborates with institutions such as the Bureau Pastoral de la Famille Bkerke to lead TOB initiatives in Lebanon and the Middle East. Additionally, she works with Theology of the Body Educators to spread these teachings internationally.

The course will be delivered through recorded sessions, followed by live discussions on Zoom. It will be conducted in English, with translation into French and Arabic available upon request. The total duration of the course is 18 hours, divided into six sessions of 2 hours each, plus 5 hours of personal work.

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