

## Main Program Highlights

01-Oct-08	Registration
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Prayer & Inaugural meeting
	Sing Along and Group Energizers
	Introduction and Class
	Class 2nd session
	Group Discussion / Interactive session
	Sing Along and Group Energizers
	Counseling Session
	Games and Sports
	Prayer & disperse
02-Oct-08	Prayer & Sing Along and Group Energizers
<b>THURSDAY</b>	General Class –
	Workshops - 2 sessions
	OXYGEN - Praise 'n' Worship Service
	Counseling Session - 2nd part
	(Debate / Interactive session)
	Face to Face With Leaders
	Meditation & Hour of silence
	Confession / Hoososyo
	Prayer & disperse
03-Oct-08	Prayer
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Holy Qurbana
04-Oct-08	Prayer & Sing Along and Group Energizers
<b>SATURDAY</b>	Stress & Time Mangement techniques
	Special Feature on Power Read –Quick Read
	Final Program – Centum Celebrations
	My Days In MGOCSM
	Honoring The Senior Friends of MGOCSM
	Talent programs
	Prayer & disperse

**Transporation will be available on contact**

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**Advisory Board :** Mr. Kurien Varghese, Mr. P.C. George, Mr. M.P. Syriackutty, Mr.Zachariah Thomas

## Workshops / Guidance Program

Topic
Creativity in You
Flower Arrangements
Leadership Training
Career Guidance
Music Workshop
Quick Cook
Public Speaking
Creative Writing Skills
Grooming and Etiquettes
Stress Management
Photography
Team Building
Theatre Workshop
Business Skills
Time Management
Personality Development
Journalism
Things to remember In First Aid
Be Fit and Live long
Orthodox Liturgy

The duration of these workshops will be for 45min, delegates can attend any 2 workshops of their choice; delegates will have to give 4 preferences and a random selection will make the final participants list, this list will be displayed during the conference, please check at Registration Counter for more details on how to choose your workshops.

*Eminent Personalities & Scholars* lead the workshop and special guidance & training given for students

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# Summer Camp & MGOCSM Centum Tri-day Conference Kuwait - 2008



A unique Conference for students to  
celebrate the centenary of Mar Gregorios  
Orthodox Christian Student Movement

**Theme**

**ARISE & SHINE** (Isaiah 60:1)

**Venue:** NECK Campus / ICSK Amman Br

**Dates:** October 1st, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 2008

**Time :** 8: 30 am – 6: 30 pm

**Chief Speakers**

**Rev. Dr. Fr. Reji Mathews**

Principal, Orthodox Theological Seminary, Nagpur

**Rev. Dr. Fr. V. M. Abraham**

General Secretary, MGOCSM of India  
Orthodox Student Center, Kottayam

**St.Gregorios Indian Orthodox  
Maha Edavaka, Kuwait**

**St. Thomas Indian Orthodox  
Church, Ahmadi**

**Kuwait**

## Greetings in the name of our Lord

Dear beloved in Christ,

**Mar Gregorios Orthodox Christian Student Movement (MGOCSM)**, is the largest student movement in the world, originated in the year 1908, at Madras by few students and seniors friends.

This year while MGOCSM celebrates its Centenary world wide, we are also taking part in it by having the Tri-day conference. This is a unique conference for students to celebrate the centenary of MGOCSM.

This conference will bring together the young people of our church from diverse cultural identities and create a community where there is time and space for sharing profound ideas and essential experiences, while having an enjoyable time.

By keeping its motto **Worship – Study - Service** we mould this conference for children to experience all these by attending in it. It's being planned in such a way that this conference will enable our children to **“ARISE & SHINE”** in both their personal and spiritual life as the theme says. We have incorporated special counseling sessions, different workshops and special classes. Eminent personalities and specialists will be there to help our children to mould a better future.

We have planned a special honoring session for the Senior friends of MGOCSM, so that they can be also the part of the centenary celebration.

It is our desire and prayer that MGOCSM must be able to reach out to each and every student of our Church, so that they would be built up on a solid foundation of our Church tradition and faith, during their formative years.

I would like to remind you that you are privileged to be the members of a great Church, which has the history of twenty-one centuries; spirituality and traditions received from the first century Church.

*General Convener*

### Brief History

**Mar Gregorios Orthodox Christian Student Movement (MGOCSM)**, the student wing of Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church (Indian Orthodox Church) originated in Madras in 1907 as a fellowship of students and senior friends which opened its way to an annual Student Conference in 1908.

#### Three fold aims

»**To deepen the spiritual life of the members**

»**To prepare them to be responsible citizens in the Church and Society**

»**To encourage them to commit themselves for sacrificial service in the Church and Society**

The high ideals behind finding of the Movement included bringing together the Orthodox Christian students of different educational institutions into one body in order to get them rooted in Orthodox faith and traditions and to strengthen them in spiritual life and Christian fellowship.

The Movement has grown as an international one with about 1500 units all over the world. It has been maintaining inter-disciplinary contacts in the academic field for a long time by the formation of its wings. They are the high school, higher secondary, college-post college wings; University, higher secondary, high school teachers association, medical auxiliary, technical auxiliary, missionary forum, literary forum and publication-wing.

The greatest contribution the Movement has made to the Church and society is that it has prepared and provided able and outstanding leaders from time to time. Heading towards the centenary in 2008, the Movement looks forward to venture into new areas and to establish more centers for effective work. For over one hundred years the movement has been marching forward, faithfully adhering to its motto 'Worship - Study – Service'.

*“Inspiring Young minds for 100 years”*

### Centenary Projects

#### **ORTHODOX STUDY BIBLE**

##### **A CENTENARY GIFT TO THE CHURCH**

A full Bible according to the canon of Malankara Orthodox Church . A group of outstanding theologians, biblical scholars and language experts have already engaged in the work of ORTHODOX STUDY BIBLE. To inspire and strengthen the young generation on the biblical truth in facing contemporary challenges and to enable them to study deeply.

#### **TOTAL EDUCATION FOR 100 STUDENTS**

We all know, today's classrooms make tomorrow's state. So MGOCSM has taken 100 students from different dioceses and committed to provide the best education to these children. They are highly promising, talented and academically brilliant though they come from economically poor families.

*How you can help us.....*

*Remember the Movement and its activities in daily prayers & Encourage friends/relatives who can ungrudgingly contribute to the centenary projects*

Presidents: Rev. Fr. P. T. Thomas, Rev. Fr. Jose. K. Varghese, Rev. Fr. Joseph Sunny John