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**الظهور على
البحيرة**

Apparition at Sea

Divine Liturgy Sunday: 9:30 & 11:00 AM Tue – Sat: 6:30 PM	Fourth Week of The Resurrection April 25 – May 2	Pastor Fr. Milad Yaghi, M.L.M. frmilad@usa.com
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) 30 min. before Mass by request	Sunday Heb 13:18-25 Jn 21:1-14	Associate Pastor Fr. Pierre El-Khoury, M.L.M. frpierre@gmail.com
Sacrament of Crowning (Marriage) Notify the Pastor four months in advance	Monday 1Thes 1:1-10 Lk 5:1-11	Associate Pastor Fr. Andre Estephan, M.L.M. fr_andremlm@yahoo.com
Sacrament of Baptism (and Confirmation) Notify the Pastor one month in advance	Tuesday 1Thes 2:1-12 Lk 8:22-25	Subdeacon Jim Pinero jimp1940@aol.com
Anointing of the Sick Contact the Pastor	Wednesday 1Thes 2:13-20 Jn 6:1-15	Parish Council President Nicolas Nammour, MD nic_nammour@hotmail.com
Parish Organizations Daughters of Mary Knights of the Cedars Maronite Youth (MYO)	Thursday 1Thes 3:1-13 Jn 6:16-21	CCE Director Rebecca Carrum gcarrum@sbcglobal.net
	Friday 1Thes 4:1-12 Jn 6:22-27	Youth Coordinator Stephanie Rocha stephanie.rocha@hok.com
	Saturday 1Thes 5:12-28 Mt 14:22-33	Choir Director Joseph Rouhana Logopg1@aol.com
	Entrusting the Flock to Peter Eph 2:1-10 Jn 21:15-19	Parish Secretary Michelle Fuentes sydneyaus@live.com
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Parish Announcements

Welcome new members and visitors

Please provide address and other contact information using the forms in the lobby or by e-mailing frmilad@sbcglobal.net.

Almahaba Advertisements

Individuals and companies are encouraged to place ads in Almahaba. Please send an e-mail to almahabaolc@yahoo.com for more information.

Parish E-mail List

To receive time-sensitive and important announcements, send an email request to frmilad@sbcglobal.net.

Collections / Donations

Last Sunday **\$3,640**

Pledges **\$120**

Medical Conference TODAY

As part of the Medical Lecture Series, Dr. George Nassar will make a presentation on *Hypertension (High Blood Pressure)* immediately following the 11 o'clock Mass. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Prayer Group April 29

The Prayer Group continues to meet as usual on Thursdays at 7 PM.

Bible Study

Tuesday Bible Study has now been discontinued and will resume next fall.

Village Night

May 1

Village Night is Next Saturday May 1. Please buy your tickets now. Also make sure to buy tickets for the raffle. Prizes are a Laptop, an iPad, and a 20-inch.

Volunteers are needed for the preparations before and during the event. Please let one of the priests or organizers know if you can help. Thank you!!!!

Formation Toward Christian Ministry (FTCM)

Our Church will host this great program of the Diocese of Galveston-Houston with a minimum of 50 participants from the parish. Please sign up as soon as possible. Registration deadline is Aug 16th. FTCM program offers basic theology and spiritual development to Catholic adults who want to deepen their commitment to Jesus and more fully answer their baptismal call to service as a mature disciple.

As a core program offered by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, FTCM provides authentic Catholic teachings taught by approved instructors with Masters or Doctoral degrees in theological disciplines.

FTCM offers the theological content courses needed for Archdiocesan certification as a catechist. FTCM is also a pre-requisite for catechetical leadership formation, youth ministry leadership formation, and diaconate formation.

Who Should take FTCM?

All Catholic adults who seek greater understanding of the Church's authentic teachings or those already engaged in ministry or discerning their call to ministry.

For all Parish information and daily news, visit www.ourladyofthecedars.net