



# SAINT JOSEPH

## *Maronite* Catholic Church

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### Mass Times

November 12, 2023 Renewal of the Church

### *Liturgy Schedule*

*Saturday*

*5:00 PM*

*English & Aramaic*

*Sunday*

*9:00 AM*

*English & Aramaic  
(in the chapel)*

*11:00 AM*

*English & Aramaic  
and Arabic*

*Tuesday-Friday 10:00 AM  
(in the Chapel)*

*Confessions*

*BY APPOINTMENT*

*Eucharistic Adoration  
every Thursday at 9:30 AM  
(before Mass)*

### **Our Clergy**

Rev. Tony K. Akoury  
Pastor

Rev. Mr. Robert Calabrese  
Deacon

Rev. Mr. David Nasser  
Sub deacon

Rev. Mr. Michel Bassil  
Sub deacon



**The Ladies Altar and Rosary Society  
and the MYO will hold a bake sale on  
Sunday, November 19.**

**Please contact Elizabeth Joseph by  
November 10 for your special order.**

## Readings of the Week

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|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Sunday, 11/12</b>    | <b>Heb 9: 11-15</b> | <b>Jn 10: 22-42</b> |
| <b>Monday, 11/13</b>    | <b>Heb 8: 1-6</b>   | <b>Jn 10: 1-6</b>   |
| <b>Tuesday, 11/14</b>   | <b>Heb 8: 7-13</b>  | <b>Jn 10: 7-10</b>  |
| <b>Wednesday, 11/15</b> | <b>Heb 9: 15-23</b> | <b>Jn 10: 11-16</b> |
| <b>Thursday, 11/16</b>  | <b>Heb 9: 24-28</b> | <b>Jn 10: 17-21</b> |
| <b>Friday, 11/17</b>    | <b>Heb 10: 1-10</b> | <b>Mk 2: 18-22</b>  |
| <b>Saturday, 11/18</b>  | <b>Heb 3: 1-6</b>   | <b>Mk 1: 12-28</b>  |

### Mass Intentions

**Saturday, November 11  
5:00 PM**  
For the Souls in Purgatory  
Requested by the  
Shamatta Family

**Tuesday, November 14 through  
Friday, November 17**  
For the Souls in Purgatory

**Saturday, November 18  
5:00 PM**  
For Special Intentions of  
Ana and Chaouki Bassil

**Sunday, November 19  
9:00 AM**  
For Joseph P. Shamatta  
Requested by  
The Shamatta Family

**11:00 AM**  
For Marlene Hiffa Giuliano  
Requested by  
Judi and Kamal Nassar

### PRAYER REQUESTS

To offer a Mass for a loved one, please stop by the parish office or call us to check the schedule and book your Mass.

#### Call for Altar Servers!!

Boys who have received First Holy Communion are eligible to serve.  
Please see Deacon Bob before or after the 11AM Divine Liturgy on Sunday  
or contact the parish office.  
[info@sjmcc.org](mailto:info@sjmcc.org)



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Ladies,

With the festive season around the corner, please join us to celebrate the first Advent by Candlelight Dinner sponsored by the Ladies Altar and Rosary Society.

ABC is a spiritual evening with a catered dinner by candlelight, fellowship, and guest speaker Julie Wilburn reflection on our advent season.

**Date:** Saturday December 2nd ,2023

**Time:** After 5 o'clock candlelight liturgy

**Cost:** \$ 50.00 (seating is limited)

Payment method, Cash, Checks, Credit Card (upcharge of \$ 5.00/per transaction)

Checks are payable to St Joseph Maronite church.

LARS will be available after all masses to save a seat for you or mail a check to:

Judi Hanna  
150 Churchcliff Dr  
Woodstock, GA 30188

RSVP to Judi Hanna @ 404-757-0434,  
Ana Basil 305-431-4284,  
Lisa Naser 404-247-0103.

We hope this Advent by Candlelight Dinner will be an evening of spiritual renewal, friendship, and joy, illuminating our path to Christmas. We look forward to sharing this memorable evening with you





## **Maronite Catholic Formation is starting a preschool class!**

### **Requirements:**

- Children ages 3 – 5 years old
- Must be able to sit without parents
- Must be potty trained

**Classes will be held during the 11 am liturgy.**

**Classes will begin Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>.**

**Teachers are Rebecca Lutrell and Pamela Malouf.**

**Register by contacting Rebecca (651-278-5626) or Pamela (404-993-3114) and reach out if you have any questions.**



**During October and November  
The Knights of Columbus  
will be collecting non-perishable food donations for  
Atlanta Community Food Bank, Free Fridge Atlanta,  
and other charities.**

**Canned goods, bread, boxed food, rice, potatoes, etc.  
are all welcome!**

**(Please: no old or opened food!)**

**Place your donations in the boxes  
in the chapel and church vestibules.**

*Thank You!*



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**The flowers on the altar for the month of November are given by Paul and Elizabeth Joseph in memory of John and Selma Domit and Joseph Joseph.**

**The candles, bread, and wine for the month of November are given by Gina Thomas in memory of Fayer and June Thomas.**

**The votive candle before the Blessed Sacrament in the chapel is given by the Shamatta Family for the Souls in Purgatory.**



**If you would like to donate flowers or candles, bread, and wine for the altar in memory or honor of a loved one, please contact the parish office at [info@sjmcc.org](mailto:info@sjmcc.org). Names will be published in the bulletin.**



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### Core Values

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