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From Our Vicar

Dearly beloved in Christ,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and saviour Jesus Christ

We are slowly adapting and overcoming this pandemic situation by the grace of God. We have learned several lessons over this period. We realized our limitations, the power of God and also we inclined with the technology and the virtual communication. Many of us faced crucial life experience like death of our beloveds and crisis in job, challenges in education, getting admissions etc. But we can surely say God is merciful and He didn't do according to our shortcomings. So this is our second phase of life that is really a gift from God. Be obedient and humble before God and dedicate ourselves to understand and accomplish our delegations.

Our Kuwait City Mar Thoma Church has survived gracefully during this time. Our all organizations have completed its Annual General Body meetings and held the committee of the current programme year. This was achieved only because of the grace of God and the sincere participation of all of us. Be with this united spirit of the Holy Spirit, So that we can work fruitfully in this country. Our prayer groups have been conducting its annual meetings. Our church and its organizations have been preparing its year plan. Conducting the programmes during this difficult situation is really challenging. But we know that a smooth sea never made a skilled sailor. So these challenges orient us to become good and vibrant leaders. Let's hope for the best.

Most of us rejoined our job delegations but few of us got termination notice. But I believe that God will take care and provide them without any delay. In the right time they will receive the good news. We don't forget the needy fellow brethren they are under the darkness. It is our responsibility to share our virtues to them. We have to set apart our tithe and consider the less fortunate.

I am glad to know that most of us rendering the offertory and birth day & wedding day offertory to the church. Our church needs moral and financial support during this time. Our Monday service retained, so kindly participate the service as your assigned date. Those who are celebrating birth day and wedding anniversary can participate on Monday service along with assigned prayer groups.

We have celebrated one more onam festival with much limitations; celebration of festivals definitely promotes brotherhood, communal harmony and strengthens the peace. Let's strive to retain the harmony and peace which has lost in our society and attempt to establish the essence of kingdom of God in this earth.

Let me conclude my letter with the inspiring word of Martin Luther King "If you can't fly then run. If you can't run then walk, if you can't walk then crawl. But whatever you do you have to keep moving." Let's move forward with our hands held with Jesus.

Prayers,

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PARISH RETREAT

Online, 24 & 25 Sep 2020 (Thursday & Friday), 7.00pm

FAMILY DAY

23 & 26 Oct 2020 (Friday & Monday)

EZHUTHINIRUTHU

NECK, 31 Oct 2020 (Saturday), 3.30 pm

INTER PRAYER BIBLE QUIZ

14 Nov 2020, (Saturday)

PRE MARITAL COUNSELLING CLASS (Joint Program with Yuvajana Sakhyam)

14 Nov 2020, (Saturday)

LITURGICAL MUSIC TRAINING (Joint program with Parish Choir)

30 Oct 2020 (Friday)

RETREAT FOR MEDICAL WORKERS (Joint program with Sevika Sanghom)

Zoom, 22 Nov 2020 (Sunday), 7.00 pm

Sunday School

Date	Day	Program	Time
Sep. 4, 2020	Friday	Revision	
Sep. 11, 2020	Friday	ONE DAY STUDENTS' MEET Revision	10:30AM -1:00 PM
Sep. 18, 2020	Friday	Revision	
Sep. 25, 2020	Friday	WINGS 2020 (in asso w/ Yuvajana Sahyam) Revision	10:30 AM
Oct. 2, 2020	Friday	Revision	
Oct. 9, 2020	Friday	Revision	
Oct. 16, 2020	Friday	Revision	
Oct. 23, 2020	Friday	MODEL EXAM	
Nov. 06, 2020	Friday	WORLD SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY	
Nov. 20, 2020	Friday	ANNUAL EXAMINATION	2:00 - 5:00 PM
Nov. 27, 2020	Friday	BEST WISHES MEET	10:00 AM

EDAVAKA MISSION

Date	Program	Time
Sep. 18, 2020	Lay Preachers Training Meeting	10:30 AM
Sep.30 & Oct. 01	Dhayana Yogam	7:00 PM
Oct. 02, 2020	Sangadinam (ZOOM)	8:00 AM
Oct. 05, 2020	Sangadinam (NECK)	5:00 PM
Oct. 29, 2020	One Day Fasting Prayer (NECK)	9:00AM to 1:00PM
Every Thursday Prayer at 7pm(Zoom)		

Suvishesha Sevika Sanghom

Tentative Date & Day	Programme	Venue & Time
6 th Sunday, Sep. 2020	Retreat	ZOOM MEETING 6.00pm
11 th Friday, Sep. & 14 th Monday, Sep. 2020	Sevika Sangham Dinam	ZOOM MEETING at 8.00am & NECK at 7.00pm
22 nd Sunday, Nov. 2020	Retreat for Medical workers	ZOOM MEETING at 7.00pm
Every Sunday 6.00pm Sevika Sangham Prayer Meeting		

Yuvajana Sakhyam

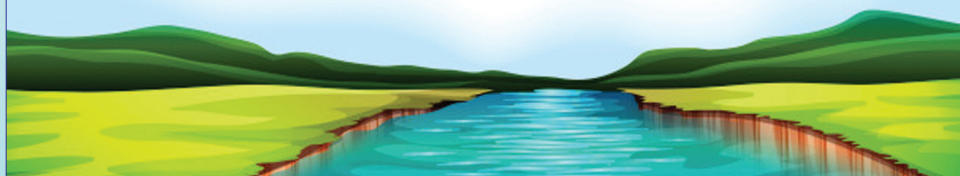
Date & Day	Programme
5 th Saturday, Sep. 2020	Chirathu 2020 - Pravarthana Ulghadanam
25 th Friday, Sep. 2020	Wings 2020 - Career Guidance and Effective Online Studying Class (In association with Sunday School)
9 th Friday, Oct. 2020	Pre Marital Counselling Class (In association with parish)
16 th Friday, Oct. 2020	Youth Day
17 th Saturday, Oct. 2020	Youth Convention
19 th Monday, Oct. 2020	Youth Day
13 th Friday, Nov. 2020	Board Games
27 th Friday, Nov. 2020	Smash 2020 - Badminton Tournament
Online Sakhyam Meetings Every Saturday @ 7PM	

Parish Choir

Tentative Date & Day	Programme	Venue & Time
18 th Friday, Sep. 2020	Choir Dedication Service	ZOOM MEETING 8.00 am
21 st Monday, Sep. 2020	Choir Dedication Day	NECK
22 st Tuesday, Sep. 2020	Musical Workshop for choir -1 -(Vocal Training /Vocal Technique)	ZOOM MEETING 7.00 pm
20 th Tuesday, Oct. 2020	Musical Workshop for choir-2 -(Vocal Training / Vocal Technique)	ZOOM MEETING 7.00 pm
30 th Friday, Oct. 2020	Musical Workshop -3-for Choir & Parish Members- -Liturgical music Training	ZOOM MEETING 10.00 am

***I delight greatly in the Lord; my soul rejoices
in my God. For he has clothed me with
garments of salvation.***

ISAIAH 61:10



PROGRAM CALENDAR

DATE (Tentative)	PROGRAM	VENUE	TIME	REMARKS
3-Jul-20	Dedication of Kaisthana samithi, Parish & PG Officials	Zoom		Parish
31-Jul-20	Prayer Group Officials Meeting	Zoom		Parish
14-Aug-20	Officials Retreat	Zoom		Parish
5-Sep-20	Pravarthana Udghadanam	Zoom	7pm	Yuvajana Sakhyam
6-Sep-20	Retreat	Zoom	6pm	Sevika Sangham
11&14- Sep-20	Sevika Sangham Dinam			Sevika Sangham
11-Sep-20	One day Student's meet		10.30am- 1pm	Sunday School
18 & 21- Sep-20	Choir Dedication Service & Choir day			Choir
18-Sep-20	Lay Preachers Training Meeting		10.30am	Edavaka Mission
22-Sep-20	Musical Workshop for choir-1 -(Vocal Training /Vocal Technique)	Zoom	7pm	Choir
24-Sep-20	Parish Retreat	Zoom	6.30pm	Parish
25-Sep-20	Parish Retreat	Zoom	6.30pm	Parish
25-Sep-20	Career Guidance & Online Studying	Zoom	10.30am	Yuvajana Sakhyam + Sunday School
30-Sep-20	Dhyana Yogam		7pm	Edavaka Mission
1-Oct-20	Dhyana Yogam		7pm	Edavaka Mission
2&5-Oct-20	SangaDinam			Edavaka Mission
9-Oct-20	Pre-Marital Counseling	Zoom	10.30am	Parish + Yuvajana Sakhyam
9-oct to 16- oct-20	Youth week videos			Yuvajana Sakhyam
16 & 19- Oct-20	Youth Day			Yuvajana Sakhyam
17-Oct-20	Youth Convention	Zoom	7pm	Yuvajana Sakhyam

PROGRAM CALENDAR

DATE (Tentative)	PROGRAM	VENUE	TIME	REMARKS
20-Oct-20	Musical Workshop for choir-2 -(Vocal Training /Vocal Technique)			Choir
23 & 26-Oct-20	Family Day			Parish
23-Oct-20	Model Exam			Sunday School
29-Oct-20	One Day Fasting Prayer		9am-1pm	Edavaka Mission
30-Oct-20	LITURGICAL MUSIC TRAINING			Parish + Choir
31-Oct-20	Ezhuthiniruthu			Parish
6-Nov-20	World SUNDAY SCHOOL day			Sunday School
13-Nov-20	Board Games			Yuvajana Sakhyam
14-Nov-20	Inter Prayer Bible Quiz		6.30pm	Parish
20-Nov-20	Annual Examination			Sunday School
21-Nov-20	Exam Paper Evaluation			Sunday School
22-Nov-20	Retreat for Medical Workers	Zoom	7PM	Parish + Sevika Sangham
24-Nov-20	Prayer Group Officials Meeting		7pm	Parish
27-Nov-20	Best Wishes Meet			Sunday School
27-Nov-20	SMASH(Badminton tournament)			Yuvajana Sakhyam
As per the situation	Picnic			Edavaka Mission
As per the situation	Breakfast sale			Edavaka Mission
29 Nov to 24 Dec-20	Christmas Carol Rounds			Parish + Yuvajana Sakhyam
1 Dec to 25 Dec- 20	Carol With a Message:			Choir
4-Dec -20	BIRUDH & Teachers Exam			Sunday School
17-Dec-20	EM Christmas carol service		7pm	Edavaka Mission
18-Dec -20	Christmas Program			Sunday School

PROGRAM CALENDAR

DATE (Tentative)	PROGRAM	VENUE	TIME	REMARKS
18&21-Dec-20	Cake Sale			Sevika Sangham
19 or 21 Dec-20	Christmas Carol Service			Parish
24&25 Dec-20	Christmas Service(Holy communion or Parasyaradhana)			Parish
26-Dec-20	Anniversary			Sunday School
26-Dec-20	Christmas get together			Yuvajana Sakhyam
28 Dec to 31 Dec-20	Parish Convention		7.00pm	Parish
31-Dec-20	Watch Night			Parish
1-Jan-21	New year Service			Parish
As per the situation	Kudumba Sangamam Salmiya			Edavaka Mission
2-Jan-21	Teachers retreat & meeting			Sunday School
7-Jan-21	Farewell Meeting			Choir
8-Jan-21	Prayer Meeting for 10th and 12 th students			Parish + Edvaka Mission
9-Jan-21	Health Awareness & Craft work		9am-12pm	Sevika Sangham
9-Jan-21	New Academic year			Sunday School
14 & 15-Jan- 21	Imbam Kudumba Dhyanam			Yuvajana Sakhyam
15-Jan- 21	Teachers dedication service			Sunday School
22-Jan- 21	Campers Meet			Edavaka Mission
January- 21	Kalamela			Yuvajana Sakhyam
29-Jan- 21	Breakfast sale			Yuvajana Sakhyam
25 Jan or 29 Jan- 21	Parish Day			Parish
5-Feb- 21	Prayer Group Officials Meeting			Parish
February- 21	Maramon Convention(Best song-award for 2021)			Choir
12-Feb- 21	Prayer for Board Exam Students			Sunday School

DATE (Tentative)	PROGRAM	VENUE	TIME	REMARKS
13-Feb- 21	Bible Quiz & Fasting Prayer			Sevika Sangham
25-Feb- 21	Parish Festival			Parish
5-Mar- 21	Open Book Exam			Yuvajana Sakhyam
10&11 Mar-21	Picnic			Yuvajana Sakhyam
25-Mar- 21	Musical Night			Edavaka Mission
March- 21	One Day Fasting Prayer Salmiya			Edavaka Mission
From March 13- 21	Lent Daily Prayer 25th day onwards			Parish
March 28- Apr 04-21	Passion Week			Parish

Worship Schedule Sep - Nov 2020

Date	Day	Program	Time
7-Sep-20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
14-Sep -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
21-Sep -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
28-Sep -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
5-Oct -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
12-Oct -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
19-Oct -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
26-Oct -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
2-Nov -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
9-Nov -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
16-Nov -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM
23-Nov -20	Monday	NECK-Church & Parish Hall	7:15 PM
30-Nov -20	Monday	NECK-North Tent	7:15 PM

Online (Zoom) പ്രത്യേകമായി Every Friday at 8:00 AM

Birthday and Wedding Anniversary Thanks Giving Prayers will be held during all services



Bible Quiz - ആവർത്തനപുസ്തകം

1. Of whom was it said that 'he wholeheartedly followed the Lord'?
യഹോവയെ പൂർണ്ണമായി പറ്റി നിന്നു എന്നു പറയുന്നത് ആരെ കുറിച്ചാണ് ?
2. Which land was given to the descendants of Esau by God?
ദൈവം ഏശാവിന് അവകാശമായി കൊടുത്ത ദേശം ഏത് ?
3. Whose bed was 9 cubits long and 4 cubits wide?
ആരുടെ മഞ്ചത്തിനാണ് 9 മുഴം നീളവും 4 മുഴം വീതിയും ഉള്ളത് ?
4. From where was Moses able to see the Promised Land beyond Jordan?
എവിടെ നിന്നാണ് യോർദ്ദാനക്കരെയുള്ള ദേശം മോശ നോക്കി കണ്ടത് ?
5. With whom was an Israelite not allowed to charge interest on loans?
ആരോട് പലിശ വാങ്ങരുത് എന്നാണ് ദൈവം യിസ്രായേല്യരോട് കല്പിച്ചത്?
6. The testimony of how many witnesses were required to put an evil person to death? മരണ യോഗ്യനായവനെ കൊല്ലുന്നത് എത്ര സാക്ഷികളുടെ വാമൊഴി മേൽ ആയിരിക്കണം ?
7. How long was the Festival of Tabernacles to be celebrated?
എത്ര നാളാണ് കുടാരപ്പെരുനാൾ ആചരിക്കേണ്ടത് ?
8. What did the Israelites offer when they went near a city to fight?
യിസ്രായേൽ മക്കൾ ഒരു പട്ടണത്തോടു യുദ്ധം ചെയ്യുവാൻ അടുത്തു ചെല്ലുമ്പോൾ വിളിച്ചു പറയേണ്ടത് എന്ത് ?
9. After crossing the Jordan from what mountain were the people blessed?
യോർദ്ദാൻ കടന്നശേഷം ഏത് പർവ്വതത്തിൽ നിന്നാണ് ജനത്തെ അനുഗ്രഹിക്കേണ്ടത് ?
10. How old was Moses when he died? മോശ എത്രാമത്തെ വയസ്സിലാണ് മരിച്ചത് ?
11. Which tribes were assigned to pronounce curses from Mount Ebal?
ഏഞ്ചൽ പർവ്വതത്തിൽ നിന്ന് ശപിപ്പാൻ നിശ്ചയിക്കപ്പെട്ടവർ ആരെല്ലാം?
12. Where did Moses put the second set of Ten Commandments?
മോശ രണ്ടാമത്തെ കല്പലക എവിടെയാണ് സൂക്ഷിച്ചത് ?



Sl. No	Name	Prayer Group
1.	Annamma P.I, St.Pauls	
2.	Subi James, Peniel	
3.	Rachel Oommen, Sehion	
4.	Christeena Ann George, Ebenesser	
5.	Nanma Mary Vinod, Bethesda	
6.	Leeba Saji, Koinonia	
7.	Nancy Reji, Carmel	
8.	Reno Reji, Carmel	
9.	Rony Reji, Carmel	
10.	Sheeba John, Horeb	
11.	Bindhu.P Mathew, Koinonia	
12.	James Varghese, Sehion	
13.	Jonitha Elsa John, Ebenesser	
14.	Jessy Jacob, Nazreth	
15.	Sharon Elizabeth George, Bethel	
16.	Shawn Varghese George, Bethel	
17.	Stephy Ann Alex, Horeb	
18.	Reema Mariam Reji, Agape	
19.	Daisy Eapen, Agape	
20.	Angel Baiju Samuel, Parsonage	
21.	Mini Mary Mathew, St.Luke	
22.	Kripa Mariam Laku, Bethany	
23.	Siju Mammen, St. Thomas	
24.	Bindhu Sam, Bethany	
25.	Suja Abu George, St. Mathews	
26.	Kesia Daniel, Bethani	
27.	Sunitha Elizabeth Cherian, Emmanuel	
28.	Rachel Oommen, Sehion	

BIBLE QUIZ - ANSWERS (LAST QUARTER)

1. Nadab, Abihu, Elazar, Ithamar (Numbers: 3:2)
2. The Lord said to Moses (6:22-23)
3. 25 (8:24)
4. Passover (9:5)
5. Hobab (10:29)
6. At Night (11:9)
7. Moses (12:3)
8. Aaron said to Moses (12:11)
9. 12 (13:9)
10. Jephunneh (14: 6)
11. The earth opened its mouth and swallowed him (16: 31-32)
12. the Lord said to Aaron (18: 20)

Winners Bible Quiz(Leviticals)

Chriswin Jacob Prince, Beersheba PG

Breana Ann Biji, St. Mathews PG

Mini Mary Mathew, St. Luke PG

Winners Bible Quiz (Numbers)

Nancy Reji, Carmel PG

Sunitha Elizabeth Cherian, Emmanuel PG

Sharon Elizabeth George, Bethel PG

CONDOLENCES

ROY CHERIAN
KURUMTHOTTICAL,
KOZHENCHERRY

St. Johns Prayer Group,
promoted to glory on 6/7/2020

*We offer our heartfelt condolences
and pray to the Almighty
that the bereaved family find the solace in God.*

