

Saint Naamtallah Hardini Catholic Church

The greatest is he that can save his soul



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This Sunday:

Third Sunday after Holy Cross

The readings for this week:

Daniel 7:9-14

Philippians 3:17-4:1

Matthew 24:23-31

Mass Schedule

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

Collection

- Last Sunday : \$635
- On line donation :

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Reflection

*Our reflection this week is on **Mary, Mother of the Church: A journey through the women of the bible.***

God promises Abraham that Sarah, his wife, would give birth to a son. But Sarah was infertile. God has always revealed His grace and faithfulness through His word. Since Sarah was infertile, they went to Hagar, a fertile woman, to bear that son for Abraham. Hagar was not the woman chosen by God to bear a son as promised. The way of God is different from the way of human beings. The blessing of God comes through what was impossible for Abraham and Sarah to do.

Deborah was a prophetess, a woman of faith. She believed in God and His faithfulness. God allowed His power to save His people through her. God saved the people from Sisera and the Canaanite army through Deborah. God worked powerfully through the woman Deborah to reveal His love for His people.

Queen Mothers started outside Israel. The Epic of Gilgamesh honors Ninsun, the king Gilgamesh's mother. The role of Queen Mother in the Old Testament is important. The first Queen Mother was Bathsheba, King Solomon's mother. Also, the mother of King Lemuel is mentioned. The Queen Mother gave advice to her son and interceded for the people. Because the Queen Mother is close to her son, her requests are powerful and rarely denied. The Queen Mother supports her son as King.

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.

أيها القديس نعمة الله، الراهب، والكاهن، المعلم والمدبر، العامل والخادم. يا من عشت بطولة المشورات الإنجيلية، الطاعة والعفة والفقر، وجعلت محور حياتك اليومية سر الإفخارستيا، وعلمت تلاميذك وإخوتك الفضائل الإلهية، الإيمان والرجاء والمحبة، ودبرت بمسؤولية وتواضع ما أسندت إليك الكنيسة من خدم، وعملت بصمت وجدية، وخدمت الناس والنفوس. نسألك أن تشفع لنا لدى الثالوث القدوس، فيمنحنا أن نهتدي بفرح ومجانية. و نبلغ ما بلغت من قداسة واتحاد برينا. ونسعى مسعاك، ونقتدي خطاك بمثلك ونصغي نظيرك الى إلهامات الروح القدوس ونحب مثلك يسوع المسيح و العذراء مريم أم الله آمنا، و نمجد معك الله الآب والإبن والروح القدوس إلى الأبد. آمين

Upcoming Events



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If you are interested in becoming
a Priest or Religious Sister, contact Vocations
Director, Chorbishop Donald J. Sawyer, D. Min.
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*Virtual Men's Maronite
Discernment
Group*

Have you ever found yourself wondering,
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Are you ready to take the first step?
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**When: Twice a Month
Where: ZOOM**

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



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/IR6P3F_e28c?si=XePrg4rD7DE34P

Petition Link: <https://chnge.it/njbTTJ8Mch>

Upcoming Events



Eparchy of Our Lady of
Lebanon of Los Angeles

Pilgrimage to Lebanon at the Occasion of the Ordination of Archbishop-Elect sharbel Maroun with Bishop A. Elias Zaidan



REQUIREMENTS

- \$1,000 Deposit Required Per Person or registration/space cannot be guaranteed
- Departure from the U.S. on January 2, 2027 to arrive in Lebanon by January 3, 2027
- Full Pilgrimage amount due by November 30, 2026

TO RESERVE

Call: Ivette Jackson: 323-336-3168
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8 Days - 7 Nights
January 2 to 10, 2027

Package includes:

- Stay at 4 Star Hotels
- All Meals and Tips
- Visits to important sites
- English Speaking Guide
- Ordination Attendance
- All transportation (to/from airport, hotel, & sites)
- Entrance Fees

\$1,500
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Flights to/from the United States to Lebanon Round Trip need to be booked separately.



Come and see!

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**NOVEMBER
6, 7 & 8, 2026**



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REGISTER HERE

Upcoming Events

"The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few."

Hearing God's call in a world where there is so much noise is never easy. Nonetheless, we know there are men in our parishes called to the priesthood. Can we help them hear this call?

Let us increase our efforts to discern with them, to the best of our abilities, and put them on the right path. In this way we will be privileged to accompany men who show signs of a vocation to the priesthood, as well as promote the beauty of the priesthood in all that we do.

The Office of Vocations of the Eparchy of Our Lady of Lebanon and the Eparchy of Saint Maron, will be holding a discernment weekend from **Friday November 6th to Sunday November 8th at the Maronite Seminary, in Washington DC**. If you know of anyone discerning a vocation to the priesthood, or would like to know more, please email the Seminary at:

Maroniteseminary@comcast.net

or

register by scanning the following
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They will be able to experience a weekend in the life of a seminarian by joining us for Liturgy, Adoration, meals, prayers and hanging out. This weekend is a great opportunity for them to come and see what a weekend in the life of a seminarian is like!

Upcoming Events

St Naamtallah Cedars Catechesis Tentative Calendar

Thurs 9/10/26 Teams with parents only 6:30 pm, students at 7pm
What is Morality?

Sun 9/13/26 In person student meeting 12:15-1:15
*8 Church Approved True Moral Principles;
6 False Moral Ideas*

Thurs 10/22/26 Teams student meeting at 7-8 pm *Life is Always a Gift*

Sun 11/22 *Living Witness: TBA*

Wednesday 12/2 Teams student meeting - *Abortion*

Blessed Christmas and Happy New Year

Thurs 1/7 Teams parent meeting 6:30 followed by student meeting at 7-8 pm *Modesty/
Purity*

Sun 1/24 In person student meeting, Morality 12:15-1:15 *Making Sense of
Suffering and Euthanasia*

Thurs 2/11 Teams student meeting 7-8pm *Contraception*

Sun 2/21 In person student meeting 12:30-2:00 Morality: *Homosexuality and
Same Sex Marriage*

Sun 3/14 In person student meeting 12:15-1:15 *The Gifts of Femininity and
Masculinity/Furries*

Thurs 4/1
Teams student meeting at 7 pm *Living Witnesses: Juliann and Thad Rask*

Sun 4/11 In person student meeting 12:15-1:15 *Loneliness/Depression*

Thurs 5/6 Teams student meeting at 7-8 pm Morality: *Reproductive
Technology*

Sun 5/16 End of year party and open forum 12:15-1:15

MYA 2026-2027 Schedule

9/13

October Meeting is on Zoom only on 10/23 with the Portland MYA

11/22

12/13 MYA meeting, but no Cedars youth meeting scheduled yet. We may schedule one if there is a desire for the kids to meet.

1/24

2/21

3/14

4/11

5/16

God bless your summer +

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



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