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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.

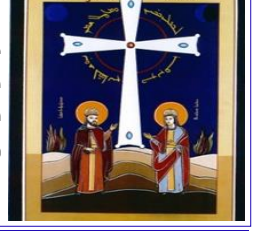
And indeed, God would not be long in calling him in his full youth.

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 أعداءنا ومن أجل اسمك نطأ مبعوثينا". عند قدميه قسطنطين وهيلانة ووراءهما النار على رؤوس الجبال، التي مازلنا نشعلها على سطوحنا وجبالنا حتى اليوم في هذا العيد.



الأب عبدو بدوي

Welcome Our New Pastor



Fr. Daniel Fares O.A.M. Curruculum Vitae

Education

- 1- Master's degree in environmental health and occupational health, | University of Montreal (2020)
- 2- Professional Certificate in Health Services Financial Management | York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. (2017).
- 3- B.A., Comb. Hons. Multidisciplinary Studies, Environmental and Health Studies & French Studies | York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. (2013).
- 4- Master of Theology | Antonine University in Lebanon (2007).
- 5- Degree in Theology and Pastoral Studies | Antonine University in Lebanon (2006).
- 6- Bachelor of Theology | Catholic University of Lyon-France (2004).

RELEVANT EXPERIENCES

- 10/2020—present: administrator of Our Lady of Peace—Calgary
- 09/2017 - 10/2020: Pastor associated at the Cathedral of Saint Maron - Montreal.
- 09 / 2016-09 / 2017: President of cooperation "the Congregation of the Antonin Maronite Order in Ontario, Canada".
- 07/2014 - 07/2017: Superior of Cooperation and Saint Charbel Monastery Windsor, On., Canada.
- 09/2016 - 01/2018: Consular at the Maronite Eparchy of Canada, college of consultants.
- 08/2014 - present: Director of Public Relations and Communications Office of the Maronite Eparchy of Canada.
- 07/2011 - 07/2014: Treasurer of cooperation "the Congregation of the Antonin Maronite Order in On, Canada". And pastor of Saint Charbel parish, Windsor, On., Canada.
- 07/2008 - 07/2011: Associate Pastor of Notre-Dame du Liban, Toronto, On, Canada.
- 06/2007 - 06/2008: Associate master of novice in the Antonine Order -Mar Chayaa, Lebanon.
- 06/2006 - 06/2007: Chaplain / Administrator of the sports and physics department of the Antonine University - Lebanon.

LANGUAGES

English, French, Spanish, Arabic and Syriac

Mass Attendance Registration Form

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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 50 people, or 1/3 of the building capacity, whichever is less. For clarity, infants under the age of two-years old do not need to be factored in to the total headcount.

Following Alberta Health Guidelines, please do not submit a request to 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 strongly encouraged that members wear a face covering.

SERVICES ARE SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 2020 AS FOLLOWS:

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY: 6:30 P.M.

SUNDAYS: 11:30 AM

You will receive a confirmation email once we've confirmed the number of attendees is less than 20.

PLEASE DO NOT ATTEND IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED A CONFIRMATION EMAIL.

“Next Sunday, October 18th, 2020”

Fifth Sunday of the Holy Cross Season

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

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

أقوال القديسين

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

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face covering in indoor public
premises and in public vehicles.

The City of Calgary Bylaw 26M2020



Exceptions include children under two years of age, or persons with an underlying medical condition or disability which inhibits their ability to wear a face covering.

Visit calgary.ca/covid19 for more information.