ST. ANN MELKITE GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH 41 Cross Rd, Waterford, CT 06385 http://www.stannmelkitechurch.org 860-442-2211	
Pastor: Father Dennis McCarthy Email: abounadennis@gmail.com Cell phone: 860 287 0677	**February 22, 2026** **Sunday of Orthodoxy**

Intentions:

- **Saturday, Divine Liturgy:** Cancelled due to Father Dennis's injury.

- **Sunday, Divine Liturgy**: The Liturgy will offered for Annabelle Petercheff on the occasion of her 10th birthday (March 4) , the granddaughter of Anna and Raymond Sobanski. Also, the Liturgy is offered for Mike and Rita Petercheff on the occasion of their wedding anniversary. These are requested by Anna and Raymond Sobanski.

NOTES AND UPCOMING EVENTS:

Upcoming Memorial Services/ Liturgy Intentions:

- **Saturday, February 28, 2026:** Divine Liturgy for the repose of the souls of Abla Feghaly Jabbour (14 years) and the anniversary of Elias Jabbour and Jacqueline Jabbour Matta; the mother, father, and sister of Joumana Hajj. May their memories be eternal! This is requested by Joumana.

- **Spaghetti and Meatball Fundraiser**. Postponed to a later date due to bad weather and Father Dennis's injury.

Shepherd's Care Mite Boxes: They are on the table in the back of the church.

200 Club: The January drawing was delayed. The results were:

- $50: Anna Sobanski
- $25: Gerard Massad
- $10: Faouzi Hage, Tony Gharios, Nicholas Moukawsher

The February results were:

- $50: Patrick Moukawsher
- $25: Anna Sobanski
- $10:Michael El Khoury, Joe Doro, Betty Antipoff

Financial update: The following is a summary of income and expenses over the last week:

Income:

- Candles: $108.00
- Hall Rental/Barn Rental: $394.00
- Memorial: $100.00
- Regular Collection: $2,325.00
- Total: $2,927.00

Expenses:

- No bills were due last week

We had a surplus last week of $2,927.00. For the two Liturgies, we had 52 adults and 3 children attend.

Great Lent begins on Sunday evening, February 15 at 5:30 PM with Forgiveness Vespers, then:

Wednesday, February 18 at 5:30 PM: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy; **cancelled**
Friday, February 20 at 5:30 PM: Akathist Hymn; **cancelled**
Wednesday, February 25 at 5:30 PM: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy; **cancelled**
Friday, February 27 at 5:30 PM: Great Compline; **cancelled**
Wednesday, March 4 at 5:30 PM: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy; **cancelled**
Friday, March 6 at 5:30 PM: Akathist Hymn; **cancelled**
Wednesday, March11 at 5:30 PM: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy
Friday, March 13 at 5:30 PM: Great Compline
Wednesday, March18 at 5:30 PM: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy
Friday, March 20 at 5:30 PM: Akathist Hymn
Wednesday, March 25 at 5:30 PM: Divine Liturgy, Annunciation of the Mother of God
Friday, March 27 at 5:30 PM: Final Akathist
Saturday, March 28 at 5:00 PM: Lazarus Saturday
Sunday, March 29 at 10:00AM: Palm Sunday

Note: We will have a Pot Luck dinner with appropriate Lenten foods, after services on Friday nights.

The Holy Week schedule will be forthcoming!