



Message from The Asst. Vicar

My dearly beloved brethren in Christ,
May mercy, peace, and love, be yours in full measure.

We are in the end of this financial year 2006-2007. I praise the Almighty Lord for His bounteous mercy and guidance that has been showered upon us throughout this year. On behalf of the Vicar, and Kaisthana Samithi, I thank all who have helped the parish physically, financially, intellectually, and spiritually, for the fulfillment of the scheduled programs for this year.

By His grace we got the municipal permission for the long cherished dream of the G+1 hall construction. We want 950,000/- dirhams for the completion of the hall and about more than half of that amount are necessary for furnishing, lighting, and other interior works. We solicit your whole hearted prayers and financial co-operation for its rapid completion. Contribute as far as possible. As a Faith community, we are very grateful to the rulers especially to the Sharjah rulers for their benevolence and their kindness. Let us pray for the prosperity of this nation.

The Kaisthana Samithi of the Church decided to call the general body of the parish on 2nd March to select the new office bearers for the new financial year 2007-2008. Your prayerful presence and support are solicited to find out the efficient, energetic, and faithful and committed Executives to lead the Parish along with the Vicars. All the organizations of this Parish are also expected to select their office bearers for the new financial year.



In accordance with our Church lectionary March 2nd is the Prayer Day for the World. This celebration exhorts us to pray for the entire human beings. The Most High has sovereignty over the kingdom of mortals. Therefore let us join in the Lord's Prayer sincerely and pray - "Hallowed be thy name, Thy Kingdome come, Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven".

The holy church is expected to celebrate March 30th as the Fortieth Friday of the Lent. As we know the Historical Jesus denied his spiritual miracle powers against the projection of his name and for the satisfaction of his desires. But He emptied and rejected His self for the redemption of the world. Therefore the Gospel writer John pictured him as the 'Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world' and the author of the epistle to the Hebrew s says "because he himself tested by what he suffered, he is able to help those who are being tested." I pray that this celebration challenges us to relieve from all kinds of efforts in order to protect our selfish and vested interests which annihilates the koinonia of the Holy Church.

In this lent season please find more time for prayer and devotion and fasting .Try to set apart your time and to give for the welfare of the needy people. Give courage and fellowship and intercede for our pupils especially those who are appearing for the examinations of 10th and 12th classes. I wish best wishes and every success to them in their Board examinations.

Continue to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To Him glory, now and for ever. ! Amen.

With love and prayers
Abraham Panicker.G achen.

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From The Trustees



Dear beloved members,
Its our pleasure to address you through this bulletin.
As you all are aware, our term as trustees will be over by the end of this month. We would like to thank all the members of the Parish for the cooperation extended to us during our tenure as Trustees. We are very much thankful to our Vicars and all the Parish officials for the whole hearted support given to us during these days.
We would like to remind all the members of the Parish to remit the subscription and other contributions on time. As the construction of G+1 hall has all ready started, we request all of you to contribute generously at the earliest. Please remember your ID No. while making payments.
We hope the new trustees will take care all these things and urge all of you to extend your whole hearted support to them. Our best wishes to the new trustees.

T.M. Georgekutty, Trustee
Mathew John, Accountant

From The Secretary's Desk



Dear Parishioners,
Its my privilege and pleasure to address you all, again.
It was really a great experience to work with our trustees and both of them were giving full support on all activities of the Church. Mr.T. M. Georgekutty, our trustee was fully engaged with the activities of the church and has given lot of support and co-operation to me. Mr. Mathew John, our accountant also has done well, supported for all the activities of the church and has given full co-operation to me.
I would like to thank both of them on behalf of the Vicars, Kaisthana Samithi Members and all the members of the Parish.
Once again I thank both of them and pray that heavenly blessings be showered upon them.
Also, I have great pleasure to welcome our new trustees and hope they will perform their best.
With warm regards
Johnson Thomas

His Lordship
Rt. Rev. JOSEPH MAR BARNABAS EPISCOPA
will celebrate Holy Communion on Thursday, 12th April & Friday 13th April 2007
Please uphold Thirumeni in your Prayers

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Red Carpet to New Members....

Sl.	Name	ID	Home Parish	Area	Contact No.
1	Mr. VINOD VARGHESE	V 112	EMMANUEL M T C, CHERIANAD	AJM	050 3855214
2	Mr. THOMAS KOYATTU	T 186	DADAR M T C, DADAR, MUMBAI	ABS	06 5537937
3	Mr. REGI K THOMAS	R 120	M T C, VADASERIKARA	DXB	050 5476235
4	Mr. ANEESH JACOB	A 196	SALEM M T C, POOVANPARA	AJM	050 9823701
5	Mr. SHIU JOHN	S 274	ST. THOMAS M T C, KOLENCHERY	DXB	050 7075298
6	Mr. JOSEPH JACOB	J 292	BETHANY M T C, CHANNAPETTA	DXB	050 5078662
7	Mr. BIJU MATHEW	B 145	IMMANUEL M T C, KALAMPALA, RANNI	DXB	04 2975741
8	Mr. PRASAD M GEORGE	P 080	JERUSALEM M T C, KANAKAPPALAM	ABS	06 5535246
9	Mr. JAMES MATHAI	J 293	SALEM M T C, KUMBANAD	AJM	050 4546126
10	Mr. JOHN C MATHAW	J 294	EBENEZER M T C, ANNAVATTOM	CA	050 8032675
11	Mr. ABRAHAM K K	A 197	TABOR M T C, THACHAMPARA, PALAKKAD	RSQ	050 7762274
12	Mr. SOJAN G VARGHESE	S 275	M T C, MARAMON	SCS	050 5013024
13	Mr. MATHAI M M	M 183	ST. PAULS M T C, THELLIYOOR	DXB	050 2798158
14	Mr. JOSEKUTTY P V	J 295	MAR THOMA VALIYAPALLY, CHENGANNUR	UAQ	050 9610361

SINNY, D/o. Mr. Thomas Varghese (T 046) & ANEESH JACOB (A 177) married on 05/02/07
PATSY, D/o. Mr. Koshy Thomas (K 026) & JOSHY P THOMAS, S/o. (T 150) married on 31/01/07
JASMIN & SHELBY MATHEW
S/o. Mr. K.C. Mathai (M 033) married on 25/01/07

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Sl.	Name	ID	Home Parish	Area	Contact No.
15	Mr. SANTHOSH VARGHESE	S 276	M T C, PATTAMALA	MC	050 8650566
16	Mr. GEORGE VARGHESE	G 109	EMMANUEL M T C, CHERIANAD	DXB	06 5651183
17	Mr. ROSHAN ABRAHAM	R 121	CHRISTOS M T C, RANNY	MM	06 5636921
18	Mr. SHANTI GEORGE	S 277	ST. THOMAS M T C, PULIYOOR	AJM	06 7468503
19	Mr. JACOB M C	J 296	SEHION M T C, PULLAD	BMN	050 2715289
20	Mr. JOSELIN BENSON	J 298	MAR THOMA PARISH, SHARJAH	KHS	06 5225675
21	Mr. JOJU VARGHESE	J 297	ST. THOMAS M T C, VAYAKAL	SCS	050 9579181
22	Mr. SUNNY P ZACHARIAH	S 279	ST. THOMAS M T C, GUDALLUR	IM	050 3272651
23	Mr. SHAJI GEORGE	S 278	ST. THOMAS M T C, PULIYOOR	AJM	06 7468503
24	Dr. ALEX ABRAHAM	A 198	TRINITY M T C, TRIVANDRUM	MM	06 5623840
25	Mr. AJISH CHACKO JACOB	A 199	ANAPARAMPAL M T C, ANAPARAMPAL	RSQ	06 5335096
26	Mr. BOVAS ABRAHAM	B 146	ST. PETERS M T C, NEW DELHI	CA	050 8677801
27	Mr. BABUKUTTY KOCHUKUTTY	B 147	SALEM M T C, CHENNITHALA	UAQ	050 6311413

Warm Welcome!!! Please keep in touch with The Vicars and Prayer Group Officials

Palm Sunday Holy Communion on 1st April at 8.00 p.m.

Holy Communion
Thursdays at 7.30pm. Fridays at 7.30am.
Third Friday at 6.00pm. 1st Sunday at 8.00pm.
English Service on Fourth Friday at 7.30am

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Annual Get-Together and Farewell to Rev. Abraham Panicker G
DUBAI AREA PRAYER GROUP
at the residence of Mr. Kurien George (K 025) on Friday, 30th March, 2007. 6.30pm
KHS AND NS PRAYER GROUPS
on Monday, 26th March, 2007. 8.30pm at Church

TEENS PROGRAMS
16th March, 12 noon Onwards
Special Teen Meet with loads of singing, testimonies, other exciting activities, focussing on a year of academic excellence
30th & 31st March, TEENS Camp
30th March - 12noon to 7pm & 31st March 8am to 5pm
Theme: "Battle for Glory Land"
Special Praying Sessions, Short Film, Teens leaders leading different sessions, Guest speakers etc. etc.
Come, Attend and Be Blessed
For details: George Abraham (Kuttan). Tel: 050-4599468

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Date	Acolytes From	1st Lesson	1Ind Lesson	Epistle
01st Mar, Thu	MC	I Samuel	Acts	Philemon
02nd Mar, Fri	MM	18: 01-20	15: 22-34	08-12
04th Mar, Sun	NS			
08th Feb, Thu	RCH	Isaiah	I Thessaionians	Acts
09th Feb, Fri	RSQ	45: 01-13	01: 01-09	12: 44-52
15th Feb, Thu	SCS	Isaiah	Romans	Ephesians
16th Feb, Fri	UAQ	59: 14-21	08: 31-39	06: 10-20
16th Feb, 6pm	ABS			
22st Feb, Thu	AJM	Isaiah	Acts	II Corinthians
23rd Feb, Fri	Eng. Service	42: 01-19	12: 01-19	11: 18-28
29th Mar, Thu	BMN	Numbers	Hebrews	I Peter
30th Mar, Fri	CA	21: 04-10	12: 01-13	01: 13-22
1st April Palm Sunday	Kaisthana Samithi	Zachariah 09: 09-17	Colossians 01: 15-23	Philippians 02: 05-11

Organization Events
Sunday School
Fridays 10.15am at Church
Parish Mission
Sundays 08.30pm at Church
Yuvajana Sakhyom
Saturdays 08.30pm at Church
Sevika Sanghom
Wednesdays 8.30pm at Parish Hall
Fasting Prayer on 3rd Sunday at 9.30am at Church
FASTING PRAYER
Every Friday 12.00noon at Church
CHOIR PRACTICE
Every Wednesday 8.30pm to 10.30pm

Selection of New Choir Members
Audition On 23rd March 2007, 5pm.
For Seniors (18 years and above) and Juniors (9 years and above)
Contact Matthew M Johnson (Choir Secretary) or Choir officials

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Area	Date	Time	Venue	Hosted by	ID No	Tel. No
MC	06/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Jacob Thomas	J 039	050 6318566
RCH	12/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. C V Varghese	V 001	050 7842309
ABS	13/03/07	8.00 pm	Church	Mr. George Joseph Mr. George Thomas Mr. George Jacob	G 031 G 039 G 046 G 071	050 6451479 050 4828754 050 6987837 050 6562239
AJM	19/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Shaja K Samuel Mr. Sabu George	S 268 S 193	050 4881323 050 5292452
CA	19/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Abraham Chacko	A 048	050 7945193
SCS	19/03/07	8.30 pm	Church			
MM	20/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Daniel Thomas	D 013	050 5140378
IM	20/03/07	8.30 pm	Church			
BMN	20/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Varghese Mathew	V 084	050 7852567
NS	26/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Simon Varghese	T 069	050 7276913
KHS	26/03/07	8.30 pm	Church	Mr. Thomas Thomas	S 048	050 5872893
RSQ	27/03/07	8.30 pm	Church			
UAQ	30/03/07	8.30 pm	Residence	Mr. Kurien George	K 025	050 6535266
DXB	7.00 pm on All Fridays Except Third Friday - Contact Area Secretary					

Please donate generously for the
G+1 Hall Construction
at the earliest



Condolences
Mrs. Thankamma Kochumman, 88 years
Grand mother of Mr. Arun Philip (A 109) of CA & Wife's Grand mother of Mr. Jose Sameul (Parish Mission Jt. Sec. J 179) of CA
Mrs. Sosamma Varghese, 83 years
Mother of Mr. Varghese Mathew (V 036) of BMN
Mrs. Alekutty Jacob, 80 years
Mother in law of Dr. Philip Mathews (P 063) of RSQ
Mr. Thomas Mathew, 76 years
Mother in law of Mr. Santhosh K Thomas (S 158) of RSQ
Mrs. Ponnamma George, 70 years
Mother of Varghese P. George (V 078) of ABS
Mr. Thankachen, 66 years
Father in law of Mr. Anyakunji Samuel (A 134) of MM
Mrs. Kunjamma Varghese, 66 years
Mother in law of Mr. Jacob V Mathew (J 241) of AJM
Mr. P G Varghese, 60 years
Father of Suvi George Varghese (S 050) of MM & Brother in law of Mr. Jacob V Mathew (K 005) of NS
Mrs. Annama George, 56 years
Sister of Mr. Varghese Abraham (V 015) of KHS
Ella Susan Jacob, 34 days
New born child of Mr. Jacob V Ildiculla (IM Area Secretary J 156)
The Sharjah Mar Thoma Parish expresses heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family members

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METROPOLITAN'S NAVATHY HOME PROJECT
God has blessed us with comfortable homes. As a token of thanksgiving,
Let us donate generously towards House for Houseless
"Just as you did it to one of the least, you did it for Me"
You can sponsor one Navathy Home by donating
Rs. 60,000/-
for more details contact the Vicars or Parish Officials

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