

# NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF LEBANON

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## MAY 2012

### WELCOME VISITORS

On behalf of our Holy Mother, Our Lady of Lebanon, welcome and may your visit to this very special place of peace and blessings be satisfying, fulfilling and rewarding in every way. Please know that our Blessed and Holy Mother welcomes every one here.

Please be informed of these few but important points about our Shrine.

Our Shrine is open year round to all visitors. All groups wishing to make a special day of prayer, conference, retreat or day of recollection may contact the office for all details.

Please know that your visit here is a very important one. May I please assure you of our prayers for all your intentions and needs and those of your loved ones. May we also ask you for your prayers. When you pray, please remember in a special way the intentions of this Shrine.



*Queen of Heaven,  
Rejoice!  
ALLELUIA*

### LITURGY SCHEDULE:

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| Saturday                               | 5:00 pm    |
| Sunday                                 | 10:00 am   |
|  | 5:00 pm    |
| Monday                                 | 5:30 pm    |
| Tuesday                                | 5:30 pm    |
| Wednesday                              | 5:30 pm    |
| Thursday                               | No Liturgy |
| Friday (except First Friday)           | 5:30 pm    |
| First Friday (only)                    | 12 Noon    |
| Benediction of the Cross (Lent) Friday | 6pm        |

### DEVOTION SCHEDULE:

ROSARY SCHEDULE: Prior to Liturgy-Sunday

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION  
Every Sunday 3:30pm-4:30pm

CONFESSION: 1/2 hour before Liturgy or request

#### FIRST FRIDAY:

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| Adoration of Blessed Sacrament | 11:00am |
| Confession                     | 11:15am |
| First Friday Liturgy           | 12 Noon |
| Lunch                          | 12:30pm |



*Dear Friends of Our Lady,*

*The month of May, once again, affords us the opportunity to honor the most pure and holy Mother of God.*

*It is a time of special devotions for all the rites of the Catholic Church, each with its own special and unique traditions.*

*I hope all of us will take this month to focus our thoughts and prayers to the Holy Virgin Mary, who is the Mother of Christ as well as our own mother.*

*May She always intercede for us, Her children.*

*Msgr. Anthony*

**MAY**

**4th First Friday Devotions and Lunch  
6th Feast of Our Lady of Lebanon and May Crowning  
7th St Leo the Great School  
8th St Paul School  
19th Jackson Milton High School Prom  
27th Annual Healing Liturgy, Fr. Amadeo Guida  
28 Memorial Day Shrine Closed for Holiday**

**SHRINE GIFT SHOP HOURS**

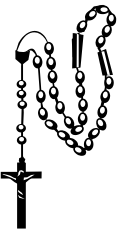
**Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.**

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**E-mail us at:  
giftshop@ourladyoflebanonshrine.com**

**THE PARKING LOT PROJECT** is underway. The parking lot is in desperate need of repair and replacement. Pulling into the Shrine parking lot can be rather adventurous as one tries to avoid the bumpy potholes and the crumbling pavement. The cost of a new parking lot and the installation of proper drainage will be approximately \$150,000. We would appreciate having as many donors as possible contribute \$100 per square yard in order that this project may be completed. Brochures are available in the rack outside the Shrine office.

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**FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LEBANON** will be celebrated Sunday, May 6. Lunch will be served and reservations are recommended. Crowning of Our Lady will take place after the 2 p.m. Liturgy. Come join us for a day of prayer in honor of the Mother of God. Please, see enclosed flyer for more details.

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**FIRST COMMUNION** season is here. The Shrine gift shop is stocked with many beautiful and inspirational gift ideas. First communion gift sets, patron saint medals, and greeting cards are all available. Gift shop is open daily 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed major holiday.

**FIRST FRIDAY'S** are devoted to the Sacred heart of Jesus. The practice of First Friday has been a long held devotion here at the Shrine. Participants attend adoration of the blessed Sacrament at 11:00 a.m., confession at 11:15 a.m., and Liturgy at 12 noon. This wonderful spiritual experience is followed by a luncheon prepared by Shrine volunteers for a cost of just \$6.00. Please consider joining us next month.

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**A HEALING LITURGY** will take place Sunday, May 27, 2012. Fr. Amedeo Guida from Solvay, N.Y. will be our celebrant. Fr. Guida has been involved with healing ministry for over 20 years. If you would like to join us for this special day, please see the enclosed flyer for details.



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**A SPECIAL APPEAL TO OUR FRIENDS**

*Dear Friends,*

*The Twenty Five Club has been in existence since the beginning of the Shrine to help with expenses incurred throughout the year.*

*Currently the funds from the Twenty Five Club help pay a good portion of the Shrine's insurance premiums. Property insurance alone is \$17,000 per year. It is a major expense.*

*This year the number of tickets sold has decreased for various reasons and we need to increase the number of tickets sold to the maximum of 500 tickets available.*

*The dollar amount for the monthly and yearly payout is very good and benefits those who purchase tickets as well as the Shrine.*

*There are approximately 50 tickets available . The cost is \$70 for the year and includes eleven monthly drawings @\$150 and the annual dinner with raffle payout of \$6160. The total payout per year is \$7810. It is a great deal.*

*If you would like to purchase a ticket, please see Monsignor Anthony. Only 500 tickets are sold and we would like to see all of them sold. Please help the Shrine if you are able.*

*God bless you for your generosity and dedication to Our Lady's Shrine,.*



O Mary conceived without sin,  
Pray for us who have recourse to you.

# May 2012

| Sun  | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu   | Fri   | Sat   |
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| <i>Liturgy Intentions</i>  |   | 1<br><br>+Maria Bacani<br>By John & Ann<br>Martinko                                     | 2<br><br><b>Intentions of<br/>Shrine Benefactors</b>                     | 3<br><br><b>No Liturgy</b>  | 4 <b>First Friday</b><br><br><b>12 Noon Liturgy</b><br>+Elias Tannouri &<br>+Elias Yaacoub<br>By Elie El Tannouri | 5<br><br>+Lillian, Charles &<br>William Worpel<br>By Elizabeth Elias  |
| 6 <b>Our Lady of Lebanon</b><br><br>10am+Alfreda Pica<br>By George Berick<br>2pm Shrine Benefactors<br>5pm+Willie Lewis Jr<br>By M/M G. Cackovic | 7<br><br>L/D Banjazek Family  | 8 St John the Evangelist<br><br>+Dina Berick<br>By John & Ann<br>Martinko               | 9 Isaiah the Prophet<br><br><b>Intentions of<br/>Shrine Benefactors</b>  | 10<br><br><b>No Liturgy</b>   | 11<br><br><i>Intentions of<br/>Elizabeth Elias</i>  | 12 St. Epiphanius,<br>Bishop of Cyprus<br><br>+John & Elizabeth<br>Raya<br>By Beverly Sageer &<br>Isabelle Linder |
| 13 <b>Mother's Day</b><br><br>10am L/D Mothers<br>5pm Jackie Mosko<br>By Ann Eckels  | 14<br><br>Family of<br>Theodora Mancini   | 15 Our Lady of<br>The Harvest<br><br>Shrine Staff &<br>Volunteers                       | 16<br><br><b>Intentions of<br/>Shrine Benefactors</b>                    | 17 <b>Ascension of<br/>Our Lord</b><br>Holy Day of Obligation<br><br><b>5:30 pm Liturgy</b><br>In thanksgiving<br>By Josephine Medovich | 18<br><br>Mary Nardo<br>By Carmen Cicero  | 19<br><br>Leon Hoernschmeyer<br>By Marilyn &<br>Margaret Clarke   |
| 20 <b>7th Sunday of the<br/>Resurrection</b><br><br>10am+Josie Knight<br>By Marie & Philip Faris<br>5pm+Brian Rizik<br>By Marie & Philip Faris   | 21 St. Constantine &<br>His Mother, St. Helen<br><br>Special Intention  | 22 St. Rita of Cascia<br><br>Special Intention  | 23 Tobias the Prophet<br><br><b>Intentions of<br/>Shrine Benefactors</b> | 24<br><br><b>No Liturgy</b>   | 25<br><br>Margaret Clarke<br>By Marilyn Clarke  | 26<br><br>+Deneta Racco<br>Marzano<br>By Betty West   |
| 27 <b>Pentecost Sunday</b><br><br>10am Marilyn Clarke<br>2pm Healing Liturgy<br>5pm +Elsie Huck<br>By Marilyn Clarke                             | 28 <b>Memorial Day</b><br>Shrine Closed<br><br><b>8am Liturgy</b><br>+James Baker-Jarvis<br>By Tom & Maryanna<br>Rooney | 29 St. Theodosia of Tyre<br><br>Steve & Sandie Perry<br>By Marilyn & Margaret<br>Clarke | 30<br><br><b>Intentions of<br/>Shrine Benefactors</b>                    | 31<br><br><b>No Liturgy</b>   |   |   |