



May 16th, 2010

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Seventh Sunday of the Resurrection

Abouna Dominique's Corner:

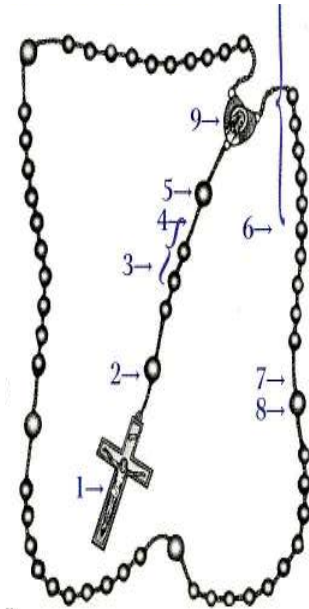
Praying Rosary 2

Since it is the prayer of the Church, praying the Rosary has a structure to it and "rite." I know many of you know that already but it is still a good reminder for all of us

Thus, how to pray the Rosary is the question to be asked:

1. Make the Sign of the Cross and say the "Apostles Creed."
2. Say one "Our Father."
3. Say three "Hail Marys."
4. Say the "Glory be to the Father."
5. Announce the First Mystery, then say the "Our Father."
6. Say ten "Hail Marys," while meditating on the Mystery.
7. Say the "Glory be to the Father." After each decade say the following prayer requested by the Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima: "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of your mercy."

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DIVINE LITURGIES

REQUESTED BY

Saturday, May 15, 2010

Readings: Ephesians 1: 15-23 & John 13: 31-35

5:00 PM Special Intentions

Sunday, May 16, 2010

Readings: Ephesians 1: 15-23 & John 13: 31-35

9:00 AM Special Intentions

11:00 AM Sami Chahrouri

Eileen Chahrouri

Saturday, May 22, 2010

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-12 & John 14: 15-20

5:00 PM Special Intentions

Sunday, May 23, 2010

Readings: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-12 & John 14: 15-20

9:00 AM Caterina Deluca

Marie DiPaola

11:00 AM Jacques Farid Abou Jaoude

Danielle Abou Jaoude

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION IS OFFERED BEFORE EACH LITURGY

Abouna Dominique's Corner

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8. Announce the Second Mystery: then say the "Our Father." Repeat 6 and 7 and continue with the Third, Fourth and Fifth Mysteries in the same manner.

9. Say the 'Hail, Holy Queen' on the medal after the five decades are competed.

As we said last week, as a general rule, depending on the liturgical season, the Joyful Mysteries are said on Monday and Saturday; the Sorrowful Mysteries on Tuesday and Friday, the Glorious Mysteries on Wednesday and Sunday; and the Luminous Mysteries on Thursday. May Mary the Mother of God shield us from all harm and lead us to her Son, Jesus.

Saint Joseph Maronite Catholic Church
hosts their annual
Festival

Come out Sunday
May 16, 2010
12:00 - 5:00 PM

*for Lebanese food, fresh
Saj Bread, Live Music,
Dancing, Kid's games,
Arguile (hookah), and
more ...*

Tickets for Main Course
Adult Platter: \$15
Kids Platter (ages 12 & under): \$10

Free parking and shuttle available at Carter Center
502 Seminole Ave NE, Atlanta GA 30307
Website: www.sjmcc.org ~ Phone: 404.525.2504



RELIGIOUS CLASSES

On Sunday @ 9:50 am

COMMUNION CALLS

For Hospitalized, shut-in or suffering from a long illness.
Call the Priest.

ANOINTING

Contact the Priest for the Sacrament of the Sick.

BAPTISM

Baptism & Confirmation arrangements must be made six weeks in advance.

CROWNING

Marriage arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Bride or groom must be a registered member of the parish. Call the Priest.

HOLY ORDERS

If you would like to serve God by preaching the Word of God, by celebrating the Sacraments and by serving those in need, you may have a vocation to the priesthood. Why not speak to a priest today or contact the Vocations Office @ 404-525-2504

Miscellaneous Events & Announcements

Saint Joseph Festival: The Annual Saint Joseph Festival will be held on May 16. Volunteers are needed to help serving the food and to set up. For more information please see David Nasser and Adel Abi Rached who are co-chairing this year's festival.

Welcome Father Nadim Helou: Father Nadim Helou, the Assistant Pastor at Saint Anthony of the Desert Church in Fall River, MA will be covering for Father Dominique Hanna in June and July. Father Dominique will be in Washington DC continuing his studies in Canon Law at Catholic University of America. Father Nadim will be at Saint Joseph for two months before going to his assignment at Saint George Maronite Church in Uniontown, PA.

The First Meeting of the New Committee: On Friday May 21st, the committee discussing renovating or relocating the Church will meet @ 7:30 pm in the Church Hall. An email was sent out to those who showed interest. Parishioners who are still interested are welcomed to attend.

MYA Picnic: On May 22nd, the Maronite Young Adults of Saint Joseph will have a picnic in Stone Mountain. More details regarding the food, exact location and time to come as we get closer to the event.

MCF Teachers Meeting: On Sunday May 23rd, after the 9 o'clock Liturgy, Fr. Dominique will meet with the teachers of the MCF program to discuss last year's program and assess the areas of strength and growth.

The Convention in Birmingham: The MYA of St. Joseph will be sponsoring a Greyhound Bus to the NAM convention in Birmingham, Alabama, which will depart Friday, July 9th and return Sunday, July 11th. Seats are limited and open to all parishioners attending, so be sure to reserve your spot as soon as possible. Both MYA and MYO members have the chance to ride at no cost; further details will be sent by e-mail and discussed in meetings. For more information regarding registration, schedule, tickets or hotel, please check our parish's Facebook Group, visit namnews.org and talk to Tracy Doueiry or Abouna Dominique.

MYO Retreat: Applications for this year's Maronite Youth Conference on **July 19-24** at St. Vincent College in Latrobe, PA are due **Friday May 28th** with a deposit of \$150.00 per member. For a copy of the application see Al Suman or visit www.maroniteyouth.com Contact Al Suman or Abouna with any questions



- For our military; that the Lord may give them strength and courage. May the Lord help them protect and defend the rights of the innocent. Watch over their loved ones while they are far from home. When they are in harm's way, protect them from injury; We pray to the Lord.
- That we might put our faith in the Lord when we ourselves or family members are confronted with an unexpected pregnancy; We pray to the Lord.
- That this church community may not judge women who have had abortions but rather encourage to seek forgiveness and healing ; We pray to the Lord.
- That we may live out our vocation to be ambassadors for Christ by spreading the message that each human life is sacred; We pray to the Lord.
- For the sick, the suffering and the elderly of our community, especially **Eva Solomon, Almas Tanory, Francois Khalil, Tony Rouhanan, Jeff Faded, Josphine Dahdah, Eva Green** We pray to the Lord.