



**St Mary & St Mina Church
Syracuse, NY**

Friday Service

Timing

Every Friday 7:30 till 9 PM

Program

7:30- 7:45	Agpyea Prayer for ALL students in the chapel
7:45 – 8:00	Split into 3 classes Elementary, Middle and High school.
8:00 – 9:00	Service each class separately

Location

Elementary School in 3rd floor
Middle school in Chapel
High School in main floor classroom

Servants

Elementary School :

Mina Zaky
Rania Estafanous
Samuel Saleeb

Middle school:

Nahed Iskander
Michael Ibraheem
Hani Saweres

Sherry Owza
Samuel Saleeb

High School :

Father Kyrellos
Heidy Marzouk
Hani Saweres

Schedule

Elementary School :

Weeks 1 thru 5 are the same and include 2 sessions
session 1 :memorization of verses, psalms or prayers
Session 2 :memorization of liturgy responses or tasbeha
Week 6 : FUN

Middle and High Schools:

Week 1	Spiritual topic
Week 2	Rituals
Week 3	Biography of Saints
Week 4	Dogma
Week 5	Contemporary topics
Week 6	FUN

FUN

FUN for elementary school is indoor and include games, contests and playing

FUN for Middle and High School will include:

- Movie night in church
- Movie night in theater
- Ice cream night
- Bowling
- Skyzone
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Pool of topics to be presented on Friday service 2018

A- Elementary school students

1- Verses :

2- Prayers:

3- Liturgy responses:

B) Middle and High school students

1- Spiritual Topics :

Fasting

Prayers

Chastity

Judgement

Pride

Spiritual growth

Prayers with agpyea

Should I serve ?

Monastism

Tasbeha

Giving alms

How to benefit from the Liturgy

How to read the bible?

Forgiveness

Peace

Freedom

How to grow spiritually ?

The beloved sin

How to get rid of a bad habit ?

2- Rituals :

Vesper and morning incense prayers
The liturgy
Laqan
7 Church sacraments
The procession
Veneration
Holy week

3- Saint Biography:

St Mary
St Mark
St Anthony
St Athanasius
Ibrahhem Eljohary
Habib Gergis
St Moses the black
Anba Abraam
St Shenouda
St Bakhomious
St Dioscoros

4- Contemporary issues:

Social media
Homosexuality
Sex Education
Pre and outside marriage sexual relationships
Smoking
Addiction
The Normal personality
Acceptance of others
How to treat sinners (addicts, homosexuals,.....)
Woman in the orthodox faith
How to treat my parents
Friendships
Time
Christian dating

What is marriage is all about?

Fear

Anxiety

How to make a decision

Low self esteem

Responsibility

Why should I be different ?

Leadership

Dreams

Joy

Is it possible to enjoy life and stay holy ?

5- Dogma

Jehovah witnesses

Mormons

Protestants

Catholics

Orthodoxy

Unity and trinity

Intercession

The Creed

Church Building

Church Books

Second coming

Resources for the servants

https://st-takla.org/pub_Bible-Interpretations/Tafseer-Al-Keta-Al-Mokadas-index-2-Father-Antonios-Fekry.html

<https://coptic-treasures.com/wp/القدديم-العهد-تفاسير/فكر-أنطونيوس-القيس>

<https://www.biblestudytools.com/commentaries/matthew-henry-complete/>

<https://www.google.com/search?q=st+tekla.org&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8&hl=en-us&client=safari>

<http://www.tertullian.org/fathers/>

<http://www.orthodoxebooks.org/allbooks>

<http://www.stminahamilton.ca/groups/servants/pope-shenouda-iii-books>

<https://suscopts.org/resources/bible-study/>

http://copticlibrary.blogspot.com/2014/03/blog-post_4.html