

Sunday School

1. Sunday School reopens after Summer Vacation at 5:15pm on Thursday, 12th September, 2013 at NECK in Kuwait City.
2. Sunday School reopening at Abbasiya will be delayed until further announcement at the Church. Parents shall consider sending students to Kuwait City, for the time being.
3. There is no schedule for Holy Qurbana in English for the month of September 2013.
4. All Students should return the filled-in Talent Scan Registration Forms to the Sunday School, at the earliest.
5. Sunday School Final Certificate 2012 and Mark sheets have been received from OSSAE-OKR. Successful students are requested to collect the same from Sunday School Headmaster.

St. Gregorios OCYM

1. General Body meeting will be Held at Church parsonage, abbasiya on Friday 13 th September, 2013 at 11 30 am .
2. Monthly prayer meeting will be held on Thursday 26th September, 2013, at 7 45 pm (Venue will be informed later).

Marthamariam Samajam

Common Prayer : On September 19th from 5:30pm to 6:45pm at NECK.

Anti Alcoholism Movement

Monthly prayer meeting will be held on Monday 9th September 2013, 7.00 PM at church Parsonage, Abbasiya.

Indian Orthodox Mercy Fellowship

IOMF general body for the month of September will be held on Friday 27 of september 2013.

Mar Baselios Movement

MBM Prayer Meeting for the month of September and Welcome to New Associate Vicar Rev. Fr. Reji C Varghese will be held on Saturday 14th September 2013, at Hi-Dine Auditorium at 08:00 pm. MBM General Body will be held on Friday 27th September 2013, at Hi-Dine Auditorium at 10:30 am.

Mar Gregorios Movement

MGM General Body Meeting will be held on Tuesday, 17th September 2013 at Hi-Dine Auditorium, Abbasiya at 08:15 p.m. MGM Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on Wednesday, 25th September, 2013 at Hi-Dine Auditorium, Abbasiya at 07:30 p.m

*For Private Circulation Among Parish Members Only

St. Barsoumas Bachelors Prayer

Bachelors Prayer will be held on 8th September Sunday 6:30pm at Peniyel Hall, Abbasiya.

Brahmavar Prayer

"Feast of Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary (Monti Fest) will be celebrated on Friday, 13th September 2013, at the Indian Community School Auditorium, Khaitan at 12.15 P.M.

Lectionary

Date	Day	Scripture	Scripture	Scripture	Scripture
01-Sep	III Sunday After Assumption of St. Mary	Exo 24:12-18	James 5:1-6	II Cor 10:1-7	St. Mat 17:22-27
02-Sep	Monday	Judg 10:1 - 9	Eze 28: 1 - 10	I Cor 1:1-9	St. Mat 22 : 1 - 14
03-Sep	Tuesday	Judg 10:10 - 18	Eze 28: 11 - 19	I Cor 1:10-13	St. Mat 22 : 15 - 22
04-Sep	Wednesday	Judg 11:1 - 11	Eze 28: 20 - 26	I Cor 1:14 - 25	St. Mat 22 : 23 - 33
05-Sep	Thursday	Judg 11:12 - 28	Eze 29 : 1 - 9	I Cor 1:26 - 31	St. Mat 22 : 34 - 40
06-Sep	Friday	Judg 11:29 - 33	Eze 29 : 10 - 16	I Cor 2:1 - 5	St. Mat 22 : 41 - 46
08-Sep	Feast of the Nativity of St. Mary	Judg 13:2 - 14	I John 3:2-17	Gal 4:1-7	St.Lk 1:26-38
08-Sep	IV Sunday After Assumption of St. Mary	Exo 3 : 1-6,11 - 14	I Pet 2:1-5	I Cor 3:16-23	St.Mat5:38-48
09-Sep	Monday	Judg 11: 34 - 40	Eze 29 : 17 - 21	I Cor 2:6 - 16	St. Mat 23 : 1 - 12
10-Sep	Tuesday	Judg 12: 1 - 6	Eze 30 : 1 - 9	I Cor 3:1 - 4	St. Mat 23 : 13 - 22
11-Sep	Wednesday	Judg 12: 7 - 15	Eze 30 : 10 - 19	I Cor 3:5 - 17	St. Mat 23 : 23 - 28
12-Sep	Thursday	Judg 13: 1 - 7	Eze 30 : 20 - 26	I Cor 3:18 - 23	St. Mat 23 : 29 - 36
13-Sep	Feast of the Cross	Num 21:4-9	Act 13:26-39	Gal 2: 17-3:14	St.Luke 21:5-28
14-Sep	Saturday	Judg 13: 8 - 14	Eze 31 : 1 - 9	I Cor 4:1 - 7	St. Mat 23 : 37 - 39
15-Sep	1st Sunday After feast of the Cross	Gen 42:1-28	Act 3:21-26	I Cor 2:10-16	St.Mk 13:28-37
16-Sep	Monday	Judg 13: 15 - 20	Eze 31 : 10 - 14	I Cor 4:8 - 13	St. Mat 24 : 1 - 2
17-Sep	Tuesday	Judg 13: 21 - 25	Eze 31 : 15 - 18	I Cor 4:14 - 21	St. Mat 24 : 3 - 14
18-Sep	Wednesday	Judg 14: 1 - 4	Eze 32 : 1 - 10	I Cor 5:1 - 8	St. Mat 24 : 15 - 28
19-Sep	Thursday	Judg 14: 5 - 9	Eze 32 : 11 - 16	I Cor 5:9 - 13	St. Mat 24 : 29 - 31
20-Sep	Friday	Judg 14: 10 - 14	Eze 32 : 17 - 23	I Cor 6:1 - 11	St. Mat 24 : 32 - 44
21-Sep	Saturday	Judg 14: 15 - 20	Eze 32 : 24 - 31	I Cor 6:12 - 20	St. Mat 24 : 45 - 51
22-Sep	2nd Sunday After feast of the Cross	Gen 42:9-17	Act 5:17-32	I Cor 2:14-3:9	St.Mat 16:5-12
23-Sep	Monday	Judg 15: 1 - 8	Eze 33 : 1 - 6	I Cor 7:1 - 9	St. Mat 25 : 1 - 13
24-Sep	Tuesday	Judg 15: 9 -13	Eze 33 : 7 - 16	I Cor 7:10 - 24	St. Mat 25 : 14 - 19
25-Sep	Wednesday	Judg 15: 14 -20	Eze 33 : 17 - 22	I Cor 7:25 - 31	St. Mat 25 : 20 - 23
26-Sep	Thursday	Judg 16: 1 - 9	Eze 33 : 23 - 29	I Cor 7:32 - 35	St. Mat 25 : 24 - 30
27-Sep	Friday	Judg 16: 10 - 14	Eze 33 : 30 - 33	I Cor 7:36 - 40	St. Mat 25 : 31 - 36
28-Sep	Saturday	Judg 16: 15 - 22	Eze 34 : 1 - 10	I Cor 8:1 - 13	St. Mat 25 : 37 - 43
29-Sep	3rd Sunday After feast of the Cross	Gen 42:18-35	Acts 7:2-5	Rom 8:1-11	St. Mk 2:23-28
30-Sep	Monday	Judg 16: 23 - 31	Eze 34 : 11 - 16	I Cor 9:1 - 14	St. Mat 25 : 44 - 46

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Harvest Festival

The Parish Harvest Festival is scheduled on Friday, 15th November, 2013. Harvest Festival Committee invites active participation of all our members to make this event a great success. More details will be available at parish website: www.iocq8.org.

Harvest Festival Organizing Committee

General Convener	Mr. Oommen V. Kurien	99419053
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Assoc. Vicar's Message



Glory to the triune God,

Beloved Brethren,

I am happy to join SGIOME family on 2nd August as Associate Vicar. I praise God and thank one and all for the rousing reception given to me at the airport. The seven day Annual Convention of the church which commence on 1st September is an occasion to kindle spiritual awareness and renew our commitment through the intercession of the blessed mother Mary. There shall be no gift unmatched to mother on her birthday than to reaffirm our faith and life to the triune God.

The feast of exaltation of the Holy Cross (Sleebe Perunnal) on Sept. 14 will bring an end to Kyamtho (Period of Light). Hereafter the order of worship and meditation will be of Sleebe. The Cross has great significance in the life of every Christian. It is not only a matter of adoration and meditation but a way of life. The Cross adorned by a Christian is an assurance of his/her faith that Jesus died and subdued the curse and damnation through His death on the Cross and resurrected on the third day. So Cross is not a matter of humiliation or weakness. It is the symbol of:-

- Victory over the sin and death.
- Victory over sensual desires.
- Divine love of suffering and self renunciation.
- Reconciliation:- God-Man, Man-Man, Man-Creation.
- Saving grace of God:- redemption and eternal life.

Cross is that tree of life which was kept away from Adam and Eve, was made available to those who approached it with faith and adoration (1king 6:29,32,35; 7:36). Thus Sleebe Perunnal marks the beginning of a journey from Bethlehem to Calvary. It is a journey of trials and tribulations. It is a salvific process from chaotic to cosmic and from cosmic to theosis. I humbly pray to the God Almighty to ignite us with the divine light to carry our cross and follow him.

Fr. REJI C VARGHESE (ASSOCIATE VICAR)

8 Day Lent & Nativity of St. Mary

8 days lent will begin from 1st of September. All faithful are requested to observe lent. The feast of Nativity of Blessed St. Mary will be celebrated at our parish on Saturday 7th September 2012 at NECK from 4:00 pm. Pachor to be served as Nercha are expected from all individual homes. Fr. Wilson Mathew M.K, MA, B.Ed, BD, MTh. from Basil Dayara Pathanamthitta will lead our Annual Convention 2013.

Convention Schedule 2013

Day	Date	Venue	Time
Sunday	1st Sep.	St. George Chapel Abbasiya	6:30 - 9:15 pm
Monday	2nd Sep.	St. Mary's Chapel Salmiya	6:30 - 9:15 pm
Tuesday	3rd Sep.	NECK Parish Hall (After H.Q)	5:00 - 9:15 pm
Wednesday	4th Sep.	NECK, Hall of Faith	6:30 - 9:15 pm
Thursday	5th Sep.	NECK Parish Hall	6:30 - 9:15 pm
Friday	6th Sep.	NECK, Parish Hall	6:30 - 9:15 pm
Saturday	7th Sep.	Holy Qurbana (NECK)	4:00 - 6:30 pm

Church Calendar

1-Sep	8 Day Lent starts (Ettu Nombu) Convention Begins
2-Sep	Commemoration of H.G Yuyakim Mar Kurilose Metropolitan
8-Sep	Nativity of St. Mary
14-Sep	Sleebe Perunaal (Exaltation of the Holy Cross), Anniversary of the 'Servants of the Cross' Community
15-Sep	First Sunday after Holy Cross
22-Sep	Second Sunday after Holy Cross
23-Sep	Commemoration of H.G; Alvares Mar Yulios (Panjim St.Mary's Church, Goa)
25-Sep	Commemoration of H.G. Philipose Mar Theophilos (Thrikkunnathu Seminary)
29-Sep	Third Sunday after Holy Cross

Worship Schedule

Date	Day	Time	Event	Venue
3-Sep	Tuesday	5:00 PM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
6-Sep	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
7-Sep	Saturday	4:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
10-Sep	Tuesday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
13-Sep	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
17-Sep	Tuesday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
20-Sep	Friday	8:15 AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
24-Sep	Tuesday	5:30 PM	Holy Qurbana	NECK
28-Sep	Saturday	7:00AM	Holy Qurbana	NECK

Prayer Schedule September 2013

6th September 2013 - 6:30pm to 9:30pm, 6th day Convention at NECK

13th September 2013 - 5:00pm to 7:00pm, Common Prayer Meeting at ACE Hall Abbasiya Subway Restaurant Basement

Group	Time	Date	Host	Building	Flr #	Flt #	Location	Telephone
St.Aprem	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Binny .P. Joy		6	17	Teenage shope Tailoring	97656458
		27-Sep	Abraham v. George (shaji)	116	2	5	Genius Attestation Bldg.	97648729
St. Behenan	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Binu Joy	121	1	3	Opp. Al Razi Pharmacy 3rd Building	24342709
		27-Sep	Aji.T.John	25	10	29	Al Yasra Food Store Building	24340759
St. Elias	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Johnson Scaria		6	23	Pumpkin Vegetable Shop Bldg	97924390
		27-Sep	Babukutty Chandy		6	25	Pumpkin Vegetable Shop Bldg	66390242
St. George East	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Jobby Pappachan	14	6	23	Behind Telephone exch 2nd Bldg	99263985
		27-Sep	VargheseNinan	18	7	28	U- turnRed Bldg Artcleanlaundry	66388540
St. George West	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Reji T George	1536	1	4	Opp. Unique Store #3	99645213
		27-Sep	Jenson Baby		6	26	Next to Old Pakistani Mosque Bldg.	24337835
St. Luke	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Rejimon Thomas	14	8	64	Near Makka Store	94087161
		27-Sep	George Jacob	38	1	3	Opposite Electric Substation (Old building)	24340490
St. Mark	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Jacob V Job	18	8	48	Sreeragam Furniture Bldg	99588931
		27-Sep	Jacob Thomas(Shaji)	15/105	3	12	Dayna Resturant Bldg	66406760
St. Mathews East	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Isac Varghese P		1	4	Between Rock N Style & Alankar Fabrics Bldg	65587340
		27-Sep	Thomas George		7	26	Behind Parsonage Rock N Style Bldg	66595598
St. Mathews West	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Santhosh Mammen Samuel		4	15	Parathans Cargo Bldg	97524385
		27-Sep	Tiju Mammen Varghese		8	64	Apsara Bazar Red Bldg	99721817
St.Paul's	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Issac C. Issac	145	9	37	Orma Margin free shop bldg (Best Bakery Rt)	66988040
		27-Sep	Umman Varghese(Babu)	136	3	14	Simar Veg. Shop Bldg	99639220
St.Philipose South	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Shaji Kuriakose		3	9	Rehman Store Building	97925950
		27-Sep	Shiju John		5	22	Opp. Fire Station	99651903
St.Philipose North	5:00 PM	20-Sep	Denny Thomson		1	6	Opp. Lovely House	65068119
		27-Sep	Binoy Mathew		5	17	Near Bobyan Travels	65840846
St. Thomas North	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Satheesh K Baby	1725	3	8	Family Bazar Building	24314286
		27-Sep	Ajay P Varghese		2	27	Old Chapel Building	99490878
St. Thomas South	5:30 PM	20-Sep	Chacko p.mathew	45	5	21	Sahel bakery building	66714310
		27-Sep	Biju daniel		2	16	Hi-tech computers bldg	94919575
St. Andrews	6:30 PM	27 - Sep	Aby George	14	3	12	Opp. Caesars Confectionary	99896546
St.Dionysious	5:00 PM	27 - Sep	Sony Idiculla		2	6	Behind Labetton Sweets	97211683
St. James	7:00 PM	27 - Sep	Kunjumon Mathew	37	GF	1	Opposite Hadi Hospital	25650472
St. John's	8:00 PM	27 - Sep	Bino John	37	3	10	Orthodox Bldg.# 2	97422933
St. Peters	8:00 PM	20 - Sep	John P. Abraham		1	2	Next to Canadian Clinic, Sharq	99524623
St. Stephens	8:00 PM	18 - Sep	Abraham T.G	14029	3	16	Matrix Car Rental	97240946
St. Marys	8:00 PM	13-Sep	Thomas Mathew	2	2	7	Street 12, Abraq khaitan. Back of burgan bank.	24730729
Brahmavar	11:30 AM	20 - Sep	Lawrence D Souza				Farwaniya	97198975