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St. George
Church School
invites YOU to their

Palm Sunday Bake Sale

Sunday, April 1st

Arabic Sweets, Lenten Desserts, Cakes, Pies, and Breads of all kinds!

This is the Church School's ONLY Fundraiser…
Please Support Us!!!

CALLING ALL BAKERS!!! We NEED YOU!!! Everything raised pays for books, supplies, incentives, and all expenses during the entire year! PLEASE bake something for the bake sale....PLEASE buy something at the bake sale....PLEASE be generous with your donation!! OUR CHILDREN ARE DEPENDING ON US!!!

Please drop off your baked goods in the Hall
on Saturday, March 31st between 1-5pm.
Pick up containers for your Baked Goods during Coffee Fellowship on March 25th!

What: **Agape Vespers**
followed by: **Pascha Egg Hunt**
Who: **All Children**
When: Sunday, April 8th at 1pm

Bring a basket to collect your goodies!

We are in need of wrapped candy for our Pascha Egg Hunt. All money donations and candy can be dropped off in the Church School Office by Sunday, April 1st.

Any and all donations will be appreciated!

Mark your Calendars and Plan AHEAD!!!

THE GREAT AND HOLY WEEK

April

Mar. 31 Saturday **Raising of Lazarus**—***Preparation of the Gifts/Liturgy*** *at St. Mary Magdalene* 9:30 am
Cleaning and Decorating of the Church (at St. George) ---------- 1 pm
Great Vespers for Palm Sunday and **Confessions** ---------- 5 pm

1 Sunday **Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem—Palm Sunday**
Matins – 8:50am Liturgy, Procession, and Church School Bake Sale ---------- 10 am
Bridegroom Matins **for Great and Holy Monday** ---------- 6:30 pm

2 Monday ***Presanctified Liturgy*** ---------- 9 am
Bridegroom Matins **for Great and Holy Tuesday** ---------- 6:30 pm

3 Tuesday ***Presanctified Liturgy*** ---------- 9 am
Confessions **(*Last opportunity before Pascha!)** ---------- 5-6 pm
Bridegroom Matins **for Great and Holy Wednesday** ---------- 6:30 pm

4 Weds. ***Presanctified Liturgy*** ---------- 9 am
Sacrament of Holy Unction ---------- 6:30 pm
Holy Unction is a Sacrament of the Orthodox Church. The Sacrament of Holy Repentance (Confession) is required. Only Orthodox Christians may be anointed.

5 Thursday **Celebration of the Institution of the Last Supper**
Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil the Great followed by Lenten Potluck Meal ------ 10 am
Matins **with Reading of the Twelve Passion Gospels** ---------- 6:30 pm

6 Friday ***Royal Hours*** ---------- 9 am
Decoration of Tomb follows
Vespers **of the Descent from the Cross** ---------- 3 pm
Vigil at the Tomb of Christ sponsored by Teen SOYO begins
Matins with the Praises at the Tomb **/ Procession with the Tomb** ---------- 6:30 pm

7 Saturday **Descent into Hades—*Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil*** ---------- 10 am
Cleaning and Decoration of the Church follows

PASCHA

THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

Sat. April 7/8 ***Nocturnes/Paschal Matins/Paschal Divine Liturgy*** ---------- 11:30 pm
Agape Breakfast follows

8 Sunday ***Agape (Baa'ooth) Vespers*—Vespers of Love** ---------- 1 pm
Reading of the Gospel in Different Languages and Pascha Egg Hunt follows

THE NEW (BRIGHT) WEEK

9 Bright Monday **Paschal Liturgy** either at *St. Nicholas (9:30am) at St. Mary Magdalene (10am)*
11 Bright Wednesday **Paschal Liturgy** at *St. George* ---------- 6 pm
13 Bright Friday **Paschal Liturgy** at *Assumption* ---------- 10:30 am

TO TITHE IS TO LOVE!

The Bible says a "tithe" is giving 10% of our income to God through His Holy Church. In the Old Testament, the tithe was the maximum.

For Christians, the tithe is the minimum!

ALL of our **240 families** are asked to make an Offering. Why? Because it is such a blessing to give back to God a little of what He has given us!

- Our 2018 Budget approved at our annual Parish General Assembly in November is $292,690.
- To meet our budget, our weekly offerings need to average: $5,630
- Total Offered by 44 Families/Individuals: $52,548.00
- Number of Families who need to offer: ALL THOSE WHO BELONG TO OUR ST. GEORGE FAMILY!
- Offering Range: ***according to how God has blessed you!***

Your commitment is NEEDED!!!
Please fill out your 2018 Offering Form -- as soon as possible.

To Tithe is to Love!

2018 Offering Update

As of March 13, 2018

We thank the following families for turning in their 2018 Offering Form in support of God's work at St. George. If your name is not listed, please fill out your 2018 Offering Form and mail it to the Church or put it in the Sunday Offering Tray.

Thank You and God Bless You!

New this year in Underlined (did not fill out a form last year)
Increase in Offering is **BOLD**

Add Your Name to the List!!!

1. Mr. and Mrs. Youssif Abousamra
2. Mr. and Mrs. Tawfiq Abu Aita
3. Mr. and Mrs. Fouad Abuaita
4. Mr. and Mrs. Jiries Abu-Aitah
5. Mr. and Mrs. Fouad Abuaita
6. Mr. and Mrs. George (Muna) Abuaita
7. Fr. and Mrs. Joseph Abud
8. Mr. and Mrs. Anwar Abueita
9. Mr. and Mrs. Atallah Abueita
10. **Mr. and Mrs. Michael Alqazaha**
11. Mr. and Mrs. Adeeb Bathish
12. Ms. Areen Bathish
13. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bathish
14. Mr. and Mrs. Issa Daoud
15. Mr. and Mrs. James David
16. Mrs. Iman David
17. Mr. and Mrs. Ayman Elias
18. Mrs. Vera Farah
19. Mrs. Betty Froberg
20. Mr. Elias Gantos
21. Mr. and Mrs. George Gantous
22. Mr. and Mrs. Nasri Haddad
23. Mr. Ronald Haddad
24. Mr. and Mrs. Salim Haddad
25. Mr. and Mrs. Elias Hanna
26. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hawkins
27. Ms. Daisy Isaac
28. Mrs. Najwa Joubran
29. Mr. and Mrs. Shawki Khoury
30. Mr. and Mrs. Danial Mitri
31. Mr. and Mrs. Elias Mitri
32. Miss Alexandra Nassar
33. Mrs. Jamil Nassar
34. Mr. and Mrs. Karam Nassar
35. Mrs. Olga Nassar
36. Mr. and Mrs. George Nassif
37. Miss Deborah Salim
38. Mrs. Mary Salim
39. Mr. and Mrs. William Shaheen Jr.
40. Miss. Elaine Shaheen
41. Mr. Richard Shaheen
42. Mr. and Mrs. Ric Shahin
43. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Takach
44. **Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teunion**

2018 Offering Form

St. George Orthodox Church ~ Flint, Michigan

I Want To Be Counted!

Frequency	Amount	% of Income
Weekly	$	
OR Twice Monthly	$	
OR Monthly	$	
OR Quarterly	$	
OR Annually	$	

~ All Offerings Are Treated Confidentially ~

Please fill out completely.

Name(s)	
Address	
City	
ZIP	
Telephone	

Please CHECK this box if it applies to you.

☐ I have a concern and wish to be contacted or visited by the priest.
☐ I have a concern and wish to be contacted or visited by a Parish Council Member.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

"Bring all the tithes into the storehouse" (Malachi 3:10)

Seeing the rich bringing their gifts and then a widow bringing a few pennies, Jesus said, "Truly I say to you that this widow has put in more than all." (Luke 21:3)

2018 بطاقة التبرعات لعام

كنيسة القديس جورج للروم الاورثودوكس فلنت، متشغن

أريد أن أكون معدودا !

الدفعات	المبلغ	% من قيمة الدخل
اسبوعيا	$	
مرتين بالشهر	$	
شهريا	$	
كل ثلاثة شهور	$	
سنويا	$	

كل التبرعات يتم التعامل معها بسرية تامة

الرجاء تعبئة كل البطاقة.

الاسم / الأسماء	
العنوان	
المدينة	
الرقم	
رقم الهاتف	

الرجاء اختيار المربع الملائم

☐ **لدي الإهتمام والرغبة في أن يتم الإتصال بي أو الزيارة من قبل الكاهن.**
☐ **لدي الإهتمام والرغبة في أن يتم الإتصال بي أو الزيارة من قبل أعضاء مجلس الكنيسة.**

الامضاء _____ التاريخ _____

هاتوا العشور جميعها الى بيت الجزية (ملاخي 10:3)

عندما رأى الأغنياء يتقدمون بتبرعاتهم والأرملة الفقيرة تقدم القليل قال يسوع: "الحق أقول لكم أن هذه الأرملة الفقيرة قد ألقت أكثر منهم جميعا" (لوقا 3:21)

Spring Gathering
Clergy and Laity
Diocese of Toledo and the Midwest
April 19-22

Somerset Inn Hotel

Address: 2601 W Big Beaver Rd, Troy, MI 48084
Phone: (248) 643-7800

Booking Links:

The Group Code 4675
www.somersetinn.com
Click on Reservations
Select Dates
Enter Group Code: 4675
Click on Check Availability
Click on View Available Rooms
Select Room Type and continue booking the reservation.

Registration fee

$50.00 for Clergy, Adults and Teens

$30.00 for Children (7 & under free)

After April 1st add $5.00 late registration fee

Special Clergy Meeting

- Clergy Retreat with His Grace Bishop Anthony – Thursday, April 19, 2018 @ Somerset Inn Hotel
  Details concerning the speaker and the topic will be mailed to you after approval by His Grace Bishop Anthony.
- Delegates will meet Friday, April 20, 2018 and will continue on Saturday, April 21, 2018 at the Somerset Inn Hotel
- Great Vespers at St. George Of Troy and a social gathering at the Church Hall including music, dinner, and entertainment, starting at 6:00p.m.
- Sunday Orthros and Divine Liturgy Starting at 9:00a.m and followed by luncheon

Hosted By:
Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church
2160 East Maple Rd
Troy, MI 48083
(248) 589-0480

Diocese of Toledo
And the Midwest
Spring Gathering
Hosted by St. George Of Troy
Pre-Registration Form
April 19-22

Registration Fee
$50.00 for Clergy, Adults and Teens
$30.00 for Children (7 & under free)
After April 1st add $5.00 late registration fee

	Clergy	Adult	Teen	Child

Family Name:_____
Address:_____
City, State, Zip:_____
Phone:_____
Email:_____
Parish:_____

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St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church

April 19 – 22, 2018

A block of rooms has been reserved for the conference at the Somerset Inn.Please call 248-643-7800 or book online at www.somersetinn.com, to reserve your room. When booking online, please use Group Code 4675 to ensure the special group rates.

The special group rates are as follows:

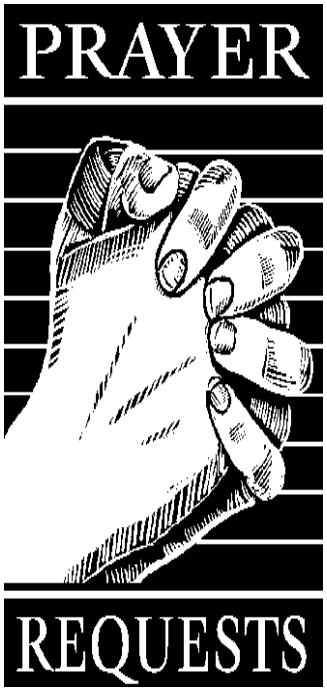
TOWER		**EXECUTIVE WING**
Singles:	$109.00	$134.00
Doubles:	$114.00	$139.00
Triple:	$119.00	$144.00
Quad:	$124.00	$149. 00

- The above outlined sleeping room rates are inclusive of breakfast each morning in Crumpets Restaurant.

Daily Prayer Life

- We also pray for the servants of God who have fallen asleep in the Lord: **George** Rutherford (+February 23rd, known to Protodeacon Michael) and **Lydia** Rishmawi (+March 14th, aunt of Jamil Rishmawi).

May their memory be eternal!



- Remember our parishioners and those who are ill, recovering, or in need, especially His servants: **Metropolitan Paul** and **Archbishop John** who are in captivity, **Sahar** Abdallah, **Androlla** Abu Aita, **Shafiqa** Abuaitah, **Jane** Abueita, **Abla** Abufarha, **Maher** Alatrash, **Ceasar** and **Naila** Banna, **Emil** Bathish, **Alex** Deligorges, **Fadi** and **Micheline** El-Chaer, **Vera** Farah, **Elaine** Gejoff, **Phyllis** Good, **Carol** Haddad, **Roland** Haddad, **Salwa** Haddad, **Daisy** Isaac, **Daniel** Isaac, **Nawal** Iseid, **Sally** Joseph, **Nakhleh**, **Nicola**, and **Saba** Khoury, **Chuck** Koory, **Danny** Mortensen, **George** and **Renee** Nassif, **Aida** Raffoul, **Elaine** Shaheen, **Deborah** and **Mary** Salim, **Widad** Salomon, **Michael** Silpoch, **William** Sophiea Jr.; and **Lois** Teunion; *all first-responders, those suffering in the Middle East and City of Flint; the supporters and benefactors of St. George, the members of our Parish Council, Ladies Auxiliary, Teen SOYO, Altar Servers, Altar Society, Chanters, Choir, Church School, Ushers, OCF (Orthodox Christian Fellowship), and Preschool Ministry.*
- Remember the servants of God who are with child: **Dunyia** Abufarha (daughter-in-law of Ibrahim and Eman), **Ghaida** Awad, and **Rachel** Sackallah (daughter of Suheil and Abeer Abuaita).

➢ *Please update Fr. Joe whether the following should remain on our prayer list!*

- Remember the family and friends of St. George parishioners: **Kinan** Turjman (nephew of Sahar Abdallah), **Nancy** Maes, **Trish** Lee, **Jessica** Blake, (family/friends of the Bassetts), **Jim** and **Marianne** Crawford (Dormition Monastery), **Michel** Abuaita (father of Mary Khoury), **Mariam** Ghanim (mother of Manal Abuaita), **Youssef** and **Georgette** Damouni (parents of Lina Burbar and May Gantos), **Asma** Abuaita (sister of Janett Abuaita), **Abdulnour** Hanna (brother of the Hanna, Elias, Joubran families), **Maha** Qassis and **Nadia** Ibrahim (sister/mother of Ziyad), **Shafeka** Qurpan and **George** Ishak (mother/nephew of Amira Hanna), **Joann** (Haddad) Merrelli (former parishioner), **James** Gorr (father of Dr. Melissa Bathish), **Elias** Ibrahim and **Taghrid** (uncle/friend of Rula Alkazaha), **Hanna** Abu-Nimer (relative of Karam and Aida Nassar), **Jenna** Marsico (niece of Jim Delbridge), **Scott** Lints (friend of Mary Jo Ghattas), **Tom** Ellenburg (friend of Sally Joseph), **Saliba** Musleh (father of Julianna Abuaita), **Ibtisam** Odeh (cousin of Elham Ishak), **Megan** Meade and **Casey** Webb (relatives of Bob and Lois Teunion), **Elaine** Gejoff, and **Dennis** Perez (from St. Mary Magdalene), **Gloria** Zelenko (from St. Nicholas), and **Sanaa** Alqassis (former parishioner).

Congratulations and God bless:

❖ **Lukas Cooper** who recently received his Black Belt in Karate!

❖ **Lois Teunion** (wife of Bob) who was brought into the Orthodox Faith through the Holy Sacraments of Baptism, Chrismation, and the reception of her First Communion on March 15th.

Announcements

FASTING DISCIPLINE FOR APRIL The **GREAT FAST** began on Monday, February 19th and continues until **Pascha** on April 8th. The traditional fasting discipline *(no meat, poultry, cheese, eggs, dairy, fish, wine, olive oil, or their by-products)* is observed on all days with the exception of *wine and olive oil* being allowed on Saturdays and Sundays along with *fish, wine, and olive oil* being allowed on the **Great Feast of Palm Sunday** (April 1st); during the Great and Holy Week (April 2nd-7th) on **Holy Thursday** morning after Liturgy (April 5th) when *wine and olive oil* are permitted and **Holy Saturday** (April 7th) when *wine* is permitted. There is no fasting (all food and drink may be consumed) on Pascha and during Bright Week, April 8th-14th. The traditional fasting discipline (*no meat, poultry, eggs, dairy, fish, wine, olive oil, and their by-products)* is observed on all other Wednesdays and Fridays.

CLEANING AND DECORATING We will be cleaning and decorating for Palm Sunday, on Saturday, March 31st at 1pm and for Pascha on Saturday, April 7th after the morning Vesperal Divine Liturgy at 10am -- everyone is welcome to come and help!

The **GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY VIGIL** begins after Holy Friday Vespers (April 6th at 3pm). A sign-up poster will be available in the Lounge on April 1st with 1/2-hour time slots for reading from the Bible in any language at the Tomb of Christ. Anyone can sign-up or come and spend time at the Tomb.

PASCHA EGGS We are blessed to have a sponsor to donate our eggs for Pascha, however, we are in need of 3 or 4 people to help color them. If you can take a few hours, please contact Hiam Andoni 810-813-1076 ~ THANK YOU!

PASCHA BREAKFAST It's always a joy for us to break the fast together during our celebration of our Lord's Resurrection. Our Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting the breakfast and are looking for donations for this joyous occasion. If interested, please see Manal Abuaita, Anaam Abueita, or any member of the Auxiliary.

WHAT LANGUAGE DO YOU SPEAK? We are getting ready for the ***Agape Vespers*** on Pascha Sunday, April 8th at 1pm. The service calls for the Gospel to be read in many languages. We have the text for almost any language! Please see Father Joe or come to church by 12:45pm.

WOMEN'S DAY BREAKFAST The men of our Parish Council are planning a delicious breakfast to honor our St. George Women and the Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer (April 23rd), patron and protector of our parish on Sunday, April 22nd! Everyone is invited to attend this family gathering as we celebrate the Holy Myrrh-Bearing Women who went to anoint our Lord on the third day of His burial and were the first witnesses of His Resurrection.

PASCHAL GREETING / RESPONSE USED FOR 40 DAYS

Until Ascension on May 17th

English*: Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!*
Arabic*: Al-Maseeh Qam! Haqqan Qam!*
Greek*: Christos Aneste! Alethos Aneste!*
Slavonic*: Christos Voskrese! Voistinu Voskrese!*
Romanian: *Christos a Inviaht! Adevarat a Inviaht!*

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT We have this on the 2nd Friday of the month (April 13th). Registration is at 6:30pm and Play begins at 7pm. This month it is organized and chaired by Cam Takach (248-515-1733). Have you worked before? A number of our regular volunteers/workers will be out-of-town so we need YOU! If you would like to help out for a couple of hours, please contact Cam TODAY!

FFHP (*FOOD FOR HUNGRY PEOPLE ARCHDIOCESAN PROGRAM*) DONATIONS ARE DUE AFTER PASCHA! Please return your boxes and donations to the church. If you haven't donated, please do so as soon as possible.

NORTH END SOUP KITCHEN Please mark your calendars and come help feed the hungry during our once-a-month commitment at the Soup Kitchen on Tuesday, April 24th from 9am-12:30pm. If you have questions or want to sign-up, please contact Jim and Evelyn Delbridge (810-630-2353).

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE We are very fortunate to have several scholarships available to those who wish to further their education. Some applications are in the Lounge. All others can be located at: http://www.antiochian.org/scholarships. Please do not miss the DEADLINES!

JOSELYN ELIAS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP The 2014 Antiochian Village Staff created this for one of our St. George Campers in memory of Joselyn. Our Camp Committee is working to keep it alive by sending a camper every year. If you would like to contribute, please contact Anaam Abueita or Leslee Abud.

CREDIT AND DEBIT CARDS We are now able to take Credit or Debit Card purchases and donations. If you would like to make a purchase or a donation, please come to the office during normal Office Hours (*see back page*) or call to do it by phone.

☞ **REGULAR Office Hours** Our secretary, Kelly Dotson, works on Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays 10am-4pm; Tuesdays and Wednesdays 1-4pm. You can reach Kelly during office hours at: kellysecstgeorge@gmail.com or 810-732-0720.

Save the Date!
Golf Classic June 9, 2018

Coming Events in May

17th	**Ascension of our Lord into Heaven on the 40th day of Pascha**
20th	**Church School Recognition Day**
24th	**Middle Eastern Community Lunch and Bake Sale**
27th	**Descent of the Holy Spirit on the 50th day of Pascha (Pentecost)**

MONTHLY OFFERINGS

Our average monthly offerings need to be $24,390 to meet our 2018 Budget. Our offerings in February were $6,861 which means we were **short $17,529**! Please support the work of God through St. George.

☞ If you know of a parishioner who has given birth, fallen ill, or admitted to the hospital, please call the church office or let Fr. Joe know.

☞ If you would like to offer Holy Bread (*Holy Oblation*) in memory of a loved one, for the health or safety of a loved one, or to commemorate a special occasion, you may phone the church office (810-732-0720) by 12 Noon of the Wednesday before.

☞ If you would like to host **Coffee Fellowship** in memory of a loved one, the occasion of a birthday or anniversary, or in thanksgiving to God, sign up on the poster in the Lounge or speak with Manal Abuaita.

If you are looking for a safe, nurturing, and fun learning environment for your child within a Christian setting this is where you need to be! We encourage all to stop in, tour our center and meet our Program Director and team!

We will provide developmentally appropriate programs focusing on each child's growth and needs in the following areas:

- Spiritual
- Social and Emotional
- Physical
- Language and Cognitive
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Science and Technology
- Arts
- Social Studies

Meet our team:

- Priest: Joseph Abud
- Protodeacon: Michael Bassett
- Preschool Ministry: Leslee Abud
- Program Director: Jessica Blake
- Church Administrator: Kelly Dotson

St. George Preschool & Childcare

Programs

Infants

Toddlers

Preschool

Latchkey

We are located at:

5191 Lennon Rd
Flint, MI 48507

810-732-1500

stgeorgeschool17@gmail.com

saintgeorgeflint.org/preschool.html

FB: St. George Preschool & Childcare

Questions? Call or email us!

April

Sun	*Mon*	*Tue*	*Wed*	*Thu*	*Fri*	*Sat*
1 ***Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem*** Palm Sunday Bake Sale	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**
8 **PASCHA** **Vespers of Love** and Egg Hunt 1pm	**9** **Paschal Combined Divine Liturgy** @ **St. Nicholas* (9:30am) *or* ***St. Mary Magdalene (10am)*	**10**	**11** **Paschal Combined Evening Liturgy** *@ St. George* 6pm	**12** Parish Council 6:15pm	**13** **Paschal Combined Divine Liturgy** @ ****Assumption 10:30am* Euchre Tournament 6:30 OCF 7pm	**14** No Great Vespers
15 **2nd Sunday of Pascha** **Thomas Sunday**	**16** Bible Study 3-5pm	**17**	**18** Arabic Bible Study 12:30pm-2pm SOYO Wednesday 7-9pm	**19**	**20**	**21** No Great Vespers
22 **3rd Sunday of Pascha** **Myrrh-bearing Women** and **Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer** Women's Brunch	**23** **Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer** Bible Study 3-5pm	**24** North End Soup Kitchen 9am-12:30pm Pan-Orthodox Book Club 6-8pm	**25** **Apostle Mark the Evangelist** Arabic Bible Study 12:30pm-2pm SOYO Wednesday 7-9pm	**26**	**27**	**28** Farah Baptism 2pm **Great Vespers and Confessions** 5pm
29 **4th Sunday of Pascha** **Raising of the Paralytic** Benson Baptism 1pm	**30** Bible Study 3-5pm					

The Great and Holy Week *(see insert for schedule of Divine Services and Activities)*

Midwest Diocesan Clergy Retreat and Spring Gathering *(see flier)*

*** St. Nicholas Church**
2143 South Center Road
(1/2 mile south of Lippincott)
Burton 810-744-0070

****St. Mary Magdalene**
2439 S Long Lake Rd
(north of North Road)
Fenton 810-750-1401

*****Assumption**
2245 Baldwin Road
(between Holly & Fenton Roads)
Grand Blanc 810-771-4611

2018

VILLAGE UP NORTH

August 13-18, 2018

Camp Tannadoonah

Vandalia, Michigan

AGES

Campers: 8-17

Staff: 18 and Over

APPLICATION FORMS AVAILABLE AT

www.villageupnorth.com

Namedays, Birthdays and Anniversaries

April 1 to April 30, 2018

Birthdays

April

1 Kirolous M. Meshraky
Aida Raffoul
Kyra A. Salim

2 Randy S. Hadad

3 Tamer K. AbuAita
Yasmeen V. Haddad
Raymond B. Mashni
Basem S. Nassar
Jose Q. Ramirez

4 Fadi Y. El-Chaer
Rana M. Fanous

5 Antoine E. Elia

6 Maria Daoud

7 Nakhleh Khoury
Jessica R. Saadeh
Norma Sophiea

9 George Farah Jr.
Suha Isaac
Nawal F. Odeh

10 Sandy Abueita
Aida Nassar
Steven R. Sanderson

11 Laila N. Abdallah
Gabrielle K. Gantos
Majd Helal
Ronald "Ron" E. Shaheen

12 Emil N. Bathish

13 Farid S. Nassar
Miguel J. Rishmawi
Elaine E. Salim

14 Maia Assaf

15 Kholoud Habbas
George A. Nassif
Widad Salomon
Matthew "Matt" M. Thomas

16 Salim Farah
Iyad F. Isaac

18 Samantha R. Al-Sahuri
Margee M. Nickola

19 Emil "Emil J." H. Joseph III

20 Bassem "Sam" S. Abdo
Elias "Louie" Gantos
Kenzi K. Isaac
Julia M. Rishmawi
Nicholas "Nick" A. Shaheen

21 Joseph J. Brack
Eric D. Isaac
Elaina E. Tijerina

22 Ameer Assaf

23 Ramzy Abueita

24 Danny Mortensen

25 Nasri H. Haddad
Elena Jaraysa
Evonne Shomali

26 Rakan Abusaada

27 Jeanette M. Nassif

28 Lourdes Abuaita
Raed S. Al-Sahuri
Adham Habbas

29 Landon N. Gantos
Liela L. Gantos

30 Nicholas "Nick" P. Abud

Namedays

April

8 Anwar "Andy" Yacoub Abueita

23 George Issa Abuaita
George Michael Abuaita
Cezar George Abu-Aita
George Abu-Aita
George Abueita
Georgette Abueita
Ramzy Abueita
Sandy Abueita
Ola J.Y. Alqazaha
Sandra (Alexandra) Raed Al-Sahuri
George Jacob David
George Fanous
George Farah Jr.
George Azar Gantous
George Ishaq
Sean (George) Michael McCann
George Elias Mitri
Alexandra Nassar
George Nassar
George A. Nassif
Nisreen George Rodriguez
Ronald "Ron" Edward Shaheen
William "Bill" George Sophiea
Alexandria Elisa Tijerina
George Adnan Yacoub
Georgette "Nowel" Yacoub

25 Mark Steven Andoni
Marc Andrew Smith

Wedding Anniversaries

April

16 Mr. and Mrs. James Delbridge
Mr. and Mrs. Shawki Khoury

28 Mr. and Mrs. Fuad Albaba

30 Mr. and Mrs. Luai Abuaita

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V. Rev. Fr. Joseph M. Abud, Pastor
Protodeacon Michael Bassett

Divine Services for the Lord's Day

- Saturday
  Great Vespers and Sacrament of Repentance {Confession*} **5:00 PM**
- Sunday
  Sacrament of Repentance {Confession*} **8:30 AM—9:30 AM**
  Matins {Arabic & English} **8:50 AM**
  Divine Liturgy **10:00 AM**

Church School follows Holy Communion from September to May

* Confessions may also take place by appointment with Father Joe during the week.

Major Feast Days (see *Orthodox Churches of Greater Flint* schedule of Divine Services)

2017-18 Theme for
Church School,
Creative Festivals,
and our
Parish Life Conference

Parish Council, Departments, & Organizations

PARISH COUNCIL • Anwar Abueita, Chairman 810-771-7152 or andydollar007@aol.com
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