504-30th Avenue N.W. Calgary, AB T2M 2N6 Phone: (403) 289 – 8954 / Fax: (403) 284 – 1202 Seventeenth Sunday of Pentecost Season The Fruit of the Word: Love for the Neighbor

OUR LADY OF PEACE MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY Fr. Michel N. Kassas, Pastor

Parable of the Good Samaritan SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH, 2016

Next Sunday, September 11th, 2016

SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS **Reading** (1 Peter 1:22-25)

Gospel (Mark 12:1-12)

MARRIAGES

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MASSES & CELEBRATIONS

Sundays -11:30 a.m. Daily Mass (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) at 6:30 p.m.

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION EVERY FRIDAY 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.

Please contact Fr. Michel a minimum of four *months* in advance of the desired date of

SUNDAY MASS READING & GOSPEL

A Reading from the second letter of Saint Paul to the Romans. (Romans 13:8-14)

Owe nothing to anyone, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; you shall not kill; you shall not steal; you shall not covet," and whatever other commandment there may be, are summed up in this saying, (namely) "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Love does no evil to the neighbor; hence, love is the fulfillment of the law. And do this because you know the time; it is the hour now for you to awake from sleep. For our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed; the night is advanced, the day is at hand. Let us then throw off the works of darkness (and) put on the armor of light; let us conduct ourselves properly as in the day, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in promiscuity and licentiousness, not in rivalry and jealousy. But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the desires of the flesh.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke, (Luke 10:25-37) There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test him and said, "Teacher, what

must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read it?" He said in reply, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." He replied to him, "You have answered correctly; do this and you will live." But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. Likewise a Levite came to the place, and when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was

passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. Then he lifted him up on his own animal, took him to an inn and cared for him. The next day he took out two silver coins and gave them to the innkeeper with the instruction, 'Take care of him. If you spend more than what I have given you, I shall repay you on my way back.' Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."



The Exaltation of the Holy Cross Feast Saturday September 17th, 2016

8:00 pm Dinner, Entertainment and fun

Tickets: Adults \$30.00 Kids \$20.00

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FAMILY NIGHT

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



SUNDAY SCHOOL

We will resume the Sunday School in the second Sunday of September 2016.





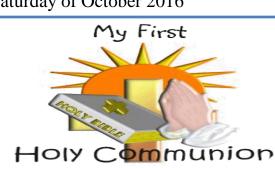
ARABIC SCHOOL

We will resume the Arabic Classes on the first Saturday of October 2016

YOU AND THE LAW

Calgary Police Services and Our Lady of Peace Parish invited you for a presentation "You and the Law" on Friday September 30th, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. till 9:00

p.m. (Refreshments to be served)



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DONATIONS SUMMARY (August 28th, 2016) 16th PENTECOST SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$691.00

We are pleased to announce to you that our **NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY**

will take place at

SHERATON CAVALIER CALGARY HOTEL

2620 32 Ave NE, Calgary, AB T1Y 6B8 On Saturday December 31, 2016 More details to be announced



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.

SUGGESTIONS! If you have any suggestions to enhance

the spiritual, educational, or physical needs of the parish, please let us know.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR LADY OF PEACE

MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY IN YOUR WILL.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.maroniteparishcalgary.com