

NAM MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

You may choose from one of the following five annual membership categories, depending on your household. You may also consider the Lifetime membership that has a one-time donation. **Please circle the appropriate category and amount, and make your check payable to NAM.**

Category	Annual	3 Years
1. Student	\$ 10.00	
2. Individual	\$ 20.00	\$ 50.00
3. Family	\$ 35.00	\$ 90.00
4. Benefactor*	\$ 50.00	
5. Sustaining*	\$100.00	
6. Lifetime*	\$1000.00	

(One payment or 4 quarterly payments of \$250 each)

*These categories are family as well as individual.

Membership Form

Please fill out completely, and write clearly

Name (first last): _____

Occupation: _____

Email: _____

Spouse (first last): _____

Occupation: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____

Parish: _____ City: _____

I have no Maronite parish near me

Please add \$ _____, as a contribution towards:

Scholarship Vocations Contest

Massabki Canonization Build a Mission

To use your credit card, or list the children under 18 for family memberships,

Please fill out the information on the back

Use your credit card and apply on line

Additional Membership Benefits

- Discount on National & Regional Conventions' pre-registration
- Discount on NAM's Lenten Retreats
- Eligibility for NAM's Silver and Gold Massabki Awards, and Faith of the Mountain Award
- Discount on various items available through NAM
- Eligibility for Scholarships

NAM: There is Something for All

Today, NAM is one of the most effective ways of serving the Maronite Church: locally, regionally, and nationally. NAM is dedicated to being an apostolate that is sensitive to families as well as individuals. NAM will continue to bring people together, through ideas and programs that unify and strengthen the Maronite Church. This commitment is tied to NAM's goal of making every active person in the Maronite Church a member of NAM, so that together we can strengthen our Church and preserve it for future generations. So send in your application and join the thousands of members across the country TODAY, and be part of a brighter future of our Maronite Church.

National Convention

NAM's major undertaking is the National Convention, which is held annually in different cities. These conventions have become a significant time for friends and family to gather for a week of spiritual renewal, education and socializing.

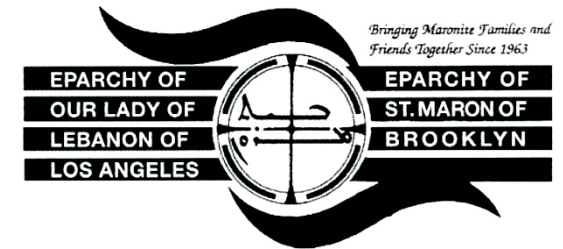
Regional Convention

NAM holds regional conventions throughout the US. These mini conventions help people from within a region to gather for a short weekend of spiritual, educational and social events.



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Helping to preserve
Beit Maroun
for generations to come

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**YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE
KEEP THE FLAME BURNING!**

Mission Statement

National Apostolate of Maronites (NAM) assists its bishops, serves as a link in unifying Maronite laity in the U.S., strengthens the bond between clergy and laity. NAM helps preserve Syriac-Maronite traditions by making people aware of the rich Maronite heritage and by fostering pride in the Maronite Church

Supporting the Maronite Youth Organization (MYO) & the Maronite Young Adults (MYA)

Since the future of the Maronite Church is the youth and young adults, NAM contributes financial and human resources to the MYO, and MYA. We offer free one year membership to graduating High School seniors. NAM also partners with the Office of Youth Ministry and the Young Adults national organizations, to prepare events for our youth and young adults at the annual and regional conventions.

Scholarships

NAM is committed to the success of our Youth and Young Adults; it is for this reason that NAM awards scholarships to eligible MYO members and children of active NAM members. The fund is supported through private donations as well as contributions at all conventions.

High School Seniors

- Naomi & Paul Kassouf Scholarship (2)
- Massabki Brothers Scholarship (1)
- John Solomon Memorial/MYO Scholarship (2)
- St. John Maron Scholarship (1)
- Paul Wakim Scholarship (1)

Undergraduate Students

- Robert Atallah Scholarship (1)
- Thomas & Jeannie Ayoob Memorial Scholarship (1)
- Gilbert Chagoury Undergraduate Scholarship (1)

Graduate Students

- Gilbert Chagoury Graduate Scholarship (1)

Health Care or Medical Students

- Joseph & Alice Resha Memorial Scholarship (1)

A semester in Lebanon for college students

- Notre Dame University – Louaize (10)
- University of the Holy Spirit – Kaslik (12)

Vocation Awareness

With the offices of vocations, NAM sponsors an annual Vocation Awareness Contest to foster vocation awareness among our young people. NAM also hosts all Maronite Clergy, Religious and Seminarians at all NAM events.

Religious Education

NAM provides educational presentations and workshops at all conventions to assist in the intellectual development of our Maronite faithful.

Heritage Programs

NAM has several programs to encourage preservations of our heritage. The Cedar Tree Program, Massabki Brothers Canonization, and NDU& USEK in Lebanon partnerships are a few of the current programs with more planned in the future.

Gold/Silver Massabki & Faith of the Mountain awards

NAM sponsors several awards each year. At the parish level, NAM presents the **Silver Massabki** award (adult) and **Faith of The Mountain** award (18-25). The highest award, the **Gold Massabki** award, is presented at the national convention to one recipient from each Eparchy.

Retreats

Fulfilling its mission as an apostolate, NAM sponsors retreats and other opportunities for spiritual renewal.

Cedar's Tree Project

Preserve Heritage, Prosper Missions. Supporting reforestation of Lebanon by sponsoring Cedar trees. You can plant a tree in memory of a loved one or to commemorate an event or an occasion; or just as a gift. Proceeds from the project benefits mission communities in the USA.

NAM's membership year runs from January 1st to December 31st.

Your membership donation is tax deductible and allows the apostolate to maintain its programs of service to the Maronite Church. All members receive our informational mailings.

Children under 18 for Categories 3 – 6

Name: _____ DOB: _____

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Name: _____ DOB: _____

Credit Card Information

Amount: \$ _____

Credit Card Type: MC Visa Disc Amex

Card #: _____

Exp. Date: _____ V-code: _____

(3 digit code on back of the card)

Signature: _____

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Please mail your application and payment to:

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For office use only

Amount Received: \$ _____

Check _____ Cash Card

Date Received: ____/____/____

ID #: _____