# VISITATION OF THE VIRGIN TO ELIZABETH

# **MASSES & CELEBRATIONS**

Sundays – 11:30 a.m.

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

Blessed Sacrament Adoration First Thursday of each month 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

# **CONFESSIONS**

30 minutes before each mass In case of emergency, contact the priest.

### **VISITING THE SICK**

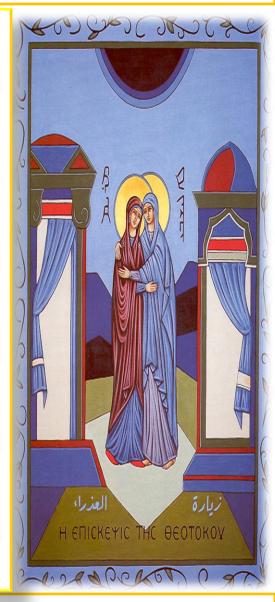
If you, or someone you know is ill, please contact Fr. Michel and he will arrange to visit the sick.

### **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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# SUNDAY MASS READINGS

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, to the saints who are in Ephesus and are

# A Reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Ephesians. (Ephesians 1: 1 - 14)

faithful in Christ Jesus: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward the redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

# A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke (Luke 1: 39 - 45)

In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord."

# FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

If your child will be receiving their First Holy Communion this year, please add your name, your child's name, and your phone number to the "sign up" sheet at the back of the church.

# CHRISTMAS IS COMING! As every year Our Lady of Peace prepares Christmas party for the children

On Saturday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014

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 31st, 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) Rami Khouri (4038747264)

## We will start the Christmas Novena on Monday, December 15th, 2014 at 7:00 pm

Wednesday, December 24th, 2014 **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 office or give it to the priest. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** 

**CHRISTMAS NOVENA** 

(Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday) and we will end the Novena by Midnight Mass on

Anyone interested in volunteering for the upcoming Christmas and New Years' Eve parties are asked to add their name to the sign up sheet posted at the front of the church. Thank you - we appreciate your help! THE LADIES OF SODALITY FEAST

We will celebrate the Feast of the Ladies of Sodality on Sunday, November 14th, 2014 OUR LADY OF PEACE MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY

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DONATIONS SUMMARY NOVEMBER 23rd, 2014 **TOTAL COLLECTION:** \$ 1382.75

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