



EPARCHIE SAINT MARON
CANADA

Our Lady of Peace Parish
Maronite Catholic Church
رعيّة سيدة السلام - كالغاري
كنيسة كاثوليكيّة مارونيّة



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From Monday to Saturday
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Fr. Michel N. Kassas,
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AVAILABLE

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

Newsletter

November 11, 2018

Dedication of the Church Sunday

أحد تجديد البيعة

SUNDAYS – 11:30 A.M.

Daily Mass (Monday, Wednesday and Friday
at 6:30 p.m.).

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION
EVERY FIRST FRIDAY 7:00 – 8:00 P.M.

CONFESSIONS

45 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.

Reading (*Hebrews 9:11-15*)
Gospel (*John 10:22-42*)

NEXT SUNDAY

November 18, 2018

ANNOUNCEMENT TO ZECHARIAH

Reading (Romans 4:13-25) * Gospel (Luke 1:1-25)



If your child will be receiving their First Holy Communion this year, please take the **"Form"** at the back of the church. Fill it and return it to the Rectory

Pope Francis

"To live in hope is to walk, yes, towards a prize, towards happiness that we do not have here but that we will have there ... it is a virtue difficult to understand. It is a humble virtue, very humble. It is a virtue that never disappoints: if you hope, you will never be disappointed. Never, never! It is also a concrete virtue. "But how can it be concrete, if I do not know Heaven or what is waiting for me?" Hope is not an idea, it is not being in a beautiful place ... no. It's an encounter. Jesus always emphasizes this aspect of hope, that of being waiting, of meeting ". "Do I hope, concretely, or in some way, a bit like a Gnostic? Hope is concrete, it is every day because it is an encounter. And each time we meet Jesus in the Eucharist, in prayer, in the Gospel, in the poor, in community life, each time we go one step further towards this final encounter. The wisdom of knowing how to rejoice in the small encounters with Jesus in life, are preparing this definitive meeting ".

The Pope invited the congregation to question his way of being a Christian, and whether the expectation lived is that of an abstract Heaven or a true encounter with the Lord.

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.

OUR LADY OF PEACE

MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY

DONATIONS SUMMARY (NOVEMBER 4, 2018)

CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH SEASON

COLLECTION: TBA

SPIRITUAL MESSAGE

The most effective evangelizers are those who follow Christ's example. Meekness and humility, modesty and prudence, truth and justice, generous self-giving and sacrifice, obedience to the Father- these are virtues that go against the grain of our fallen human nature. And yet, there are holy men and women today who embody this ideal. Whether it be Pope Francis, or just our parish priest. There are plenty of examples of people who dedicate their lives to doing good in the face of difficulties, opposition, criticism and even false accusations. They let nothing stop them, because they are not worried about themselves: They are dedicated to fulfilling God's plan, in his time, on his terms. Are we?



MEMBERSHIP UPDATE:

If you are new to our parish, or have not yet been registered in our Parish, please submit a registration form and drop it off in the Rectory office.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.maronitecalgary.com

تفسير أيقونة "السيد الضابط الكل"

السيد الضابط الكل الجالس على العرش، أمام دائرة السماوات المترددة الأنوار، يحيط به عن يمينه القديس بطرس صخرة الكنيسة في إنطاكية أولاً وفي روما ثانياً، وعن يساره القديس مارون الراهب الكاهن، حاملاً كنيسته مقدماً إياها ومنتشفاً لها. هذه الأيقونة هي من نوع أيقونات الشفاعة، التي حورت واستبدل فيها المعمدان بالقديس مارون. إنها تذكرنا بأيقونات الجلالة السيدية، التي دخلت على الأيقونوغرافيا بعد القرن العاشر، خاصة في الأيقونوغرافية الغربية.



الأب عبدو بدوي

MASS FOR INFLICTED ROAD CARS!

The Pope and many other religious leaders have called on this World Day to be 3rd Sunday of November of each year in which we all pray for the lost and the suffering. The Mass of 2018 will be held ON SUNDAY, November 18th, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. at the Maronite Catholic Parish of Calgary in coordination with YASA Alberta.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

As every year Our Lady of Peace prepares a Christmas party for the children. The success of the party is dependent on the generosity of its parishioners. Now is the time to start donating money or gifts
(BRAND NEW).

Thank you for your continued support!

FAMILY NIGHT

You are all invited to gather every Friday at the Church hall. We start by thanking God in the Holy Mass at 6:30 pm

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR LADY OF PEACE
Maronite Catholic Parish of Calgary in your
WILL.**