

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS SEASON

## MASSES & CELEBRATIONS

Sundays – 11:30 a.m.

Daily Mass (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) at  
7:00 p.m.

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

First Thursday of each month 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.

## CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before each mass

In case of emergency, contact the priest.

## VISITING THE SICK

If you, or someone you know is ill, please contact  
Fr. Michel and he will arrange to visit the sick.

## BAPTISMS

Please contact Fr. Michel at least *two weeks* prior  
to the baptism date.

## MARRIAGES

Please contact Fr. Michel a *minimum of four  
months* in advance of the desired date of  
marriage.



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MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY

# SUNDAY MASS READING & GOSPEL

## **A Reading from St. Paul to the Philippians (Philippians 2:12-18)**

So then, my beloved, obedient as you have always been, not only when I am present but all the more now when I am absent, work out your salvation with fear and trembling. For God is the one who, for his good purpose, works in you both to desire and to work. Do everything without grumbling or questioning, that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you shine like lights in the world, as you hold on to the word of life, so that my boast for the day of Christ may be that I did not run in vain or labor in vain. But, even if I am poured out as a libation upon the sacrificial service of your faith, I rejoice and share my joy with all of you. In the same way you also should rejoice and share your joy with me.

## **A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew (Matthew 25:1-13)**

"Then the kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five were wise. The foolish ones, when taking their lamps, brought no oil with them, but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps. Since the bridegroom was long delayed, they all became drowsy and fell asleep. At midnight, there was a cry, 'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!' Then all those virgins got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish ones said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' But the wise ones replied, 'No, for there may not be enough for us and you. Go instead to the merchants and buy some for yourselves.' While they went off to buy it, the bridegroom came and those who were ready went into the wedding feast with him. Then the door was locked. Afterwards the other virgins came and said, 'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!' But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.' Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.

## **St. Luke**

Luke, born at Antioch Syria, is the writer of the Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, and has been identified with St. Paul's "*Luke, the beloved physician*". Luke is the patron of physicians and surgeons. Luke's inspiration and information for his writings came from his close association with Paul and his companions. Luke's unique perspective on Jesus can be seen in the six miracles and eighteen parables not found in the other gospels. Luke's is the gospel of the poor and of social justice.

## **WELCOME!**

**OLOP pastor and parishioners would like to welcome all visitors and families who are new to the parish family.**

## **OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY**

(Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays) The Rosary at 6:30 pm followed by the Holy Mass at 7:00 pm

## **HALLOWEEN PARTY**

OLP Youth are holding a Halloween Party on Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014 at 8:00 pm. Please come dressing your custom  
**(Note no scary customs are allowed)**

## **FAMILY NIGHTS**

On Fridays from 7:00 pm Holy Mass follow by gathering till 11:00 pm!  
Come and join us!

## **OLOP YOUTH MEETING**

Biweekly on Fridays from 8:00 pm to 10:00 pm! Come and join us!

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING**

Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at 8:00 pm

## **CHRISTMAS IS COMING!**

As every year Our Lady of Peace prepares a Christmas party for the children. The success of the party is dependant on the generosity of its parishioners. Now is the time to start donating money or gifts (brand new).  
Thank you for your continued support!

## **NEW YEAR EVE 2014 -2015**

We will hold a New Year's Eve party at our Church Hall on Wednesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014 (DJ's, Music, Food Buffet and more)  
Tickets: Adult \$60.00, Children 5 years to 12 years \$ 40.00, under 5 years free  
**LIMITED TO 150 PERSON (FIRST COME FIRST SERVE)**  
For reservation please contact:  
Michel Mougani (4036170737) or Rami Khouri (4038747264)

**Please Remember Our Lady of Peace  
Maronite Catholic Parish of Calgary in your WILL.**

# BISHOP F. HENRY VISIT

His Excellency F. Henry

Bishop of the Roman  
Catholic Diocese Of Calgary

will be visiting our parish



on

Sunday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014

He will join us for the Holy Mass.

A banquet on his honour to follow  
at the Church Hall.

(Potluck Food will be serving)

To make a confirmation about what you can bring  
please contact the Ladies of Sodality.