



ST. ANN MELKITE GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Intentions This Weekend:

- **Saturday Liturgy:** For peace in Lebanon.
- **Sunday Liturgy:** For the repose of the soul of Mary Dib. May her Memory Be Eternal!

Please pray for: Ron and Mary Talge, Bobby Dib, Father Ed Kakaty, Marino De La Cruz, Nick Rahal, Gail Facas, Jerry Kaufman, Daniel Conigliaro, Carol Shasha, George Abbiati, Jr; Michael Flaherty, Mary Jane Facas; Amal Karam.

This Weekend	Saturday: John Jalonski	Sunday: Rose LaFleur		
Next Weekend	Saturday: Joumana Hajj	Sunday: Michelle Habib		
February 29	33	gave	\$606.00	In addition to the offertory: \$145 for candles. \$107 for Clothing Shed, \$38 for last month's Bake Sale, and a \$50 donation for last month's Pasta Dinner. Also, a donor, who wishes to remain anonymous, gave \$1,100. Included in the offertory was \$130 for the Building Fund and \$1 for Fuel.
March 1	60	gave	\$1,008.00	
<i>Thanks to all who always make up their missed envelope, including fuel and building fund!</i>				

Religious Education: 3:00 pm to 3:30 pm-Arabic Class. 3:30pm to 5:00 pm-Religious Education: March 21; April 4 and 18; May 2. Please contact Joumana Hajj for details.

Bishop's Appeal: Please give to the annual Bishop's Appeal. You have until **March 31** to contribute. **Please make your checks out to the Diocese of Newton. Please be sure to indicate that you are from St Ann, Waterford, CT. Please mail to the Office of the Economos, 802 Rifle Camp Road, Woodland Park, New Jersey, 07424. Thank you—Father Dennis**

NOTE: The Lenten Brunch scheduled for Sunday, March 15, has been postponed. A breakfast will be scheduled on another date once arrangements are complete.

Upcoming observances, events, and notes:

Next Sunday: Remember Me in Your Kingdom Memorial.

Great Lent: Services for March:

- Tuesday, March 10, 6:30: Presanctified Liturgy.
- Friday, March 13, 6:30: Great Compline and Akathist.
- Monday, March 16, 6:30: Presanctified Liturgy
- Friday, March 20, 6:30: Great Compline and Akathist
- Wednesday, March 25, 6:30: Liturgy: Feast of the Annunciation
- Friday, March 27, 6:30 Great Compline and Akathist.

- **Parish Council Meeting:** Saturday, March 7 after Liturgy.
- **Sanctuary Lamp for March:** In memory of Charles Facas, Sr., by Gloria and John Jeffords.

200 Club: Last month's winners: \$50 George and Beverly Homsey; \$25 Barbara Facas; \$10 Joumana Hajj; \$10 Father Ed Kakaty; \$10 Ed Najim. Next drawing will be after Liturgy on Sunday, March 22.

Coffee Hour: Please join us after Sunday Liturgy for coffee, goodies, conversation, and fellowship. **Please bring a snack to share.**