

- **Worship Services and Lectionary for next Sunday**

Next Sunday, December 12th, we will have **English Holy Communion Service** starting at **8:30 AM**, in-person and though the Trinity YouTube channel. Pearland East Area will assist the Worship Service

Theme: Annunciation to Joseph

1st Lesson: Isaiah 7:10-17
2nd Lesson: Acts 3:19-26
Epistle: Ephesians 6:1-9
Gospel: Luke 18:15-17

- **Fasting Prayer Meeting:** Friday, December 10th, on Zoom

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Meeting ID: 440 320 308, Passcode: 2222

Dial-in #: +13462487799,,440320308# Passcode: 2222

- **Christmas get-togethers (at Trinity Mar Thoma Church):**

- **Missouri City & Stafford Prayer Group:**
 - **Friday, December 10th @ 6:00 PM**
- **North Houston, Galveston & Sugar Land Prayer Groups:**
 - **Saturday, December 11th @ 4:00 PM**
- Contact Prayer Group leaders if you would like to present at the get-together. Christmas Cards & collection envelopes will be distributed this week.

- **Organizational Announcements**

- **Sunday School**

1. We'll be having our In-Person Sunday School today, December 5th at 10:30 am.
2. There will be an In-Person Sunday School next Sunday December 12th after English Holy communion service.
3. If you would like to register your child for the New Sunday School year, please let me or Sunday school leadership know through email. Email: trinitymtcss@gmail.com
4. In person Sunday School - Please follow ALL Covid guidelines. Details and Guidelines attached to *announcement email*.
5. There will be a Sunday school teachers Christmas get together at church on Saturday, December 18th at 5:30 PM. ALL teachers and their families are invited. Please confirm your availability on the Sunday school GroupMe by Saturday December 11th.
6. Trinity MTC Christmas Play.
 - Time: Christmas Eve
 - Venue: Trinity MTC
 - It will be In-person Christmas Play
 - For more info visit www.trinitymtc.org/Sundayschool

Next Three Rehearsals:

Sunday, December 5th, after Divine Service - Lunch will not be provided. Please support the Youth Fellowship Bake Sale!

Saturday, December 11th at 1 PM at Church - Snacks will be provided.

Sunday, December 12th after Sunday School - Lunch will be provided.

Please check your emails this week from trinitymtcchristmas@gmail.com for more details

Sincerely,

John Varghese (Anil) &

Sunday School Leadership Team

- **Youth Fellowship**

We will have a **YF Christmas Bake Sale** TODAY after both services to fundraise for our upcoming TMCYF One Day Retreat! Please come out and support us! We will have chicken biryani, kappa biryani, brisket nachos, kolaches, hot chocolate, and MORE. We appreciate any donations!

We will be having a **YF Christmas Party** on Wednesday December 22nd at 6:30pm! More details to follow!

Don't forget to sign up for our **TMCYF one-day retreat** happening on January 8th, 2022 at the Stafford Centre from 9am-10pm!! The theme is What's on Your Mind? You can register online at www.tmcyf.org The registration fee will be \$75 until December 19th. If you register and pay after December 19th, the late registration fee will be \$85. Final deadline to register and pay will be January 1st.

You can pay through cash/check, Venmo @tmc-yf, or online.

Please let a YF Officer know if you have any questions! We hope to see you there!

1st announcement:

There will be a **Youth Fellowship General Body Meeting** after Divine service on December 19th, 2021, at 12:30 PM

Agenda:

1. Election of 2022 Committee
2. One day Retreat Update
3. AOB

Thank you,
Julia Mathew
Secretary

- **Young Family Fellowship**

This Wednesday (12/8) at 8:30 PM we will continue our series on "Talking to your Kids about Jesus." Zoom Link will be sent out later this week.



Thank you,
Varghese Mathai
Secretary

- **Sevika Sanghom**

The SW Regional Sevika Sanghom Monthly Prayer Meeting will be held on December 7th, 2021, Tuesday @7.00 PM. Regional President Rev Thomas Mathew P will preside over the meeting. Mrs. Mary Neena Varghese from Immanuel MTC Houston will share the word of God.

Thank you,
Jooley Zachariah
Secretary

- **Trinity Choir**

Trinity Mar Thoma Church choir committee has decided to hold the choir General body meeting on December 12, 2021, after the Worship Service to transact the following agenda items:

1. Election of choir leaders for English and Malayalam wings for 2022
2. Election of choir office bearers and committee members for 2022
3. AOB with permission

All choir members (both English and Malayalam) are required to attend.

By Order,
Abraham George
Choir Secretary

- **Edavaka Mission**

- **Evangelists Christmas Gift.**

We are approaching the Christmas time again. A time for caring and sharing. For the past 15 years Edavaka mission was coordinating the Christmas Gift program for our Evangelists serving in various parts of India. The living conditions in various parts of India is getting harder due to the pandemic Covid-19. It is our duty to help the poor and needy. Jesus said “whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me” Mathew 25:40.

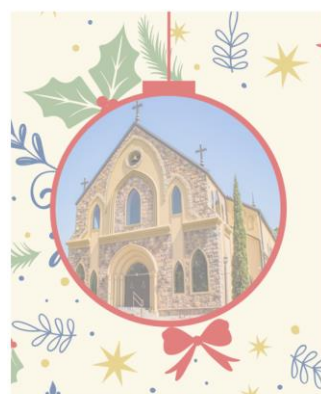
Because of the wholehearted support of our Trinity family, we could do this in the past years successfully and we are depending on our members to support the program for this year also. We are planning to give Indian Rs. 3,000 to each of our Evangelists which is close to \$50.00 per evangelist with expenses. Last year we supported 608 Evangelists.

We need to raise \$25,000 for this project and we are requesting each family to support the project as you all did it in the past. You can support as many Evangelists as you like. There is no limit. Any amount of donation will be appreciated.

You can pay via Venmo (TMC-EdavakaMission) or mail a check to the Treasurer Mr. Babu T. George or bring it to the church. You can also see Achen or one of the Edavaka mission member for more details.

God loveth a Cheerful Giver. Thank you all very much. May God bless us all.

All Trinity Family members are requested to join the program with your support small or large.



Need to raise \$14k - to reach
\$30k fundraising target

**TRINITY MAR THOMA CHURCH
EDAVAKA MISSION**

EAVANGELISTS' CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Send a gift to a missionary serving in India.
Your \$50 gift will bring Christmas joy to a
special family serving God!

Join Edavaka Mission in raising \$30k in this season
of giving. In 2020, gifts were sent to 608 evangelists.

Donate via Venmo: @TMC-EdavakaMission,
or mail a check to the Edavaka Mission Treasurer,
Mr. Babu T. George, or drop off a check at Church.

For more details, contact: Mr. Babu T. George, Roshen
Achen or an Edavaka mission member

- **The Monthly Prayer Meeting of MTVEA Diocese of North America and Europe will be held on Monday December 6 at 7.30 pm by Zoom.**

Message. Rev. Dr. EAPPEN VARGHESE(Immanuel MTC ,Houston)

Meeting Id 872 4274 0053

Password. 101010

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87242740053?pwd=UXYwYXBVeXVWYWwRaZ0JnVFUxSjBsZz09>

Requesting the Prayerful Participation.

Thank you,
Abraham K. Idiculla
Secretary

- **Condolences**

Mrs. Sherly Ninan (69), sister-in-law of Jose Mathew (Pearland East prayer group), received the heavenly call earlier today (12/5). Funeral will be held at the Kalloppara Bethel Mar Thoma Church later.

Mr. K P Zachariah (75), elder brother of Mr. K. P Mathews (Alief – Sugar Land prayer group), received the heavenly call on Tuesday, November 30th, in Houston. He was a member of the CSI Church. The funeral was held in private.

Please uphold all family members in your prayers.

- **Offertory collection details:**

- Sunday, November 28th: \$1,954
[GENERAL: \$809, BIRTHDAY: \$795, WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: \$350]
- Subscription collection: If you are yet to make this payment, please follow-up and help.
- Trinity Campus Building Project Fundraising
 - Phase 1 Goal: \$1MM by December 31, 2021
 - Status: \$636K
 - Support the project financially to reach the 1st fundraising goal.
 - 14 rooms and a lounge area are available for sponsorship.

Have a great new week!

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