

IN MEMORIAM

May God Rest Their Souls and May Their Memory Be Eternal

If you would like to have a family member listed, simply call the AABA office at 617.323.2722 or email the name of your departed to: daryag@aabausaorg

2025



- Priscilla Ann (Homsy) Goss
Nancy E. (Russell) Deeb
Robert A. Gamel
Sheila (O'Loughlin) Maloof
Sami J. Baghdady
Dorothy Callahan
Glen Mitchell Corey
Mary (Clover) Williams
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Yassin Alanini
Michel Nassar
Elias Elias
Rosmary (Morad) Zahar
Roberta Ann Egidio
Sarah (Nehme) Jouki

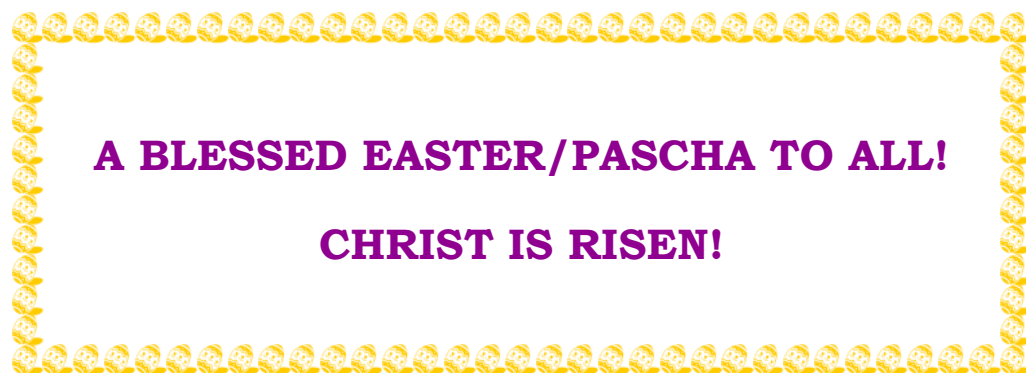


St. Stephen's United Methodist Church, West Roxbury

CHURCH COMMUNITY NEWS

- St. John of Damascus Orthodox Church
Our Lady of the Cedars of Lebanon Church
St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church - Boston
Our Lady of the Annunciation Cathedral
St. Matthew's Syriac Orthodox Church
St. George Orthodox Church - Norwood
St. Mary Orthodox Church - Cambridge
St. Stephen's United Methodist Church

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR INDIVIDUAL CHURCH FOR THEIR UPDATE .
Each Newsletter will feature a photo of a different Church.



AABA NEWS



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AABA Board of Directors Annual Gifting

In 2022, the AABA Board of Directors created an annual charitable giving program that donates funds to worthy charitable organizations and causes, locally, nationally and internationally. The Board's Finance Committee which consists of Ken Raffol, Linda Ayoub and Darya Gamel, handles the logistics of this outreach effort . The committee presented the names of the recipients at our December 2024 board meeting and they were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Recipient Name and Amount. Includes: The Friends of the House of Hope Shelter (\$2,000.00), Lebanese Syrian Ladies Aid Society (\$4,000.00), Anta Akhi (You, my brother) (\$2,000.00), American Friends of Sesobel (\$3,000.00), ARID, Inc. (\$4,000.00), International Orthodox Christian Charities (\$4,000.00), Anera (\$1,000.00), Anera (June 2024) (\$5,000.00).

The total amount that AABA gave in this effort was \$26,000.00. Charity toward our fellow man has been and continues to be a major focus for our organization. AABA continues to do good things in your name and it is because of your generosity that we can provide for our own people as well as others.

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**Happenings at
AABA VILLAGE**



Arts & Crafts Winter 2025



Congratulations to the Rose Raffle Winners!
1st Prize Winner of the Diamond Pendant & Chain - Elaine Hagopian
2nd Prize Winner of the \$500 VISA Gift Card - Jamilee Aoude
3rd Prize Winner of the \$250 VISA Gift Card - Jamie Sabino



Byblos Dinner 12/19/2024



SAVE THE DATE
ANNUAL AABA GOLF OUTING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2025
EASTON COUNTRY CLUB
SO. EASTON, MA 9:00 AM