Welcome to those who are visiting today. We are happy to have you worship with us. If this is your first time here, please come downstairs to the Hall, introduce yourself, have some refreshments, and get to know the Community. If you have any questions about the Melkite Church and its traditions, please don't hesitate to ask Fr. Bryan.

- ◆ Last Week's Attendance/Donations: 43/\$998
- Mark your calendars! Our annual Parish Picnic is September 8. There will be a meeting in the Hall after the coffee hour today to start planning. We need everyone's help to make it a success.
- Please let Fr. Bryan know about anyone who is sick or in the hospital so that he can visit, administer Holy Anointing, and bring them the Eucharist.
- If you would like someone remembered at the Divine Liturgy, please notify Fr. Bryan.
- We will be sending out a letter with a contact form in order to capture your most up to date information, especially your email address. When you receive the letter, please complete the form and return it in the envelope provided. This information will be used to update the current contact list. We have begun to send weekly bulletin to our email list. Fr. Bryan would also like to begin home visits once he gets settled. Having an up to date contact list will make it much easier.
- ♦ Volunteers Needed We need people to sponsor the Coffee and... The following dates are available in July: 7/7, 7/21 & 7/28. Please see Fr. Bryan or Joe Najemy if you would like to sponsor the Coffee and on one of those Sundays. We also need help with the cleanup.
- We have a new email address: olphmelkite@gmail.com
- If you are not receiving collection envelopes, please see Fr. Bryan.
- St. Ann Melkite Church in Waterford, CT is having a parish picnic at Enders Island in Mystic, CT on Friday, August 16. Divine Liturgy is at 5PM and the picnic starts at 6PM. Fr. Dennis McCarthy has invited the parishioners of OLPH to join the parishioners of St. Ann's for the evening. Tickets are \$15 per person. We will put out a sign-up sheet during the coffee hour so that we can let Fr. Dennis know how many people from OLPH to expect. We hope that this is the first of many joint events between our parishes.

Sayings of the Fathers

"There is your brother, naked, crying, and you stand there confused over the choice of an attractive floor covering."

— St. Ambrose of Milan

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP MELKITE CATHOLIC CHURCH 256 HAMILTON ST. WORCESTER, MA 01604

Rectory: (508) 752-4174

olphmelkite@gmail.com

Rev. Bryan McNeil, Pastor (978) 314-1962 Brymc56@comcast.net

Hall: (508) 755-2199

3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST JUNE 30, 2019



Antiphon (Second)

1. Be gracious to us, O God, and bless us; let your face shine upon us, and have mercy on us.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to you: Alleluia!

2. That your name may be known upon the earth, among the nations your salvation.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to you: Alleluia!

3. Let the peoples praise, You, O God, let all the peoples praise you.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to you: Alleluia!

Entrance Hymn:

Priest: Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ.

People: O Son of God who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

Resurrectional Troparion (Tone 2, Pg. 38)

When You descended to death, O immortal Life, You put Hades to death by the splendor of Your divinity. And when You raised the dead from below the earth, all the heavenly powers cried out to you: "O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You!"

Troparion of the Apostles (Tone 3)

O holy Apostles, intercede with the Merciful God, that He may grant our souls the forgiveness of sins.

Patronal Troparion (Tone 1, Pg. 15)

In giving birth, you have preserved your virginity, and in falling asleep, you did not forsake the world, O Mother of God. You have passed to life, being the Mother of Life. Through your intercession, save our souls from death.

Kondakion (Tone 2, Pg. 16)

O never-failing Protectress of Christians, and their ever-present Intercessor before the Creator, despise not the petitions of us sinners, but in your goodness extend your help to us who call upon you with confidence. Hasten, O Mother of God, to intercede for us, for you have always protected those who honor you.

Prokimenon

Reader: Through all the earth, their voice resounds; and to the ends of the world, their message.

People: Through all the earth, their voice resounds; and to the ends of the world, their message.

Reader: The heavens declare God's glory and the firmament proclaims the work of His hands.

People: Through all the earth, their voice resounds; and to the ends of the world, their message.

Reader: Through all the earth, their voice resounds; **People:** and to the ends of the world, their message.

Epistle: I Corinthians 4:9-16

Alleluia Verses

The heavens shall proclaim your wonders, O Lord, and your truth in the assembly of the saints.

Verse: God is glorified in the council of the saints, great and awesome to all those around him.

Gospel: Matthew 6:22-33

Hirmos: It is Truly Meet... (pg. 26)

Kinonikon: "Praise the Lord..." (Pg. 32)

After Communion: We Have Seen the True Light... (Pg. 34)

Divine Liturgy Intentions

June 30 +Nicholas & Theodora Barouk, +Julia Rousseau. Requested by the Solitro &

Mischitelli families

Coffee and... Sponsored by Solitro and Mischitelli families

Flowers donated by Joseph and Lorraine Lian in memory of Edmund M. Kouri & Glay Abdow

July 7 +Richard Rush. Requested by Eric Ewanco

July 14 +Mary & Habib Rahall, Bertha (35yr.) & William (20yr.) Rahall, the Rahall and Reeks Families. Requested by Nick Rahall and Family

Coffee and... Sponsored by Nick Rahall and family

July 28 + Nicholas Rico Sanchez. Requested by Tom Syseskey

