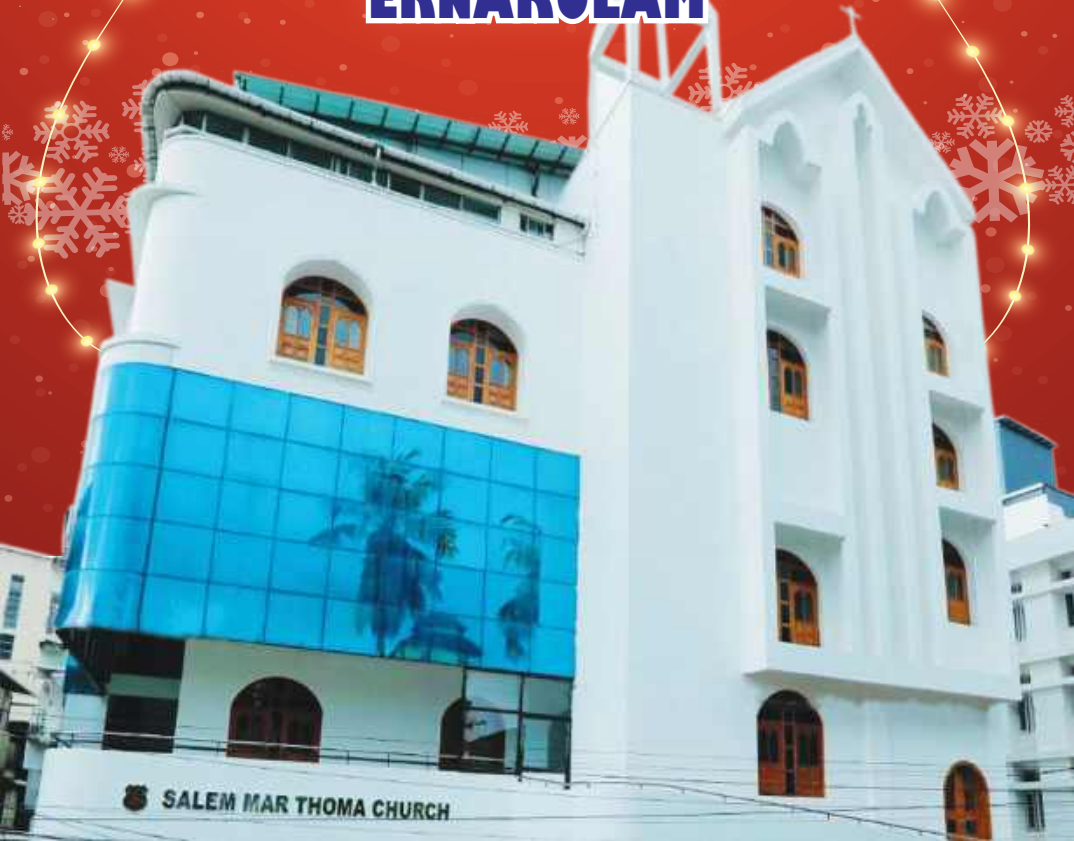




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1st Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
2nd Saturday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
2nd Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion English
3rd Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
4th Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion Malayalam
5th Sunday	8.00 am	Holy Communion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

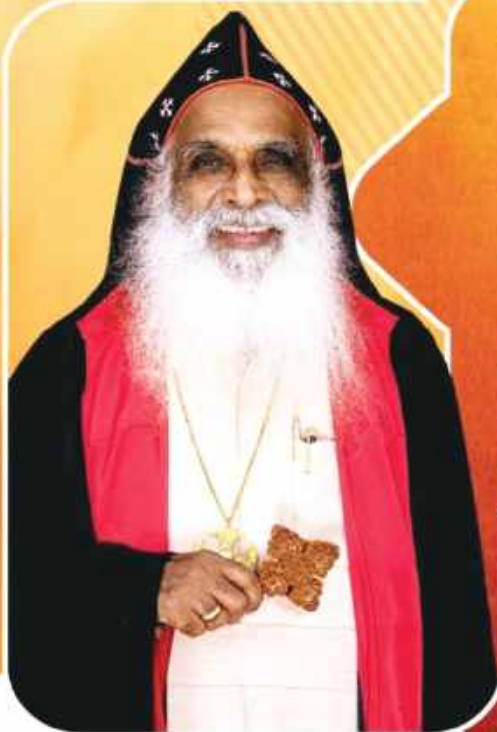
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Flower Arrangement	Offertory (6 persons)
Lesson Reading (2 persons)	Prayer after Sermon (1 person)
	Ushering (2 persons)

05/10/2025	Kaisthana Samithy Members
12/10/2025	MTVEA / Edavaka Mission Day
19/10/2025	Yuvajana Sakhyam Day
26/10/2025	Panampilly Vytilla Prayer Group
02/11/2025	Church Area Prayer Group
09/11/2025	Thevara Area Prayer Group
16/11/2025	North Area Prayer Group
23/11/2025	Vaduthala Area Prayer Group
30/11/2025	SRM Elamakkara Area Prayer Group
07/12/2025	Kaloor Area Prayer Group
14/12/2025	Kakkanad Area Prayer Group
21/12/2025	Panampilly Vytilla Area Prayer Group
25/12/2025	Church Area Prayer Group
28/12/2025	Thevara Area Prayer Group
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2025 11:00 AM



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Message from the Vicar

Dearly beloved in Christ,

Christian faith is deeply rooted in family living, and it considers family as the foundational unit upon which the church formulate and nurture its faith. Apostle Paul says in Ephesians 3:14-15,

‘For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name’.

What does the apostle mean by this verse is that, God the Father is the ultimate source and originator of all families – both in heaven and on earth. Every earthly family and every spiritual family, including believers, saints in heaven, and the heavenly beings derive their identity, lineage, and name from Him, the archetypal Father. This verse emphasizes that all fatherhood originates from the Fatherhood of God, establishing the Church as a unified, universal family under divine authority.

These days, many do not consider it important to have a family. The current generation has already moved from the previously held concept of ‘nuclear family’ to ‘radically self-serving individualism’, where an individual considers himself or herself, a self-sufficient or entity. He needs no commitment, accountability or communal obligations. This is a very dangerous scenario, as it will shatter the core value and foundation upon which human life is built from time immemorial. Today, many of our younger people do not want to have a family or children, as they don’t like to take up the responsibility and pain of building a family. On the other hand relationship models such as, Living relationships, homosexuality and lesbianism are on the rise. Such relationship models are radical aberrations, where one individual needs another individual only for self-serving purposes, without any ultimate commitment to sacrificial love or ‘agape’ relationship. What we just mentioned above is only a tip of an iceberg. There is a lot more to learn and understand in this regard. In order to bring these into our focus, and encourage the upcoming generations to reinvent the beauty and power of family living, our Parish is planning to observe October 20th-25th as the ‘Family week’ and October 26th Sunday as the ‘Family Sunday’.

This year, under the 'Church animation' programme, & 'Revitalization of local Parish' theme, the Parish Committee has decided to initiate the idea of 'Neighborhood Fellowship' (Ayalkoottam), where we shall divide each Prayer Group into different 'Ayalkoottams', consisting of maximum of six family units on the basis of proximity. These family units shall meet, if possible, on six days in each other's home and spend an hour of singing, worshipping, meditating and discussing the core values and significance of Christian family on the basis of the Scripture. Materials for worship and devotion will be prepared and given by the Parish. I exhort all members and families in the Parish, irrespective of age and other status, to come together to form neighborhood fellowships, with the help of Parish Secretary and Prayer Group Representatives, to actualize our dream of having neighborhood unions.

On November 9th Sunday, the Parish will be celebrating her 94th Parish Day. Preparations for the same are underway. I would urge all members to join in thanking God for the Parish during the occasion. As per our custom, the 'One day income' shall be collected on Parish Day. Each earning member (not family) is urged to contribute his/her one day's income for the set apart purpose of the Parish.

This year's Parish Convention will be held between November 14-16th (Friday to Sunday) at the Church. Rev. Manu Varghese (M.Th in Old Testament), Rev. Sam T. Koshy (M. Th in Theology, and Director of CSSM Thiruvalla) are the main speakers. All members are exhorted to attend the Convention and make use of the opportunity to study the Word, and make new decisions in their life.

As we have come towards the last quarter of the Calendar year, I would like to wish in advance to all our members and families, a blessed Christmas and New Year.

- **Church Animation** – It is a programme introduced by the Mar Thoma Church, under the Church animation department of the Mar Thoma Church. It means animating, or giving life and new energy to the local parish and its various organizations.

Yours in Christ,

Shibu Achen

“Anchored in Faith, Alive in Hope”

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

The second quarter of this year has left us with sobering reminders of how fragile life is. We saw floods devastate Punjab, submerging entire villages, sweeping away crops and homes, and displacing thousands. The Gambhira Bridge collapse in Gujarat took many lives in a matter of seconds, reminding us that what seems strong may carry hidden cracks. In Jammu & Kashmir, Operation Mahadev once again showed how peace is constantly threatened by violence and unrest. Beyond our borders, the famine in Gaza continues to starve children and families, and the conflict in Myanmar has driven thousands from their homes. In France, citizens filled the streets in mass protests, crying out against policies that threatened their livelihoods.

We cannot look at these events and remain untouched. They remind us of Paul’s words: “We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time” (Romans 8:22). The groaning of creation is not far away - it is heard in every collapsing bridge, every flood-stricken home, every child who goes to bed hungry, and every community in protest. And yet, as God’s people, we are not called to despair. We are called to discern these times and live faithfully within them. Like a lighthouse whose beam shines brighter as the storm grows stronger, the Church is called to reflect the light of Christ precisely in moments of chaos.

As we step into the last quarter of the year, and prepare for the season of Advent, I invite you to reflect on two guiding truths: Faith that stands when the world shakes, and hope that acts when darkness deepens.

1. Faith That Stands When the World Shakes

When the Gambhira Bridge collapsed, people had trusted its strength - but the cracks that had gone unnoticed for years proved fatal. In many ways, our spiritual lives and our communities can be like that bridge. From the outside, we may look strong, but inside we may be weakened by neglect - neglect of prayer, forgiveness, fellowship, or dependence on God.

Jesus told the parable of the wise and foolish builders (St. Matthew 7:24–27). The storm came to both houses. The difference was the foundation. One was built on rock, the other on sand. Faith that stands is not about avoiding storms - it is about standing firm through them because the foundation is Christ. Karl Barth once wrote, “To clasp the hands in prayer is the beginning of an uprising against the disorder of the world.” Faith that stands is not blind optimism. It is confidence that God is still at work, even when the world trembles.

How do we build such faith?

- *By restoring prayer as the heartbeat of our homes and our church.*
- *By letting Scripture shape our daily lives, not just our Sunday worship.*

- *By keeping forgiveness and reconciliation alive in our relationships.*

A family that prays together becomes a fortress of faith. A church that stands together in love becomes a beacon of strength to the world. Preparing for Christ's coming, then, is not about outward busyness but about inward rebuilding.

2. Hope That Acts When Darkness Deepens

The floods in Punjab, the famine in Gaza, the displacement in Myanmar - these remind us that darkness is not just metaphorical; it is real, tangible, and devastating. Yet into such darkness, Christ was born. His birth was not announced in comfort but in chaos. He came to a world under Roman oppression, to a family soon to become refugees in Egypt, to a people longing for deliverance. Advent is God's reminder that He does not remain distant from human suffering - He steps into it. The Incarnation is God's "yes" to a broken world.

Christian hope, as theologian Jürgen Moltmann describes, is not passive waiting but anticipation that begins to reshape the present in light of God's promised future. Hope is not closing our eyes to the suffering around us; it is opening our eyes wide and daring to act in the assurance that God's Kingdom is near. Hope that acts transforms preparation for Christmas. It is not only about singing hymns but about becoming hymns - our lives echoing the song of the angels: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased" (St. Luke 2:14).

Thoughts to Ponder

- *Where are the hidden cracks in my life, my family, or my church that need repairing before the storms come?*
- *Am I preparing only for a festival, or for a Saviour who enters the storms of this world with redeeming love?*
- *How can I be an agent of hope - actively reshaping the present with acts of love, mercy, and justice?*

As we move into the next quarter, let us not only anticipate a season of celebration but prepare as those anchored in Christ. Let us strengthen our foundations of faith, extend our hope in action, and embrace our calling to be family to one another.

"The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." (St. John 1:5)

This is our call: to stand in faith, to act in hope, and to prepare for Christ not with fear, but with expectation.

His clay,

Rev. Jabin Daniel

Asst. Vicar

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Salem Mar Thoma Church Sunday School is conducted after the Holy Qurbana service at the 3rd and 4th floors of the Church. It opens with a singing session followed by worship sessions, Biblical games, Quiz, Bala-sakhya talent shows and other activities varying each Sunday.

Parents Teachers Meeting :

On July 13th, the Parents - Teachers Meeting was held under the presided over by the Vicar, Rev. Shibu P.V. Sunday School President at the Sunday School Hall to discuss the Half Yearly Exam marks of the children as well as the general functioning of the Sunday School.

Mission To Parish :

On August 2nd and 3rd, the Sunday School Samajam team comprising General Secretary, Rev. Sajesh Mathew, Asst. General Secretary, Rev. Sanal Cherian and Samajam Staff, Mr. Nithin Sam Ani, Mr. Aaron Abraham, Mr. Sunil Mathew and Mr. Jissin M. Philip visited our Parish and conducted the program which included Children's Convention, Children's Workshops and Parents and Teachers Meeting. Rev. Sajesh Mathew celebrated the Holy Qurbana on Sunday morning and the Sunday School children assisted in officiating the Holy Qurbana Service. The team conducted interactive and inspiring sessions and it was appreciated by all.

Birudhu Examination 2024 Felicitation :

Our student Miss Diya Robin of Young Adult class scored the second highest marks in the Birudhu Examination 2024 in the Diocese. Rt. Rev. Thomas Mar Timotheos Episcopa presented her the certificate.

Our upcoming events from October to December 2025 :

- October 18th to 20th – Mar Thoma Sunday School Ernakulam Centre Senior Student's Camp at Mar Thoma Shantigiri Ashram, Aluva.
- November 2nd - World Sunday School Day celebration at St. Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Aluva.
- November 16th - Annual Exam for all First-Year students of each respective class and Nursery to Primary class, all students.
- November 23rd -Teachers QIP
- December 7th - Sunday School Birudhu Exam for all Second-Year students from Junior to Young Adult classes and Proudha Vakup Class and Teacher's Exam.
- Date of the Sunday School Christmas Program will be announced later.

We request all to continue your support and prayers for the smooth functioning of the Sunday School.

Mission To Parish



Samajam Team Member Jissin M. Philip interacting with the children



Rt. Rev. Thomas Mar Timotheos, Kottayam-Kochi Diocesan Bishop awarding Ms. Dhiya Robin for securing Second place in the Kottayam-Kochi Diocese for the Young Adult Birudhu Exam, 2024 of the Sunday School Samajam. Congratulations Dhiya!



Samajam General Secretary, Rev. Sajesh Mathew addressing the crowd.

**Mrs. Asha Annie James
Secretary**

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

Salem MTC celebrated the 79th Independence Day on 15th August, 2025 at 8am at the Church premises. The flag hoisting was done by the Vicar Rev. Shibu P.V. The event was attended by Asst. Vicar Rev. Jabin Daniel, Lissa Kochamma, Anitha Kochamma, Kaisthana Samithy members and the Yuvajana Sakhyam members.



EDAVAKA MISSION

Edavaka Mission members meet on all Tuesdays @ 6 pm which starts with intercessory prayer for 30 minutes and Bible studies thereafter till 7.30 pm.

Center Edavaka Mission members conducted a two-day (on 15th & 16th August, 2025) Mission Tour to Sengottai, Sundarapandiyapuram and Mullikkulam. Three of our Edavaka Mission members had participated in the Centre Mission Trip that comprised 21 members.

Sannadha Suvishesha Sangham Ernakulam – Aluva Centre Meeting was held at St. Stephens Church, Angamaly on 22/08/2025. Around twelve members from our Parish attended the meeting.

Request all Parish Members who have completed 18 years to please join our Edavaka Mission Meeting on any Tuesdays at 6 p.m. to listen to the word of GOD.



Members of Centre MTVEA visiting Sengottai Mission Field and Church

Mr. Thomas T.V.
Secretary

SENIOR CITIZEN FELLOWSHIP (SCF)

Regular meetings are being held every second Saturday in the Church from 9.30 AM to 11 AM after Second Saturday Holy Communion Service. SCF currently has 143 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 benefits of our Seniors. Experts from various fields are taking informative sessions related to senior citizens, meditation/breathing exercises, solo/ group singing by members, puzzle solving sessions, quiz, various games, self-introduction, sharing of experience and nostalgic memories are part of Salem SCF meetings.

The first SCF Ernakulam Centre meeting was held on July 23, 2025, at the Christos Mar Thoma Church, Kakkanad. 25 SCF members from our Parish were attended the meeting.

Senior Citizen's Day : September 21st was observed as Senior Citizens Day. Sermon was delivered by Mrs. Susie Babu Varghese on the theme of "Senior Citizens: Models of God's Righteousness. During the day, SCF members took leadership in the Church Holy Qurbana Service. As part of the Senior Citizens Week, SCF members visited the aged and sick members of the Parish together with Sevika Sangham members on September 17, 2025, the visit was led by the Vicar Rev Shibu P.V and Assistant Vicar Rev Jabin Daniel.

Activities for the month of October to December 2025

- One Day Trip & Retreat of Salem Senior Citizen Fellowship will be conducted on October 17th, 2025 at the Royal Riviera Resort, Kumarakam.
- Second SCF Ernakulam Centre Meeting is scheduled to take place on November 19th, 2025 at St Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Aluva.
- Mission Tour: The Kottayam-Kochi Diocese SCF members will be visiting the Munnar and Vattavada Mission Centres on November 14 & 15, 2025.
- SCF Ernakulam Centre Christmas Carol is scheduled to take place on December 3rd 2025 at Jerusalem Mar Thoma Church Hall, Elamkulam.

A good number of interesting programmes are planned for the October – December 2025 monthly Salem SCF meetings. All senior citizens of the Parish are invited to attend these meetings.



CA. Sunny Mathew Muttithodathil
Secretary

VATTAVADA MISSION VISIT

Vattavada Mission field was initiated and identified 40 years ago, now officially sponsored by Salem Mar Thoma Church, Ernakulam, was visited on 22nd - 23rd August, 2025, by 14 members including the Vicar Rev. Shibu P.V., Asst. Vicar, Jabin Daniel, Lissa Kochamma, Anitha Kochamma and the representatives of different Parish organisations. The objective of the visit was to identify their problems and analyse various possibilities of each organisation to reach out to them both physically and financially.



Salem Mar Thoma Yuvajana Sakhyam – 2025

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

With joy and grateful hearts, we present the report of the Salem Mar Thoma Yuvajana Sakhyam, reflecting on the events and milestones that have shaped our fellowship over the past months. Through each gathering, celebration, and moment of service, we have experienced God's unwavering grace and guidance.

Cottage Prayers

Our monthly cottage prayers were a time of fellowship, reflection, and spiritual growth.

- July 11th, 2025– Hosted by Miss Annamma T. Philip and Mr Samuel T. Philip.
- August 8th, 2025 – Hosted by Mr Kevin George.
- September 12th, 2025 - Hosted by Ms Ann Patrick

These gatherings helped strengthen bonds among our members through prayer, scripture reading, and group sharing.

79th Independence Day Celebration

On 15th August, 2025 our youth joined together to commemorate India's 79th Independence Day. The program began with a Flag-Hoisting Ceremony, followed by special prayers for our nation and its leaders.

Christathlon Centre Youth Sports Day

On 30th and 31st August, 2025 our youth actively participated in the Christathlon Centre Youth Sports Day. With great enthusiasm and teamwork, our team secured Second Place in the Tug of War event, bringing pride and joy to the fellowship.

Onam Celebrations

On 14th September, 2025 our members took part in the Onam celebrations of the Parish, with traditional festivities. Their whole-hearted participation added vibrance and delight to the event, marking a memorable day of unity and celebration.

Upcoming Youth Events (October–December 2025)

- The Youth Camp 2025 will be held from September 30th to October 2nd at the Mar Thoma Bishop's Retreat Centre, Courtallam. It is a three-day camp organized during the holidays to encourage fellowship, spiritual growth, and community engagement.

- Cottage Prayer Meetings

October 10th at the residence of Mr. Noel M. Alexiouse and Ms. Christly-ene M. Alexiouse

November 14th at the residence of Ms. Joanna Cherian.

These gatherings aim to foster prayerful fellowship and strengthen spiritual bonding among members.

- Youth Sunday will be observed on October 19th, with the Yuvajana Sakhyam assisting in leading the church service.

- Christmas Carol Rounds are planned from December 15th to 20th, bringing a week-long series of visits to spread the message of joy and the celebration of Christ's birth.

May the Lord continue to lead us in unity, love, and purpose as we grow together in Christ. All glory to God!

Aaron Thomas Philip

Secretary

SABHA / PARISH VISHESHA DHINAM 2025

01st - 02nd October, (Wed-Thur)	SMTC Yuvajana Sakhyam camp at Mar Thoma Bishop Retreat Home, Courtallam
05th October, Sunday	Dr Joseph Mar Thoma Metropolitan Memorial Lecture talk
12th October, Sunday	MTVEA Day
18th - 20th October (Sat-Mon)	Centre Sunday School Camp at Shantigiri Ashramam, Aluva.
19th October, Sunday	Yuvajana Sakhyam Day
20th - 25th October	Family Week - Observed as Neighbourhood Fellowship
25th October, Saturday	Sevika Sangham Young Women Fellowship at Thengode MTC.
26th October, Sunday	Family Sunday Worship Service starts at 7:30am
26th Oct - 1st November (Sun-Sat)	Kudumbha Sanghamam- Area prayer groups wise
02nd November, Sunday	World Sunday School Day
03rd - 07th November (Mon-Fri)	Diocesan Clergy Conference, Bangalore
09th November, Sunday	Parish Day & One Day Income Kudos Etho - Renewal of the Church CSI/CNI/Mar Thoma Unity Day
14th - 16th November (Fri-Sun)	Parish Convention
22nd November, Saturday	Parish Picnic
25th - 28th November (Tue-Fri)	Annual Clergy Conference, Charalkunnu
01st December, Monday	25 days Lent beginning
14th December, Sunday	Parish Organisation Carols
15th - 20th December (Mon-Sat)	Yuvajana Sakhyam Carol Rounds
21st December, Sunday	Parish Choir Carols
25th December, Thursday	Xmas Holy Qurbana Service at 6am.
31st December, Wednesday	Watch Night Service at 9:30pm

SUVISHESHA 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 every fourth Tuesdays, Cottage Prayer Meetings are conducted in one of the member's houses of each area. Nearly 70 members participate in the Cottage Prayer Meetings.

First Ernakulam Centre Meeting of the Sevika Sangham was held on July 18th, 2025 at Jerusalem Mar Thoma Church, Elamkulam.

Salem Sevika Sangham Retreat was held on July 20th, 2025. Dr. Sijiya Binu Kochamma, the speaker of the Retreat, spoke on the theme "Women and Mental Health". More than 90 members attended the Retreat.

Sevika Sangham Day September 14th was observed as Sevika Sangham Day. The sermon was delivered by Mrs. Mary Thomas on the theme of "Women Proclaimers and Practitioners of Change". During the day, Sevika Sangham members took leadership in the Holy Qurbana service. Additionally, Sevika Sangham members rendered the "Sevika Sangham Day Song" on that day. As part of the Sevika Sangham Week, Sevika Sangham members visited the aged and sick members of the Parish together with Senior Citizen Fellowship members on September 17th, 2025, the visit was led by the Vicar Rev Shibu P.V and Assistant Vicar Rev Jabin Daniel.

Second Ernakulam Centre meeting of the Suvishesha Sevika Sangham took place on September 19th, 2025 at St Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Kalamassery.

Activities for the period of October to December 2025

- Young Women's Fellowship is scheduled to take place on October 25th, 2025, at Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Thengode, Kakkanad.
- Third Ernakulam Centre meeting of Sevika Sangam will be held on November 14th, 2025 at St Peter's Mar Thoma Church, Aluva.
- Christmas Carol of Salem Sevika Sangham will be conducted on December 6th, 2025.
- Ernakulam Centre Sevika Sangham Christmas Carol is scheduled to take place on December 13th, 2025 at St. Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Aluva.



Salem Sevika Sangham members who participated in the First Centre Meeting at the Jerusalem MTC, Elamkulam



Sevika Sangham Day at Salem MTC, Ernakulam

Mrs Jessy Sunny
Secretary



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KANIVU – UNINTERRUPTED NINE YEARS SERVICE

The Kanivu Project of Salem Mar Thoma Church was conceptualised by Our Former Vicar, Rev. Joseph Chacko and the Kaisthana Samithi Members. It was inaugurated by Vicar General, Very Rev. P. T. Thomas, Former Vicar, Rev. Joseph Chacko and Former Asst. Vicar, Rev. Pratheesh Joseph on November 1st, 2016 which happened to be All Saints Day and Kerala Piravi Day. We praise the Almighty Lord for His benevolence and mercy in conducting this project uninterruptedly for the past nine years.

Our Services were as follows:-

In 2016

- * Initial distribution: 15–30 Pothichoru Packets daily, including Sundays and holidays.
- * Inaugural meals sponsored by Sevika Sangham.
- * Concept: Daily Lunch, Clothes, Medicines, Basic Hygiene Kit and Compassionate Care for the destitute.
- * Support came from Church Members, Neighbours, and Local Business Community.

In 2017

- * October 31st, 2017: First Anniversary celebrated with Sevika Sangham Members and Parishioners.
- * Daily distribution of lunch increased to 45–50 packets.
- * Extended Activities: Medical Equipment (Walkers, Waist Belts), Education Assistance, Special Meals (Onam, Christmas, Easter), and Bi-annual Clothes distribution and Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

In 2018

- * Flood Relief: Relief work carried out in Chengannur, Nedumbram, Vaikom, Kothadu, Munambam, Kammattipadam, Valluvally.
- * Distributed Groceries, Kitchen Utensils, Mattresses, Clothes (including Inner wear), Bedsheets, Towels, Toiletries and Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Assistance also extended to House Repairs and Construction.
- * Continued daily Pothichoru distribution (50 packets per day).
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

In 2019

- * Continued Food Distribution Basic Hygiene Kit and Extended Charity Programs.
- * Involved committed Volunteers and Families in Daily Service.
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

In 2020 (COVID-19 Pandemic)

- * March–May 2020: Daily Distribution increased to 150–200 lunch packets.
- * Provided Meals & Drinking Water to Civil Police Officers.
- * Supplied groceries to 21 Marginalized Colonies (1000+ families).
- * Colony Visits included: P&T Colony, Padiathukulam, Kammattipadam (2 areas), Kalabhavan, CBI, Kathrikadavu (Homeo & Bridge), KSRTC, and others and distributed Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Delivered Meals to sick and elderly Parish Members at nominal rates.
- * Supplied 13 Oxygen Ports to Govt. Hospital, Ernakulam and 35 Oximeters to Co-operative Medical College, Kalamassery.
- * Support also extended to the Transgender Community.

In 2021

- * Navathy (90th Parish Year): Adopted Friendship Colony (45 families), adjacent to Panampilly Nagar).
- * Repaired 12 houses, Built 5 toilets, Provided Educational and Medical Assistance and arranged TVs & Internet for Online Classes.
- * Cyclone Relief (Chellanam): Distributed Tarpaulin sheets for Shelters and Educational Material to 350 students.
- * Vaccination Drives: Two free drives held for around 250 Marginalized People.
- * June 14, 2021: Distributed 350 Student Kits to Cyclone-hit Chellanam families.
- * Supported differently-abled children at Bethsaida Convent with Stationery & Toiletries.
- * Continued daily Pothichoru distribution (50 packets per day).
- * Distributed School Kits to the 70 students of our adopted Friendship Colony and Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

In 2022

- * March 1st, 2022: Launched Free Dialysis Program (in collaboration with MAJ Hospital, Edappally). Over 1,000 dialyses supported so far (100/month ongoing).
- * Sponsored One Free Coronary Arterial Bypass Grafting (CABG) Surgery for a missionary, at Lisie Hospital and distributed Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Continued daily Pothichoru distribution (50 packets per day).
- * Distributed School Kits to the 70 students of our adopted Friendship Colony.
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

In 2023–2025

- * Continued daily Pothichoru distribution (50 packets per day).
- * Distributed School Kits to the 70 students of our adopted Friendship Colony and Distributed Basic Hygiene Kit.
- * Distributed Onakodi and Special Onam Lunch for Onam.

We are completing nine years of uninterrupted service to the marginalized on, 1st November, 2025. A Special Prayer will be held on Tuesday, 4th November 2025 and Special Health Kits will be distributed.



Kanivu volunteers

Mr. John Varghese, Mr. Raju Philip, Mr. Jacob Philip, Mr. Dennis John, Mr. Mathew C. George, Mr. Roy Varghese, Mr. Titus Varghese, Mr. Patrick Koruthu George, Mr. Renji Jacob, Mr. CA Sunny Mathews, Mr. Zachariah Koshy, Ms. Betty James, Ms. Ansu Elizabeth and Mr. Prasad K. Joy

We thank the Almighty God for his Providence, the Parish Members, Neighbours and Supporters who made this humble gesture a success.

Blessy Mathews
Convenor

COCHIN COMMUNITY WELFARE SOCIETY

Urgent Appeal for Donations: Support Dialysis Patients

The Cochin Community Welfare Society is seeking help to cover medical expenses for 10 dialysis patients at MAJ Hospital, Edapally. They're facing a financial crunch and need support.

The Need:

- Monthly dialysis cost for 10 patients: ₹60,000 (now ₹65,000)
- Funding from Salem Marthoma Church members is no longer sufficient
- More patients are seeking help

Sponsorship Options:

1. Monthly Sponsorship: ₹65,000/- for 10 patients
2. Annual Sponsorship: ₹60,000/- for one patient
3. Partial Sponsorship: ₹8,500/- for one patient's monthly treatment

How to Contribute:

1. Cheque: Payable to "Cochin Community Welfare Society"
2. Online Payment:
 - Name: Cochin Community Welfare Society
 - Bank: Union Bank of India
 - Branch: Puthecruz
 - Account Number: 425902010001982
 - IFSC Code: UBIN0533882

Contact :

Mr. Blessy Mathews (Convenor - Kanivu)

Mr. Jacob Philip V. Treasurer, Cochin Community Welfare Society

Message from the Secretary:

"Your contribution will make a significant difference in these patients' lives."

Adv. George Cherian

Secretary, Cochin Community Welfare Society



AREA PRAYER MEETINGS

Area	Date and Time			Address
Church Area	02.11.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mrs Annamama Unni, Koothoor House, R S Kamath Lane, T D Road, Ernakulam. Mob: 8281262883
	16.11.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mr Varughese Varughese, Varughese, Monastery Road, Karikkamuri, Ernakulam. Mob: 8129805574
	23.11.2025	Sunday	4:00pm	Mrs Saramma John, 62/3888, Theckekolathu, Flat no. 18, Sungrace Apts., Karakkat Road, Ernakulam South. Mob: 9349906303
Thevara Area	12.10.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Dr Santhosh Alex, 574/A, Kalluzhathil House, Malekad Road, Behind Vee Tools, Udyamperoor P.O., Ernakulam, 682307 Mob: 8281588229
	09.11.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr P. J. Joseph, Pulleiatu House, TMRA 50, Maliekal Road, Lane 1, Thevara. Mob: 8089719665.
Panampally Nagar-Vytilla Area	02.11.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Mr Roy Varghese M.,60/390, Mulamootil Prince Park, George Eadan Cross Road-1, Panampilly Nagar, Mob: 9847939046
	09.11.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Cdr. Cibir V. Charley, Flat No.11C, Serene Orchard, Mather Apartments, Vidhya Nagar. Mob: 8951155942.
	16.11.2025	Sunday	5:30pm	Adv. Babu Varghese, Hse NO. 04, Kumaranasan Nagar, Kadavanthara. Mob: 9846082033.
Vaduthala Area	11.10.2025	Saturday	6:00pm	Mr CA Jacob Kovoov, Kovoov House, LNRA-36, Golden Street, Vaduthala. Mob: 9895038247.
	27.11.2025	Thursday	7:00pm	Mr Polson K.I.,31/407, Kollanore House, Ganapathy Temple Road by lane, Vaduthala. Mob: 8547816262
North Area	20.11.2025	Sunday	7:00pm	Mr Tomy Thomas, 68/1340, Waxwall Lane, Chittoor Road, Mob: 9895965244.
Kaloor Area	28.11.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mrs Mariamma Cherian, 38/2886C, Eben-Ezer House, Opp. CBI Office, CBI Road, Kathrakadvu. Mob: 9496860118.
SRM Road Elamakkara Area	21.11.2025	Friday	5:30pm	Mr Mathen P.C., Pocydyil House, 14A, Sreevilasam Road, Mamangalam, Edappally, Ernakulam. Mob: 7736644484
	28.11.2025	Friday	7:00pm	Mr Abraham T.M., 4D Skyline Primrose Apts., LFC Cross Road, Pottakuzhy, Kaloor. Mob: 9446535924
Kakkanad Area	11.10.2025	Saturday	7:00pm	Mr Thomas George, 3B, Gold Tower, Chembumukku, Vazhakkala, Mob: 9847031104.
	29.11.2025	Saturday	7:00pm	Mr K.V. Jacob, Dream Flower, La Casita, Flat No: 105, Pulikillam East road, Chembamukku, Kakkanad. Mob: 9745180180 / 9745882244

Other payments to Church – Bank Account Details

Kindly use the below mentioned bank accounts for all other payments except Kanivu:

Salem Mar Thoma Church

Union Bank of India, M G Road Branch, Ernakulam

Savings Account Number: 425 902 010 004 099 or

Current Account Number: 425 901 010 741 048

IFSC: UBIN0542598

May God bless you all.

Birthdays for the Month of (Oct. - Dec. 2025)

1 October	Miss. Zoey Ann George
1 October	Mrs. Mercy Thomas
1 October	Mr. Anoop Sharoon Ajith
1 October	Mrs. Wilmy Cinson
1 October	Mrs. Marishma Koshy
1 October	Mrs. Mariamma Jose
1 October	Mrs. Saira Ajay
1 October	Mr. Vinu Jacob
1 October	Mr. Aadit Mavelil Varghese
2 October	Mrs Shilpa Philip
2 October	Mrs. Arya Adarsh Varghese
2 October	Miss. Raveena Susan George
2 October	Mr. Shane Sam Abraham
3 October	Mrs. Jasmila Yohannan
4 October	Mr. Elvis John
4 October	Dr. Rajan Varughese
5 October	Mr. Ashlie Ninan Abraham
5 October	Mrs. Jolly Mathew
5 October	Mrs. Reeba Cherian
5 October	Miss. Neha Susan Mathew
6 October	Master. Johnwick Solomon
6 October	Mrs. Molly John
6 October	Mr. Abraham Thomas
6 October	Mrs. Mary Mathew
6 October	Mrs. Thara John Anchery
7 October	Mrs. Ann Rittu Kurian
8 October	Mrs. Susan K Soman
8 October	Miss. Naomi Grace George
8 October	Mr. Isaac Mathew Chacko
8 October	Miss. Sara Mathew
8 October	Mrs. Jeny Susan John
9 October	Dr. Manoj P Samuel
9 October	Mrs. Elizabeth Mathew
9 October	Master. Bryan Monish
9 October	Miss. Jenifer Jose
9 October	Saira Elma Abraham
9 October	Mr. Abraham P. Samuel
9 October	Mrs. Nina Philip
9 October	Mr. Evan Jacob Liju
10 October	Adv. Reeja E Varghese
10 October	Adv. Renjit J Koshy
10 October	Miss. Aris Anna Koshy

10 October	Mrs. Tabita Sarah Alex
10 October	Mr. Abraham C I
11 October	Miss. Niya Ann Mathews
11 October	Mrs. Alice David
11 October	Mr. Akhil Varghese Thomas
11 October	Mr. Alwin P Mathew
12 October	Mr. Vineeth P Abraham
13 October	Miss. Karen Ann Jacob
13 October	Mrs. Jancy Binny
13 October	Mr. Praveen Thomas
13 October	Mrs. Tamina George
14 October	Dr Mrs. Benela
14 October	Mr. Jovin V Jacob
15 October	Mr. Abraham Ajai Thomas
15 October	Miss. Abigail Ajai Thomas
15 October	Mr. Prince K Suneesh
16 October	Mr. Jacob Titus Paul
16 October	Mr. Allan V Jacob
16 October	Mrs. Susan Varghese
16 October	Mr. Wilson John Anchery
17 October	Mrs. Usha Jameson
17 October	Mr. Mathew Chacko
17 October	Mr. Cherian C.O
18 October	Mr. Sharath M Pulimood
18 October	Mr. Daniel Kuruville Thomas
18 October	Mr. Nibu Mathew
18 October	Mr. Kurian Puliyilathu Simon
18 October	Mr. Binny Kumar
18 October	Mr. Thomas George
19 October	Mr. Zain John Abraham
19 October	Mrs. Tamara Varkey George
19 October	Mrs. Molly Stephen
20 October	Mr. Solomon Varghese
21 October	Dr. George Abraham
21 October	Mr. Abraham K Thomas
22 October	Miss. Prinu C Vbin
22 October	Mr. Ashwin Mathew T
23 October	Mr. Thomas CV
23 October	Mrs. Beena Rose Mary
23 October	Mrs. Susan Cherian
23 October	Master. Samuel Paul Zachariah
23 October	Mrs. Elsie John

24 October	Miss. Angela Abraham	3 November	Miss. Diya Rachel Kurian
24 October	Mrs. Ann Bijili Varghese	4 November	Mr. Thomas A V
24 October	Mr. Thomas Kurian Thomas	4 November	Mr. John K Thomas
24 October	Mrs. Daisy Joseph	5 November	Mr. Cbin V Charley
25 October	Dr. Aneena Anna Elvis	5 November	Mrs. Geetha Mary Zachariah
25 October	Mrs. Ruby Wilson	5 November	Miss. Arpitha Liz George
25 October	Estella Maria Vineeth	5 November	Mrs. Aruna Alexander
26 October	Mr. Joe Itty Ipe	5 November	Mr. Rajesh L
26 October	Mr. Mohan Pulimood	5 November	Mrs. Jasmin Wilson
26 October	Miss. Sonia Rachel Chacko	5 November	Mr. Thomas P T
26 October	Miss. Jintu Johnson C	6 November	Mr. Nikhil M Pulimood
26 October	Mrs. Susan George	6 November	Mrs. Riya Susan George
27 October	Mr. Samuel T C	6 November	Mrs. Anita Oommen
27 October	Miss. Alayna Thomas	6 November	Mr. Anish Abraham
27 October	Miss. Senorin S	7 November	Miss. Saira Susan Varghese
27 October	Mr. Ben David	7 November	Mr. Bryan Charley Cbin
27 October	Mr. Mathew Philip C	7 November	Mr. Varghese A Johns
28 October	Mr. Amto Solomon	7 November	Mr. Dipak Cherian Abraham
28 October	Miss. Shreya Susheel	8 November	Mr. Kurian Jacob
28 October	Mr. Patrick Koruthu George	8 November	Mrs. Deepa Kurian Thomas
28 October	Mr. Babu K C	9 November	Mr. Santhosh Chacko Thomas
28 October	Mr. Rana George Thomas	9 November	Mrs. Nitya Maria George
29 October	Miss. Sandra Susan Elvis	9 November	Mr. Adil Akku Varghese
29 October	Miss. Prajeena K Prasad	9 November	Mr. Alex K Babu
29 October	Mr. Philip Kochummen	10 November	Mrs. Santha George
30 October	Mrs. Saramma Varghese	11 November	Mr. Emil Sam Thomas
30 October	Miss. Renee	11 November	Aeva Maria Simon
30 October	Mr. Rajan A I	11 November	Mr. Nebu Thomas P
30 October	Mr. Liby P Babu	11 November	Mr. Abhishikth Mathew James
30 October	Mr. Thomas Mathew	11 November	Mrs. Geetha Jaison
31 October	Mrs. Alna Ann Alex	11 November	Miss. Annuiya Mercy Jojo
31 October	Mr. Eaby K Babu	11 November	Mr. John P Thomas
31 October	Miss. Naomi Mary Abraham	12 November	Mrs. Dimble Elizabeth
1 November	Mr. Roy Varghese M	12 November	Mrs. Geetha Philip
1 November	Mrs. Ammini Oommen	13 November	Mrs. Annamma Unni
2 November	Mr. Akhil Varughese Abraham	13 November	Mr. Binny V Puthoor
2 November	Mr. Ronale Abraham Ninan	14 November	Mr. Praveen Varghese
2 November	Mr. Nathaniel Tom Jai Mathew	14 November	Mrs. Riya Wilson I
2 November	Mr. Adithya Rajan Kottarathil	15 November	Mr. Vimal V Chacko
2 November	Mr. Rinosh Abraham Mathew	15 November	Mr. Binu Thambi
3 November	Mrs. Mary Koshy	15 November	Mrs. Annie Jacob
3 November	Mrs. Sobha Polson	15 November	Mr. Jonathan Jijo Cherian
3 November	Mr. Theodore Joy Varghese	15 November	Mr. Shaju P Thomas

16 November	Mrs. Saramma Susieal	27 November	Mr. Isaac Abraham
16 November	Mr. Aakash	28 November	Adv. Babu Cherukara
16 November	Mrs. Neenu Antony	28 November	Mr. Sujit Mathew Jacob
17 November	Miss. Maeva Isabel Foti	28 November	Mrs. Ansu Elizabeth Ipe
17 November	Mrs. Anna Koshy	28 November	Mrs. Leelamma Baby
17 November	Mr. Tony T Thomas	29 November	Mrs. Susan M Pulimood
17 November	Mrs. Roseline Noble Pallithanam	29 November	Mrs. Jincy John
17 November	Mr. Jofrin Jose	29 November	Miss. Reshma Benjamin
18 November	Mrs. Suma George	29 November	Mrs. Silvi Johnson
18 November	Mr. Sachin Mathews	30 November	Dr. Nirmala Oommen
18 November	Mr. Varghese Kidangalil Mathai	30 November	Miss. Shani Thomas
18 November	Mr. Joel Anil Varghese	30 November	Mr. Johnson CV
19 November	Mr. David George	30 November	Mr. Robin K Polson
19 November	Mr. Joseph John	30 November	Mr. Polson K I
19 November	Mr. Albert Alex	30 November	Miss. Taasha Mary George
20 November	Mrs. Preema Winsond	30 November	Mr. Sumit Thomas Jacob
20 November	Mr. Jaison C George	30 November	Mr. John A Pulimood
20 November	Mr. Ajay S Thampi	30 November	Mrs. Bini Koshy
21 November	Mrs. Jessica Eliza Samu	30 November	Dr. Sally Kumar
21 November	Mrs. Grace Mary Cherian	1 December	Mr. George Varughese
22 November	Mrs. Gisha Ajish	1 December	Miss. Thea Maria George
22 November	Mr. Noel M Alexiouse	2 December	Miss. Nayana Cheruvathoor
22 November	Mrs. Marina Isaac	2 December	Mr. Kevin Simon Kurian
22 November	Adv. Asok M Cherian	2 December	Mr. Dan Xavi Sanish
23 November	Mr. James K I	2 December	Mr. Ayaan Lukose
23 November	Mrs. Betty Mathews	3 December	Mr. Santhosh Cheruvathoor
23 November	Mr. Nathan Joy Harris	3 December	Mr. Alexander Thomas
23 November	Mr. Jonathan V Thomas	3 December	Miss. Rihanna
23 November	Miss. Sanah Susan Mathew	3 December	Mrs. Bina Athialy
23 November	Mr. George Patrick	3 December	Mr. Rubin K A
23 November	Mrs. Biby Elmma Kurian	3 December	Mrs. Merlin Jims Varghese
23 November	Mrs. Cisily George	4 December	Mr. Koshy Thomas M
24 November	Mrs. Shiny Rajan	4 December	Mr. Sahil Lukose
24 November	Mrs. Mary Mathew	5 December	Justice Bechu Kurian Thomas
24 November	Mrs. EIAMMA Abraham	5 December	Mrs. Rosamma Abraham
25 November	Mrs. Dhanya Abraham	6 December	Miss. Joanna Cherian
26 November	Miss. Maria Chacko	6 December	Mrs. Rosebell Paul
26 November	Mrs. Ginsha George C	6 December	Mr. George Oommen Kalamannil
26 November	Mr. Alexander Kunjummen	7 December	Dr. Varghese Mathew
26 November	Mr. Vijay Abraham Cherian	7 December	Mrs. Anjana P
27 November	Mr. Mani B Pulimood	7 December	Mr. Soju P J
27 November	Miss. Melissa Ann Varghese	7 December	Mr. Akhil P Baby
27 November	Mr. Mohan P V	8 December	Mr. Arun Mathews P

8 December	Mrs. Susan Roshan Cherian	17 December	Dr. Mathew Varghese K
8 December	Mrs. Asha Shibu Daniel	17 December	Mr. Pradeep Abraham
9 December	Mr. John George	18 December	Miss. Melinda Anne Mammen
9 December	Mrs. Lalikutty Thomas	18 December	Dr. Abraham K Abraham
9 December	Mr. Johaan Thomas Mathew	18 December	Mr. Arun Mathew Abraham
9 December	Mrs. Susamma Samuel	18 December	Mr. Satish Cherian
9 December	Mrs. Mariam Verghese	18 December	Mr. Juan Babu Alex
10 December	Mr. Samuel Lukose	18 December	Mr. Vivek Verghese Panikker
10 December	Mrs. Danly Elizabeth Mathew	18 December	Mr. Chris V Mathew
10 December	Mr. Abraham Raj P	19 December	Miss. Hannah Mariam Abraham
10 December	Mr. Jose M T	20 December	Mrs. Kunjumol Job
12 December	Mr. Avaran Verghese	21 December	Mr. Serone S
12 December	Miss. JOANA GRACE ANOOP	21 December	Mrs. Neelima Rohit
12 December	Mrs. Molly Lazar	21 December	Mr. Sajay Cherian
12 December	Mr. Civin Varghese	22 December	Mrs. Sobi Johnson
12 December	Miss. Elish Mario Daniel	22 December	Mrs. Sophia George Mathen
12 December	Mrs. Biji Abraham	22 December	Mr. George C C
12 December	Mr. David Thomas John	22 December	Miss. Anusha Anna Ajish
13 December	Mrs. Annie Varghese	23 December	Mrs. Omana Roy Vargherse
13 December	Miss. Rhea M Wilson	24 December	Mrs. Kunjamma Mathew
13 December	Miss. Judith Elishuba Roby	25 December	Mrs. Alphy Mathews
13 December	Miss Deborah Eliza Roby	26 December	Mrs. Susan Vurgese
13 December	Mr. Ajil Aji	26 December	Dr. Cherian Samuel
13 December	Miss. Neena Mary Oommen	26 December	Mr. Ajish V John
13 December	Mr. Joel Tom James	26 December	Mrs. Valson Jacob
13 December	Mr. Aarush	26 December	Mr. Jacob K Babu
13 December	Mrs. Freeda Ipe	27 December	Mr. Wilson Unni
14 December	Miss. Sira John Anchery	27 December	Mr. Rigil K R
14 December	Miss. Angel Susan Jacob	27 December	Mr. Prakash P Mathew
15 December	Miss. Ruth Mariam Koshy	27 December	Miss. Kiara Sara George
15 December	Mr. Thomas Shaji K J	28 December	Mr. Morris Cheruvathoor
15 December	Mrs. Baby P I	28 December	Mrs. Lalitha Mohan
15 December	Mr. Joshua Varghese Alex	28 December	Mrs. Leelamma Jacob
15 December	Miss. Aliza Anna David	29 December	Mrs. Jossy Mathew John Mathew
16 December	Mrs. Regin Mary Roy	30 December	Master. Azriel Cherian Cibir
17 December	Mrs. Suman Mariam Cherian	31 December	Dr. Suresh K. Abraham
17 December	Miss. Tessy Elizabeth Varghese	31 December	Mrs. Mercy Chackochan
17 December	Mr. Mathew C G	31 December	Miss. Anjala Varghese Thomas
17 December	Mr. Rajan K C		

Wedding Anniversary for the month of (Oct. - Dec. 2025)

1 October	Mr. Shibu Daniel & Mrs. Asha Shibu Daniel
8 October	Dr. Abraham George & Mrs. Susan Abraham
10 October	Mr. Nejo Samuel Varghese & Mrs. Tania Sara Alexander
10 October	Mr. Liby P Baby & Mrs. Nisha P Baby
15 October	Mr. Sanish Xavier & Mrs. Jaivy K John
17 October	Mr. Thomas George & Mrs. Minnu Thomas
17 October	Mr. A Kevin Thomas & Mrs. Meera Elizabeth Emmanuel
18 October	Mr. Abraham P A & Mrs. Annamma Abraham
19 October	Dr. Abraham Cherian & Mrs. Manju Ann Abraham
20 October	Mr. Manoj Mathew & Mrs. Bincy Mathew
20 October	Mr. Thomas KT & Mrs. Anuja Thomas
20 October	Mr. Jeffrey George & Mrs. Shema Marium George
22 October	Adv. Surin George Ipe & Mrs. Riya Surin Ipe
22 October	Mr. Varghese C Oommen & Mrs. Rachal Varghese
22 October	Mr. Sanu Varughese & Mrs. Minimol Mathew
24 October	Mr. George Varkey A & Mrs. Flory George
25 October	Mr. Abraham Joseph & Mrs. Sarasu Abraham
25 October	Mr. Reji Mathew Chacko & Mrs. Suneela Cheriyan
25 October	Mr. Dilip Joseph & Mrs. Ruby George Joseph
26 October	Mr. John Wilson Anchery & Mrs. Thara John Anchery
27 October	Mr. John George & Mrs. Prameela John
28 October	Mr. Manu Thambi & Mrs. Snija Rajan K
30 October	Adv. Renjit J Koshy & Mrs. Achamma Renjit
30 October	Mr. Jijo C Cherian & Mrs. Jini Deena Varghese
1 November	Mr. Patrick Koruthu George & Mrs. Blessy Annie Mathew
4 November	Mr. Anand P Koshy & Mrs. Serah Varghese
4 November	Mr. James P I & Mrs. Sonia James
5 November	Mr. George C C & Mrs. Mary George
5 November	Mr. Isaac Abraham & Mrs. Marina Isaac
6 November	Mr. Thomas CT & Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas
8 November	Mr. Lukose Thomas & Mrs. Bini Lukose
9 November	Justice Satish Ninan & Mrs. Elizabeth Ninan
9 November	Mr. Harris C Joya & Mrs. Riya Wilson I
10 November	Dr. Suresh K. Abraham & Mrs. Perly Abraham
12 November	Mr. Thankachan P V & Mrs. Ammini Thankachan
14 November	Mr. Samu KI & Mrs. Suma Samu
14 November	Mr. Reji Thomas & Mrs. Josily R Thomas
15 November	Mr. Loveson Samuel & Mrs. Beatris Vini Sabu
16 November	Mr. Alphy Varghese Joy & Mrs. Sherly Alphy Varghese
17 November	Mr. Joya Verghese C & Mrs. Shirly Joya
19 November	Dr. Thomas Kuruvilla & Dr. Annie Thomas
19 November	Mr. George Varghese & Mrs. Alna Ann Alex

19 November	Mr. Ebby Philip Athialy & Mrs. Bina Athialy
20 November	Cdr. Geo Mathews & Mrs. Betty Mathews
21 November	Mr. Jimmy Mathew Jacob & Mrs. Priya Mary Jimmy
21 November	Mr. Bijumon K C & Mrs. Elsamma Biju
22 November	Mr. Ajay S Thampi & Mrs. Saira Ajay
24 November	Mr. George C I & Mrs. Meries George
24 November	Dr. Varghese Cherian & Mrs. Susan Varghese
24 November	Mr. Roy Abraham M & Adv. Beena Roy Mammen
26 November	Mr. Joe Thomas Athialy & Mrs. Amrita Patwardhan
26 November	Mr. Abraham Benjamin Pavutheril & Mrs. Shema Abraham
27 November	Mr. Kurian Jacob & Mrs. Anuja Kurian
27 November	Mr. Jacob KV & Mrs. Sosamma Jacob
29 November	Mr. Anush K.Thomas & Mrs. Meeval Mary Anush
30 November	Mr. Renji Jacob & Mrs. Shobha Renji
30 November	Mr. Sujit Mathew Jacob & Mrs. Pravitha Ann Mathew
4 December	Mr. Arun Mathew Abraham & Mrs. Reshmi
6 December	Mr. Jacob Philip & Mrs. Saramma Jacob Philip
7 December	Mr. Thomas George & Mrs. Asha Mary Thomas
9 December	Mr. Nikhil Titus & Mrs. Nisha Thankam Cherian
11 December	Dr. Jacob Puliyel & Mrs. Sara Varughese
15 December	Mr. David Thomas John & Mrs. Zenia Rodriguez
17 December	Mr. Zachariah Koshy & Mrs. Geetha Mary Zachariah
22 December	Justice Bechu Kurian Thomas & Mrs. Mariam George
24 December	Mr. Prakash George Mathen & Mrs. Sophia George Mathen
25 December	Mr. Titus Verghese & Mrs. Elizabeth Titus
26 December	Mr. Arun Thomas & Mrs. Chimane Ann Nelson
26 December	Mr. Davy C U & Mrs. Lizy Davy
26 December	Mr. Akhil Oommen Alex & Mrs. Anna Diya Jacob Kovoov
26 December	Mr. George P E & Adv. Kunjamma George
26 December	Mr. Varghese A Johns & Mrs. Sudha Varghese
26 December	Mr. Sajeew George V & Mrs. Anitha Sajeew
27 December	Dr. Jayant Thomas Mathew & Mrs. Annie Thomas
27 December	Mr. Mohan P V & Mrs. Lalitha Mohan
27 December	Adv. Philip Mathew & Mrs. Aniamma Mathew
27 December	Mr. Varghese A T & Mrs. Leelamma Varghese
27 December	Mr. George Jacob & Mrs. Tamina George
28 December	Mr. Thomas C V & Mrs. Susheela John
28 December	Mr. Thomas P M & Mrs. Sheela Thomas
28 December	Mr. Sam Jacob & Mrs. Sheeba Sam
28 December	Mr. John Joseph & Mrs. Kiran Miriam Joe
28 December	Mr. Thomas M Mundottickal & Mrs. Sophy Thomas
29 December	Mr. Bijish John & Mrs. Simi Bijish
29 December	Mr. Alexander Kunjummen & Mrs. Mariamma Alexander
29 December	Mr. Jacob P George & Mrs. Valsa Jacob

29 December	Mr. Mithun Jacob Philip & Mrs. Nina Philip
29 December	Mr. Nibu Mathew & Mrs. Anushi Mathew
29 December	Mr. Philip John Varghese & Dr. Reenu Saira Philip
29 December	Mr. Ajith A V & Mrs. Biby Elmma Kurian
31 December	Mr. Jagan Mathews & Mrs. Beena Jagan
31 December	Mr. Lalu Issac & Mrs. Serina Isaac

Lectionary (സഭാപഠനം)

Date	1st Lesson	2nd Lesson	Epistle	Gospel
05.10.2025	Jer 1:1-10	2 Cor 4:1-6	1John 4:7-12	St. Luke 10:25-37
12.10.2025	Exo 4:1-7	Acts 9:32-35	Acts 3:1-10	St. John 5:2-9
19.10.2025	Dan 6:1-10	Acts 6:1-6	1Tim 4:7-16	St. Matt 19:16-22
26.10.2025	Job 1:1-5	Acts 10:1-8	1John 2:7-11	St. Mark 3:31-25
02.11.2025	Pro 3:1-8	1John 3:1-12	3 John 1-12	St. John 6:1-14
09.11.2025	Jos 22:21-29	Eph. 4:1-7	1Cor. 12:12-27	St. John 10:11-18
16.11.2025	Jud. 13:2-14	Rom. 10:9-15	Heb. 6:9-12	St. Luke 1:5-23
23.11.2025	1 Sam. 2:1-11	1 Cor. 1:26-31	Gal. 4:1-7	St. Luke 1:26-38
30.11.2025	1 Sam. 1:9-20	2 Cor. 1:3-10	Heb. 11:1-12	St. Luke 1:39-45
07.12.2025	Jer. 15:15-21	Acts 13:17-26	Heb. 4:12-14	St. Luke 1:57-66
14.12.2025	Isa. 7:10-17	Rom. 8:31-39	Eph. 1:15-23	St. Matt. 1:18-25
21.12.2025	Jos. 24:1-14	Heb. 13:7-16	Eph. 2:19-22	St. John 14:1-7
25.12.2025	Mic. 5:1-4	2 Tim. 2:8-13	Col. 1:15-20	St. Luke 2:1-7
28.12.2025	Isa. 40:25-31	Phil. 2:12-18	1Thes. 5:14-28	St. Matt. 5:13-16
31.12.2025	1Sam.7:5-11	Heb. 2:1-18	1Thess. 5:1-11	Luke13:1-19

New Members (July - Sept. 2025)

1. Ms. Renu Venugopal, Flat No. 51, Journalist Colony, Kaloor 682017(Kaloor prayer group)
2. Mrs. Betsy Thankachan, Alummoottil Peedikayil, St. Benedict, 1st Cross Road, Ernakulam 682018

Marriage (July - Sept. 2025)

18/09/25 - Adv George A Cherian S/O Adv George Cherian and Mrs. Elizabeth Cherian, Alummoottil Peedikayil, St. Benedict 1st Cross Road, Ernakulam married Mrs. Betsy Thankachan D/O Mr. Thankachan O. and Mrs. Lillykutty Thankachan, Immanuel Peace Villa, Kollam



Baptism (July - Sept. 2025)

1. 05/08/25 - Miss Renu Venugopal, Flat No. 51, Journalist Colony, Kaloor Pin: 682017.
2. 09/08/25 - Miss Esther Forsch Varghese, D/O: Mr Sebastian Wilhelm Forsch and Mrs Arpita Elizabeth Varghese.
3. 10/08/25 - Miss Talya Maria Simon, D/O: Mr Vinay Simon George and Mrs Nitya Maria George.

Obituary (July - Sept. 2025)



Mrs Omana Zachariah (73)

North Prayer group NR11, was called to eternity on 15/07/25 and funeral was held on 28/07/25 at Salem MTC, Kuriyannur.



Mrs Annamma Simon (80)

Thevara Prayer group TH11, was called to eternity on 01/08/25 and funeral was held on 05/08/25 at Salem MTC, Ernakulam.



Prof. Jacob Issac (87)

SRM Elamakkara Prayer group SE14, was called to eternity on 25/08/25 and funeral was held on 27/08/25 at Salem MTC, Ernakulam.



Mr Nebu C. Vibin (16)

S/O: Mr Vibin C. Wilson & Preetha Vibin, Vaduthala Prayer group VD32 was called to eternity on 22/09/25 and funeral was held on 24/09/25 at Salem MTC, Ernakulam.



Mrs Mariamma Baby (88)

M/O: Mrs Shobha Baby, Kaloor Prayer group KL36, was called to eternity on 26/08/25 and funeral was held on 28/08/25 at Salem MTC, Kumpalampoika, Ranny.



Rev Philip Varughese (88)

B/O: Mr Philip David, Kaloor Prayer group KL55 was called to eternity on 27/08/25 and funeral was held on 13/09/25 at Detroit, USA.



Mr T.M. Mathew (100)

F/O: Mr Willy Mathews, Kakkanad Prayer group KK30 was called to eternity on 07/09/25 and funeral was held on 10/09/25 at St. John's MTC, Vadasserikara.



Mr John Varghese (90)

F/O: Mr Sajeew John, Panampilly Vytilla Prayer group PV38 was called to eternity on 12/09/25 and funeral was held on 13/09/25 at St. Andrew's MTC, Pariyaram.



Mrs Kamala John (92)

M/O: Mrs Rebecca John, Thevara Prayer group TH22 was called to eternity on 12/09/25 and funeral was held on 14/09/25 at Ericad Moriya Church, Vettathukavala, Kottayam.

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