

SUNDAY OF THE PRIEST

OUR LADY OF PEACE MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY



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SUNDAY JANUARY 17TH, 2016

MASSSES & 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.

MARRIAGES

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



NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 24TH, 2016

SUNDAY

OF THE RIGHTEOUS & JUST

READING (*Hebrews 12:18-24*)

GOSPEL (*Matthew 25:31-46*)

SUNDAY MASS READING

A Reading from the First letter of Saint Paul to Timothy. (*1 Timothy 4: 6 – 16*)

Brothers and Sisters, If you put these instructions before the brothers and sisters, you will be a good servant of Christ Jesus, nourished on the words of the faith and of the sound teaching that you have followed. Have nothing to do with profane myths and old wives tales. Train yourself in godliness, for, while physical training is of some value, godliness is valuable in every way, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and struggle, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Saviour of all people, especially of those who believe. Those are the things you must insist on and teach. Let no one despise your youth, but set the believers an example in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity. Until I arrive, give attention to the public reading of scripture, to exhorting, to teaching. Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you through prophecy with the laying on of hands by the council of elders. Put these things into practice, devote yourself to them, so that all may see your progress. Pay close attention to yourself and to your teaching; continue in these things, for in doing this you will save both yourself and your hearers.

SUNDAY GOSPEL

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke (*Luke 12: 42 – 48*)

And the Lord said, “Who then is the faithful and prudent manager whom his master will put in charge of his slaves, to give them their allowance of food at the proper time? Blessed is that slave whom his master will find at work when he arrives. Truly I tell you, he will put that one in charge of all his possessions. But if that slave says to himself, ‘My master is delayed in coming.’ And if he begins to beat the other slaves, men and women, and to eat and drink and get drunk, the master of that slave will come on a day when he does not expect him and at an hour that he does not know, and will cut him in pieces, and put him with the unfaithful. That slave who knew what his master wanted, but did not prepare himself or do what was wanted, will receive a severe beating. But the one who did not know and did what deserved a beating will receive a light beating. From everyone to whom much has been given, much will be required; and from the one to whom much has been entrusted, even more will be demanded.”

JANUARY 2016 FEAST DAYS

Day 19: Saint Macarius of Alexandria

Day 20: Saint Aphtimos the Great

Day 21: Saint Sebastian

Day 22: - Saint Timothy, disciple of Saint Paul the Apostle
- Saint Anastasius, a martyr.

Day 23: Saint Sergius the first, a pope

Day 24: Saint Francis of Sales

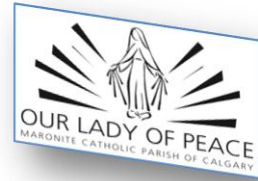
Day 25: Memorial of the conversion of Saint Paul & his baptism

A PRAYER FOR OUR PRIESTS

We thank you, God our Father, for those who have responded to your call to priestly ministry. Accept this prayer we offer on their behalf:
Fill your priests with the sure knowledge of your love. Open their hearts to the power and consolation of the Holy Spirit. Lead them to new depths of union with your Son. Increase in them profound faith in the Sacraments they celebrate as they nourish, strengthen and heal us. Lord Jesus Christ, grant that these, your priests, may inspire us to strive for holiness by the power of their example, as men of prayer who ponder your word and follow your will. O Mary, Mother of Christ and our mother, guard with your maternal care these chosen ones, so dear to the Heart of your Son. Intercede for our priests that, offering the Sacrifice of your Son, they may be conformed more each day to the image of your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Saint John Vianney,
universal patron of priests, pray for us and our priests.*

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FIRST SUNDAY OF THE EPIPHANY SEASON

DONATIONS SUMMARY (JANUARY 10th, 2016)

SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$ 782.80

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

**The Parish Council will meet on Wednesday, January 20th,
2016 at 7:30 pm at the Church hall**

ARABIC SCHOOL

Will stop from December 19th, 2015 and it will resume on January
16th, 2016 Every Saturday from 2:30 pm till 4:30 pm

FAMILY NIGHT

We are all invited to gather every Friday at the Church hall.

We start by thanking God in our Holy Mass at 6:30 pm
we will gather to eat, play cards and have fun at the church hall.

WELCOME!

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.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR LADY OF PEACE

MARONITE CATHOLIC PARISH OF CALGARY IN YOUR WILL.

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