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Our Lady of Peace Parish Maronite Catholic Church

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Register your baptism,
marriage and mass request
on the parish website on-
line form.

Mass:

Sundays – 11:30 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday and
Friday at 6:30 p.m.

“Sunday of the Priests”

“أحد الكهنّة”

MASSES CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAYS – 11:30 a.m.

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

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

EVERY 1st FRIDAY 7:00 – 8:00 P.M.

CONFESSIONS

45 minutes before each mass

In case of emergency, contact the priest.

VISITING THE SICK

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

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Priest at least two weeks prior to the bap-
tism date and fill the form online on the church website.

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Priest a minimum of four months in ad-
vance of the desired date of marriage and fill the form online
on the church website.

“Pope Francis”

We all go through moments of "desolation," "darkness, in which things seem to losing their meaning, but it is precisely at these moments that Christians must persevere to reach the promise of the Lord, without giving up or looking at back.

The Christian life is not a carnival, it is not a feast and a continuous joy; the Christian life is made of beautiful moments and difficult moments. Both for the internal persecution and for the inner state of the soul, the author of the Letter to the Hebrews declares: "Endurance is necessary for you to fulfill the will of God and thus obtain the fulfillment of the promises.

In his catechesis, Pope Francis focuses on two elements: memory and hope, a recipe against desolation. Like the apostle, he affirms that we must first remember the beautiful moments, the days of joy during his encounter with Christ, the times of love. Then in a second time, keep hope for what has been promised. This is how life is made, said the Holy Father, who calls to resist in bad times.

تفسير أيقونة "أحد الكهنة"

Our fathers, the priests, who preceded us to eternity continue their celebration there and preach the Bibles upon the altar of the luminous world, surrounded by worshipping angels. All this happens in an eschatological scene, presenting the Powerful One with the two eternal suppliants, the holy Virgin and the Forerunner, surrounded by a crowd of saints and angels who carry trumpets and scales.

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The Gospel wants to create in us an attitude of waiting and welcoming of Christ. This expectation does not focus on a more or less distant future that we cannot know, but rather it turns us towards the present. The return of Christ is not like a great light that would put the present world in the shadow, but on the contrary, it illuminates our present life!

The present does not cut us off from the one who comes. We are already bound to Christ by doing his will: to serve those whom he has entrusted to us. Jesus became servant of all; he asks us to really serve in our turn. Far from wanting to lead us into a sterile and paralyzing fear, his words recall how great is the trust that God gives to men, this unre-served trust which, if not forgotten, arouses this response of the Christian: to imitate Christ himself-even. "Lord, that's the happiness we want! May your Holy Spirit assist us to work in fidelity and prudence to what you expect from us in our families, our workplaces, our communities, according to the call of you that we have recognized and to which we have chosen to respond."

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

“SUNDAY READINGS”

Reading (*1 Timothy 4:6-16*)
Gospel (*Luke 12:42-48*)

“Next Sunday, January 31, 2021 “

THE RIGHTEOUS AND THE JUST

Reading (*Hebrews 12:18-24*) - Gospel (*Matthew 25:31-46*)

“FIRST COMMUNION 2021 ”

24 Jan. 2021 at 1 pm

Five children's will receive there first communion

Congratulations



Zoom meeting

JOIN US FOR

BIBLE STUDY

Friday Jan.29, 2021 at 8 pm Friday Feb. 26, 2021 at 8pm



Friday Mar. 26, 2021 at 8 pm Friday April 30, 2021 at 8 pm

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.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.maronitecalgary.com

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH - CALGARY
MARONITE CATHOLIC CHURCH



**DONATIONS SUMMARY (January 17-23,
2021)**

\$ 475.⁰⁰

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please join us:

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Group Name	Age
KNIGHTS OF MARY	8-15 year
FRIST COMMUNION PREPARATION TEAM	8-10 year
YOUTH JUNIOR GROUP	12-18 year
YOUTH SENIOR GROUP	18-35 year
IMTEC GROUP	Any age
CHOIR GROUP	Any age
BIBLE STUDY GROUP	Any age
SAINT CHARBEL FAMILY	Any Age
THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SODALITY	Any Age