

ST. ANN MELKITE GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH	
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Pastor: Father Dennis McCarthy Email: abounadennis@gmail.com Cell phone: 860 287 0677	<b>January 19, 2025</b> <b>12th Sunday After the Holy Cross</b>

**Intentions:**

**Saturday:** For the peace, health, and salvation of Albert and Jamal Doro. This is requested by Father Dennis and Lisa.

**Sunday:** For the repose of the soul of Takla Hage. This is requested by Albert and Jamal Doro.

**NOTES AND UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Bishop’s Appeal:** The Bishop’s Appeal has been extended to January 31, 2025. If you have not donated, please consider giving. The final totals will be announced in February. Thanks to all for being so generous. If you need information on how to donate, please contact Father Dennis.

**Solar Energy:** Father Dennis is engaged in exploration with two companies, and the Eparchy. I also have a contact, who was the second in command at Milestone Nuclear Power Plant, until he recently retired. He did extensive research before picking a provider for his home.. Electric Bills keep going up. It is time for us to fight back. I will present my research to the parish council for a decision. If anyone wants to help me in this project, please let me know. I do need help. Thanks, Father Dennis

**Financial update; bills paid this week: Uncas Gas: \$449.54**

We spent \$449.54 for the week. We collected in total \$2,793.46.. Our surplus for the week was \$2,343.92. **Our surplus for this fiscal year is \$2,299.30. The fiscal year began on September 1, 2024.**

Thank you all for your generosity last week. It really helped. Father Dennis

This Weekend	Saturday Reader: Volunteer		Sunday Reader: Volunteer	Thanks to all who always make up their missed envelope, including Fuel and Building Fund.
Next Weekend	Saturday Reader: Volunteer		Sunday Reader: Volunteer	
January 12, 2025	Donated at the two Liturgies: \$1,020.00	Attendance: 38 Adults and 6 Children	In addition to the collection: \$270.00 for candles, \$473.46 from the clothing shed for November, December, and January. Additionally, \$1,030.00 in Memorial Donations in memory of Takla Hage.	

We had a beautiful Funeral Service for our dear Talka Hage on Wednesday. I would like to thank the following people , who donated a total of \$930. to the church in memory of Takla. The church was full, which is a testament to her life and how much she is loved. May Takla’s memory be eternal! If I spelled some names incorrectly, and it is because it was hard to read some of the names on the donation envelopes. I apologize. Father Dennis

- ❖ Abroze Gharios
- ❖ Afif and Ivanette Hage
- ❖ Gabriel and Joumana Hajj
- ❖ Bassil Youakim and Family
- ❖ Habib and Sandra Serhan
- ❖ Danielle Hage
- ❖ Nicholas Sroar and Family
- ❖ Rachel Sroar and Family
- ❖ Pierre and Saide Hage and Family
- ❖ John and Maha Hanna
- ❖ Gorge and Lina Hage
- ❖ Joseph Hage
- ❖ Abdellah and Lorette Hanna
- ❖ John and Saloma Mournayan
- ❖ Ghassan and Katia Hage
- ❖ Anonymous
- ❖ Gary Hage
- ❖ Father Dennis and Lisa