

Saint Anthony's Maronite Catholic Church

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Sunday November 26, 2006: Sunday of the Annunciation to Mary

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, November 26, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Sadie & Nagieb Sanyour and Theresa Sharman

Sunday, November 26, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Faiz and Souad Shaheen

Daily Liturgy in the Chapel at 9:00 A.M.

Monday: George Slyman, Sr.

Tuesday: Margaret Shaia (Birthday remembrance)

Wednesday: No Morning Liturgy

Thursday: Abe and Julia Massad

Friday: Alan Awad

Saturday: Souls in Purgatory

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Charles and Alice Anthony

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Joseph and Julia Shaar; Mariam and Cleo Lee and Henri and Nagiebe Lalik

Sunday, December 10, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Emile Chaoul

Sunday, December 10, 2006 at 11:00 o'clock

Nina and Leo Koury

Scripture Readings

Sunday December 3, 2006

Sunday of the Visitation to Elizabeth

Ephesians 1:1-14; Luke 1: 39-45

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- ★ **Christmas Benefit Dinner**, will take place on Sunday, **December 3, 2006**, following the 11:00 o'clock Liturgy. **Tuesday, November 28, 2006** is the deadline to purchase tickets. If you would like to participate, please contact Rosie Shaia, Chairperson.
- ★ **NEW YEAR'S EVE** party will take place on December 31, 2006. Live American and Lebanese Music will be provided. For more information, please contact Gloria Nadder, Chairperson

Holy Day of Obligation

Friday, December 8, 2006, Feast of the Immaculate Conception, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be in the morning at 9:00 A.M. and in the evening at 6:30 P.M.

Second Collection

On **Sunday, December 3, 2006** a second collection will be taken for **Maronite Patriarchal Charities**. This collection, taken at the request of Bishop Gregory Mansour, allows us, as an Eparchy, to strengthen our Patriarch's charitable giving. It is like the "Peter's Pence" collection for our Patriarch.



Choir Practice

Tuesday, November 28, 2006 at 7:00 P.M., there will be a choir practice for both Liturgies.

Readers

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Rose Shaia

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

George Yesbeck, Jr.

Ushers

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

John Sheffield, Jay Pettit, John Aaron and Joseph Shulleeta,

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

Sam Dip, John Zeheb, Edward Yesbeck, Jr., Ken Sledd and Elie Talej

Altar Boys

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 8:30 A.M.

Drew Scott, Michael Maynes and Christopher Fahed

Sunday, December 3, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.

Tom and Vincent Shibley, Alex Goodman and Lawrence Talej

Parish Council Election

Sunday, December 10, 2006, election for Parish and Stewardship Councils will take place. A nomination/election committee, headed by Cathy George, has been established. The committee has already met and prepared a list of potential candidates for election. However, please see Cathy if you would like to nominate yourself or somebody else to serve on either council. Thank you and may God bless you for your continued support and dedication to your parish.

Christmas Tree Charitable Drive

Beginning this Sunday, November 26, 2006, there will be a Christmas tree in the back of the Church decorated with paper stars. On each star there will be a description of a needed item for a needy person in the Richmond Metropolitan area. If you would like to participate, please pick up a star, buy the gift and bring it to the Church (**gift wrapped**) with the star on the outside no later than **Sunday December 17, 2006**. Thank you for your participation. Monetary contributions in lieu of gifts are also appreciated.

If you would like to contribute toward flowers for the Church at Christmas, please let me know on or before December 17, 2006. The check should be made out to St. Anthony's Church and should be marked "**Christmas Flowers**". Cost: **Poinsettias \$15 each**. All flower contributions will be acknowledged in the Christmas Bulletin. Flowers could be in memory of deceased loved ones, or in honor of a loved one or even in thanksgiving for special graces.

