

ST. ANN MELKITE GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH 41 Cross Rd, Waterford, CT 06385 http://www.stannmelkitechurch.org860-442-2211	
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**Intentions:**

**Saturday’s Divine Liturgy:** For the repose of the soul of Brian Matusz. May his memory be eternal! This is requested by Anna and Raymond Sobanski.

Also, the Liturgy is offered for Lily Suntup, who is suffering constant discomfort from long – term COVID.

**Sunday’s Divine Liturgy:** For the repose of the soul of Janet Marie Jackson. May her memory be eternal! This is requested by Anna and Raymond Sobanski.

Also, the Liturgy is offered for Lily Suntup, who is suffering constant discomfort from long – term COVID.

**NOTES AND UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Sanctuary Lamp:** In October, it is lighted for the repose of the soul of Mary Facas. This is requested by Jeff Jeffords and his late wife Gloria.

**Big Thanks!** Thank you so much to Jack Hage, Gabriel Hajj, and Joumana Hage. On their own initiative, they came to the church on Wednesday, October 1st. Jack had his John Deere tractor and lawnmower. Jack mowed the lawn, removed the large Grecian urns on the side of the church, and removed the two trees at the bottom of the drive way. One tree was dead and both trees made it difficult to see traffic on Cross Road. Gabriel weed-wacked the entire property and he cemented portions of the handicapped entrance way into the side of the church. Joumana used the blower to clean the parking area of pine needles and leaves and participated in all tasks. She also organized the entire effort. Jack then mowed the lawn. They were here for 5 hours. I cannot tell you how much this helped me. Father Dennis

**200 Club:**

Our new year for the 200 Club begins in on October 25. If you wish to participate please give your money to Father Dennis. You can also put it in the collection. Make sure it is in an envelope, with your name on it, marked “200 Club”. It is \$60.00 for the year. We currently have 28 people participating. We needed 21 people to break even. We pay out \$105.00 per month. With 28 people participating, we will make a profit of \$420.00 for the year. If you signed up and have not given your \$60.00, please do so by next Sunday.

September winners are:

- \$50: Joanne Moukawsher
- \$25: Joe Doro
- \$10: John Dorunda
- \$10: Gail Facas
- \$10: Gerard Massad

Your checks will be mailed to your homes this week.

**Financial update:** The following is a summary of last week’s of income and expenses:

**Income:**

- Candles: \$202.00
- Clothing Shed: \$139.85
- Hall Rental: \$799.00
- Regular Collection: \$1,500.00
- Total: : \$2,640.85

**Expenses:**

- Catholic Mutual Property Insurance: \$1,500.00
- City of New London: \$176.90 for quarterly Water Bill
- Food: \$96.37
- Lawn Fertilizer and Lime: \$244.28
- Clergy Conference: \$27.00 for parking at airport
- Hall Upkeep: \$71.74 for coffee cups, toilet paper, paper towels, and Drano for clogged toilet
- Total: \$2,116.29

We had a surplus last week of \$524.56. We had 42 adults and 6 children attend the two Divine Liturgies last weekend.