



EPARCHIE SAINT MARON
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Weekly Newsletter

March 18, 2018

SPIRITUAL MESSAGE

“THE HEALING OF THE BLIND”

"The true light has come into the world and He is Jesus. We receive this light that enlightens mankind when we are baptized. At baptism, we promise to live in the light and give testimony to Him. As the man born blind was cured of his physical blindness, he also underwent a healing of his spiritual blindness. We can see this in how he progressively refers to Jesus, first as “the man called Jesus” in verse 11, then “he is a prophet” in verse 17, then as “from God” in verse 33 and finally when he said, “I do believe, Lord” and worshiped Christ in verse 38. Do you want to become his disciple, too?”... let us shout, unafraid and in loving faithfulness, “We do and we are!”

PROCESSION (STATIONS) OF THE CROSS

The Procession of the Cross and the Ziyah will be held
every **FRIDAY AT 6:30 P.M.**

Sunday, March 25th, 2018

PALM (HOSANA) SUNDAY

Reading (Philippi 1:1-13) Gospel (John 12:12-22)

BAKE SALE

The Ladies of Sodality invites you for their annual
BAKE SALE on **Sunday, March 25th, 2018** after the Holy Mass.
Please encourage and support them.

EASTER PARTY

The **OLP YOUTH SCOUTS** invites you to a party on
SATURDAY, APRIL 14TH, 2018
(More details to be announced)

BRING MARY INTO YOUR HOME

Would you like to have the statue of Mary in your home for one week,
(Sunday to Sunday)? If so, please sign your name on the sign-up sheet.
With the statue in your home you and your family can pray with her, ask
her for her help, and share your responsibilities and problems with her.

MARCH FEASTS 2018

Day 19: Saint Joseph, spouse of Our Lady the Virgin Mary.

Day 20: - Saint Fotina of Samaria (John 4:5-42) - Saint Silwanos.

Day 21: Saint Sebastian

Day 22: Saint Serge Paul & Pope Leo the IX.

Day 23: Saint Rafqa, a Lebanese nun (1832-1914)

Day 24: Saint Artamon, bishop of Selokia

Day 25: Announcement to Mary

OUR LADY OF PEACE

MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY

DONATIONS SUMMARY (MARCH 4TH, 2018)

THE PRODIGAL SON SUNDAY

COLLECTION: TBA



WASHING THE FEET

If you would like to be one of the 12 men needed for the Washing of the Feet on **Thursday, March 29th, 2018**. Please sign your name on the sign up sheet at the back of the church prior to **March 25th, 2018**

Cooking with Children in Sunday School

Support your child by registering them in our new Cooking classes, every other **Saturday, 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion Classes on Fridays 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

ARABIC SCHOOL

Every **SATURDAY** from 2:30 p.m. till 4:30 p.m.; Encourage your children from 5 years to 12 to learn our native language.

WELCOME!

Our Lady of Peace pastor and parishioners 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**

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.maronitecalgary.com

+ HOLY WEEK PROGRAM +

PALM SUNDAY March the 25th, 2018

Passion Monday March the 26th, 2018

Holy Mass + Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

قداس ودرب الصليب

Passion Tuesday March the 27th, 2018

Holy Mass + Stations of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

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Passion Wednesday March the 28th, 2018

Holy Mass + Rite of the Lamp at 7:00 p.m. قداس ورتبة القنديل

Thursday of the Mysteries March the 29th, 2018

Washing of the feet at 7:00 p.m. قداس ورتبة الغسل

Great Friday of the Crucifixion March the 30th, 2018

Signing of the Chalice at 10:00 a.m. قداس السابق تقديسه

Adoration of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. رتبة دفن المسيح

Great Saturday of the Light March the 31st, 2018

Prayer of Forgiveness at 12:00 Noon صلاة الغفران

Great Sunday of the Resurrection April the 1st, 2018

Holy Mass of Resurrection at 11:00 a.m. قداس القيامة

Monday April the 2nd, 2018

Greetings of Mary

Holy Mass at 7:00 pm قداس تهنئة العذراء