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BUT AS FOR ME AND MY FAMILY,
WE WILL SERVE THE LORD.



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PRAYER MEETING

AREA PRAYER MEETINGS

04th Oct.@ 7.30 pm @ Res. of Mr. Reji Varghese , Gilead PG , Sharq
10th Oct @ 7.30 pm @ Res. of Mr. Thomas K. Thomas (Sachin), Gloria PG, Riggai. (Thurs).
11th Oct @ 7.30 pm @ Res. of Mr. Sunil K. Philip , Carmel & St. Pauls PG, Salmiya
11th Oct @ 7.30 pm @ Res. of Mr. Abey Mathew , Sehion P.G. Salmiya
18th Oct @ 7.00 pm @ Res. of Mr. Thomas Thundiyl (Valson) St. Thomas PG , Salmiya

SEVIKA SANGHAM PRAYER MEETING

05th Oct @ 4pm @ Res. of Mrs. Rajamma Varghese , Sharq Area.

ANNOUNCEMENT

1. SEVIKA SANGHOM

* VANITHA VEDI

26th Oct. Saturday @ 10 am to 12 Noon @ Res. of Mrs. Leela Suresh.

2. YUVAJANA SAKHYAM :

1st Friday 04th Oct. @ 9 am NECK , Hall of Faith – Sakhyam Saka meeting

3rd Friday 18th Oct. @ 9 am NECK , Hall of Faith – Sakhyam Saka meeting

3rd Friday 18th Oct. after worship service – Food Sale.

4th Friday 25th Oct. @3:30pm NECK,Church & PH – Yuva Vedi.

Request all Yuvajana Sakhyam Sakha Members to attend the meeting.

3. SUNDAY SCHOOL :

Sunday School regular classes every Friday @ 3.15 pm at NECK.

19th Oct. Saturday, Holy Communion (English Service) @ 7.00 pm @
Hall of Peace.

4. EDAVAKA MISSION :

Voluntary Evangelist's Day

4th Oct. Friday @ 7 am NECK, Hall of Faith.

NEW BORN BABY

~ Mr. Anil Thomas & Mrs. Milu Anil, St.Pauls PG, blessed with a baby boy.
May God bless the new born baby and the family.

CONDOLENCE

Mrs Elsy John (89yrs) w/o Rev.M.J.John, Puthethu Ebenezar,Nalanchira,TVM,
mother of Mr. Johnson Puthethu (St.Pauls PG).
Our sincere condolence to the bereaved family.

EDAVAKA OFFICE

Office facilities are available after the worship service on Fridays and Saturdays.

From the Vicar's Desk



Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ

Dearly beloved in Christ, let's thank and praise for all the countless blessings we received from God. I take this opportunity for appreciating all the parishioners who opened their hands by giving generously for the various mission works of our diocese. We need to share the blessings received from God remembering that we are only the channels of God's grace in His world. Remember that the happiest people are not those getting more, but those giving more.

Annual convention of our parish, which is going to be held from 23 to 26 of this month, is a great opportunity for us to listen and understand the deep rooted meanings of the word of God. The psalmist says that God's word is a lamp unto his feet and a light unto his path (ps.119:105). Rev. Feno M. Thomas will share the word of God as the main speaker of this year's convention. We should prepare ourselves to receive the word of God and should make arrangements in workplace so as to attend the meetings regularly. May this year's convention bring in repentance, transformation and dedication to witness Christ through our life.

The church at Thessalonica was a community of faith which gave much importance to the word of God. Paul asserts that when they preached word of God to them they received it not as words from human but they accepted it as coming from God. They welcomed the message in the midst of severe suffering with the joy given by the Holy Spirit (1 Thess 1:6). The word was incarnated in their life and they became a community that bore witness to the gospel by shedding the light of the word to the surroundings (1 Thess 1:6). They stayed as a community rooted in God's grace and love by growing in the knowledge of the word and they were characterized by faith, love, and hope. Along with the convention we are arranging family dedication day on 25th of this month. It is a time to proclaim our faith and commitment to God as Joshua proclaimed "As for me and my family we will serve the Lord"

We are celebrating our harvest festival on November 15. Let us, encourage all members to actively participate in the ongoing preparations of the harvest festival and to uphold everything in prayers beseeching God's grace in all our endeavours.

First Friday is observed as voluntary evangelist's day and theme is the "Priesthood of all believers".

Third Friday of October is observed as the Youth Day. Let us enable today's youth to be tomorrow's world changers for Christ and thereby urge all the youths of our St. James Parish to be active in hearing the voice of God and create an impact in environment around them.

May the grace, mercy, and blessings of the Triune God be with us all.

Yours in Christ,
Shibu Achen

BIRTHDAY WISHES

DATE	NAME	PHONE NO	PRAYER CELL	MEM #
01-Oct	Miss.Rachel Susan Thomas	67059842	Gloria - Riggae	126
02-Oct	Master.Irin Mathew	25641981	Sehion - Salmiya	82
03-Oct	Miss.Anushka Anil	22493450	Gilead - Sharq	79
04-Oct	Master.Tinu John	25629567	St Pauls - Salmiya	54
04-Oct	Mr.Jojomon Varghese	94455053, 94422053	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	270
04-Oct	Mr.Sibu Kurien Jacob	66733862, 66253590	Sehion - Salmiya	53
05-Oct	Mr.Thomas K. Thomas	50617333	Gloria - Riggae	201
06-Oct	Mr.Alex Jacob	66400392, 25639046	St Thomas - Salmiya	73
06-Oct	Mr.Jojo Kurian Thomas	98818361	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	261
06-Oct	Miss.Chrisly Ann Johnson		Gloria - Riggae	170
07-Oct	Mr.Abey Mathew	99181556, 25641981	Sehion - Salmiya	82
07-Oct	Mr.Sunil K Philip	60916959, 60916959	Carmel - Salmiya	199
07-Oct	Mr.Varghese John	66268752	Gloria - Riggae	144
08-Oct	Mrs.Omana K J	9495906152, 22422640	St Luke - Salmiya	65
08-Oct	Master.Crison John Varghese	22418156	Gilead - Sharq	38
09-Oct	Miss.Shreya Mariam Sunil	65670467	Gilead - Sharq	264
11-Oct	Mr.Jobin K. Varghese	66146187	Kerith - Abbasiya	246
11-Oct	Mr.Vinoy Mathew Thomas	66740358	Sehion - Salmiya	220
11-Oct	Miss.Siya Anna Sunil		Gloria - Riggae	195
12-Oct	Master.Nikhil George Daniel	66519272	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	217
12-Oct	Miss.Dona Mary Thomas	24381514	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	72
13-Oct	Mr.Benson Babu	60071215	Moria - Hawally	175
13-Oct	Mrs.Ginu Jacob	22521570	Gilead - Sharq	84
14-Oct	Mrs.Anita Sunil Zachariah	99283864	St Luke - Salmiya	88
14-Oct	Mrs.Sunu Mariam Reji		Emmanuel - Farwaniya	287
14-Oct	Mr.Boby Varghese Chacko	96690554	Trinity - Salmiya	122
15-Oct	Miss.Ann Susan Mathew Abraham	24710893	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	63
15-Oct	Miss.Aksa Ann Santhosh	66706494	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	259
15-Oct	Miss.Rhea Rony Mathew	24718011	St Thomas - Salmiya	61
16-Oct	Mrs.Jincy Varghese	60316316, 66530958	Gloria - Riggae	214
16-Oct	Master.Raima Mariam	60013510	Gloria - Riggae	298
17-Oct	Miss.Fiona Thomas	96962637	Kerith - Abbasiya	196
17-Oct	Miss.Sherin Anna Jose	65181260	Moria - Hawally	24
17-Oct	Mr.Babu Alexander John	66161003	Sinai - Nugra	9
18-Oct	Miss.Annna Rose Rony	97557644	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	204
19-Oct	Miss.Neha Ann Daniel	66519272	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	217
19-Oct	Miss.Nisha Jose	99412645	Gilead - Sharq	2
19-Oct	Mrs.Neethu S Babu	22477293	Gilead - Sharq	89
20-Oct	Mr.Abraham Koshy	55722650, 55398926	St Thomas - Salmiya	83
20-Oct	Mr.Sam P Titus	96684576	Zion - Abu Halifa/Fahaheel	280
20-Oct	Mr.Shiju Varghese	60371681	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	244
21-Oct	Mrs.Prasanna Kadakampally	69973536	St Luke - Salmiya	17
21-Oct	Mr.Ciril B Mathew	99720345, 97918034	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	188
21-Oct	Miss.Nayana Mary Tony	99363142	Trinity - Salmiya	124
21-Oct	Mr.Prakash Philip Philip	66057205	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	132
21-Oct	Mr.Reji Abraham	60933564	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	287
22-Oct	Miss.Christy Merrin Johnson		Gloria - Riggae	170
22-Oct	Mr.Jeffrin Sam Idiculla	90992146	Gloria - Riggae	230
24-Oct	Mrs.Beximol V. Kurien		Gilead - Sharq	192
24-Oct	Mrs.July Raju		Kerith - Abbasiya	266
25-Oct	Miss.Amy Susan Shibu	25611275	Jerusalem - Salmiya	39
25-Oct	Mr.Santhosh Chacko Jacob	67063899, 25636779	Carmel - Salmiya	105
27-Oct	Mr.Nishanth K. Mathew	51100310	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	258
28-Oct	Mr.Viji Abraham Varghese	97598169, 97317047	Zion - Abu Halifa/Fahaheel	212
28-Oct	Mrs.Vincy Annie Bobby	99696764	Sinai - Nugra	115
28-Oct	Mrs.Sheeja Thomas	60071215	Moria - Hawally	175
28-Oct	Miss.Asin Elsa Santhosh	66706494	Emmanuel - Farwaniya	259
29-Oct	Master.Leo Moncy Lijo	90058825	Sehion - Salmiya	163
30-Oct	Mr.Dayal Parangot	51651777	Gloria - Riggae	278

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Harvest Festival is a Joyous celebration of our Parish, remembering the manifold blessings God has showered upon us. It is one of the main events in which every member of our Parish participate in full day programs. So let us all participate in it prayerfully.

- ~ The House visits and coupon distribution are in progress. Please participate wholeheartedly by collecting coupon books as your financial position allows.
- ~ Support the Souvenir by soliciting Commercial Ads and by giving your own personal advertisement, compliments and commercial advertisement.
- ~ Participate in the home made food preparations and food material sponsorship.
- ~ Participate in the competitions conducted by each organization. Prize winning Articles will be published in the Souvenir.
- ~ Support the Committees to carry out their role efficiently.
- ~ Above all, keep the event in your family prayers.



"Honour the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your harvest." (Proverbs 3: 9)
"യശോവയെ നിന്റെ ധനംകൊണ്ടും എല്ലാവിളവിന്റെയും ആദ്യഫലംകൊണ്ടും ബഹുമാനിക്ക." (സദൃശമൊഴുക്കൾ 3: 9)

 **Malankara Mar Thoma Syrian Church**
Kuwait St. James Mar Thoma Church

Harvest Festival-2019

DATE : 2019 NOVEMBER 15, FRIDAY
VENUE : INDIAN COMMUNITY SENIOR SCHOOL, SALMIYA

THEME: കൊയ്ത്തു പെരുന്താൾ - ദൈവിക ദാനങ്ങളുടെ സമർപ്പണം
HARVEST FESTIVAL - DEDICATION FOR GOD'S ABUNDANT BLESSINGS

KUWAIT ST.JAMES MAR THOMA CHURCH

ANNUAL CONVENTION & FAMILY DEDICATION SERVICE

THEME : Being in God's Space

“ദൈവിക ഇടങ്ങളിൽ ആയിരിക്കുക”

VENUE: NECK PREMISES

DATE: 23rd – 26th October, 2019

"Being' in God's Space"

“ദൈവിക ഇടങ്ങളിൽ ആയിരിക്കുക”



MAIN SPEAKER : REV. FENO M THOMAS

SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	PROGRAMME	VENUE
23 Oct	7:00pm -9:00pm	Convention	NECK, Hall of Faith
24 Oct	7:00pm -9:00pm	Convention	NECK, KTMCC Hall
25 Oct	7:00am -9:00am	Holy Communion & Family Dedication Service	NECK, Hall of Faith
25 Oct	9:00am-10:30am	Family Get-Together	NECK, Church & Parish Hall
25 Oct	3:30pm-5:00pm	Yuva Vedi	NECK, Church & Parish Hall
25 Oct	7:00pm-9:00pm	Convention	NECK, KTMCC Hall
26 Oct	10:00am-12:00pm	Vanitha Vedi	Res. of Mrs Leela Suresh, Salmiya.
26 Oct	7:00pm-9:00pm	Convention	NECK, Hall of Peace

Choir led by Edavaka Mission

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(Convenor)
Mob:98853881

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY				
DATE	NAME	PHONE NO	PRAYER CELL	MEM #
01-Oct	Mr. Moncy Thankachan, Mrs. Shiny Moncy	97961720, 25660376	Sehion - Salmiya	87
07-Oct	Mr. Mathew Chacko, Mrs. Mercy Varghese	99073891	Moria - Hawally	202
08-Oct	Mr. Arun Thomas Abraham, Mrs. Sherin Arun Thomas	97673235	Gloria - Riggae	269
11-Oct	Mr. Johnson John Puthethu, Mrs. Jessy Johnson Puthethu	99046820, 25640182	St Pauls - Salmiya	56
13-Oct	Mr. Binosh Babu, Mrs. Aleyamma Kunjumon	66095981, 55882014	Moria - Hawally	123
15-Oct	Mr. Anil John, Mrs. Bincy Anil	66741726, 22493450	Gilead - Sharq	79
16-Oct	Mr. Thomas John, Mrs. Sheeja T. John	97510138, 25629567	St Pauls - Salmiya	54
17-Oct	Mr. Jacob Philip M., Mrs. Aleyamma Philip	66333352, 25612139	St Thomas - Salmiya	51
19-Oct	Mr. Jojo T John, Mrs. Jincy Varghese	66077163, 66530958	Gloria - Riggae	214
23-Oct	Mr. Jiby George Philip, Mrs. Lincy Jiby	50543114, 22639598	Moria - Hawally	112
27-Oct	Mr. Mohan Kuruvila, Mrs. Aleyamma Mohan	66612841, 25631206	Moria - Hawally	43

*Birthday and Wedding Anniversary Wishes
to all celebrating this month. Birthday & Wedding Anniversary
Thanksgiving Services will be held during Holy Communion Services.*

NEW MEMBERS					
Member's Name	Mobile #.	Mem #	Home Parish	Prayer Group	Area
Mr.Mathew Mathew John & fly	98720902	294	Christos MTC, Karikkom	Gloria	New Riggae
Mr. Jeev Mathew Varghese & fly	96965535	295	Sehion MTC Varikkadu	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Mathew A Mathew & fly	99743537	296	St Thomas MTC, Kozhenchery	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Abraham Philip & fly	66159731	297	St Thomas MTC, Thiruvalla	Gloria	New Riggae
Mr. Thomas Mathew	60013510	298	Laka St .Thomas MTC, Edayaranmula	Emmanuel	Farwaniya
Mr. Liji George & fly	99893036	299	Christon MTC, Ranni	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Jen Abraham & fly	69960146	300	St.Pauls, Nakkada	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Christy Ninan & fly	66959944	301	St.Thomas MTC	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Gibu Ommen & fly	96620579	302	Kayamkulam MTC, Pathiyoor.	Gloria	Riggae
Dr. Joju V. George & fly	99337304	303	St.Thomas MTC,Thiruvalla.	Gloria	Riggae
Mr. Ajo V. Paul & fly	66895234	304	Bethel MTC, Perumbavoor.	Gloria	Riggae

WORSHIP SCHEDULE & LECTONARY						
Date	Time	Worship	Venue	Theme	Lessons	Epistle-Gospel
04 - Fri	7:00 am	Holy Communion	Hall of Faith, NECK	Priesthood of the Believers	Isa 6:1-11	1Thess 5:12-22
05 - Sat	7:00 pm	Holy Communion	Hall of Peace, NECK	(Voluntary Evangelist's Day)	1Pet 2:1-10	John 17:9-20
11 - Fri	7:00 am	Fasting Prayer	Hall of Faith, NECK	Solidarity with differently Abled	2Sam 9:1-13	2Cor 12:1-10
12 - Sat	7:00 pm	Holy Communion (English)	Hall of Peace, NECK	(Day for the differently Abled)	Acts 9:32-35	St. Mark 3:1-6
18 - Fri	7:00 am	Holy Communion	Hall of Faith, NECK	Youth: God's expectation	Dan 1:1-15	Titus 2:1-14
19 - Sat	7:00 pm	Holy Communion	Hall of Peace, NECK	Youth Day	Acts 6:1-7	St. Mark 10:17-22
25 - Fri	7:00 am	Holy Communion	Hall of Faith, NECK	Family: Place for faith formation	1Sam 1:19-28	Eph 6:1-9
26 - Sat	7:00 pm	Convention	Hall of Peace, NECK	Family Dedication Day	Eph 3:14-21	St. Luke 2:41-52
						Common

OFFICE BEARERS 2019-2020						
President Rev. Shibu K. Mob. 65848421	Vice President Mr. Mammen Thomas Mob. 55074489	Secretary Adv. Reil Abraham Mob. 96962635	Trustee (Finance) Mr. Mathew Eapen Mob. 67701660	Trustee (Accounts) Mr. Cyril B Mathew Mob. 99720345	Lay Minister Mr. Baby Kutty Daniel Mob. 96742885	Lay Minister Mr. Jiji Mathew Mob. 65120417

REGULAR PROGRAMS				
Choir Practice Tuesdays 7:15pm – NECK Fridays 1:15pm – NECK	Sevika Sanghom 1 st & 3 rd Saturday – Parsonage 2 nd Saturday - Sharg 4 th Saturday - Fanwanya	– 10:30 am, – 04:00pm, – 05:30pm.	Sunday School Fridays 3:30pm – 5:30pm NECK	Yuvajana Sakhyam 1 st & 3 rd Fridays After Church Service at Hall of Faith.

Mr. Alex Jacob & fly-St. Thomas PG, Mr. Abey Mathew & fly- Setion PG
Mr. Rony Mathew Roy & fly-Emmanuel PG, Mr. Jose Varghese & fly-Gilead PG.

Changes in the information contained herein if any, will be announced during Church services.