

The Birth of John the Baptist

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Available Tuesday and Thursday
Without appointment from
11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



EPARCHY OF SAINT MARON
CANADA

Our Lady of Peace

Maronite Catholic Parish of Calgary – Established 1990



Weekly Newsletter

December 10, 2017

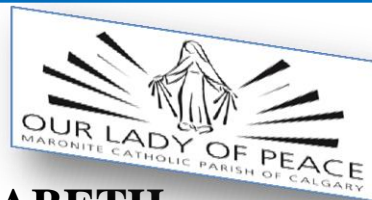
SPIRITUAL MESSAGE

“NATIVITY OF THE BAPTIST”

This icon unites two events – Elizabeth in her home carrying her new-born son, surrounded by midwives and neighbors; Zachariah writing the name “John” in front of two of his friends. In the miniatures of the British Library 7170 and the Vaticanus Syriacus 559, the second event is only represented. We have added the lighted lamp in front of the sun, the symbol of the Baptist in front of Christ, According to the Syriac liturgical texts.

OUR LADY OF PEACE

MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY



DONATIONS SUMMARY (November 26th, 2017)

THE VISITATION OF MARY TO ELIZABETH

COLLECTION: \$1152.40

Next Sunday, December 17th, 2017

REVELATION TO JOSEPH

Reading (*Ephesians 3:1-13*) - Gospel (*Matthew 1:18-25*)



Christmas Party

Date: Saturday, December 16th, 2017

Time: From 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Location: Our Lady of Peace Hall

**FREE
ADMISSION**

ARABIC SCHOOL

Every Friday from 6:30 pm till 8:00 pm; Encourage your children from 5 years to 12 to learn our native language

FAMILY NIGHT

We are all invited to gather every Friday at the Church hall.

**We start by thanking God in our Holy Mass at 6:30 pm
we will gather to eat, play cards and have fun at the church hall.**

WELCOME!

We welcome all parishioners back for another year of cooperation and prosperity in our Lord, Jesus Christ. Our Lady of Peace pastor and parishioners would like to welcome all visitors and families who are new to the parish family.

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR LADY OF PEACE
MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY
IN YOUR WILL**



OUR LADY OF PEACE
MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY

Presents

**NEW YEAR'S EVE
PARTY**

Tickets: Adult \$80.00 – Children: \$ 40.00

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31ST, 2017

SIT DOWN DINNER & MIDNIGHT SNACK



**SUPPORTING ORGANIST
JIHAD CHARANEK**

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Reservation: Michael Mouganie (403) 617 0737

SHERATON CAVALIER HOTEL - 2620 32 Ave NE, Calgary, AB T1Y 6B8

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OUR LADY OF PEACE MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH
CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE 2017



Christmas Novena

Friday, December 15th, 2017

Until Friday, December 22nd, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, December 16th, 2017

Children Christmas Party AT THE Church Hall

@ 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M.

SUNDAY, December 24th, 2017

Mass at 11:00 A.M.

MONDAY, December 25th, 2017

Christmas Day Mass at 11:00 A.M.

TUESDAY, December 26th, 2017

Feast of the Felicitation to the Virgin Mary Mass at 6:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, December 31st, 2017

Mass at 11:00 A.M.

New Year's Eve Party at Sheraton Cavalier Hotel N.E.

MONDAY, January 1st, 2018

Opening of the New Year "Rite of Peace"

Solemn Mass at 11:00 A.M.

SUNDAY, January 7th, 2018

Epiphany of The Lord

Mass & Blessing of the Water at 11:00 A.M.



"Glory to God in the highest"

"Merry Christmas & Happy New Year 2018"