

PVIRGIN MARY COMMUNITY

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Sunday Prayers: Orthros 10.15 a.m. Liturgy 11:00 a.m.

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VIRGIN MARY COMMUNITY: is a Melkite-Greek Catholic Community of the Eparchy of Newton headed by His Grace, Bishop Nicholas. Liturgical services are in Arabic and English. The Eparchy (Diocese) is a part of the Patriarchate of Antioch, headed by His Beatitude, Gregorios VI. "...and in Antioch the disciples were for first time called Christians" Acts 11:26). The Melkite-Greek Catholic Church maintains communion with the Roman Catholic Church.

LITURGY COMMEMORATIONS: if you would like to commemorate someone at the Divine Liturgy please call the Community Office no later the Thursday at 12 noon. It is not possible to commemorate anyone once the Preparation Service on Sunday has been completed as the commemorative particles have already been cut and placed on the Patina. Thank you for your cooperation.

you know someone in need of prayers please notify Fr. Paul so that they can added to our prayer list.

يُرجى تقديم أسماء الاشخاص المراد ذكرهم في القديس قبل يوم الخميس ظهرًا، لكي يتم إضافتهم إلى نشرة الأحد، أو قبل القديس مباشرة ليتّم ذكرهم أثناء تهيئة القرايين (الذبيحة).

READ AHEAD: Epistle Reading for next Sunday, is from St. Paul's letter to أهل كولوسي COLOSSIANS 3:4-11 Chapter 3 Verses 4 Thru 11; the Gospel Reading is from the Evangelist لوقا **Luke 14: 16-24** Chapter 14, Verses 16 Thru 24.

REGARDING INFIRM AND HOME BOUND VISITATION: Please remember that if a member of our Community is in the hospital or confined to home because of illness or advancing age, Father very much wants to and should bring the confined person the Holy Mysteries on a regular basis. It is also recommended that one receive the Anoint of the Sick *before* and major surgery or as needed due to serious illness. Please do not hesitate to let Father Paul know that a parishioner is ill or home bound and would like a visit.

الرجاء، في حالة المرض والوفاة غير ذلك... أن يسارع المؤمنون إلى إبلاغ الأب بولس للمساهمة في إنجاز الخدمة الروحية والإنسانية والاجتماعية في الكنيسة.

Mail & E-MAILS RETURNED: Many Mail & e-mails are being returned to us. If you didn't receive any e-mails, please send to us the correct address

يرجى إعلامنا في حالة تغيير الإيميل أو العنوان لتصحيح البيانات الخاصة بكم.

Christ is in Born! Glorify Him!

Virgin Mary Eastern Catholic Community

إرساليّة العذراء مريم للكاتوليك الشرقيين

Serving Temecula Sunday, Dec. 23, 2018



Sunday Before the Nativity of our Lord – Genealogy

On the Sunday that occurs on or immediately after the eighteenth of this month, we celebrate all those who from ages past have been well-pleasing to God, beginning from Adam even unto Joseph the Betrothed of the Most Holy Theotokos, according to genealogy, as the Evangelist Luke hath recorded historically (Luke 3:23-38); we also commemorate the Prophets and Prophetesses, and especially the Prophet Daniel and the Holy Three Children.



أحد النسبة

في يوم الأحد الواقع بعد السابع عشر من هذا الشهر

مباشرة، نقيم تذكّار جميع أبرار العهد القديم، من ابراهيم خليل الله إلى يوسف الصّديق خطيب والدة الإله الفاقة القداسة، وليس هذا التذكّار إلا امتداداً لتذكّار أجداد المسيح الإله الذي نقيمه يوم أحد الأجداد.

فبشفاعة "صلوات" والدة الاله وقديسيك. أيها الربُّ إلهنا ارحمنا وخلصنا. آمين

23 DECEMBER

THE BISHOP'S APPEAL: Give thanks to God for the Divine Gift of His Son and for all the blessings you received in 2018 by giving a generous gift to our Melkite Eparchy. The annual Bishop's Appeal officially ends in all our parishes on 31 December 2018.

REMEMBER THE MELKITE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL: Give a lasting gift for future generations of Melkites in America. Simply add the following statement to your last will and testament: ***I hereby bequeath to the Melkite Eparchy of Newton***

the following sum: \$_____. Contact Bishop Nicholas personally to inform him of your generous bequest: 3 VFW Parkway, West Roxbury, MA 02132.

Mark on your calendar

1- Please, only for Christmas Eve,

if you want to remind the names of your beloveds' departures you should be present at Divine Liturgy on Christmas Eve!

2- Christmas Eve will be on Monday evening 24 of Dec. 6:00 pm Orthros – 7:00 pm Divine Liturgy.

VIRGIN MARY Mission, The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom is celebrated for **the departed servant of God: ...** ; also for the **health and salvation** of, Shaha Brek, Nelly Jarrous, Laila Perko, Johny Lawo, Samia Sayegh, Layla, Cynthia Fakhouri, Also for peace in Iraq, Syria, and Ukraine; for the release of the captive Archbishops Boulos and Yohanna, and for an increase in the number of workers in the Lord's Vineyard.

REMINDER: Attending the Divine Liturgy is never optional. Our O LORD GOD, BLESS THE SACRIFICIAL WORSHIP & STEWARDSHIP OF YOUR FAITHFUL SERVANTS

Sunday of Dec 16, 2018 Attendance 40

Christmas Party 2018
Expensive 8797.26
Donation 20880
Net Donation 12082.74

Sunday Collection Donation
423

Total Tithes and sacrificial Offerings and others "Deposit" \$ 12505.74

Thank you for your ongoing generous donations

Dear our Parishioners,

Tithe: Represents 10% of our gross income returned to God. Sacrificial giving represents a gift that is a true sacrifice for us to give.

أيد يا رب كنيسةك المقدسة ، وأرسل إليها الفعلة الصالحين الذين تحتاج إليهم في كل زمان ، لكي ينشروا محبتك ورسالتك بين البشر . هب الوالدين روح التضحية ليُكرسوا اولادهم لخدمتك . وأعطِ الشبيبة مزيداً من السخاء ليُلبوا بفرح دعوتك . واجمعنا وإياهم يوماً في نعيمك السماوي ، لكي نشكرك ونُمددك بلا انقطاع الى دهر الدهارين . آمين.

Act of Contrition

O my God,

I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest

all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven, and the pains of hell;

but most of all because they offend Thee, my God,

Who are all good and deserving of all my love.

I firmly resolve, with the help of Thy grace,

to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life.

Amen.

فعل الندامة

يا ربي وإلهي، أنا نادم من كل قلبي على جميع خطاياي، لأنني بالخطيئة خسرتُ نفسي والخيرات الأبدية، واستحققت العذابات الجهنمية.

وبالأكثر أنا نادم، لأنني أغظتكَ وأهنتكَ، أنت ربي وإلهي المستحق كل كرامة ومحبة.

ولهذا السبب أبغض الخطيئة فوق كل شر.

وأريد بنعمتك أن أموت، قبل أن أغيظك فيما بعد.

وأقصد أن أهرب من كل سبب خطيئة، وأن أفي بقدر استطاعتي عن الخطايا التي فعلتها. آمين.

Sample company dress code.

-All employees must be clean and well-groomed.

-Employees must avoid clothes with stamps that are offensive or inappropriate.

-All clothes must be work-appropriate. Clothes that are typical in workouts and outdoor activities aren't allowed.

-All clothes must be clean and in good shape. Discernible rips, tears or holes aren't allowed.

-All clothes must project professionalism. Clothes that are too revealing or inappropriate aren't allowed.

-Avoid overly casual denim cuts, like cutoffs or flare jeans. Skirts should remain at knee-length.

-Nicely fitted tops and blouses, although shirts should never be tight or revealing.

Church clothing should at least meet if not exceed these guidelines.