

Holy Transfiguration Melkite Greek-Catholic Church

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Church Services: Saturday-6:00PM Vespers (Confessions available) Sunday-9:15 AM Orthros (Confessions available)
10:30 AM Divine Liturgy (Coffee Hour following)

8/6 Sat., Feast of the Transfiguration Liturgy 10:30 am

H & S Khouri and Raffoul Families
H & S Samar Annab who offers the Holy Qurban for
The H & S of her family
H & S John A. Samaha, Jr. – Nawal & Fred Ayoub
H & S Emma Dale – Reader Romanos
H & S Moriarty Family – Monique Murray
H & S John Joseph Murray, Jr. – Monique Murray
+ Archbishop Armand Jacopin
+ Deacon Nicholas Rosov – Family
+ Members of the Khouri & Raffoul Families
+ John Gholl – Elsie & Elizabeth Ashooh
+ Juliette Benedicto – Barbara Fleshman & Carole Miller
+ Harry Frissora, Sr. – Mary Frissora
+ Reba Frissora – Mary Frissora
+ Mabel Farrah – Mary Farrah
+ Reema Samaha – Family
+ Francis Samaha - Family
+ Laurice Jagganathan – Family

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H & S Moriarty Family – Monique Murray
H & S John Joseph Murray, Jr. – Monique Murray
H & S Lisa Dean – Reader Romanos
H & S Georgette Kaady – Fakhouri Family
H & S Elie Khawand – Fakhouri Family
H & S Ronald Farrah – Mary Farrah
H & S Anita & Marie Baroody – Family
H & S Tracy & Sophia Baroody – Family
H & S Raymond & Irene Husson – Mary Baroody
H & S Colette Hynes – Family
H & S Rosov Family – Carnazzo & Kalil Families
H & S Glenolia Suggs – Battey Family
H & S Donna Conry – Battey Family
+ Deacon Nicholas Rosov, 7 yrs. MEMORIAL - Family
+ Farid Talhame – Family MEMORIAL
+ Mabel Farrah – Mary Farrah
+ Myron Suseck – Georgianna Kostak
+ Madeleine Issa – Ronald Hamrah Family
+ Reema Samaha – Family
+ Francis Samaha - Family
+ Laurice Jagganathan – Family
+ Betty Andrewes – Mary Frissora

Schedule at a Glance

Fri. 8/5	Vespers for Transfiguration 7:30 pm
Sat. 8/6	Liturgy for Transfiguration 10:30 am Vespers 6 pm
Sun. 8/7	Orthros 9:15 am, Liturgy 10:30 am
Mon. 8/8	Paraklesis 7:30 pm
Wed. 8/10	Paraklesis 7:30 pm
Fri. 8/12	Paraklesis 7:30 pm
Sun. 8/14	Orthros 9:15 am, Liturgy 10:30 am Vespers for Dormition 6 pm
Mon. 8/15	Liturgy for Dormition 7:30 pm

REMINDER: Please remember that there is a stipend (donation) asked for each request for a liturgy commemoration. There are envelopes for your liturgy requests in the Narthex as well as at the secretary's table in the hall. If you pick up an envelope in the Narthex, please be sure the secretary receives it in order to schedule your requests in a timely manner. Thank you.

Flower Sponsors: *Please contact Linda Black (703-768-6864) if you would like to donate flowers.*

Coffee Hour Hosts: *Please contact Melanie Baker if you can help..... baker.melanie.a@gmail.com*

If anyone is planning to **attend the installation of the new Eparch, Bishop Nicholas Samra**, please let Fr. Joseph know so that he can send your names to the Chancery. Payment of \$60 per person must accompany the submission.

THE MELKITE GUARDIANS are looking for volunteers, especially the men, to pick up shut-in parishioners and bring them to weekly Divine Liturgy. Please contact Roger Severino to participate in this spiritual work of mercy. 617-571-2972 rseverino1@hotmail.com.

LADIES GUILD NEWS: Our next meeting will be on Sunday, August 21st at 12:20 PM. Save the date...our annual Kickoff Luncheon will take place on Sunday, September 18th.

A **million thanks** to all those wonderful volunteers who came out this past Thursday and Saturday to work on Spinach pies and Meat pies respectively. What a terrific group!! It was so much fun working together. And thanks to the masterful leadership of Mary Baroody and JoEllen Quint we accomplished so much--completing the preparation of over 800 Spinach pies and about 900 Meat pies in those 2 days!. Because so many of you came, we did not need to schedule extra days for these meat/spinach pies. Thank you, thank you so very much for helping our parish the way you did this week.

It's not over, but we are getting close. We are going to be doing the final days of Festival baking in the next week or so. Thurs.and Fri., Aug 4-5, we will need to bake about 1400 Date Mamoul. Sat., Aug.6.--we hope to finish all the Baklava varieties.Then on Thurs. Aug. 11 (new date)--we hope to complete the Nut Mamoul.

Fulfilling these baking plans again requires a **large number of bakers**.

Baking starts at about 9:30am each day. On Aug. 6--there will be a break for Divine Liturgy for the Holy Transfiguration feast, then we will continue baking. Please reply or call me to sign up. Thanks in advance for your generous spirit and willingness to do your part to help our parish prepare for our annual fundraiser..God bless you all
Lani Kanakry (703-200-6416)

SCHEDULE

Thurs.Fri.Aug. 4 & 5.....Date Mamoul-----Mary Baroody, Lani Kanakry

Sat.Aug. 6:Baklava varieties-----Samira Bailey

Thurs.Aug.11.(new date).....Nut Mamoul-----Mary Baroody

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS members of our community who are ill, shut in, or otherwise in need of prayer or are hospitalized. E-mail office@holymtransfiguration.org or call 703-734-9566 and leave a message.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Michael Baroody, Sarah & Ted Baroody, Thomas Brown, Luz Maria Diago, Anne Gallagher, Joan & Harry Glass, Madeline Hynes, Charles Marquardt, Hani Tahhan, Rachel Schramm.

TO KEEP NAMES ON THE PRAYER LIST, PLEASE RENEW NAMES IN WRITING BY THE 1ST OF THE MONTH.

A MEMORIAL SERVICE, a special service following the Divine Liturgy in which persons who have reposed are commemorated, includes the **blessing of wheat or sweetened bread**. In addition to the offering for the liturgy commemoration, it is customary to make an **additional offering for the memorial service**. It is the **responsibility of the family to provide the wheat or sweetened bread** for the memorial service. For those families who are unable to prepare it themselves, ladies under the guidance of Shammaisa Melissa Olt, have offered to prepare the wheat. Please call the church office (703-734-9566) to make your request. The cost is \$35.00.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TEAM</u>	<u>READER</u>	<u>NOTES</u>
Fri. Aug 5	A		Vespers for Transfiguration 7:30 pm
Sat. Aug. 6	C	Anthony Benedicto	Feast of the Transfiguration Divine Liturgy 10:30 am
Sun. Aug. 7	D	Matthew Rosov	
Sun. Aug. 14	A am B pm	Rdr. Macarios	Liturgy 10:30 am Vespers for Dormition 7:30 pm
Mon. Aug. 15	D	John Gallagher	Feast of the Dormition Divine Liturgy 7:30 pm
Sun. Aug. 21	B		
Sun. Aug. 28	C	Youth	

This bulletin is sponsored by Peter El Khoura in memory of Olga El Khoury and George El Koura.