

**Financial Report**

**INFLOW:**

Collection of Sunday 10/25/09	\$ 1,245.00
Heritage Program from 10/25/09	\$ 150.00
Halloween Party Proceeds 10/25/09	\$ 717.00
<b>Total Inflows:</b>	<b>\$ 2,112.00</b>

**OUTFLOW:**

Check 1147 Fr. Jean Younes-Mass Stipend 10/25	\$ 100.00
Check 1148 Fr. Jean Younes-E-Z Pass October	\$ 100.00
Check 1149 Fr. Jean Younes-October Gas Expense	\$ 197.98
Check 1150 Sisters of Divine Compassion-October Rent	\$ 1,000.00
Check 1151 Eparchy of St Maron-Vocation Calendars 4 Mission	\$ 375.00
Check 1152 Our Lady of Lebanon Cathedral (MYA Workshop-Fr. Younes, T. Hokayem)	\$ 400.00
<b>Total Outflows:</b>	<b>\$ 2,172.98</b>

**Operating Bank Accounts Balance**

Extravantage for Business	\$ 1,805.18
Money Market Check Access	\$ 47,998.45
CMRI PROMO	\$ 90,946.19
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 140,749.82</b>

**Family Dinner Saturday November 14<sup>th</sup>**

Reception at 7:00 pm and dinner at 8:00 pm

Colonial Mansion Caterers Knights of Columbus

(139 North Broadway White Plains 10603)

Thrilling Magician Show

specialized for adults and children will start around 8:30 PM

Music and Dancing with Lebanese DJ

Tickets: Adult: \$ 50.00 – Children 12 & under: \$ 25.00 Cash Bar: open

**Reservations:** Please contact the names below

Hayat Barakat: hayobarakat@gmail.com (914) 273-4129

Lina Nakhle: linanak@optonline.net (914) 961-3676

Roger Abi-Habib roger@skoolit.com (914) 967-8367

Make checks **payable to:** Westchester Maronite Mission

A big thank you for Denise Zihenni , Rania Hadchiti, Saloma Mounayar and Fadia Nassar for the wonderful and successful Halloween Party. I was so happy to see more than 35 kids in our Hafli having fun with their parents and eating delicious food. God bless you all



**Westchester Maronite Catholic Mission**



November 08th: Renewal of The Church

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Sunday Nov 08, 2009

**Mass Schedule:**  
(Mass @ 4:00PM)

**The Sisters of the Divine Compassion**  
**@ Good Counsel Campus**  
52 N. Broadway  
White Plains, NY

- Nov 8th
- Nov 22nd
- Dec 13th
- Dec 24th (Christmas Eve Mass at 3:00 PM)
- Jan 3rd
- Jan 24th
- Feb 7th

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<b>Eparchial Bishop</b> <b>Gregory John Mansour</b>		<b>Vicar General</b> <b>Msgr Michael Thomas</b>	
<p><b>Rector: Very Reverend James Root - aboonajim@verizon.net</b></p> <p><b>Parochial Vicar &amp; Administrator: Reverend Jean Younes</b></p> <p>P. O. Box 732, Mamaroneck, NY 10543</p> <p>Cell: (718) 344-2744</p> <p>E-Mail: abounajeanyounes@hotmail.com</p> <p><b>Mission Website: <a href="http://www.wmcm.org">www.wmcm.org</a></b></p> <p><b>Eparchy of St. Maron of Brooklyn: <a href="http://www.stmaron.org">www.stmaron.org</a></b></p>			
<b>Mysteries of Initiation (Baptism / Confirmation)</b>		<b>Mystery of Crowning (Marriage)</b>	
Parents & Godparents should meet with the pastor (4) weeks before the baptism to make arrangements, which include parental in-		Contact the pastor (6) six months prior to any wedding date	
<b>Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession)</b>		<b>Anointing of the Sick</b>	
Before and after Liturgies, or by appointment		Please notify the Pastor for hospital visitation and communion	
<b>New Parishioners</b>		<b>Members of the Mission</b>	
Welcome to Westchester Maronite Catholic Mission. Please notify the pastor for registration or address and phone change by visiting our website.		All members are expected to serve their Mission according to their offerings of time, talent, and money.	
<b>A p p l i c a t i o n F o r m</b>			
New members, please fill out the application form to receive all emails, correspondence and updates on all the events. Current Members, please see Antoine Najjar to review your current information. Again, you can fill out the application form online by visiting our website.			

**The Voice of Liturgy: Renewal of The Church****Scripture Readings:**

Sunday, Nov 08th: Renewal of the Church  
 Reading: **Heb 9:11-15**  
 Gospel: **Jn 10:22-42**

Sunday, Nov 22nd: Announcement to Virgin Mary  
 Reading: **Rom 12:9-21**  
 Gospel: **Mt 25:31-46**

**Mission & Stewardship Advisory Councils November 11th 2009**

The next meeting of the Mission Advisory Council will be on **Wednesday Nov 11th 2009** at 8:00 pm at The Sisters of the divine Compassion 52 North Broadway, White Plains NY. All members and Moderators must be in attendance. The stewardship Advisory Council will meet at 7:00 pm.

**Mass Intentions****Sunday Nov 08th at 4:00PM:**

- No Intentions at this time.

**Sunday Nov 22nd at 4:00PM:**

- 3rd Anniversary Memorial for the Assassination of Sheik Pierre Amine Gemayel.

**Christmas Party Dinner on Saturday December 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm**

We are pleased to announce that our Christmas party on December 19 at 7 PM will follow the Westchester community tradition. We hope you can celebrate with us this beautiful holiday season at Saint Gregory Armenian Church at 1131 North St White Plains, NY 10605. Each family will be asked to bring the following:

- A) \$45.00 per family or \$ 20.00 per person to cover all expenses.
  - B) A hot meal and/or salads and dessert (to be determined later).
  - C) A labeled gift for their children to be presented to them by Santa Claus.
- An entertainer will be provided for this event. Much more details will follow.  
 We need a couple of volunteers to help us. We welcome any suggestions.

Please confirm your presence with your guests (if any) by calling either member of the committee: Liliane Abi Habib 914-967-8367, Hayat Barakat 914-273-4129 or Layla Hamam 914-968-0946.

**Casino Night January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010**

Casino Night will be hosted by the Westchester Maronite Mission at the Good Counsel Campus- 52 North Broadway White Plains, NY 10603 on Saturday January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2010. **Please reserve the date.** For more information, you can contact Antoine Zihenni, Ghassan Bejjani, Ziad Fadel, Hayat Barakat, or Liliane Abi Habib.

**Join the Order of Saint Sharbel**

The order of Saint Sharbel is a national organization of people who have pledged their spiritual strength and financial support to the Seminary of Our Lady of Lebanon in Washington DC, for seminarians and retired clergy of the Eparchies of Saint Maron and Our Lady of Lebanon. This organization is comprised of two chapters which act under the leadership of both Maronite Bishops of the USA. If you like to become a member please see father Jean Younes after Mass.

**Lebanese Registry**

We urge all the Lebanese who have children born in the USA to register their birth at the Lebanese Consulate in New York City. We are fortunate to have the General Consul of Lebanon, Mr. Antoine Azzam, in our community and city to help facilitate this process. It is crucial that you do this in order to keep the balance of the population in Lebanon, as well as, for your children to receive the full citizenship of Lebanon and to possess a Lebanese passport. Please act upon this urgent matter as soon as you can. To obtain registration forms, visit the Lebanese Consulate of New York at [www.lebconsny.org](http://www.lebconsny.org) **Address:** Consulate General 9 E. 76th St, New York, NY 10021 Telephone: (212) 744-7905/06 Fax: (212) 794-1510 E-mail: [lebconsny@aol.com](mailto:lebconsny@aol.com)

**Welcome to Westchester**

We, at Westchester Maronite Catholic Mission welcome everyone to join us in worship as we give thanks for the gift of faith. Westchester Maronite Mission is an Eastern Rite Catholic Church located in the heart of Westchester County at White Plains 52 North Broadway. Our Divine Liturgies are celebrated in both English and Arabic. Westchester Mission has been a "home away from home" for many families that immigrated from Lebanon and the Middle East. According to Mother Teresa, love is a fruit always in season. Let us more and more insist on raising funds of love, kindness, understanding, and peace.

**First Communion - Mark your Calendar and Reserve the Date**

Notice to the parents: Please reserve this date. Our First Communion will be on Sunday May 16<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm in the church.

**Ushers Organization**

*Our mission is to grow our activities within our new organizations so I urge every man in our mission to join the Ushers Organization for future help during our masses. Please contact Roger Nassar at [fadia.roger@yahoo.com](mailto:fadia.roger@yahoo.com), or Antoine Najjar at [antnajjar@yahoo.com](mailto:antnajjar@yahoo.com) or George Abi Nakad at [george@abinakad.com](mailto:george@abinakad.com)*

- *The Usher is the first person whom worshippers meet when they arrive at Church. He has the opportunity and responsibility to represent the rest of the assembly in offering hospitality.*

**Altar Boys**

*We are seeking to recruit children & young teenagers to serve as altar boys. The only requirement to become an altar boy is the completion of First Communion. Please don't be shy to approach us. We want all of you to exchange turns and experience the beautiful service that the priest and his altar boys offer to others. Please contact Ghassan Antonios: [myrnagus@dm.net.lb](mailto:myrnagus@dm.net.lb) or Roger Abi-Habib: [roger@msiny.com](mailto:roger@msiny.com)*

**Choir**

*We want to open your hearts and minds with traditional hymns sang by our choir. We are looking for men and women that would like to enlighten our church with beautiful voices. Please contact Father Jean Younes or Diana Fadel: [Diana.fadel@towers.com](mailto:Diana.fadel@towers.com); 914-698-5257.*

**Requesting a divine liturgy (Mass for the Living and the deceased)**

Masses are offered for the living or departed as a mean of help to their souls. If possible, Masses are scheduled on the date you request, otherwise the nearest date that is opened. People usually give a free-will offering called "stipends" that goes to the priest's charity. Please contact Father Jean Younes to schedule a mass for your living or departed. May the Lord grant rest to your faithful departed and protect your living.