



ST. ANN MELKITE GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH
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| Pastor: Father Dennis McCarthy Email: abounadennis@gmail.com Cell phone: 860 287 0677 Deacon: Georges Haddad | April 26, 2020 Sunday of The Ointment Bearing Woman |
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Intentions This Weekend:

- **Saturday Liturgy: Cancelled due to Corona Virus.**
 - **Sunday Liturgy: Celebrated by Father Dennis and live streamed.** 40 Day Memorial for Robert Dib. May his Memory Be Eternal! Requested by Joumana Hajj. Also, for the blessing of Michelle Habib and John Brodeur, who will be getting married on May 23 at Holy Transfiguration Church in Virginia.

Please pray for: Ron and Mary Talge, Marino De La Cruz, Nick Rahal, Gail Facas, Jerry Kaufman, Daniel Conigliaro, Carol Shasha, George Abbiati, Jr, Michael Flaherty, Sandy Flaherty, Mary Jane Facas, Amal Karam, Helen Villani, Anna Villani, Father Saba Shofany.

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| This Weekend | Saturday: Cancelled | Sunday: Cancelled | | | |
| Next Weekend | Saturday: Cancelled | Sunday: Cancelled | | | |
| April 19 Sunday of St. Thomas: Collection. | | | \$3,395.00 | In addition to the offertory: \$301 for candles. Also, a donor, who wishes to remain anonymous, gave \$1,500 this week. Included in the offertory was \$20 for the Holy Land, \$10 or Sheppard's Care and \$15 for the Building Fund. | <i>Thanks to all who always make up their missed envelope, including fuel and building fund!</i> |

Religious Education: Cancelled due to the Corona Virus.

Upcoming observances, events, and notes:

- **Sanctuary Lamp for April: Sponsored by Albert and Jamal Doro.** For everyone suffering from the Corona Virus and for all cancer patients and their families and friends, who do so much to support them.

- All services are cancelled, due to the Corona Virus, until we are safe to gather. Please check our Face Book and New Website, for live streaming and recordings of the services that are conducted with Father Dennis, the camera operators, and the cantors.

Thanks! I would like to thank **Paul Zalonski** and **Gerard Massad**, for making it possible for us to broadcast our services through their equipment and expertise. Their work has been tremendous. Father Dennis

Thank you! Thank you to all who are mailing your donations, asking me to pick them up at their houses, delivering them to our door, and dropping them off in the mailbox, and the St. Jude Shrine collection box. I know many have lost their jobs, and it is so wonderful to see the devotion that you have to keep the church functioning. **We are receiving donations from friends of the church, who do not normally attend, but are concerned that our finances will be stable.** Father Dennis

To Our Anonymous Donor: May God bless this child of God. This sweet soul is donating a minimum of \$1500 a week to our parish! This person wants no recognition at all. Gifts of food are also regularly donated at the rectory door. Thank God for the generosity and commitment to our parish.

Remember: We are live streaming the Divine Liturgy every Sunday at 10am. This is on both Facebook and our Website. If you miss the Liturgy, it is being recorded, so that you can see it anytime after 11:30 am on Sundays.

Confession: If you want to receive this Holy Sacrament, contact Father Dennis and we can conduct it in a safe manner at the Church.

May God be with us and protect us all! Father Dennis