



Family - with Christian Values

Fr. Giju George

Family is a greatest gift of God to the Man; it not only helps to world move on with new creation but also feel the presence of God and to share the joy and love of God with every creation of this universe. Family is the first step towards the establishment of Kingdom of God which is the plan of our creator God from the Beginning.

Family which is based on Christian values is called Christian family. Unfortunately we are witnessing violence where relationship between parents and children are deteriorating, relationship between siblings losing the sanctity, man is not respecting his fellowmen. In this modern world it is need of an hour that we must uphold the teaching of our Lord Jesus Christ to make our world more human friendly.

We must know that family is not an institution designed by man. It was created by God for the benefit of man, and man has been given stewardship over it. Where first we have to be maintain a good relationship with our creator God. As Joshua says "As for Me and My House We Will Serve the Lord" (Joshua 24:15), we have to give utmost time for the family prayer, not only that, a community worship is also needed. When we are baptized and Chris mated into the Orthodox Church we join one of the most beautiful and traditional faiths ever established. As a member of greater family within the church we have to worship together as Angel's do in the Heaven. The sacrament of the Eucharist concretely realizes love of God and neighbor in their unity with each other. In this sacrament, people are fully united

with Jesus, and through him with his Father and their Holy Spirit; Eucharistic worship also forms human persons into a family of brothers and sisters in Jesus. While retaining and even perfecting one's distinct personality, one becomes in Jesus one flesh with others. In this way, people enjoy a foretaste of heaven, where they hope to live forever in intimate communion not only with the divine persons but also with other human persons.

Unfortunately in our modern days we are less serious in our family prayers and in participation in the Holy Eucharist. We are busy with lot of activities in the name of Christ but without Christ. As a result we are unable to produce the fruit of the Holy Spirit. That is the one reason we are unable to witness Christ in the world and we are unable to establish the kingdom of God till date.

"Christ is the head of this house..." let this theme of wall hanging in our houses be our life. Let our family members be committed to Christ and His service. When every members of family fulfill their God-appointed roles, then peace and harmony reign in the home. But, if we try to have a Christian family without Christ as Head or without adhering to the biblical principles the Lord has lovingly provided for us, the home will suffer. Not only home suffer our society too suffer.

Let God moulds us to be a member of family with Christian values to do His will. Let us come together as a Christian family to feel the presence of God and to share the joy and love of God with every creation of this universe.

God bless us all.
In His service



WORSHIP SCHEDULE - HOLY QURBANA

Date	Day	Time	Venue			
3-Jul	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
6-Jul	Friday	6:00 AM	Ace Hall, Abbasiya (Basement of Subway)			
		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
7-Jul	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
10-Jul	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
	Friday	6:00 AM	Ace Hall, Abbasiya (Basement of Subway)			
13-Jul		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
14-Jul	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
17-Jul	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
	Friday	6:00 AM	Ace Hall, Abbasiya (Basement of Subway)			
20-Jul		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
20-Jui		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
21-Jul	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
24-Jul	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
	Friday	6:00 AM	Ace Hall, Abbasiya (Basement of Subway)			
27-Jul		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
		6:30 AM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
28-Jul	Saturday	7:00 AM	NECK (South Tent)			
		5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
31-Jul	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			

CHURCH CALENDAR

Date	Church Calendar						
1-Jul-18	Sixth Sunday after Pentecost						
3-Jul-18	Dukhrono of St. Thomas						
5-Jul-18	Feast of the Seventy Two Evangelists, Commemoration of Marthoma VII (Kolencherry Church)						
7-Jul-18	Commemoration of HG Zechariah Mar Dionysius Metropolitan (Pathanapuram Mount Tabor Dayara)						
8-Jul-18	Seventh Sunday after Pentecost, Mission Sunday						
10-Jul-18	Commemoration of HG Yuhannon Mar Gregorios Metropolitan (Mulanthuruthy Church)						
12-Jul-18	Commemoration of HG Pulikkottil Joseph Mar Divanasios V Metropolitan, Founder of the Kottayam M.D. Seminary (Kottayam Pazhiya Seminary)						
15-Jul-18	Eighth Sunday after Pentecost, Feast of the Kuriakose the Martyr and his Mother, St. Yulithy, St. Abhai of Nicea						
20-Jul-18	Feast of Prophet Mar Elijah						
22-Jul-18	Ninth Sunday after Pentecost, Feast of St Mary Magdalene						
23-Jul-18	Commemoration of HG Geevarghese Mar Dioscoros Metropolitan (Ranny Holy Trinity Ashram)						
25-Jul-18	Feast of Mar Epiphanios (Kupros)						
27-Jul-18	Feast of St. Simon the Stylite						
29-Jul-18	Tenth Sunday after Pentecost						
31-Jul-18	Commemoration of LL Gregorios Mar Ebraya						



FEAST OF ST. THOMAS

Feast of St. Thomas (Dukhrono Perunnal) will be celebrated on Friday, 6th July 2018 at NECK, St. Mary's Chapel, St. George Chapel and Ace Hall as per the worship schedule.



FEAST OF ST. KURIAKOSE

Feast of St. Kuriakose will be celebrated on Friday, 20th July 2018 at NECK, St. Mary's Chapel, St. George Chapel and Ace Hall as per the worship schedule.



FEAST OF ST. ELIAS

Feast of St. Elias will be celebrated on Friday, 27th July 2018 at St. Mary's Chapel, St. George Chapel and Ace Hall and also on 28th July 2018 at NECK and St. George Chapel as per the worship schedule.



WELCOME ON BOARD -NEW DEPUTY WEB - MASTER

Congratulations to the newly elected Deputy Web-Master Church Registration # J0185 Mr. Jean K. Abraham, Mob.- 9959 9401.

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HIS HOLINESS BASELIOS MARTHOMA PAU-LOSE II. The Catholicos of the East and Malankara Metropolitan will attend and inaugurate this event, scheduled to be held on Tuesday, 10th July 2018 @ 9 am at Pathamuttom Mission Centre, Kottayam. The meeting will be presided by **HG Dr. Joseph Mar** Dionysius, our Diocesan Metropolitan and distinguished guests like Rev. Fr. T.J. Joshua, Mr. Jiji Thomson IAS – Ex. Chief Secretary are expected take classes and many other priests and dignitaries of MOSC also expected to attend. All interested parishioners on vacation are requested to contact Mr. Babu Paul – 0091- 9747 3685 50 or Mr. Thomas Joy (Regi) – 0091- 9747 8879 80 or Mr. Shaji Abraham, Mob. 0091 – 9744 230093, MOSC St. Thomas Mission Coordinator, Kuwait Zone.

ORTHODOX VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - 2018

Theme: "God Moulds Us." Isaiah 64:8

OVBS 2018 concluded on Thursday, 21st June with a Colourful rally by the OVBS kids, Flash Mob followed by Grand stage programs, Hand Mimes, Biblical Skits and variety of Action Songs put up by the 632 students,73 teachers and 24 Coordinators in the presence of a large number of parents. The public function was presided by Vicar Rev. Fr. Jacob Thomas and the following clergy and dignitaries attended. Associate Vicar Rev. Fr. Giju George, OVBS Director Rev. Fr. Mahesh Thankachan, Rev. Fr. Mathew Mathew, Rev. Fr. Anish Kunjappan, Parish Trustee Mr. Naveen Kurien Thomas, Parish Actg. Secretary Mr. Abey Thomas. Sabha Managing Committee Members Mr. Babu Varughese and Mr. Koshy Mathew, Diocese Council Member Mr. Abraham C. Alex, SS Head Master Mr. Kurien Varghese, OVBS Suptd. Mr. Cibhu Alex Chacko, OVBS Deputy Suptd. Mr. Issac Varughese, SS Advisor, Mr. P.C. George, SS Treasurer Mr. Philips John, SS Secy. Mr. Shabu Mathew, SS Jt. Secy Usha Mariam John. The OVBS Star of 2018 was declared as Ms. Christine Saira Abraham and OVBS Runner-up Ms. Ashley Susan Zachariah. SS thank all the Managing Committee Members, Prayer Groups Secretaries, PTA Members, OVBS Band led by Mrs. Jessy Jaison and Team and Church members who contributed and worked hard for the Success of this OVBS 2018. SS Thank the SS Alumni and various Prayer Groups and Marth Mariam Samajam who sponsored for the daily snacks.

OVBS Star 2018



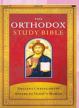
Miss Christine Saira Abraham D/o Mr. Abey Thomas & Mrs. Jiji Susan Thomas Church Reg. No. A 117

OVBS Runner Up 2018

Miss Ashley Susan Zachariah D/o Mr. Binu Zachariah & /Irs. Beena Thomas Mathew Church Reg. No. B062

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- 1. Talent Scan Forms to be returned back to SS Admin by August 17th.
- 2. **SSFC Exams Registration** SSFC & Class XII Exam Registration Cutoff date for appearing is 14th September, 2018. Reg. Fees will be **KD 2.500**
- 3. SS Reopens on 13th September at NECK and 14th September at Abbassiya.



LECTIONARY

Date	Day	Old	Catholic	Pauline/Other Letters	Gospel	
01/07/2018	Sunday	Psalms 20	ACTS 1: 15-20	I COR 8:1-6	ST MATTHEW 15: 32-39	
02/07/2018	Monday	I KING 21: 1-5	I PET 2:1-5	II COR 1:1-7	ST MARK 10: 1-4	
03/07/2018	Tuesday	I KING 21:6-10	I PET 2:6-10	II COR 1: 8-11	ST MARK 10: 5-12	
04/07/2018	Wednesday	I KING 21: 11-16	I PET 2:11-15	II COR 1:12-14	ST MARK 10: 13-17	
05/07/2018	Thursday	I KING 21: 17-19	I PET 2:17-15	II COR 1: 15-20	ST MARK 10: 18-23	
06/07/2018	Friday	I KING 21: 20-24	I PET 2:20-25	II COR 1: 21-24	ST MARK 10: 24-31	
07/07/2018	Saturday	I KING 21: 25-28	I PET 3:1-6	II COR 2: 1-4	ST MARK 10: 32-38	
08/07/2018	Sunday	LEVI 16: 29-34	ACTS 4: 32-37	EPH 2: 11-22	ST MARK 3: 20-30	
09/07/2018	Monday	I KING 22: 1-5	I PET 3:1-6	II COR 2: 5-11	ST MARK 10: 39-45	
10/07/2018	Tuesday	I KING 22:6-9	I PET 3:7-12	II COR 2: 12-17	ST MARK 10: 46-52	
11/07/2018	Wednesday	I KING 22: 10-14	I PET 3:13-17	II COR 3: 1-6	ST MARK 11: 1-5	
12/07/2018	Thursday	I KING 22: 15-18	I PET 3:18-22	II COR 3: 7-11	ST MARK 11: 6-11	
13/07/2018	Friday	I KING 22: 19- 23	I PET 4:1-6	II COR 3: 12-18	ST MARK 11: 12-14	
14/07/2018	Saturday	I KING 22: 24-28	I PET 4:7-11	II COR4: 1-6	ST MARK 11: 15-19	
15/07/2018	Sunday	EXO 3: 9-15	I PETER 2: 4-10	HEB 5: 1-5	ST JOHN 6: 47-59	
16/07/2018	Monday	I KING 22: 29-34	I PET 4:12-16	II COR 4: 7-12	ST MARK 11:20- 26	
17/07/2018	Tuesday	I KING 22: 35-40	I PET 4:17-19	II COR 4: 13-18	ST MARK 11:27-33	
18/07/2018	Wednesday	I KING 22: 41-46	I PET 5:1-4	II COR 5: 1-5	ST MARK 12: 1-4	
19/07/2018	Thursday	I KING 22: 47-50	I PET 5:5-11	II COR 5: 6-10	ST MARK 12: 5-12	
20/07/2018	Friday	I KING 22: 51-53	I PET 5:12-14	II COR 5: 11-15	ST MARK 12:13-17	
21/07/2018	Saturday	II KING 1: 1-5	II PET 1:1-4	II COR 5: 16-21	ST MARK 12: 18-23	
22/07/2018	Sunday	PRO 13: 1-7	ACTS 28: 11-22	I COR 6:1-11	ST LUKE 4: 7-11	
23/07/2018	Monday	II KING1: 6-10	II PET 1:6-11	II COR 6: 1-5	ST MARK 12: 24-27	
24/07/2018	Tuesday	II KING 1: 11-14	II PET 1:12-15	II COR 6:6-10	ST MARK 12: 28- 31	
25/07/2018	Wednesday	II KING 1: 15-18	II PET 1:16-18	II COR 6: 11-15	ST MARK 12: 32-34	
26/07/2018	Thursday	II KING 2: 1-4	II PET 1:19-21	IICOR 6: 16-18	ST MARK 12: 35-40	
27/07/2018	Friday	II KING 2: 5-10	II PET 2:1-5	II COR 7: 1-4	ST MARK 12: 41-44	
28/07/2018	Saturday	II KING 2: 11-16	II PET 2:6-12	II COR 7: 5- 9	ST MARK 13: 1-8	
29/07/2018	Sunday	JOB 42: 7-17	ACTS 28:23-30	ROM 10: 5-21	ST MATT 18: 1-11	
30/07/2018	Monday	II KING 2: 17-20	II PET 2:13-16	II COR 7: 10-12	ST MARK 13: 9- 13	
31/07/2018	Tuesday	II KING 2: 21-25	II PET 2:17-25	II COR 7: 13-16	ST MARK 13: 14-23	



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Group	Time	Date	Host Mr. Saji Varghese	Bldg 15169	Floor		Location	Telephone
St. Aprem	5 00			15169		17	Opp. Best Bakers	9969 5641
	3.00 pm		Mr. Raju Geevarghese	100	2	14	Orma Bakery Bldg. Teenage Shop Left Bldg.	6669 8065
			Mr. Santosh Jacob Mr. Johnson & Mr. Raju	199	8	22	Al Safwa Pharmacy Bldg.	6515 3236
St. Behenan			Mr. Manoj Mathew	1	1 4	2	Kyber Super Market Bldg.	9730 0539 9780 4767
	5.30 pm		Mr. Johnson Chandy	1	1	17	Opp. Joy Alukkas Exchange 1st Bldg.	6679 3832
			Mr. Shaiju Kurien	1	3	35	Beside Electric W/S Bldg.(New Cabin)	9959 4221
			Mr. Jacob Thomas	-	-			6603 7974
			Mr. Bivin Thomas	-	5	13	Anwar Super Market Bldg.(Left Wing)	6611 6579
St. Elias	5.00 pm		Mr. Biju Benniyam	1	8	_	Near Anwar Super Market (New Bldg.) Boubvan Travels Bldg. Near Royal City Clinic	6769 2142
				-	_	32		9808 8644
			Mr. Manoj Mathew Mr. Vargheses John	24	7	2	Cycle Store Bldg. Near Pravasi Auditorium Bldg.	
St. Gregorios	5.30 pm			24		18	Behind Family Bazar	6009 8563
			Mr. Idiculla Koshy	_	6	17	Opp. Family Bazar	9932 6851
			Mr. Thomas Koshy & Jacob P Koshy	-	2	3	Swiss Clinic, Highway Side	9796 9040
St. George	5.00 pm		Mr. Sony Varghese	-	2	10	Address Building, Next to Chachoos Side	6642 3808
			Mr. Sunil George	-	6	20	King Cook Restaurant North Bldg.	6703 4329
			Mr. Salu Thomas John		8	27	Swiss Clinic, Highway Side	9947 5919
			Mr. Thomas T.K	-	4	17	Curtain Shop Bldg.	6703 4189
St. Jude	5.00 pm		Mr. Georji George	-	5	35	Mebena Ladies Saloon Bldg.	9795 8421
	· · · · · · ·		Mr. K.I Thomas		7	30	Art Clean Laundry Bldg. 1st U Turn	9782 4966
			Mr. Rinu T. Zacharia		3	18	Blue Sky Supermarket Bldg.	9400 8878
			Mr. Rary Varghese		2	10	Al Manakh AC Shop Bldg.	6603 5857
St. Luke	5.00 pm		Mr. George Iype	26	2	7	Near Ceacars Cargo Bldg.	6637 4830
			Mr. Abraham Thomas (Rajan)		2	7	Tayabaat Veg. Shop Bldg.	6655 1639
			Mr. Biju Mathew		7	30	Opp.Substation New Bldg.	6774 2697
			Mr. Cebu Johnson		GF	57	Sreeragam Furniture Bldg.	6650 0384
St. Mark	5.30 pm		Mr. Dennis Thomas Pallicken				Chachoose Hall	6565 1004
			Mr. Manu T. John		3	7	Madeena Shop Bldg.	9784 2641
			Mr. Jacob Kadavil		8	29	Opp. King Cook Restaurant	6647 3773
St. Mathew	5.00 pm		Mr. Santosh Varghese		1	1	Opp. King Cook Restaurant	6571 3576
St. Wathew	3.00 pm		Mr. Reji Varghese		4	14	Opp. United Indian School New Bldg.	9722 0842
			Mr. Robu Thomas		2	5	Opp. Puthuma Saloon Bldg.	9727 4220
			Mr. Geo Prince		6	22	Boubyan Travels Bldg.	5588 8096
St. Philipose	5.30 pm		Mr. Issac Thomas		2	11	Opp. Canary Restaurant (Near Round About)	9918 5475
			Mr. Alen Ben John		2	2	Boubyan Travels Bldg.	9736 9844
St. Thomas	5.30 pm		Mr. Jinu C Thomas	12	2	7	Dasmha Lanundry Bldg.	6639 1825
St. Thomas	5.50 pm	13-Jul-18	Mr. Thomas E Chacko	56	2	8	Hassawi Restaurant Bldg.	2431 4620
St. Pauls			Mr. Abey Thomas	181	4	14	Dyna Store Bldg, Next to Holy Sweets	6676 6763
St. Johns			Mr.Prasad Cherian	1	5	19	Orthodox Bldg.	5012 4257
St. Dionysius			Mr. Saji Mathew	32	1	1	Opp. White Rose	9696 4049
St. James			Mr. Jacob Samuel (Joppan)	3	32	8	Thai Lanna Beauty Center Bldg. Block 12	9924 7329
St. Peters	5.30 pm	20-Jul-18	Mr. George Thomas	14	8	82	Katkoota Bldg. Near Al Awadhi Tower	9696 0466
St. Bursouma			Bachelors Prayer Sunday				Abbasiya Office Parsonage	6634 7396
Brahmavar	11.30 am	13-Jul-18	Brahmavar Prayer	Abbasiya Office Parsonage				

MARTH MARIAM SAMAJAM

Chain Prayer is scheduled on Wednesday, 4th July. അഖണ്ട ബൈബിൾ മാസാചരണം from July 15th to August 15th.

ST. GREGORIOS OCYM

ഈ വർഷത്തെ മൂന്നാമത് ജനറൽ ബോഡി ജൂലൈ മാസം 26 വ്യാഴം 7.45ന് അബ്ബാസിയ പാസണേജ് ഓഫിസിൽ വെച്ച് നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നു. ജൂലൈ മാസത്തെ പ്രയർ ശ്രീ. ജോജി പി. ജോണിൻറ ഭവനത്തിൽ വെച്ച്, 22–ാം തീയതി ഞായർ വൈകിട്ട് 7.45ന് നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നു. Flat 15, floor -4, Eternity Travels Building (opp. Ruchi Rest.)

MAR BASELIOS MOVEMENT

MBM Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on Thursday, 12^{th} July, 2018 at 7.15 pm at Orma Auditorium, Abbasiya.

MAR GREGORIOS MOVEMENT

MGM Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on Thursday, 19thJuly at 7.30 pm at Orma Auditorium, Abbasiya.

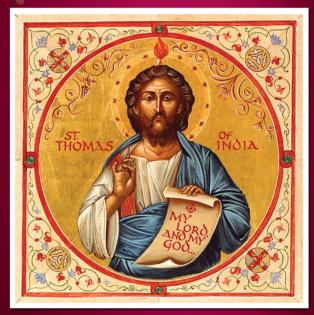
MGM's first ever Family Reunion Meet "HUBO" will be held on Tuesday, 31st July, 2018 at Parumala Auditorium. All MGM members travelling to Kerala are kindly requested to register their names with MGM Managing Committee Members on or before 10th July, 2018

ANTI-ALCOHOLISM MOVEMENT

AAM Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on Sunday, 1st July, 2018 at 7.30 pm at Parsonage Office, Abbassiya

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