

Saint Naamtallah Hardini Catholic Church

The greatest is he that can save his soul



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July 12th, 2026



This Sunday:

8th Sunday of Pentecost

The readings for this week:

Is 42:1-8

Rom 8:1-11

Mt 12:14-21

Mass Schedule

- Mass is every Sunday 10:30 AM
- Confession available before and after Mass
- **Mass Intentions:** Available

Collection

- Last Sunday : \$381
- On line donation : \$350

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Reflection

This week reflection on Paul and Timothy.



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Paul and Timothy

Paul and Timothy came together later in the ministry of Saint Paul among the Gentiles. The others who came to help Paul were Jewish. Timothy is not Jewish, but he became circumcised when he worked among the Jews, the sign of the old covenant, so that the gospel could be preached with greater freedom in the different synagogues through the whole world. Paul writes two letters to Timothy and writes to him with tender love as a father to a son.

Timothy was a young man when he joined Paul in his ministry. He was from Lystra and Iconium in Turkey. He was a Gentile, but to serve with Paul, he became circumcised so that he would be more accepted among the Jews that he would preach to in these areas. His mother was Jewish and a convert and his father was a pagan. Because Timothy was praised by many people for being a faithful and strong Christian, Paul accepted him in the mission. Eventually, Timothy became a true son to Paul. Paul made him bishop of Ephesus, a very important town that is known as the home place for John and where he took care of Mary the mother of Jesus. Paul wrote two letters to Timothy because he was so important for establishing and growing the churches that Paul started with Barnabas and Silas, and in other places as well.

Mass & Event Schedule 2026

Saint Hardini - Maronite Mass Schedules

Sunday's Mass 10:30 AM

January 1st	11:00 AM	New Year
January 6th	7:00 PM	Epiphany
January 22nd	7:00 pm	St. Sharbel
February 6th	12:00pm	First Friday
February 9th	7:00 PM	St. Maron
February 16th	7:00pm	Ash Monday
February 20th	7:00 pm	Station of the Cross
February 27th	7:00 PM	Station of the Cross
March 6th	12:00 PM	First Friday
March 6th	7:00 PM	Station of the Cross
March 13th	7:00 PM	Station of the Cross
March 20th	7:00 PM	Station of the Cross
March 27th	7:00 PM	Station of the Cross
March 30th	7:00 PM	Holy Week
March 31st	7:00 PM	Holy Week
April 1st	7:00 PM	Holy Week
April 2nd	7:00 PM	Holy Thursday
April 3rd	7:00 PM	Great Friday
April 4th	6:00 PM	Easter Vigil Mass
April 22nd	7:00 PM	St. Sharbel
May 1st	12:00pm	First Friday
May 14th	7:00 PM	The Ascension
May 22nd	7:00PM	St. Sharbel
June 5th	12:00 PM	First Friday
June 22nd	7:00 PM	St. Sharbel
July 3rd	12:00 PM	First Friday
July 23rd	7:00pm	St. Sharbel
August 7th	12:00 PM	First Friday
September 4th	12:00 PM	First Friday
September 22nd	7:00 PM	St. Sharbel
October 3rd	12:00 PM	First Friday
October 22nd	7:00 PM	St. Sharbel
November 6th	12:00 PM	First Friday
December 4th	12:00 PM	First Friday
December 8th	7:00 PM	The Immaculate Conception
December 14th	7:00 PM	St. Naamtallah
December 24th	4:00 PM	Vigil of the Glorious Birth
December 25th	10:30 AM	Christmas

ST. NAAMTALLAH HARDINI EVENT CALENDAR

14-21 SAT-SAT Maamoul Orders
MARCH

29 SUN Palm Sunday Breakfast / Egg Hunt
MARCH

12 SUN First Holy Communion
APRIL

9 SAT Mother's Day Banquet
MAY

21 SUN Father's Day Picnic
JUNE

30 SUN Summer Food Festival
AUGUST

12 SAT St. Hardini Feast Day Party
DECEMBER

20 SUN Breakfast with Santa
DECEMBER

Saint Naamtallah Prayer



Saint Naamtallah, man of God, monk, priest, teacher, worker, servant, and Prior who lived heroically according to the evangelical counsels of obedience, chastity, and poverty. You made the mystery of the Eucharist the center of your daily life and taught your disciples and brothers the theological virtues of faith, hope, and charity. You managed with responsibility and humility the ministries entrusted to you by the Church, and you worked silently and diligently. You served people and souls with joy and selflessness.

We implore you to intercede for us with the Holy Trinity, that He may grant us to be guided by your example, to follow in your footsteps, and to strive as you did, and to attain the same holiness and union with our Lord Jesus Christ. May we listen, like you, to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit, and love, as you did, the Virgin Mary, the Mother of God and our Mother, and glorify with you God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit forever. Amen.

ايها القديس نعمة الله، الراهب، وكاهن، المعلم وامدير، العامل والخادم، با من عشت بطولة المشورات الانجيلية، الطاعة والعفة والفقر، وجعلت محور حياتك اليومية سر الافخارستيا، وعلمت تلاميذك واخوتك الفضائل الالهية، اليمان والرجاء والمحبة، ودبرت بمسؤولية وتواضع ما اسندت اليك الكنيسة من خدم، وعملت بصمت وجدية، وخدمت الناس والنفوس نسالك ان تشفع لنا لدى الثالوت القدوس فيمنحنا ان نهتدي بفرح ومجانية وتبلغ مابلغتمن قداسة واتحاد بربنا. ونسعى مسعاك. ونقتفي خطاك. بيمتلك ونصغي نظيرك الى الهامات الروح القدوس ونحب مثلك يسوع المسيح العزراء مريم ام الله امنا ونمجد معك الله الاب والابن والروح القدوس الى الابد
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Upcoming Events



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Executive Board Member of the
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Hosted by the Maronite Foundation
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the Holy Spirit University of Kaslik
(USEK)

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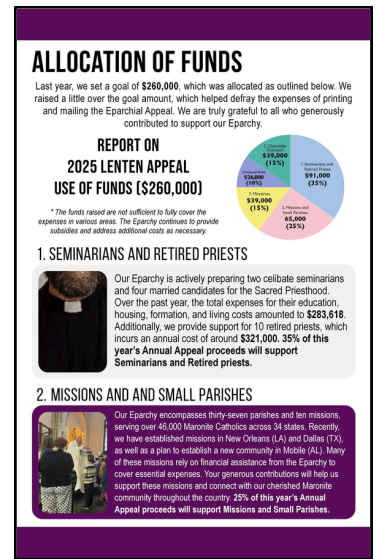
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Join us to help build the future of the Maronite Church by supporting the education of our seminarians and showing our appreciation by providing proper care for our retired priests.

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or call the Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon of Los Angeles at (818) 626-9193.

If you are interested in becoming
a Priest or Religious Sister, contact Vocations
Director, Chorbishop Donald J. Sawyer, D. Min.
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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS

Last year, we set a goal of **\$260,000**, which was allocated as outlined below. We raised a little over the goal amount, which helped defray the expenses of printing and mailing the Eparchial Appeal. We are truly grateful to all who generously contributed to support our Eparchy.

REPORT ON 2025 LENTEN APPEAL USE OF FUNDS (\$260,000)

Category	Amount	Percentage
Seminarians and Retired Priests	\$191,000	73%
Missions and Small Parishes	\$69,000	27%

*The funds raised are not sufficient to fully cover the expenses in various areas. The Eparchy continues to provide subsidies and address additional costs as necessary.

1. SEMINARIANS AND RETIRED PRIESTS

Our Eparchy is actively preparing two celibate seminarians and four married candidates for the Sacred Priesthood. Over the past year, the total expenses for their education, housing, formation, and living costs amounted to **\$283,618**. Additionally, we provide support for 10 retired priests, which incurs an annual cost of around **\$321,000**. 35% of this year's Annual Appeal proceeds will support Seminarians and Retired priests.

2. MISSIONS AND SMALL PARISHES

Our Eparchy encompasses thirty-seven parishes and ten missions, serving over 46,000 Maronite Catholics across 34 states. Recently, we have established missions in New Orleans (LA) and Dallas (TX), as well as a plan to establish a new community in Mobile (AL). Many of these missions rely on financial assistance from the Eparchy to cover essential expenses. Your generous contributions will help us support these missions and connect with our cherished Maronite community throughout the country. 25% of this year's Annual Appeal proceeds will support Missions and Small Parishes.



**Virtual Men's Maronite
Discernment
Group**

Have you ever found yourself wondering, **"What's my purpose in life? Which direction should I take?"** You are not alone.

Your path is waiting. Are you ready to take the first step? Join men from across the country for an incredible journey of discernment, community and prayer.

Scan the QR Code to Register!

If you feel called to the priesthood, this is your chance to explore God's plan for you.

Don't delay. Join **today** and take the next step toward discovering the life you're meant to live.

When: Twice a Month
Where: ZOOM

For any inquiries, email Chorbishop Don J. Sawyer, D. Min. frsawyer@outlook.com

Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon of Los Angeles
Office of Vocations and Ministries



2026 NATIONAL MYO CONFERENCE

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THE ANSWERS YOU NEED

JUN 23 **JUN 28**

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Registration and more info are available at
www.maroniteyouth.org



The Robert Atallah Innovation Challenge

NAM PITCH DAY startup EVENT

**ONE PITCH.
ONE WINNER.
\$20,000
GRAND PRIZE**

NAM Pitch Day is your chance to showcase your business idea or startup to a panel of industry experts, investors, and community leaders — and compete for funding, visibility, and mentorship.

**JULY 4, 2026 AT THE
MARONITE CONVENTION**

**WINNER WILL BE
ANNOUNCED AT THE
GRAND BANQUET**

- Build valuable business relationships
- Share ideas and exchange insights
- Discover opportunities & collaborations

Applicants Must Register for the
NAM Convention pitchday@namarites.org

Winner Must be Present at
the Grand Banquet

Pope Leo loves the Eastern rite churches, and how esteems the Liturgy.
<https://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/en/bollettino/pubblico/2025/05/14/250514a.html>

The twelve mortal sins by Pope Leo:
https://youtu.be/IRGP3F_e28c?si=KxPn4rD7DE34P

Petition Link: <https://chng.it/njBTJ8Mch>

Vocation

A Light To Our Maronite Church

The Maronite Servants of Christ the Light are a congregation of consecrated religious serving the Church in the parish as spiritual mothers in imitation of Mary, radiating the Light of Christ in their life of contemplative prayer, asceticism, and apostolic mission to children, youth, young adults, families, the sick, dying, and grieving... We serve alongside the priest in pastoral ministry reaching out with a maternal touch to the many needs of the parish family.

"I am the servant of the Lord. Let it be done to me according to Your word."
Luke 1:38



<https://www.maroniteservants.org/#:~:text=A%20Light%20To,Luke%201:38>

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