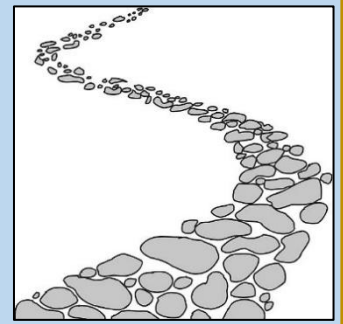


WALKING THE PATH



Walking the Path ~ of Saintliness ~

Do not be afraid, for I have redeemed you.
I have called you by your name;
you are mine.

When the fear of loneliness is looming,
then remember I am at your side.

You are mine, O my child,
I am your Father,
and I love you with a perfect love.

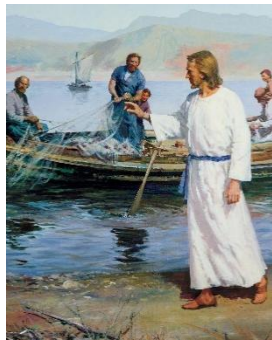
- excerpt from hymn lyrics by Gerard Markland,
based on Isaiah, Chapter 43

5th Sunday Ordinary Time

9th February 2025

In Luke's Gospel,
Jesus says :

“Do not
be afraid.”



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THE MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH

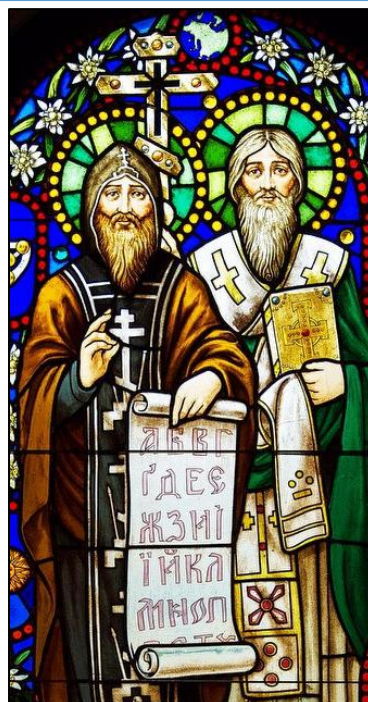
The Maronite Catholic Church was founded in the 4th century by St Maron; after his death, over 800 monks adopted his way of life and became known as Maronites. The Maronite



Patriarch has his seat in Bkerke, north of Beirut in Lebanon.

Some of their liturgy is in Aramaic, the language of Jesus.

THE ANTIOCHIAN RITE



~ SAINT CYRIL

~ SAINT METHODIUS ~
Cyril and Methodius were two brothers remembered today as “Apostles of the Slavs” for their tireless work in spreading the Gospel throughout Eastern Europe in the ninth century. Such was their influence, that St. Pope John Paul II named them the patron saints of Europe along with St. Benedict. They invented the “Cyrillic” alphabet to translate the Bible and liturgical books into Slavonic languages.

14TH FEBRUARY



“There are saints
next door ... ”

- Pope Francis



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