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**Assumption of
The Virgin Mary إنتقال العذراء**

Divine Liturgy Sunday: 9:30 & 11:00 AM Tue - Sat: 6:30 PM	August 14 - 20 Tenth Week of Pentecost	Pastor Fr. Milad Yaghi, M.L.M. frmilad@usa.com
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) 30 min. before Mass by request	Sunday Rom 12:9-15 Lk 1:46-55	Associate Pastor Fr. Pierre El Khoury, M.L.M. frpierre@gmail.com
Sacrament of Crowning (Marriage) Notify the Pastor Four months in advance	Monday Rom 12:9-15 Lk 10:38-4 The Assumption - إنتقال العذراء	Subdeacon Jim Pinero jimp1940@aol.com
Sacrament of Baptism (and Confirmation) Contact the Parish office to register for the class	Tuesday Acts 21:15-26 Mt 23:16-22	Parish Council President Nicolas Nammour, MD nic_nammour@hotmail.com
Anointing of the Sick Contact the Pastor	Wednesday Acts 21:27-28, 30b-40a Mt 23:23-26	Religious Education Director Tommy Cordova tommycordova@gmail.com
Maronite Youth Organization Stephanie Rocha stephanie.rocha@hok.com	Thursday Acts 21:40-22:10 Lk 12:1-5	Choir Director Joseph Rouhana Logopgl@aol.com
Parish Secretary Michelle Fuentes sydneyaus@live.com	Friday Acts 22:17-29 Lk 12:6-9	Daughters of Mary Wafa Al-Nimri Wafa.Al-Nimri@fluor.com
	Saturday Acts 22:30-23:11 Lk 12:10-12	Knights of the Cedars Samer Haouila shaouila@yahoo.com

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 AM -4:00 PM

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@usa.com.

Almahaba Advertisements

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

Collections & Donations

Last Sunday \$4,320

Pledges \$2,340

Parish E-mail List

To receive time-sensitive and important announcements, or to update your listing, please send an email to frmilad@usa.com.

C.C.E. & F.T.C.M. Registrations are underway. Please see Mr. Tommy Cordova after Mass in the Hall.

Prayer Group

The group meets every Thursday at 7 PM.

Olive Trees for Sale

Olive Trees are on sale for \$25 each.

First Communion Photos

Ready for pick-up at the Church office.

Parish Council August 16

Monthly meeting on Tuesday at 7:30 PM.

Daughters of Mary August 17

Monthly meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 PM.

Assumption Feast Lunch Today

The Daughters and Knights will be serving fresh Meat Pies and Zaatar Bread (Lahem Bi Ajeen & Manaesh) after Mass.

M.Y.O. August 20

The Parish Youths are planning a fun trip to Schlitterbahn Water Park next Saturday. Please see a youth leader to sign-up or for more information



The Historic Visit of His Beatitude Patriarch Bechara

Peter Rai to Houston has been scheduled for October 11-13, 2011. The visit program of events is still being coordinated with the Patriarchate and will be announced once it is finalized. The two main events of the visit will be a Pontifical Divine Liturgy on Tuesday evening, October 11, and a dinner banquet on Wednesday, October 12. Please contact Salim Joubran to reserve your seats for the banquet.

Our Most Sincere Condolences to Mr. Edmond Issa and the entire Issa family in Houston and all over the world, on the passing of his brother, the late George Bechara Issa, who died in Lebanon recently. We pray that The Good Lord may grant His servant George eternal rest, and give his family and friends strength and consolation.

