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الأحد الرابع بعد عيد الصليب: مثل العبد الأمين الحكيم  
Fourth Sunday of the Holy Cross Season

Reading: I Thessalonians 5: 1-11

Gospel: Matthew 24: 45-51

One day, Dominique Savio was asked what he would do if he were to die that day.

Without hesitation, he replied, "I would continue to play". He could continue to play because he was already living every moment of his life doing God's will.

So he had nothing to change. He did not know when God would call him, but he was ready to go at the first call because he had always answered "present" to God.

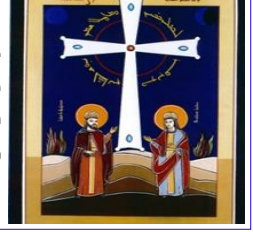
And indeed, God would not be long in calling him in his full youth.

If I were asked the same question today, what would my answer be? What would I do? I would look for a priest to confess, I would go to mass, I would reconcile with my family, friends?

Or would I quietly continue my normal life which is nothing but the fulfillment of God's will?

## تفسير أيقونة "إرتفاع الصليب"

إرتفاع الصليب الممجد، أيقونة تقليدية نجدها في المنمنمات والأيقونات المشرقية، تصور لنا الصليب منتصباً بين يدي قسطنطين وهيلانة. جميعنا هذه التقاليد معاً وصوّرنا الصليب الممجد المرصع بالحجارة الكريمة وحوله الكتابة الشهيرة "بك نقهر أعدائنا ومن أجل اسمك نطأ مبعضينا". عند قدميه قسطنطين وهيلانة ووراءهما النار على رؤوس الجبال، التي ما زلنا نشعلها على سطوحنا وجبالنا حتى اليوم في هذا العيد.



الأب عبدو بدوي

## أقوال القديسين

عندما تقف للصلاة اصرخُ في نفسك قائلاً: ارحمني فإنني خاطئٌ وضعيفٌ ترفقُ بضعفي يا الله  
وامنحني قوةً حتى أصلي كما يُرضي إرادتك لا تعاقب من يعاديني ولا تنتقم ممن يبغضني  
بل هبْ لهم بنعمتك أن يصنعوا إرادتك **القديس أفرام السوري**

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All donations will receive a **TAX RECEIPT.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

### SUMMARY OF WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Period Oct. 03 to Oct. 08, 2021

09 Envelopes	\$	320.00
Loose	\$	188.35
E-Transfers	\$	210.00
Sacraments	\$	200.00
Total	\$	918.35



# Mass Attendance

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To support physical distancing and reduce the risk of transmission, places of worship are expected to reduce the attendance at faith-based activities and events to no more than 1/3 of the building capacity, whichever is less.

Following Alberta Health Guidelines, please do not attend mass if you or any requesting attendees say **YES** to any of the following:

**Experiencing the most common symptoms of COVID-19 (cough, fever, shortness of breath, runny nose, or sore throat).**

**Have traveled internationally in the last 14 days**

**Have had close contact with confirmed COVID-19 cases in the last 14 days**

**It is prohibited by law from entering in the place of worship if any of the above criteria are met.**

These are strict guidelines and we must all follow them.

Thank you for your understanding!

**During service, it is mandatory that members wear a face covering.**

**SERVICES ARE SCHEDULED**

**AS FOLLOWS:**

**WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY: 6:30 P.M.**

**SUNDAYS: 11:30 AM**

**“Next Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021”**

**Fifth Sunday of the Holy Cross Season**

**Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:19-34 - Gospel: Matthew 24: 1-14**

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

# *Looking for a Word of Life*

To grow in wisdom , grace, with our Lord

**please join us:**

<b>Group Name</b>	<b>Age</b>
KNIGHTS OF MARY	8-15 year
FRIST COMMUNION	8-10 year
YOUTH JUNIOR GROUP	12-18 year
YOUTH SENIOR GROUP	18-35 year
IMTEC GROUP WEDNESDAY 4:00-6:00 PM	Any age
CHOIR GROUP	Any age
BIBLE STUDY GROUP Once a month, on Friday	Any age
SAINT CHARBEL FAMILY 22 <sup>nd</sup> of every month	Any Age
THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SODALITY	Any Age

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