

Mar Baselios Movement - MBM

Mar Baselios Movement is organizing a Convention and Retreat from 17th to 22nd of March 2013, in connection with the Holy Great Lent.



Rev. Fr. Abey Philip Karthikappally (Gen. Secretary, Akhila Malankara Prarthanayogam and Vicar of St. George Orthodox Church, Muthukulam) will lead the Convention and Retreat.

All Parish members are kindly requested to attend the Convention and Retreat. Parish extends a Warm and Hearty Welcome to Rev. Fr. Abey Philip Karthikappally Achan.

CONVENTION SCHEDULE

DATE	PROGRAM	VENUE	TIME
17 th MARCH 2013, SUNDAY	EVENING PRAYER& CONVENTION	ST. ALPHONSA HALL, ABBASIYA	6.30 PM - 9.00 PM
18 th MARCH 2013, MONDAY	EVENING PRAYER& CONVENTION	ST. ALPHONSA HALL, ABBASIYA	6.30 PM - 9.00 PM
20 th MARCH 2013, WEDNESDAY	EVENING PRAYER& CONVENTION	ST. ALPHONSA HALL, ABBASIYA	6.30 PM - 9.00 PM
22 nd MARCH 2013, FRIDAY	RETREAT	UNITED INDIAN SCHOOL, ABBASIYA	10.30 AM - 1.00 PM

Church Calendar for March 2013

Date	Event
3-Mar	Knanayitho (Fourth Sunday, Cananite Women)
6-Mar	Mid of Lent (Paathi Nombu)
9-Mar	40 Martyrs of Sebaste
10-Mar	Kpiptho (Fifth Sunday, Crippled Woman)
17-Mar	Samiyo (Sixth Sunday, Blind Man), Catholicate Day Commemoration of H.G Paulose Mar Severios Metropolitan
19-Mar	Commemoration of H. G Sreeba Mar Osthathios Metropolitan
22-Mar	40th day of Holy Lent
23-Mar	Saturday of Lazarus
24-Mar	Palm Sunday (Hosanna)
25-Mar	Annunciation to St. Mary
25-Mar	Commemoration of Marthoma IV (Kandanad)
28-Mar	Pesaha (Maundy Thursday)
29-Mar	Good Friday
30-Mar	Holy Saturday
31-Mar	Kyamtho - Easter Sunday

Lectionary for March 2013

01/03/2013	III Friday of Great Lent	Deut 8:1-20	I Pet 3:7-15	Rom 2:2-13	St.Luke 18:9-17
02/03/2013	III Saturday of Great Lent	Exo 16: 1-10	I Pet 2:1-10	Phili 2:12-30	St.Mark 8:1-10
03/03/2013	Knanaitho (Canaanite Woman)	Num 17:1-8	Act 4:1-12	Rom 7:14-25	St.Mat 15:21-33
04/03/2013	IV Monday of Great Lent	Levi 16:1-17	Act 14:19-5:3	II Cor 11:1-15	St.Mark 12:35-44
05/03/2013	IV Tuesday of Great Lent	Num 28:1-8	Act14:8-22	I Cor16: 13-24	St. Mat 11:25-12:8
06/03/2013	Mid-lent	Num 21:4-9	Act15:22-33	II Cor 9:1-15	St. John 3: 13-21
07/03/2013	IV Thursday of Great Lent	Deut 5:6-22	Act 15: 35-40	II Cor 1:13-22	St.Mat 19: 16-26
08/03/2013	IV Friday of Great Lent	Levi 19:9-18	Act 16: 1-7	II Cor 12:19-13:13	St. Luke 17:1-10
09/03/2013	IV Saturday of Great Lent	Gen 18:1-15	Act 16:1-15	I Cor 9:14-27	St.Luk9:10-17
10/03/2013	Kpiptho (Bowed Woman)	Gen 9:1-7	I Pet 3:8-16	Rom 12:1-15	St.Luk13:10-17
11/03/2013	V Monday of Great Lent	Gen 20:8-18	Act 19:13-22	Rom 9:14-21	St.Luk4:31-41
12/03/2013	V Tuesday of Great Lent	Exo14:21-31	Act 18:18-28	Rom 1:26-32	St.Mark5:1-20
13/03/2013	V Wednesday of Great Lent	Num 31:16-23	Act 5:1-6	I Cor 10:14-13	St.Mat14:14-23
14/03/2013	V Thursday of Great Lent	Gen 50:14-22	Act 19:8-12	Col 3:1-17	St.Mark6:47-56
15/03/2013	V Friday of Great Lent	Deut27:16-28	Act 16:16-23	I thimo1:1-20	St.Mat9:18-31
16/03/2013	V Saturday of Great Lent	Deut30:1-7	Act 5:33-42	I thes 2:13-20	St.Luk6:1-11
17/03/2013	Samio (Catholicate Day)	Deut25:13-16	I Pet 4:12-19	II Cor 9:6-15	St. John 9: 1- 41
18/03/2013	VI Monday of Great Lent	Gen 49:8-12	Act 2:37-47	I thes 4:1-12	St.Luk19:1-10
19/03/2013	VI Tuesday of Great Lent	Gen 41:38-52	Act 21:1-14	Rom 8:12-27	St.Mark10:32-45
20/03/2013	VI Wednesday of Great Lent	Gen 46:1-7	Act14:8-19	Gal 5: 13-26	St.Mark4:35-41
21/03/2013	VI Thursday of Great Lent	Exo 15:19-21	Act 16:23-40	II Cor6:1-10	St.Mark8:21-26
22/03/2013	40th Day of lent	Deut1:3-14	I Pet 1:13-22	Rom13:11-14:9	St.Mat4:1-11
23/03/2013	Lazarus' Saturday	Lev 27 :30-33	I Pet 2:6-10	Eph 1:15-2:7	St. John11:28-46
24/03/2013	Palm Sunday	Gen 49:8-12	I John5:1-12	Eph 6:1-24	St. John12:12-19
25/03/2013	Passion Monday,Annunciation to St. Mary	Gen 3:1-21	Act 25:6-12	Heb 1:6-2:4	St.Mat21:23-32
26/03/2013	Passion Tuesday	Deut24:14-21	I John 1:1-9	Heb 2:5-18	St. John8:28-59
27/03/2013	Passion Wednesday	Lev 6 :24-7:7	Act 19:21-41	Col 1:9-23	St.John6:63-7:13
28/03/2013	Maundy Thursday	Exo12:1-11	Act 1:15-20	I Cor 5:1-8	St.Luk 22:14 - 30
29/03/2013	Good Friday	Lev 4:1-7	Act 22:30-23:16	I Cor 1:18 - 31	St. John19:31-42
30/03/2013	Holy Saturday	Gen 8:1-12	I Pet3:13-22	Rom 6:1-16	St.Mat 27:62-66
31/03/2013	Easter	Lev 23:26-32	Act 2:22-36	I Cor 15:1-19	St.Mat 28:1-20

Passion Week Schedule

	Date	Day	Time	Venue
Palm Sunday	23/03/2013	Saturday	6:00 PM	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
Annunciation of St. Mary	24/03/2013	Sunday	6:00 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya
Annunciation of St. Mary	24/03/2013	Sunday	6:00 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya
Maundy Thursday - Pesaha	27/03/2013	Wednesday	6:00 PM	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
Washing of Feet	28/03/2013	Thursday	5:00 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya
Good Friday	29/03/2013	Friday	7-9:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya
Good Friday	29/03/2013	Friday	7-9:30 AM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya
Good Friday	29/03/2013	Friday	10:30 AM	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
Holy Saturday	30/03/2013	Saturday	07:00 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya
Holy Saturday	30/03/2013	Saturday	07:00 AM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya
Easter	30/03/2013	Saturday	5:30 PM	Marina Hall, Abbasiya

Passion Week NERCHA donations will be accepted at the Parish Managing Committee Counters.

Schedule of Worship for March 2013

Date	Day	Time	Event	Venue
01/03/2013	Friday	6:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
01/03/2013	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
01/03/2013	Friday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
02/03/2013	Saturday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
05/03/2013	Tuesday	5:30 PM	Mid Lent - H.Q	NECK
08/03/2013	Friday	6:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
08/03/2013	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana (English)	NECK
08/03/2013	Friday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
09/03/2013	Saturday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
12/03/2013	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	NECK
15/03/2013	Friday	6:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
15/03/2013	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
15/03/2013	Friday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
16/03/2013	Saturday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
19/03/2013	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	NECK
22/03/2013	Friday	6:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
22/03/2013	Friday	6:30 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
23/03/2013	Saturday	7:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
23/03/2013	Saturday	6:00 PM	Palm Sunday H.Q.	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
24/03/2013	Sunday	6:00 PM	Vachanippu Pernnal	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
24/03/2013	Sunday	6:00 PM	Vachanippu Pernnal	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
26/03/2013	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	NECK
27/03/2013	Wednesday	6:00 PM	Pesaha Service - H.Q	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
28/03/2013	Thursday	5:00 PM	Washing of Feet Service	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
29/03/2013	Friday	7-9:30 AM	Good Friday	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
29/03/2013	Friday	7-9:30 AM	Good Friday	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
29/03/2013	Friday	10:30 AM	Good Friday	Marina Hall, Abbasiya
30/03/2013	Saturday	7:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.
30/03/2013	Saturday	7:00 AM	Holy Qurbana	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya.
30/03/2013	Saturday	5:30 PM	Easter Service - H.Q	Marina Hall, Abbasiya

Indian Orthodox Mercy Fellowship (IOMF)

Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on 31st March 2013, at 07:30 PM. Venue will be informed later.

Mar Gregorios Movement

Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on 20th March 2013, at 07:30 PM. Venue will be informed later.

St. Barsoumas Bachelors Prayer

Monthly Prayer will be held on Sunday 10th March 2013, Sunday at 06:00 PM @ Peniel Auditorium, Abbasiya.

Parish News Letter

*"He was pierced for our transgressions,
He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment
that brought us peace was upon Him,
and by His wounds we are healed." (Isaiah 53:5)*



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Lent is a season of soul-searching and repentance. It is a season for reflection and taking stock. Lent originated in the very earliest days of the Church as a preparatory. So many things about lent that is incredible just as difficult spiritually and physically because of fasting. But it is most favorite time of the year because of more service do we have, more prayer. It is incredibly spiritually focused time. Some of the Hymnograph, prayer doing this time only done once a year and they are beautiful. We can call it "School of repentance". Focus of the season When we speaking of repentance, there is saying of St. Isaac of Syria "He who has able to see himself has accomplish more than one who has seen angels." Again "one who apprehended sin is better than one who through his prayer raises the dead."



This is our time to come our self as scripture says about prodigal son did. He came to himself and to his right mind. Doing the hard work for self assessment and laying aside every weight and the sin that keeps us from being able to run the race. Hebrew 12:1

Significance of Lenten season is really the end of lent which is in fact in the crucifixion, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ .We start forty days out to do this because when we look at Christ on the cross and look at Him on resurrection .When you see at yourself what He has done for us, we understand clearly the fall of man, his exile from the Garden. How Adam is expelled from the Garden of Eden and he is essentially in exile from the Kingdom of Heaven. He was outside same as Prodigal son away from the Father. It increases the joy and understanding what is really going on with respect to His Life, Death and resurrection. The goal of lent is to discipline our self and to bring our lives in to the image of God. Do something, yes we should have to do something be a spiritual discipline, guided and directed under the authority of the Church to actually make progress in spiritual walk.

May Almighty God bless us to observe the great lent and help us to progress in spiritual walk.

In His Service
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Mid Lent

Mid Lent falls on Wednesday 6th March 13. Holy Qurbana will be arranged at NECK on Tuesday 5th March 13 (Tuesday) from 05:30 PM.

Holy Week

H. G. Dr. Thomas Mar Athanasious, Metropolitan of Kandanad East Diocese will be the Chief Celebrant for the Holy Week Services. His Grace will arrive Kuwait on 21st March 2013. Parish extends a Warm & Hearty Welcome to his Grace.



Holy Week Services (Hosanna, Pesaha, Good Friday & Easter) will be arranged at Marina Hall, Abbasiya.

Evening Prayer & Confession

Evening Prayer and Confession facility will be arranged as per the below schedule:

Confession	Day	Time	Location
Confession	Saturday to Thursday	11:30 AM – 12:30PM	Abbasiya&Salmiya Parsonages
	Sun, Mon, Wed	5:30 PM – 07:00 PM	AbbasiyaParsonage
	Tuesday & Thursday	5:30 PM – 7:00 PM	NECK
	Sat, Sun, Mon, Wed	6:30 PM	St. Marys Chapel Salmiya
Evening Prayer	Tuesday	5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Abbasiya Parsonage
	Sunday - Wednesday	6:00 PM	Abbasiya Parsonage
Midday Prayer	Sat, Sun, Mon, Wed	6:30 PM	St. Marys Chapel Salmiya
	Monday - Wednesday	12:30 PM	Abbasiya&Salmiya Parsonages

Annunciation of St. Mary (Vachanippu Pernal)

Holy Qurbana will be Celebrated on Sunday, 24th March 13 @ 6:00 PM at St.George Chapel, Abbasiya & St.Marys Chapel, Salmiya

Common Prayer Meeting

Common Prayer meeting of Salmiya, City, Hawalli /Jabriya area will be scheduled on Friday 22 March 2013 at St.Mary's Chapel Salmiya from 7.00 PM

Prayer Meeting Schedule for March 2013

Date	Time	Host	Group	Bldg #	Floor #	Flat #	Location	Telephone
1/3/13	5.30 PM	WILSON C.P.	St. Behnan	121	1	4	Opp.Al Razi Phar..... 3rd bldg.	24347258
8/3/13		THOMAS THOMAS .V(Chachen)		24	8	24	Al Yasra Food Store Bldg.	24319872
15/3/13		MANOJ MATHEW			4	17	Khyber Super Market Building	24331980
22/03/13	11:30 PM	TINKUMON JOICE	Brahmavar		3	11	Beside Khyber Super Market	24319846
22/03/13		Cyril D' Souza					Farwaniya	24734623
1/3/13	5:00 PM	BINU KOSHY (B-214)	St. Elias		7	28	ALMADAN SALOON BUILDG.	99792064
8/3/13		VARKEY MAMEN (V-003)			1	4	Near AL-H Double BLDG- Right wing	6643 1108
15/3/13		NINAN THOMAS (N-016)			5	17	Anwar Super market BLDG- Right wing	66284523
22/03/13		MANOJ MATHEW (M-187)			6	17	Near AL-H Double BLDG's Corner BLDG	6608 7125
1/3/13	5:00 PM	THOMAS V.O.(JOHNSON)	St. George		2	6	Next To Parsonage Building	66741428
8/3/13		SYRIAKUTTY M.P			5	22	OLD-PAKISTANI MOSQUE BUILDING.	24315596
3/15/13		ABRAHAM THOMAS			2	10	NEXT TO OLD-PAKISTANI MOSQUE BUILDING	66185184
22/3/13		ROY VARGHESE SAMUEL			3	12	NEXT TO OLD-PAKISTANI MOSQUE BUILDING	24313887
03/08/13	8:00 PM	Anish Mathew	St. James	3	3	29	Near ICS School, Salmiya	99537030
03/01/13	8:00 PM	Bibin T Varghese	St. Joseph	21	5	18	Future Pharmacy Building (Old Riggae)	97985737
1/3/13	5:30 PM	JACOB SKARIA	St. Luke	58	1	3	NEW BEC BUILDING	24319670
8/3/13		SANTHOSH KOSHY MATHEW		29	4	44	St. George Chappel Building -Old	97608625
15/3/13		NOBY OOMMEN		58	0	21	NEW BEC BUILDING	24339492
22/3/13		SUMESH MAMMEN KOSHY		18	1	1	Opposite Garden Store -New Buildg	24334274
1/3/13	5:30 PM	Moby philp	St. Mark		1	2	Cochin hard ware shop	66005313
8/3/13		Ninan Chacko					Royal shop	99497294
15/3/13		Biju lype			3	12	Bright way restaurant	99362184
22/3/13		Saji Daniel			2	7	Teenage shope	66676432
8/3/13	8:00 PM	Saji Mathew	St. Marys	68	7	42	Street 57, Near MEW Khaithan	97244157
1/3/13	5:00 PM	Samuelkutty John	St. Mathews		2	24	Al Ghazal Opticals Bldg.	97213603
8/3/13		Varghese John			4	25	Kerala Salon New Bldg.	97695791
15/3/13		M. Koshy Alexander			7	29	Opp. Puthuma Salon New Corner Bldg	97214935
22/03/13		Reji Varghese			1	1	Kerala Salon New Bldg.	99574279
1/3/13	5:30 PM	Justin P. John	St. Pauls	158	3	19	Malabar Saloorn, Near Paradise Rest	99221930
8/3/13		K. Shabu Mathew		169	1	4	Oppo. Best Bakers	99862562
3/15/13		John George		221	3	14	Q8 Shoppe, Near Eden Sote	66604227
1/3/13	5:00 PM	Jojoy Thomas	St. Philipose		3	13	Al Mulla Exchange Building	97857410
3/8/13		Korahson Mathew (Bijoy)			6	22	Golden Gift Centre Building	66456600
15/3/13		Varghese Joy			4	13	Back side of Al Mulla Exchange	66180682
22/03/13		Eby Samuel			5	18	Golden Gift Centre Building	94424621
1/3/13	5:30 PM	ALEX C OOMMEN	St. Thomas		2	28	OLD CHAPEL BLDG	99273796
15/3/13		BIJU THOMAS		48	4	12	COCHIN GIFT CORNER BLDG	24335267
22/03/13		THOMAS VARGHESE V		21	1	2	FITNESS ONE BLDG	24344748

Election General Body Meeting

The Election General Body meeting of our Parish is scheduled to be held on Tuesday, 19th March 2013 at NECK after Evening Prayer. Ward Elections is Scheduled to be held on Friday, 15th March 2013 at Abbasiya Parsonage and Salmiya Chapel. All members are requested to settle their respective dues before Tuesday, 05th March 2013 to ensure their eligibility.

Marthamariam Samajam

Fasting and Retreat Prayer will be held at Salmiya Parsonage on 9th March 2013 from 09:00 – 11:00 AM. Common meeting will be held at NECK on 14th March 2013 from 05:30 to 06:45 PM.

Anti Alcoholic Movement

Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on 02nd March 2013 at 07:30 PM @ St. George Chapel, Abbasiya.

Sunday School

Date	Day	SS Events
7-Mar-13	Thursday	Sunday School Students and Teachers shall, together, receive Absolution during Sunday School hours in NECK City.
8-Mar-13	Friday	Holy Qurbana in English will be celebrated in NECK City. SS Students and Teachers shall together, receive Holy Qurbana. Attendance Coupon will be distributed to all attending SS Teachers and SS Students from Class 3 onwards.
28-Mar-13	Thursday	Pessaha - Maundy Thursday. SS Holiday - There will be no SS classes at NECK City.
29-Mar-13	Friday	Good Friday. SS Holiday - There will be no SS classes at St. George Chapel Abbasiya.

Orthodox Christian Youth Movement

Election General body will be Held at Church Parsonage, Abbasiya on Friday 8th March 2013 at 11 AM.

Study Class with Group Discussions on Thursday, 14th March 2013 at 08.00 pm at Church Parsonage.

Annual Magazine Inauguration, Prize distribution for Drawing and Essay writing competition will be held on 23 March 2013 at Marina Hall, Abbasiya.

Continuous prayer (Aghanda Prarthana) on Good Friday, 29 March 2013 at 7:30 PM at St.George Chapel, Abbasiya.

Word of Gratitude

The Trustee, Secretary & the Managing Committee Members of the year 2012 – 2013 wish to express our Sincere Gratitude and Thanks to the Vicar, Ass. Vicar, Sabha Managing Committee Members, Prayer Group Secretaries, Spiritual & Charitable Organizations and each and every Member of Maha Edavaka for their Generous Support, Co-operation and Contributions extended during our tenure. Thank you, once again. God Bless All.

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