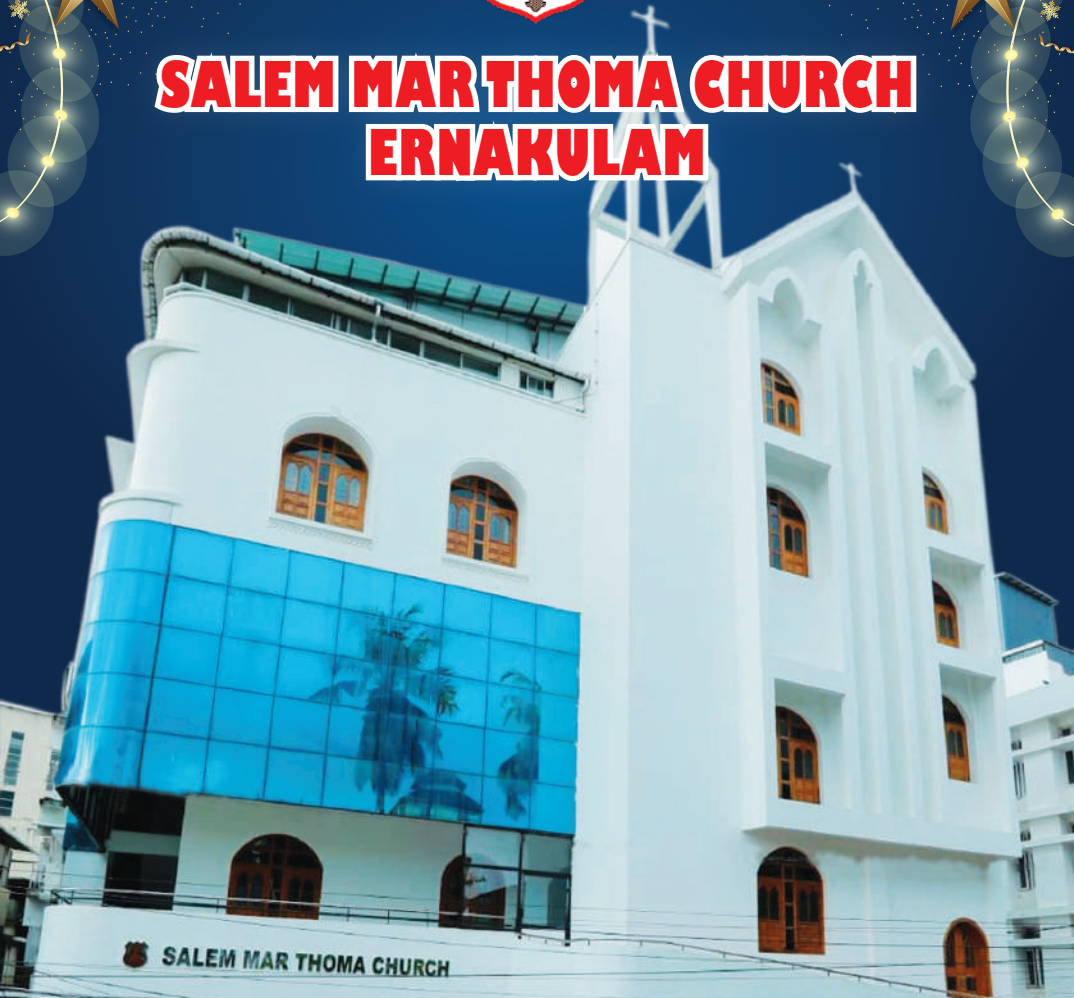




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SALEM MESSENGER

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Date	Time	Service
1st Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
2nd Saturday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
2nd Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion English
3rd Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
4th Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
5th Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam

Organizations

Sunday School	After Sunday Church Service
Yuvajana Sakhyam	After Sunday Church Service
Sevika Sangham	Every Tuesday @ 10.30 am at Church and at Thevara on 2nd Tuesday, Cottage Prayer on Fourth Tuesday of every month @10.30 am all areas
Edavaka Mission	Every Tuesday @ 6.30 pm at Church
Choir Practice	Every Saturday 5.30 pm
Senior Citizens Fellowship	Every 2nd Saturday after Church Service (9.30 am)
Couple Fellowship	Every 2nd Sunday after Church Service

List of Prayer Groups assisting Sunday Services and the duties assigned to them

Flower Arrangement	Offertory (6 persons)
Lesson Reading (2 persons)	Prayer after Sermon (1 person)
	Ushering (2 persons)

05/01/2025	North Area Prayer Group
12/01/2025	Vaduthala Area Prayer Group
19/01/2025	SRM – Elamakkara Area Prayer Group
26/01/2025	Kaloor Area Prayer Group
02/02/2025	Kakkanad Area Prayer Group
09/02/2025	Panampilly -Vytilla Area Prayer Group
16/02/2025	Church Area Prayer Group
23/02/2025	Thevara Area Prayer Group
02/03/2025	North Area Prayer Group
09/03/2025	Vaduthala Area Prayer Group
16/03/2025	SRM – Elamakkara Area Prayer Group
23/03/2025	Kaloor Area Prayer Group
30/03/2025	Kakkanad Area Prayer Group



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ഓരോ നാളും ദൈവദത്തമാക്കാം

കർത്താവിൽ പ്രിയരേ,

ഒരു സങ്കല്പ കഥ ഇപ്രകാരം ആണ്.....

ദൈവം ലോകം സൃഷ്ടിച്ചു. പക്ഷിമൃഗാദികൾക്കെല്ലാം ആയുസ്സ് നൽകി. എന്നാൽ ഒടുവിൽ മനുഷ്യന് നൽകുവാൻ ആയുസ്സ് തികഞ്ഞില്ല. ദൈവം നിസ്സഹായനായി താൻ ആയുസ്സ് നൽകിയ പക്ഷികളോടും മൃഗങ്ങളോടും ഇപ്രകാരം പറഞ്ഞു. മനുഷ്യന് നൽകാൻ എന്റെ കയ്യിൽ ആയുസ്സ് തികയുന്നില്ല. താല്പര്യമുള്ളവർക്ക് നിങ്ങളുടെ ആയുസ്സിന്റെ പങ്ക് മനുഷ്യന് നൽകാം. ഇത് കേട്ട് മനുഷ്യനോട് സഹതാപം തോന്നിയ കുരങ്ങൻ തന്റെ ആയുസ്സിൽ നിന്ന് 20 വർഷം മനുഷ്യനു നൽകി. തുടർന്ന് അപ്രകാരം കുതിരകളും, കഴുതയും നായും അവസാനം മുണ്ടയും തങ്ങളുടെ ആയുസ്സിൽ നിന്ന് 20 വർഷം വീതം മനുഷ്യന് നൽകി. തനിക്ക് ലഭിച്ച സുദീർഘമായ ആയുസ്സിൽ മനുഷ്യൻ അത്യന്തം സന്തുഷ്ടനായി.

മനുഷ്യായുസ്സിന്റെ ആദ്യവർഷം കുരങ്ങന്റേതുപോലെയാണ്. യാതൊരു ബാധയുമില്ലാതെ ഉത്തരവാദിത്വമോ ഇല്ലാതെ ചാടി മറഞ്ഞു നടക്കുന്ന കാലം. അടുത്ത 20 വർഷം കുതിരയെ പോലെയാണ് യൗവനത്തിന്റെ ഉൾജ്ജ്വലം കുതിപ്പും ദോഗത്യഷ്ണതയും അവനെ ഉന്മത്തനാക്കുന്നു. അടുത്ത 20 വർഷം മദ്ധ്യവയസ്സിൽ അവൻ കഴുതയെ പോലെ തന്റെ പ്രാരാബ്ധം ചുമക്കുന്നു. ഇനിയുള്ള മുതിർന്ന പൗരർ എന്ന ആദ്യത്തെ 20 വർഷം അവൻ ശ്യാനനെ പോലെയാണ്. താനിത്രയും കാലം സ്വരൂപിച്ച സ്വാവര ജംഗമ വസ്തുക്കൾക്ക് അവൻ നായയെപോലെ കാവൽ കിടക്കുന്നു ജീവിതത്തിന്റെ അവസാന 20 വർഷം അവൻ മുണ്ടയെ പോലെ വീടിന്റെ ഏതെങ്കിലുമൊരു മുലയിൽ ആരാലും അധികം ശ്രദ്ധിക്കപ്പെടാതെ സമയം തള്ളി നീക്കുന്നു. മനുഷ്യായുസിനെ പറ്റിയുള്ള ഈ വിവരണം അല്പം അതിശയോക്തി നിറഞ്ഞതാണെങ്കിലും ഇത് നൽകുന്ന സന്ദേശങ്ങൾ ശ്രദ്ധേയമാണ്. വിവിധ ഘട്ടത്തിൽ നാം കടന്നുപോകുന്ന തിരക്കുമൂലം പലപ്പോഴും നാം ജീവിക്കാൻ മറന്നു പോകുന്നു അർത്ഥവത്തായതും ഫലകരമായതുമായ ജീവിതം പലർക്കും സാധിക്കുന്നില്ല. ഒടുവിൽ കുറ്റബോധത്തോടെ തിരിഞ്ഞുനോക്കുമ്പോൾ സമയം കഴിഞ്ഞു പോയിരിക്കും

ഓരോ വർഷവും നമ്മെ വിട്ടു പിരിയുമ്പോൾ നമ്മുടെ ആയുസ്സിന്റെ ഹൃസ്വതയെ കുറിച്ചോർക്കുവാൻ നാം മറന്നു പോകരുത്. നാം എത്രയേറെ ജീവിക്കുന്നുവെന്നതല്ല. എങ്ങനെ ജീവിച്ചു എന്നതാണ് ആയുസ്സിനെ മഹനീയവും അർത്ഥപൂർണ്ണവുമാക്കുന്നത്

അതിനാൽ ഓരോ ദിവസവും നമ്മുടെ അവസാന ദിനം എന്നതുപോലെ അത്യന്തം സൂക്ഷ്മ തയോടെ നാം ജീവിക്കണം.

കുറെയൊക്കെ ഏറ്റകുറിച്ചിലുകൾ ഉണ്ടാകാമെങ്കിലും നമുക്കെല്ലാവർക്കും തന്നെ ലഭിക്കുന്നത് വളരെ ചുരുങ്ങിയ ഒരു കാലഘട്ടമാണ് നിത്യതയോടു തുല്യം ചെയ്യുമ്പോൾ തീർത്തും നിസ്സാരമായി തോന്നാവുന്ന നമ്മുടെ ജീവിത കാലഘട്ടം അർത്ഥപൂർണ്ണമാകണമെങ്കിൽ നമുക്ക് ലഭിച്ചിരിക്കുന്ന ജീവിതത്തിന്റെ ഓരോ നിമിഷവും ബോധപൂർവ്വം നാം വിനിയോഗിക്കണം

ഒരു പുതുവർഷത്തിൽ നാം പ്രവേശിച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു. മധുര പ്രതീക്ഷകളും മോഹന സ്വപ്നങ്ങളുമാണ് നമ്മുടെ മുൻപിൽ. എന്നാൽ ഒരു വർഷം മുഴുവനായിട്ടല്ല നാം അഭിമുഖീകരിക്കുന്നത്, ഓരോ ദിവസവും എന്ന കണക്കാണ്. അതുകൊണ്ട് ഓരോ ദിവസവും ദൈവത്തോടും മനുഷ്യരോടും ഈ പ്രപഞ്ചത്തോടുമൊപ്പം അദ്വന്തം ശ്രദ്ധയോടും ജാഗ്രതയോടും ജീവിക്കുമെങ്കിൽ പുതുവർഷം മുഴുവൻ അനുഗ്രഹ പൂരിതമായിരിക്കും.

ഈ നാളുകളിൽ ഇടവകയായി നാം അനുഭവിക്കുന്ന ദൈവകൃപയുടെ നവചൈതന്യത്തിൽ തുടർന്നും ഒരുമയോടെ പ്രവർത്തിക്കുവാൻ ദൈവം സഹായിക്കട്ടെ. വരുന്ന മൂന്നു മാസങ്ങളിൽ ഇടവക ഭദ്രാസന സഭ പ്രവർത്തനങ്ങളിൽ ആത്മാർത്ഥമായി പങ്കുചേരാം. മാർച്ച് 2 മുതൽ ആരംഭിക്കുന്ന വലിയ നോമ്പിൽ ക്രമീകരിക്കുന്ന ശുശ്രൂഷയിലും ധ്യാനത്തിലും എല്ലാവരും പങ്കെടുക്കണം.

പുതിയ വർഷത്തെ സൺഡേസ്കൂൾ ക്ലാസ് ജനുവരി അഞ്ചാം തീയതി ആരംഭിക്കുന്നു. 4-17 വയസ്സുവരെയുള്ള നമ്മുടെ കുഞ്ഞുങ്ങളെ ക്രമമായി സന്ദേശ്കൂളിൽ പങ്കെടുപ്പിക്കുന്നുവെന്ന് മാതാപിതാക്കൾ ഉറപ്പാക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

പ്രിയരേ ദൈവത്തോടൊപ്പം ഫലകരമായി പുതുവർഷത്തിൽ ജീവിക്കുവാൻ ദൈവം നമ്മെ സഹായിക്കട്ടെ എന്ന് പ്രാർത്ഥിക്കുന്നു

പുതുവത്സരാശംസകളോടെ

ബോബി ഫിലിപ്പ് അച്ചൻ (വികാരി)

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!

It is with great joy and a heart full of hope that I reach out to you as we begin this new year. First, let me extend to you my warmest and most heartfelt blessings for a prosperous and peaceful year ahead.

The world witnessed significant turmoil and conflict in the past year—wars, violence, and natural disasters that left many shaken. The Israel-Palestine conflict, the ongoing Russia-Ukraine war, the violence in Manipur, and the tragic landslides in Wayanad are only a few examples. These events have understandably stirred feelings of fear, despair, and loss as precious lives have been taken, and entire generations have been affected. Yet, even in the midst of these challenges, we have also seen great acts of compassion and hope. People in Kerala and across India have come forward to help rehabilitate the victims of these calamities, bringing with them a message of restoration and hope. As we enter this new year, we can hold on to that hope and carry it forward into our lives.

The first quarter of the year offers a unique and precious opportunity to refocus our spiritual lives. With the dawn of a new year and the sacred season of Lent approaching, we are invited to renew our hearts, reflect deeply on our faith, and rejoice in the transformative power of God’s grace.

1. Renew Your Heart: Let Go and Let God

In Romans 12:2, Paul urges us: “Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.” Renewal begins with a conscious decision to release the burdens that weigh us down—whether it be unresolved guilt, unhelpful habits, or misplaced priorities. In this new season, we invite God to lead us into a place of grace and renewal.

• *Prayer and Scripture: Consistent communion with God through daily prayer and reflection on His Word is crucial for spiritual renewal. As St. Jerome wisely said, “Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ.” Let us dive deeply into the Scriptures, allowing them to shape our thoughts, words, and actions. The Maramon Convention provides us a wonderful opportunity to deepen our connection with the Almighty, and we should actively seek ways to be part of such gatherings.*

2. Reflect on Christ: A Journey Through Lent

The 50 days of Lent echo the time Jesus spent fasting in the wilderness (Matthew 4:1-11), a period of preparation and focus. Lent calls us to reflect on Christ’s life, His sacrifice, and His invitation to follow Him more closely. It is a time to detach from worldly distractions and create space for spiritual growth. Through fasting, we discipline our desires, giving room for deeper dependence on God. Lent offers an opportunity to evaluate our lives, to repent where needed, and to realign ourselves with the example set by Christ. Let us

take time during this Lent to reflect on how closely your life mirrors Christ's teachings.

3. Rejoice in Community: Living Out Faith Together

Faith is never meant to be a solitary journey—it flourishes when lived out in community. Acts 2:42-47 paints a beautiful picture of the early Church, united in worship, fellowship, and service.

- *Building Bridges: In today's divided world, the Church is called to be a place where people come together across differences. True faith is not just about personal salvation but also about building relationships that foster reconciliation, peace, and mutual support. As we move into this new year, let us re-prioritize our commitment to the Church and its role in society. Let us especially focus on connecting our children to the faith, for they are the future of the Church.*

Thoughts to Ponder

- *What are the distractions or habits that are hindering my spiritual growth?*
- *How can I make prayer, fasting, and acts of service meaningful this Lent?*
- *Am I truly living out my faith in a way that reflects Christ's love to others?*
- *How can I strengthen my relationships with others in my faith community, serving and supporting them in practical ways?*

A Prayer for the Journey

“Lord, we come before You with open hearts, seeking Your guidance and grace. Renew our minds and spirits, cleanse us of all that is hindering our relationship with You. Help us to align our lives with Your will and reflect Your love in all that we do. As we approach this season of Lent, teach us to embrace Your transformative grace, to walk boldly in faith, and to live as a testament to Your love. In Jesus' name, Amen.”

As we step into this new season, let us allow God to renew our hearts, reflect on Christ's ultimate sacrifice, and rejoice in the incredible privilege we have of being His disciples. This is not just a time for tradition—it is a call to transformation. Let us respond with courage, faith, and a deep trust in His unfailing love, knowing that He will guide us every step of the way.

*Peace be with us.
God bless us all.*

*His clay,
Rev. Jabin Daniel
Asst. Vicar*

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School is conducted every Sunday after the Holy Qurbana service at the 3rd and 4th floors of the church with singing and worship sessions, Biblical games and quiz, Balasakhyam talent shows and activities each month.

Sunday School Meeting

As part of the 33rd Ernakulam Centre Convention, the Sunday School Meeting was held on 5th October at the Guidance Centre, Vytilla which was attended by our junior children and their parents and teachers.

Students' Camp

The Mar Thoma Sunday School Samajam Ernakulam Centre Students' Camp 2024 was held at the Ashir Bhavan, Kacheripady on October 11th and 12th and the theme for this year was "Rainbow – Covenant of God" [Genesis 9: 12-14] under the leadership of Rev. Noble Melethu Mathew. Many of our children and teachers attended the two-day residential camp.



Senior Camp

World Sunday School Day :

Celebrating the World Sunday School Day on November 3rd at church, our Sunday School children assisted in the Worship, the Altar, Bible Reading, Thubden Reading, Collection of Offertory and passing of the Kiss of Peace under the supervision of our able teachers. Two songs were sung by our children during the worship session. The Centre program was held at the Sharon Mar Thoma Church, Palarivattom. Around 95 children and

parents from our church attended the program where our talented children performed a choreographed skit which was much appreciated by all.



All ready for our World Sunday School Day performance

Parish Day:

As part of the Parish Day celebrations, our children sang songs and performed 'Faith of Our Fathers', a musical composition receiving great appreciation from our beloved chief guest Rt. Rev. Thomas Mar Timotheos Episcopa and audience.



With our Thirumeni on Parish Day

Annual Exam:

The Sunday School Annual Exam was held on November 17th at 2.30 p.m. at our Sunday School Hall and nearly all the children gave their exam.

Birudhu Exam:

The Birudhu Exam for the 2nd year students of the Sunday School from Junior class onwards was held on December 1st. 20 students wrote the two-hour exam.

Memory Verse Competition:

Our children right from the tiny tots of Nursery class to Senior class gave their best at our Memory Verse Competition where they were encouraged to recite or write as many verses they could remember.

Christmas Program:

The Sunday School performed a skit at the joint Christmas Program on December 21st ushering in the festive season.

Our upcoming events:

January 5th - Sunday School reopening with Teachers' Dedication
January 25th– Teachers’ Retreat hosted by Salem Mar Thoma Church
Talent Test competition dates will be announced later.



Performing under the guidance of our ex-student Noel Ninan

Retirement: We acknowledge the services rendered by our teacher Mrs. Sophy Thomas and praise God for her relentless years of dedication towards teaching our children. It has been a great honour for all children to be in her class and a great privilege for all teachers to work with her. She is a true inspiration and a shining example of what a dedicated teacher should be. We wish her all the best on her retirement.



Wishing you a blessed retirement, Sophy Aunty

Resolute on New Year's Resolution

There is just something about the start of a new year that gives us the feeling of a fresh dawn and a new beginning. In reality, there is no difference between December 31 and January 1. Nothing mystical occurs at midnight on December 31.

Yet, trending the so-called norm, some of us decide to make a New Year's resolution which can vary from deciding to follow a strict diet to exercising regularly and remaining in the pink of health; to going green as is the fad; to lessening the use of social media; to finding quality time for the family and so on. So varied are the decisions..., depending on what we failed to achieve in the past.

Many Christians make New Year's resolutions to pray more, to read the Bible every day, and to attend church more regularly.

All these are fantastic goals. However, these New Year's resolutions normally have a tendency to fail because there is no power in a New Year's resolution in itself. The resolute to pursue the activity vains as days go by and the oomph is smothered with laziness, lack of interest or boredom.

Resolving to start or stop a certain activity has no value unless we have the proper motivation. For example, why do we want to read the Bible every day? Is it to honour God and grow spiritually, or is it because we have heard that it's a good thing to do, or as a Christian we are told that it's expected of us, or is it a feel-good factor, or is it an in-thing among our peers in church?

1 Timothy 4:8 instructs us to keep exercise in perspective: "For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come."

Philippians 4:13 tells us, "I can do everything through Him who gives me strength."

John 15:5 declares, "I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

If God is the centre of our New Year's resolution, it has a chance for success, depending on our commitment to it. If it is God's will for something to be fulfilled, He will enable us to fulfill it. If a resolution is not God-honouring and/or is not in agreement with God's Word, we will not receive God's help in fulfilling the resolution.

However, if as a Christian, one determines to make a New Year's resolution, what kind of resolution should one make? How should a Believer go about making a New Year's resolution? Here are a few suggestions:

* Pray to the Lord for wisdom (James 1:5) regarding what resolutions, if any, He would have us make.

* Pray for wisdom as to how to fulfill the goals God gives us.

* Rely on God's strength to help us.

* Don't become discouraged with occasional failures; instead, allow them to motivate us further.

* Don't become proud or vain, but give God the glory. Psalm 37:5-6 says, "Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun."

May the Lord help us to make our New Year resolutions Christ-centric and Christ-conscious.

EDAVAKA MISSION

Edavaka Mission meets on every Tuesday at 6.30 pm at church
Edavaka Mission members conducted a Mission Tour to the following places

1. Kadvil Maliga
2. MCRD Thelliyoor
3. Ashraya Mallapply

19 of us including Boby Achen and Jabin Achen and their respective Kochammas started the trip on December 3rd at 6am from Church & returned by 9 pm.

It was really a blessed trip & was an eye-opener for us to get to know about the service our Church is doing to the Society at large.



SENIOR CITIZEN FELLOWSHIP

Regular meetings are held every second Saturday in the Church from 09:30 am to 11:00 am after Holy Communion service. SCF currently has 139 registered members. All our Salem senior citizens are welcome to join and be a part of our fellowship activities and be blessed.

We regularly arrange different programmes in our meetings for the benefit of our Seniors. Meditation, and breathing exercises and Laughing sessions by Rev. Bobby Philip are regular features of SCF meetings. Solo Singing by members, puzzle solving sessions, sharing of experiences and nostalgic memories are part of Salem SCF meetings .

The SCF Choir assists in the 2nd Saturday Morning Holy Communion Service being held for Our Seniors.

SCF members presented programmes on the Parish Day on 10th November and Christmas event 'Echoes of the Fields' on 21 December 2024.

Good number of interesting programmes are planned for the January - March 2025 sessions. All senior Citizens of the parish are invited to attend these sessions.

Dr. Rajan Varughese
Secretary

വയലിലെ പ്രതിധ്വനിയുടെ അല

ബോബി അച്ചൻ ഈ 3 വർഷം കൊണ്ട് നമ്മളെ എന്തെല്ലാം എത്ര എത്ര വേഷങ്ങൾ പല പല പരിപാടികളിൽ കൂടി കെട്ടിച്ചെടുത്തു. ഒരുകാരും. ഓരോ പരിപാടികൾ കഴിഞ്ഞപ്പോഴും ഇത്രവർഷം പള്ളിയിൽ വന്നിട്ടും ഒരിക്കൽ പോലും മിണ്ടാതിരുന്നവർ വലിയ കൂട്ടുകാർ ആയി. പറഞ്ഞറിയിക്കാൻ വയ്യാത്ത തരത്തിലുള്ള ഫലങ്ങൾ ഈ വിധപരിപാടികളിൽ കൂടി ഉണ്ടായി. ഒരിക്കലും ജീവിതത്തിൽ ഒരു പരിപാടികളിലും പങ്കെടുത്തിട്ടില്ലാത്തവർ ഇനിയും SCF നു എന്നു പരിപാടികൾ ഉണ്ടെങ്കിലും ഞങ്ങളെ വിളിക്കണം എന്നു പറഞ്ഞു തുടങ്ങി. ഇതുവഴി ഉണ്ടായ സൗഹൃദങ്ങൾ ജീവിതത്തിലെ പലപല മതിലുകളും വരമ്പുകളും പൊട്ടിച്ചെറിഞ്ഞു. ബോബി അച്ചൻ എന്തിനാണോ ചെയ്തത് എന്താണോ ഉദ്ദേശിച്ചത് അത് അക്ഷരാർത്ഥത്തിൽ സാഫലമായി. പഴയകാല ക്രിസ്തുമതങ്ങൾ പുതിയ പിള്ളാർക്ക് കാണിച്ചു കൊടുക്കാനും എന്നു ബ്ലൈസി SUGGEST ചെയ്തപ്പോൾ പഴയകാലത്തു നമ്മളും നമ്മുടെ മാതാപിതാക്കളും ചെയ്തിരുന്നതെല്ലാം ഓർത്തെടുത്തു. ഈറ്റകൊണ്ട് കെട്ടി ഉണ്ടാക്കി കടലാസ് പേപ്പർ ഒട്ടിച്ചുണ്ടാക്കിയ നക്ഷത്രം, തലയിൽ വെയ്ക്കുന്ന പേരഴുതിയ പെട്ടി, ചുട്ടുകുറ്റ, റാന്നൽവിളക്ക്, തമ്പേറ്റ്, എല്ലാം തയ്യാറാക്കി എടുത്തു. നാവു കുഴച്ചു മറിക്കാൻ പ്രയാസമായ 'മൂന്നും പരസുതനം ബരനായകൻ' പഠിച്ചെടുത്തു. ഏറ്റവും വലിയ സന്തോഷമായതു നമ്മുടെ യുവജനങ്ങളും കുഞ്ഞുങ്ങളും പ്രായമുള്ളവരുടെ ബലഹീനതമനസ്സിലാക്കി ഈ സംരംഭത്തിൽ സന്തോഷത്തോടുകൂടി പടക്കവും പൊട്ടിച്ചു ഒത്തുചേർന്ന് പരിപാടി ഏറ്റവും ഭംഗിയാക്കിയതാണ്.

ഈ അവസരങ്ങൾ ഒരുക്കിത്തന്ന ദൈവത്തിനും ഞങ്ങളുടെ ഇടവകക്കും അച്ചന്മാർക്കും നന്ദിയും സ്നേഹവും.

ഏവർക്കും പുതുവത്സരാശംസകൾ
സാറാമ്മ ചാക്കോ

YOUTH LEAGUE REPORT

The past three months have been a time of growth, celebration, and achievement for our Youth League members.

YOUTH CAMP - REMAKE 24

We had our much anticipated Annual Camp - "Remake 2024" from the 11th to the 13th October at the Coonoor Mar Thoma Camp Centre, bringing together members for a spiritual renewal and fellowship.

YOUTH SUNDAY

On the 20th of October we celebrated the Youth Sunday and the youths were involved in various roles during the church service.

CENTRE KALAMELA -2024

Centre Kalamela was held on the 9th of November and this highlighted our artistic excellence as our youth league members bagged various prizes and finally secured First Runners-Up at the Centre Level Kalamela 2024.

Mr. Aaron Thomas Philip was selected as the Kalaprabhitha.

Ms. Joanna Cherian - 1st (Instrumental music – Strings)

Sona Elizabeth Abraham - 1st (Poem Writing - English)

Varsha Varghese - 3rd (Bible reading English and Story Writing English)

• The church glowed with beautiful Christmas decorations done by the youths and the church members.

CHRISTMAS EVENT

The Youth League took part in the Christmas event which was hosted by the Parish. A shadow skit was performed by the youths and a fun skit was done by our senior youths and young couples.

CAROL ROUNDS

The joyous Carol Rounds started on the 19th December and was concluded by 23rd December that brought the church together in song and spirit.



SALEM MAR THOMA YUVAJANA SAKHYAM

KALAMELA 2024-25

RESULTS

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS (GROUP 1)	
DUANE SUNIL BABU	1 ST – Poetry Writing Malayalam 1 st - Poetry Writing English 1 st - Story Writing Malayalam 2 nd – Story Writing English
JOASH MATHEW VARGHESE	1 ST – Story Writing English 2 nd – Elocution English 2 nd – Bible Reading English
INDIVIDUAL EVENTS (GROUP 2)	
AARON THOMAS PHILIP	1st - Solo Malayalam (M) 1st - Solo English (M) 1st - Recitation Malayalam 2nd - Instrumental Music Organ
ALEENA MARIAM VARGHESE	1st - Solo Malayalam (F) 2nd - Solo English (F)
ARPITHA LIZ GEORGE	1st - Painting 3rd - Pencil Drawing
JOANNA CHERIAN	1st - Instrumental Music Strings 3rd - Solo English (F)
GEORGE PATRICK	3rd - Bible Reading Malayalam 3rd - Story Writing English
SONA ELIZABETH ABRAHAM	1st - Cartoon 2nd - Poetry Writing English 2nd - Story Writing Malayalam
VARSHA VARGHESE	1st - Story Writing English 2nd - Bible Reading English 3rd - Essay Writing English
GROUP EVENTS	
TABLEAU	1 ST – SALEM MTC, ERNAKULAM
CHOREOGRAPHY	1 ST – SALEM MTC, ERNAKULAM
GROUP SONG	1st - SALEM MTC, ERNAKULAM

KALAPRATHIBHA - AARON THOMAS PHILIP

“Congratulations to all our talented youth for your amazing performance and dedication.”

SEVIKA SANGHAM

Sevika Sangham meetings are held every Tuesday in the Church at 10.30 am. One of the area prayer groups leads the meeting. Thevara Area prayer meetings are conducted on every second and fourth Tuesdays. On fourth Tuesdays, cottage prayer meetings are conducted in one of the member's house of each area. Almost 70 members participate in the cottage prayer meetings.

- 1. Mission Tour :** Sevika Sangham members visited Perumbavoor Balika Mandiram, Girideepthi Tribal Hostel and Irene Homes, Puthenkurishu on October 2nd, 2024.
- 2. Parish Day Skit :** Sevika Sangham members played a skit on Parish Day, November 10, 2024.
- 3. Christmas Carols of Salem Sevika Sangham** was held on Tuesday, December 10th, 2024 at Salem Mar Thoma Church. All the 8 Areas Prayer groups sang melodious Carols. More than 100 members took part in it. During the program, 50 Transgender guests from Navodaya Movement of Mar Thoma Sabha also attended.
- 4. Ernakulam Centre Christmas Carols** was held on Friday, December 13th, 2024 at Sharon Mar Thoma Church, Palarivattom. Salem Sevika Sangham members participated in the Carols.
- 5. Echoes of the Field – X' Mas 2024:** More than 80 members from all the 8 Area Prayer groups of Sevika Sangham sang a truly breath-taking song for that program.

Activities for the months of January to March 2025 :

1. Salem Sevika Sangham picnic tour will be conducted in January 2025. Date will be decided later.
2. Suvishesha Sevika Sangham Centre Competition will be held on February 08, 2025 at St Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Kalamassery.







Area Prayer Meetings

Area	Date and Time			Address
Church Area	05.01.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mrs. Mariam Koshy, Prestige Neptunes 6011, Marine drive. Mob: 9223327504
	09.02.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Samuel Lukose, Njarakkal.Govt. Hospital Road. Mob: 9496356949
	23.02.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Samu Kl. Broadway po. Link Road. Mob: 9446129343
	09.03.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Dr. Varghese Mathew, Behind Padma Mob: 9846125468
	16.03.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mrs. Ammini Samuel, 8 C. Kadavil Court. Arangath Cross road Mob: 9947593417
Panampally Nagar-Vytilla Area	05.01.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr Roy Varghese, 60/390, Mulamoottil Prince Park,, George Eden Cross Road - I, Panampilly Nagar, Kochi Pin: 682036
	19.01.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Cdr.Cibin V Charley, Flat #11.C, Serene Orchard, Mather Apt., Vidya Nagar. Kadavanthara. 8951155941, 8951155942
	02.02.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr Zachariah Koshy, Chackamvelil,skyline autumn Woods Villa no: 2, Jawahar Nagar , Kadavanthara. Ph:8281577006
	09.02.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr Ani George, 6 F, Great orchard mather, Panampally Nagar.Ph:9824651658
	23.02.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Cdr Gigi Thomas, 18, Neptune Country, Chilavannoor, Kadavanthara, Ph: 9446971908
	09.03.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mrs Annie Mathew, 11/116, Parackal Thadathil; Kadagamangalam chruch road; Thiruvankulam P.O, Chotanikara Road. Ph: 8589873534
Vaduthala Area	09.01.2025	Thursday	6:30pm	Mr. C.I George, Jewel Bluebell Tower,7 C, Kannanchanodu (West), Near Ayyappankavu Ph: 9447815386
	19.01.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mrs. Molly John Varampathu house,N K Sreedharan Road, SRM Road Extn., Pachalam Ph:9567724699
	06.02.2025	Thursday	6:30pm	Mrs. Cissy Varghese, Cheruvathoor House, Susmitham, Anglo Indian Road vaduthala Ph: 9995798586
	20.02.2025	Thursday	6:30pm	Mr. Cherian Zachariah, Moonnuthaickal House,Divine Nagar, South Chittoor. Ph:9539550742
North Area	02.01.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Roy Mathew, 5B Brentwood Manor, Powerhouse Road - 8089125345
	09.01.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Varghese K Mathai, 9D Katticaran Towers, Antony Katticaran Road - 9745459380
	16.01.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	K M Koshy, Kurichiath, K K Padmanabhan Rd. - 9847100439
	23.01.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Sam Jacob, ANRA 120A, Panorama Nagar, Amalabhavan Road - 9895778348
	06.02.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Saramma Thomas, A1, Jewel Park, Providence Road - 9447791227
	27.02.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	P V Thambi, Pulikkottil, Thilak Club Road - 9447054297
	06.03.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Dr K M Mathew, Kidangalil, Jacob Vallanatt Rd-9846491040
	20.03.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Mercy Chackochan, Pulikottil, Mathai Manjooran Road, Tatapuram - 9847707541
	27.03.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Bimal Koshy, 17 C Link Heritage Apartment, Chitoor Road. Mob:98866 47639
Kaloor Area	10.01.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mr. Thankacham P V, Bethel House, Dr. George Road, K K Road. Mob: 9656139127
	24.01.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mrs. Saramma Kurien, Mullanakuzhiyil, No.74, Ave.10, Ponoth Lane, Kaloor. Mob: 9544500402/9847038402
	07.02.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mr. Raju Philip, Codiyattu,36/714, Spices Street, Lisie Road. Mob: 7025354995
	21.02.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mr.Philip C Mathew (Jose), Codiyattu,13-B, Presidency Homes, P R Road, Kaloor. Mob: 9947472640
Thevara Area	19.01.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mrs.Mrs. Elizabeth Varghese, Kurichiathu, Canal, Perumanoor, Ph. 9446537662.
	23.02.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr.Alex k Babu, Chakolas Pinnacel, Flat no. 17, near SPS Temple, Kumbalam p o, Cochin 682506. Ph. 9895225330.
	23.03.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr. Abraham P.A, Daimond tower, pandit karuppan road, Perumanoor, ph. 9446134840

Area	Date and Time			Address
SRM Road Elamakkara Area	24.01.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Alexander Kunjummen, 3a, Roots Enclave, Srm Road. Mob:8281188696
	31.01.2025	Friday	5:30pm	Esther Abraham, F3, Vb Terrace, Srm Road. Mob:9567729597
	07.02.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Sosamma Oommen, Polachirackal, House, Sree Narayana Road, Elamakkara, Mob: 9249220073
	21.02.2025	Friday	5:30pm	Prof Jacob Isaac, 12 B, Coral Crest, Si, Apartments, Srm Road, Mob:9895094315
	28.02.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Molly Thomas, Ooriyakunnath House, Palaparambu Lane, Keerthi Nagar Road, Elamakkara. Mob:9446538083
	07.03.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Geetha Jaison Chacko, House No 3, George Eden Road, deshabhimani Road, Kaloor, Mob:9567660496
	28.03.2025	Friday	5:30pm	Mathen Pc, Pocudiyil House 14a,sree Vilasa M Road, Mamangalam, Edappally. Mob: 7736644484
Kakkanad Area	11.01.2025	Saturday	7:00pm	Mr. C.P.Joy, Puthuparambil, Pariyaram,Puthencruz P.O. Ernakulam.Ph9497622607
	08.02.2025	Saturday	7:00pm	CA Kurian Lukose,Flat # 8G, RAK Burj, Vallathol jn. Seaport Airport Road, Thrikkakara P.O. Ph 9447120883
	08.03.2025	Saturday	7:00pm	Retd.judge K. Oommen George,11/281-(1) Kalamannil (H), Near Noel Touch Stone Apts, Crash Road, Vazhakala. Ph 9995195146

K.C Candles Convention 2025 Will Be Held At K.C Candles

Compound Broadway Ernakulam.

Main Speaker : Br. George Cherian (Missions India)

Date : January 25 (Sat) and 26 (Sun)

Time : 6:15pm - 8:15pm

For Further Details Contact

Mr.Samu K.I (Mob-9446129343).

SABHA VISHESHA DINAM

- Bahya Kerala Mission - 5 January 2025
- Bhadrasana Convention - 8-12 January 2025
- Medical Mission Sunday - 2 February 2025
- Maramon Convention - 9-16 February 2025
- Beginning of Great Lent - 2 March 2025

Birthdays for the Month of (January - March 2025)

1 January	Mr. John Varghese
1 January	Mrs. Suni G Thomas
1 January	Sr. Adv. Babu Varghese
1 January	Miss. Nanditha Ajay
1 January	Mr. Abraham Varghese
1 January	Capt. Wingston Mathews T.
1 January	Mr. Biju Jacob Cherian
4 January	Mr. Kevin Ani George
4 January	Mrs. Mary Mathen
5 January	Master. Matthew Dan Jabin
5 January	Miss. Tabitha Elizabeth Thomas
5 January	Mrs. Sarah Monisha Pulimood
5 January	Mr. George Alexander
5 January	Master. Micah George
5 January	Mr. Sunny C George
6 January	Mr. Vivek Job Mathew
6 January	Mrs. Manumol Thomas
6 January	Mr. Roy Mathew
6 January	Mr. Joe Thomas Athialy
6 January	Dr. Santhosh Alex
7 January	Miss. Ann Patrick
7 January	Mrs. Ivy Joseph
7 January	Mr. Roy John
8 January	Mrs. Liya Sera Abraham
8 January	Mrs. Anna Ipe
9 January	Mr. Tomy Thomas
9 January	Miss. Zoya P Athialy
9 January	Mr. Rajan P I
9 January	Mr. George Arapurackal
9 January	Mr. Jitu C Cherian
9 January	Miss. Tanya Maria Alex
9 January	Dr. Rebecca Mathew
10 January	Master. Ethan Rubin
10 January	Mrs. Neha R Jacob
10 January	Mr. Joshua Alwin Alex
10 January	Mr. Nithin Ninan Oommen
11 January	Mr. Simon Chacko
11 January	Mr. George P E
11 January	Mrs. Sushma Vini Alexander
11 January	Mr. Jose T Mathew
12 January	Mrs. Mary Alexander
12 January	Mr. Ajay C Jameson

12 January	Mrs. Hannah Mary Philip
12 January	Mr. Cherian Samuel
13 January	Mr. Ashique S Sahayathri
13 January	Mrs. Sheeba Sam
13 January	Mr. Rohit Abraham John
13 January	Mrs. Grace Verghese
13 January	Mr. Ben Mathews Tom
13 January	Mr. Stanley David
13 January	Miss. Meriam Anna Oommen
14 January	Rev. Bobby Philip
14 January	Master. Jayden Nikhil James
14 January	Mrs. Nisha Elizabeth Thomas
15 January	Mr. Loveson Samuel
15 January	Mrs. Marganeetha Baby
15 January	Dr. Abraham George
15 January	Mrs. Shirly Jacob
15 January	Mr. Thomas Joy
15 January	Mr. Alexander K Suneesh
15 January	Mrs. Asha Mary Thomas
16 January	Mr. Valentine Foti
16 January	Mrs. Susan Abraham
16 January	Cdr. Sam T Samuel
16 January	Cdr. Gigi Thomas
16 January	Mrs. Liza Jacob
16 January	Mr. Achankunju K K
16 January	Mrs. Anu Madhu
16 January	Mr. Sujith Mathew Thomas
16 January	Mr. Jonathan Varghese Mathew
17 January	Mrs. Mary Benjamin
17 January	Mr. Mathew George
17 January	Mr. Jacob Mathew
18 January	Mr. Paulson Jose
18 January	Mr. Ron Varghese Tom
18 January	Mr. Alen Mathew Varghese
19 January	Mrs. Mercy Mathew
19 January	Mr. Jeremiah Joseph Varghese
19 January	Mr. Thomas P J
20 January	Mrs. Elizabeth Ninan
20 January	Mr. Akhil Oommen Alex
20 January	Mrs. Leena Abraham
20 January	Ms. Maryann V Jacob
20 January	Miss. Zahra Elezabeth Thomas

20 January	Miss. Ruth Suzanne Isaac
20 January	Mrs. Annamma Simon
21 January	Mr. Ajai Thomas Varghese
21 January	Ms. Bindu Achamma Koshy
21 January	Master. Joshua John Abraham
21 January	Mr. John Samuel
22 January	Mrs. Nithya Alex
23 January	Mrs. Kripa P Mathew
23 January	Mr. Ashil Jaison C
23 January	Mr. Alan Varghese Abraham
25 January	Mrs. Asha Annie James
25 January	Miss. Eliza Ann Abraham
26 January	Miss. Divina Christopher Thomas
26 January	Miss. Joan Anna Cherian
26 January	Mrs. Dhanya Anna Kurian
26 January	Cdr. Jose Verghese
27 January	Mr. Cibin Varghese
27 January	Mr. Kevin Abraham
27 January	Mr. Kayaan Jacob George
27 January	Miss. Alisha Elena John
27 January	Mrs. Rajani Rachel John
28 January	Mrs. Laly Simon
28 January	Mr. Mathew C George
28 January	Mr. James John
28 January	Mrs. Lalitha Abraham
28 January	Miss. Joann Sarah George
28 January	Mr. Vineeth K Job
28 January	Mr. Thomas K Alex
28 January	Mr. Lijin Cherian Jacob
28 January	Mr. Abraham P S
28 January	Mrs. Amrita Annie Joseph
29 January	Mrs. Anila Koshy
29 January	Mr. Renoy Varghese Roy
29 January	Mr. Reji K Rajan
29 January	Mrs. Jai Santhosh
29 January	Mrs. Sosamma Oommen
30 January	Mr. George Korah Varghese
30 January	Mr Roshan Reji Thomas
30 January	Miss. Abiya Benny
31 January	Miss. Remy Mathew
31 January	Mrs. Annamma Alexiouse
31 January	Mr. Tom Mathews
31 January	Mr. Binoy Joseph

1 February	Miss. Karen Joby
1 February	Mrs. Aleyamma Mathew
1 February	Miss. Sarah Elizabeth Athialy
1 February	Mr. Rijo G Mathew
1 February	Mr. Duane Sunil Babu
1 February	Mrs. Shilpa Mathew
2 February	Mr. Danny M Varghese
2 February	Dr. Saramma Easaw
2 February	Mr. Ben S Noble
2 February	Mrs. Annu Thomas
2 February	Mrs. Sunu Mathew Ninan
2 February	Mrs. Elizabeth Cherian
2 February	Mrs. Deepa Rijo
2 February	Mrs. Mary George Arapurackal
2 February	Mr. David Chacko Pocudiyil
3 February	Mr. Joya Verghese C
3 February	Mr. Jacob Oommen
3 February	Mr. Asish Biju
4 February	Mr. George Philip
4 February	Mrs. Mary Thomas
4 February	Mrs. Omana George Zachariah
5 February	Mrs. Violet Samuel
5 February	Miss. Anna Philip
5 February	Adv. Rosamma Mathew
5 February	Mr. Ashok Thomas
5 February	Mrs. Sicy Abraham
5 February	Mrs. Ann Mathew
5 February	Mrs. Amminikutty Thomas
6 February	Mr. Soju Mathew Thomas
6 February	Mr. Rohan R Jacob
7 February	Mr. Karun Thomas Chacko
7 February	Mrs. Mercy John
7 February	Mr. Tarun Ittycheria Kurien
7 February	Mr. John Thomas
7 February	Mr. Bejoy B Puthoor
7 February	Mr. Alex K Thomas
7 February	Mr. Thomas O C
8 February	Mr. Mani A Pulimood
8 February	Dr. Annie Thomas
8 February	Mrs. Litty Ann Abraham
8 February	Miss. Liya Ann Mathews
8 February	Mr. Dilip Thomas Cherian
9 February	Mr. Sanju Chacko Thomas

9 February	Mr. Samuel Varghese	21 February	Mrs. Saramma O Varghese
9 February	Mr. Nathan Babu Jacob	21 February	Adv. Mathews V C
10 February	Mr. Zion George Abraham	22 February	Mrs. Biji Anil
10 February	Mr. A Kevin Thomas	22 February	Miss. Aishwarya Ann Rajan
10 February	Dr. Jeeth Isaac Jacob	22 February	Mrs. Shyla George Varghese
10 February	Mr. Abraham Benjamin Pavutheril	22 February	Miss. Leah Mathew
10 February	Mrs. Kezia Mary John	23 February	Mr. Samu K I
11 February	Mrs. Rintu Rebecca Jacob	23 February	Mr. Varghese A T
11 February	Mrs. Achiamma Mathews	23 February	Mr. Lukose Thomas
12 February	Mrs. Sarasu Abraham	24 February	Mr. George Kurian
12 February	Mr. John Alexander	24 February	Mr. Nithin Raj P
13 February	Miss. Priyal Elza Sunil	24 February	Mr. Jacob K V
13 February	Mrs. Namitha Susan Joseph	25 February	Mr. Koshy V G
14 February	Mrs. Beeta Jojo	25 February	Mr. Nathaan C Vimal
14 February	Mr. Shibu John	25 February	Mr. Vinay Simon George
14 February	Miss. Aleena Mariam Varghese	25 February	Mr. Bijish John
15 February	Dr. Thomas Mathew	25 February	Miss. Sona Elizabeth Abraham
15 February	Mrs. Sophy Thomas	25 February	Mr. Deon Prasanth
15 February	Mrs. Michelle Verghese	26 February	Mrs. Susie B Varghese
16 February	Mrs. Susan Samuel	26 February	Mr. Manu Thambi
16 February	Mrs. Cini Varghese	26 February	Mr. Dany Alexander
16 February	Mrs. Meera Elizabeth Emmanuel	26 February	Mrs. Mariamma Alexander
16 February	Mr. Manu Sunny	26 February	Mr. Kainan Jibu Varghese
17 February	Mr. Tittu Solomon	27 February	Mrs. Pauline Susan Palose
17 February	Mr. Abishai Winston	27 February	Miss. Jewel Monish
17 February	Master. Aarush Abraham	27 February	Mr. Mathews Mathews
17 February	Mr. Prasanth Abraham	27 February	Mr. Joseph John
18 February	Mr. George C Mathew	27 February	Mr. Suneesh K C
18 February	Mrs. Annamma Samuel	27 February	Mr. Jibu T Varghese
18 February	Mr. M Kenny Thomas	27 February	Mr. Sayuj Praveen
18 February	Mr. Jacob Philip	27 February	Mrs. Anupa Shibu John
18 February	Mr. Abraham Ittyipe	28 February	Master. Zane Koshy George
18 February	Mr. Mathew C Alexander	28 February	Mr. Jacob Philip V
19 February	Mrs. Saramma John	28 February	Mr. Ashish M V Puliyl
19 February	Mrs. Mary George	28 February	Miss. Raina Renjith
19 February	Mr. Rushil Reji Mathew	28 February	Mrs. Sheeba Winston
19 February	Mrs. Laly Joseph John	29 February	Mrs. Richu Mariam Ipe
19 February	Mr. Prajin K Prasad	1 March	Mrs. Nandita Sara Varghese
19 February	Mr. Cherian George	1 March	Miss. Maya Varghese
20 February	Mr. Rushil G Thomas	2 March	Mr. Anand P Koshy
20 February	Miss. Anisha Elizabeth Ajish	2 March	Mr. Abraham P C
21 February	Miss. Rahel Philipose	2 March	Mrs. Blessy Alexander
21 February	Mr. Harris C Joya	2 March	Mr. Nejo Samuel Varghese

3 March	Dr. Asha Thomas	15 March	Mrs. Ammini Samuel
4 March	Mrs. Meries George	15 March	Miss. Nileena Thomas
5 March	Mr. Nirmal Geo Stephen	15 March	Mr. Mathai N T
5 March	Miss. Anu Sunny	15 March	Mr. John Cherian
5 March	Mrs. Nisha Thankam Cherian	15 March	Dr. Sudeeptha Anna
5 March	Master. Karen Issa Sajin	15 March	Mr. Benjamin Abraham Pavutheril
5 March	Mrs. Chechamma Jacob	16 March	Mr. Eugene M Thomas
5 March	Mr. Baby P C	16 March	Mrs. Liji Thomas
5 March	Mrs. Suja George Oommen	16 March	Ms. Anaya Sam
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6 March	Mr. Thomas Alexander	17 March	Mrs. Flory George
6 March	Mrs. Cimi Jose Kavalakkatt	17 March	Mr. George Varkey
6 March	Mrs. Simi Bijish	17 March	Mr. Samuel John
6 March	Mr. Ethan John Varghese	18 March	Mr. Philipose V S
7 March	Mrs. Sowmiya Vijayan	18 March	Master. George T T
7 March	Mrs. Moniamma Jacob	18 March	Mrs. Leelamma David
7 March	Mrs. Saramma Biju	18 March	Mrs. Anitha John
7 March	Mr. Evan George Mathew	18 March	Mrs. Sini Varghese
9 March	Mr. Sajeev John T	18 March	Mrs. Ahlam Thomas
9 March	Miss. Rebecca Kallingal Paul	18 March	Mr. Jovin Pallickal Thomas S
9 March	Mrs. Suneela Cheriyan	19 March	Mr. Thomas C T
9 March	Miss. Isabel Maria Sangeeth	19 March	Mrs. Susan Thomas
9 March	Mrs. Juletta Samson	19 March	Mr. Daniel Rajan Chacko
9 March	Mr. Glen Joseph	19 March	Mrs. Marybai Thomas
10 March	Mr. Richie Roshan	19 March	Mrs. Annie Susan Varghese
10 March	Mr. Joseph E George	19 March	Mr. Isaac Koshy Panicker
10 March	Mr. Justin Abraham	19 March	Mrs. Deepa Sam
10 March	Miss. Ruth Miriam Joseph	19 March	Mrs. Bila Sangeeth
11 March	Mrs. Suma Samu	19 March	Mr. Alwin Alexander
11 March	Mrs. Shiny George Enchakkattu	20 March	Mrs. Joby Abhisekh
11 March	Mrs. Rekha Arun	20 March	Mr. Joshua Thomas
11 March	Mrs. Jaivy K John	20 March	Mr. Roy Abraham M
12 March	Mrs. Rachel Kurian	20 March	Mr. Abraham P A
13 March	Mr. George C Samuel	21 March	Mrs. Nissy Mariam James
13 March	Dr. Reny John	22 March	Dr. Jacob Puliye
13 March	Mrs. Leena Thambi	22 March	Mrs. Lincy Saji
13 March	Miss. Hannah Ann Alex	22 March	Mr. Sunil K Alexander
14 March	Mrs. Usha Thomas	22 March	Mr. Philip John Varghese
14 March	Mr. John S	22 March	Miss. Rithika Ann Shaju
14 March	Mr. Anil Abraham Panikker	23 March	Mr. Koshy K M

23 March	Mrs. Annamma Cherian
23 March	Mr. Sangeeth K Job
23 March	Miss. Keziah Thomas Anush
23 March	Miss. Nishma Aelu Abraham
24 March	Miss. Minna Achamma Koshy
24 March	Mr. Hanan David Jimmy
24 March	Mrs. Susan John
25 March	Mrs. Anu Samuel
25 March	Mr. Abraham T M
25 March	Dr. Reenu Saira Philip
25 March	Mrs. Gracy Nelson
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26 March	Mr. Deepak Koshy Zachariah
26 March	Mr. Mohan C Varghese
26 March	Mr. Jinu Joseph
26 March	Mrs. Mariamma John
26 March	Mrs. Rachel Molly John
27 March	Mrs. Mariam Koshy
27 March	Mrs. Grace Varghese

27 March	Miss. Rhea Joseph
27 March	Mrs. Rebecca John
28 March	Miss. Annamma T Philip
28 March	Mrs. Blessy Annie Mathew
28 March	Miss. Sophia Joseph
28 March	Mrs. Aldrina Anil Thomas
29 March	Dr. Santhosh John Abraham
30 March	Ms. Elizabeth A Pulimood
30 March	Mr. Sony Mathew Varghese
30 March	Mrs. Ajitha Mathews
30 March	Miss. Athulya Elizabeth Abraham
30 March	Mr. Varghese A
30 March	Mrs. Asha Susan John
31 March	Mr. Bipin Noble
31 March	Mrs. Mini Sajeev John
31 March	Mr. Zachariah Koshy
31 March	Mr. Jason John James
31 March	Mr. Ryan Thomas
31 March	Mr. Johan Cherian John



Irene Homes Xmas carols

Wedding Anniversary for the month of (January - March 2025)

1 January	Dr. Mathews W B & Mrs. Sarasa Mathews
2 January	Mr. Ajish V John & Mrs. Gisha Ajish
3 January	Mr. Anish Abraham & Mrs. Ashly K R
3 January	Mr. Jaijo C J & Mrs. Ginsha George C
3 January	Mr. Philip George & Mrs. Nija Philip
3 January	Sr. adv. George Cherian & Mrs. Elizabeth Cherian
4 January	Mr. Deepak Koshy George & Mrs. Suzannah Muthoot
4 January	Mr. Sangeeth K Job & Mrs. Bila Sangeeth
4 January	Mr. Nithin Titus & Mrs. Maria Rone
5 January	Mr. Civin V Charley & Mrs. Suman Mariam Cherian
5 January	Dr. Nithin Thomas P & Mrs. Mithu Cherian
6 January	Mr. Wilson Yohannan & Mrs. Jasmin Wilson
6 January	Mr. Thomas A V & Mrs. Litty Thomas
7 January	Mr. John George & Mrs. Anna Sheba John
7 January	Mr. John P Thomas & Mrs. Rebecca John
9 January	Mr. Bimal Mathew Koshy & Mrs. Marishma Koshy
10 January	Mr. Jacob Philip C & Mrs. Neethu
10 January	Mr. Abraham Ittyipe & Mrs. Minu Ittyipe
10 January	Mr. Koshy P Titus & Mrs. Anitha Koshy
11 January	Mr. Mathew C Ittoop & Mrs. Elizabeth Mathew
12 January	Cdr. Shibu John & Mrs. Anupa Shibu John
12 January	Mr. Jacob K Babu & Mrs. Rintu Rebecca Jacob
15 January	Mr. Abraham Thomas & Mrs. Jelin Abraham
16 January	Mr. Philip P T & Mrs. Deepa Philip
18 January	Mr. Jacob Philip V & Mrs. Minu Paul
19 January	Mr. Philip C Mathew & Mrs. Sarah Philip C
22 January	Mr. Sujit Alexander & Mrs. Blessy Alexander
22 January	Mr. Jacob Chacko Poudiyil & Mrs. Richu Mariam Ipe
23 January	Mr. Paulson Jose & Mrs. Shainy Paulson
25 January	Mr. Ajith Alex Jacob & Mrs. Beena Rose Mary
25 January	Cdr. Jose Verghese & Mrs. Mariam Verghese
26 January	Mr. Alwin Alexander & Mrs. Reshmi M S
26 January	Mr. Varghese Thomas & Mrs. Sini Varghese
26 January	Mr. Abraham T M & Mrs. Lalitha Abraham
26 January	Mr. Roy Varghese M & Mrs. Omana Roy Vargherse
27 January	Mr. Thomas John K & Mrs. Sodari Thomas
27 January	Mr. Chris V Mathew & Mrs. Jesna M J
30 January	Mr. Rajan P I & Mrs. Shiny Rajan
30 January	Mr. Samuel Varghese & Mrs. Annie Susan Varghese
30 January	Mr. Prasanth Abraham & Mrs. Anjana Prasanth
31 January	Capt. Wingston Mathews T. & Mrs. Sheeba Winston
31 January	Mr. Jacob Alexander & Mrs. Annie Jacob

2 February	Mr. Yohannan I & Mrs. Jasmila Yohannan
2 February	Mr. George Oommen K & Mrs. Suja George Oommen
2 February	Mr. Abraham P. Samuel & Mrs. Ancy Iype
3 February	Dr. Nithin Varghese Joy & Dr Mrs. Sharon Maria Thomas
4 February	Mr. Varghese Kidangalil Mathai & Mrs. Asha Varghese
4 February	Mr. Biju Jacob Cherian & Mrs. Saramma Biju
4 February	Cmdre. John Thomas & Mrs. Omana Thomas
4 February	Mr. Anith John Cherian & Mrs. Rajani Rachel John
5 February	Mr. Raju Philip & Mrs. Leelamma Philip
5 February	Mr. Liju Mathew Jacob & Mrs. Regin Mary Roy
7 February	Mr. Saji Mathew & Mrs. Lincy Saji
7 February	Mr. Mathews Mathews & Mrs. Alphy Mathews
8 February	Mr. Mathew Kalayil Thomas & Mrs. Anna Philip
8 February	Mr. Sunil C Babu & Mrs. Sibi Baby
9 February	Mr. Arjun Varghese Paul & Mrs. Rithu Bejoy
9 February	Mr. George Korah Varghese & Mrs. Lalita Elias Varghese
9 February	Mr. Tom Mathews & Mrs. Anu Varghese
9 February	Mr. Nebu Thomas P & Mrs. Sowmya Ann Thomas
11 February	Mr. Mathew C G & Mrs. Jolly Mathew
12 February	Mr. Sam M. Alex & Mrs. Binu Sam Alex
14 February	Mr. Jacob Mathew & Mrs. Saramma Jacob
14 February	Dr. Jeeth Isaac Jacob & Dr. Sudeeptha Anna
15 February	Mr. Mathew C George & Mrs. Ann Mathew
19 February	Mr. Shaju P Thomas & Mrs. Elizabeth K A
19 February	Mr. Baby P C & Mrs. Leelamma Baby
21 February	Mr. Thomas T V & Mrs. Manumol Thomas
24 February	Mr. Anil C Davy & Mrs. Biji Anil
26 February	Mr. Thomas Joy & Mrs. Mariamma Koshy
27 February	Mr. Rajan K C & Mrs. Gracy Rajan
27 February	Mr. Solomon M G & Mrs. Julie Solomon
28 February	Mr. Roy Mathew & Mrs. Molsy Roy
28 February	Mr. Mathai N T & Mrs. Rachel Mathai
5 March	Dr. Prakash Mathew & Mrs. Bini Koshy
5 March	Mr. David George & Mrs. Laly George
7 March	Dr. Biju Thomas Meenathathil & Mrs. Manju Thomas
8 March	Mr. Abraham C I & Mrs. Alice Abraham
14 March	Mr. Sajeev John T & Mrs. Mini Sajeev John
20 March	Mr. George C Mathew & Mrs. Lucy Mathew
26 March	Mr. Jacob Oommen & Mrs. Shirly Jacob
27 March	Mr. Thambi P V & Mrs. Leena Thambi

Lectionary (സഭാപന്ത്രീകരണം)

Date	1st Lesson	2nd Lesson	Epistle	Gospel
01.01.2025	Deut 10: 12-22	Gal 5: 1-12	Rom 2: 17-29	Luke 2: 15-21
05.01.2025	Exod 3: 1-17	Acts 16: 6-15	Rom 10: 9-17	Luke 10: 1-11
12.01.2025	Mic 4: 1-7	Rom 5: 1-11	Eph 2: 11-19	Matt 5: 1-9
19.01.2025	Zech 8: 18-23	1Cor 1: 10-18	Col 3: 9-17	John 17: 13-23
26.01.2025	Amos 5: 18-27	1Pet 3: 14-18	Col 4: 2-6	Luke 3: 7-14
02.02.2025	2Kgs 20: 1-11	Heb 9: 11-14	James 5: 13-18	Mark 5: 25-34
09.02.2025	Isa 40: 12-26	Rom 8: 19-25	Col 1: 15-20	Matt 6: 26-30
16.02.2025	Isa 11: 1-9	Eph 3: 16-21	1Cor 1: 4-9	John 4: 4-15
23.02.2025	Ezek 36: 24-31	Eph 4: 17-24	1Pet 2: 1-10	Luke 19: 1-10
02.03.2025	Deut 30: 1-10	Rev 21: 1-8	Rom 12: 1-3	John 2: 1-11
09.03.2025	Jer 33: 6-11	Philem 1: 8-21	James 4: 7-10	Mark 1: 40-45
16.03.2025	2Kgs 5: 1-14	Acts 16: 16-18	Rom 5: 6-11	Mark 2: 1-12
23.03.2025	Hos 2: 14-23	Acts 5: 12-16	1Cor 1: 18-25	Matt 15: 21-28
30.03.2025	Isa 66: 12-15	Rom 3: 23-31	1Pet 1: 18-25	Luke 13: 10-17

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26th January 2025

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02nd February 2025

New Members (Oct. - Dec. 2024)

1. Mr. Cibin V Charley & Family (Panampilly Vytilla Area Prayer Group), Flat #11.C, Serene Orchard, Mather Apartment, Vidya Nagar. Kadavanthara. 682020.
Mob: 8951155941, 8951155942
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3. Jinu Joseph & Family (Thevara Area Prayer Group). Anugraha, Kochupally Road, Thoppumpady Opp. Rajiv Gandhi Stadium.8291410721/9539703099

Obituary (Oct. - Dec. 2024)



Mrs. Joyce Varghese (71)
Kaloor Area on 23rd November, 2024
and funeral on 25th November, 2024



Mrs. Shyla George Varghese (77)
Kaloor (Directory Page.169) was called
to eternity on 21st December, 2024
and funeral on 23rd December, 2024



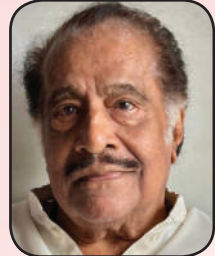
Mrs. Mariamma Mathew (101)
Mother of Mrs. Elizabeth Varghese was
called to eternity on 04th November, 2024
and funeral on 05th November, 2024



Mrs. Molly George (92)
MIL/o Mr. Alexander Thomas,
Church Area on 16th November, 2024
and funeral on 17th November, 2024



Mr. Baby A.O (74)
FIL/o Mr.Sunil C Babu SRM-Elamakara
Area on 11th December, 2024
and funeral on 12th December, 2024



Mr. Thomas Burleigh Kurishingal (92)
FIL/o Mr. George Jacob (Moti, Thevara Prayer group)
was called to eternity on 17th December, 2024
and funeral on 19th December, 2024



Mrs. Annamma Koshy
MIL/o Mr. Thomas Joy, Kaloor Area,
was called to eternity on 29th December 2024
and funeral on 31st December 2024

Wedding Solemnized (Oct. - Dec. 2024)

- 1) Mrs. Nileena Thomas & Mr. Mathew Jacob on December 26, 2024
- 2) Mrs. Anu Grace Sam & Mr. Nikhil M Philip on December 28, 2024



Parish Day on 10.11.2024



Christmas Carol



Christmas Program



Cruise Trip



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Assembly	Mr. George Varghese Mrs. Meena Wilson	9895745555 9895774571
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Area representatives :		
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