• Worship Services and Lectionary

Sunday, February 27th, 2022

English Holy Communion Service at 8:30 AM In-person & through the Trinity YouTube channel

Theme: Beginning of Great Lent – Renewal of Creation

1st Lesson: Ezekiel 36:24-30 2nd Lesson: Revelations 21:1-7 Epistle: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Gospel: John 2:1-11

Pearland East Prayer group will assist the Service.

• Trinity Covid Protocol Reminders:

- Properly wearing a mask, covering both nose & mouth, is mandatory
- Maintain physical distance (6 ft) from non-family members
- Maintain good hand hygiene
- Please stay home if you are sick or think you may be sick

Prayer Meeting

- Fasting Prayer
 - Friday, February 25th at 9:30 AM, in-person, at Trinity Mar Thoma Church
- Pearland West Prayer Meeting
 - Wednesday, February 23rd at 7:00 PM, on Zoom https://us02web.zoom.us/j/440320308?pwd=NmhBVnVhcnRKOUkxUE9hSGRyYXFsUT09

Zoom Meeting ID: 440 320 308, Passcode: 2222

Dial-in #:+13462487799, Access code: 440 320 308#, Passcode: 2222

• Trinity Mar Thoma Church – Member Portal

Please check your email for link to access Trinity Mar Thoma Church member portal.

Access personal dashboard – (your) member information, contribution amounts and details, access contact information for other members (like Church directory), and Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries for the day. If you did not get this email, or need help accessing the portal, please contact Shajan George or Roshen Achen.

Organizational Announcements

Sunday School

1. We'll be having our in-person Sunday School Today, Sunday February 20th at 10:30 am. Please follow Sunday School recommended Covid Guidelines.



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2. A short (10 min) teachers meeting will be held on Sunday February 20th immediately after Sunday school class. All teachers are requested to attend.

Time: 11:15 am

Location: Sunday School Hall

Agenda: -

Finalize the Sunday school team and coordinators for 2022.

Calendar of Events for 2022.

AOB.

- 3. There will be NO Sunday School on Sunday February 27th due to the General Body meeting.
- 4. Diocesan Exam: Diocese Sunday School Exam is scheduled for May 15, 2022. Diocesan Sunday school exam 2022 registration deadline for grade 5 to grade 10 Monday February 28, 2022.
 - The registration fee is \$5 per student.
- The Diocese exam syllabus includes 20 lessons from the curriculum book and 5 lessons from the Mar Thoma Foundation and Vision book.
 - If you have any additional questions or concerns, please reach out to the SS Leadership Team.
- 5. Regional Sunday School General Body meeting.

The annual general body meeting of Southwest Regional Sunday School will be held on Sunday February 27th, at 7:30 PM via Zoom. All general body members are requested to attend the meeting.

Date: Feb 27th, 2022 Time: 7:30 PM Zoom Meeting:

Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82163039721?pwd=YXRoc2Fqc1liMXhIaWVHT2xrNDQyQT09

Meeting ID: 821 6303 9721

Passcode: 183753

Agenda:

Presentation & adoption of Annual Report- 2021

Presentation & adoption of Annual Accounts- 2021

Presentation & adoption of Annual Budget- 2022

Calendar for 2022. Committee's recommendation is to conduct the following events this year:

VBS Workshop (Virtual) - May 7th

Regional Competition (In-person) or Talent Fest (Virtual) - Aug 13th

Student Retreat for Grade 5 and above (Virtual) - Sept 10th

Sunday School Teachers Workshop (Virtual) – Sept 24th

Junior Student Retreat for Grade 4 and below (Virtual) - Oct 22nd

Any other items with the permission of the chair.

Sincerely, John Varghese (Anil) & Sunday School Leadership Team

Youth Fellowship

- Today is the last day to place crewneck orders! Order can be made at www.tmcyf.org/shop.
- Registration for the YF is open! If you are between the ages of 12 and 35, make sure to sign up, even if you signed up last year.
 Registration is available at www.tmcyf.org.
- Once you register, remember to pay your \$10 YF dues either through cash, check or venmo (TMC-YF)
- Join us on Friday, March 4th at 7:00 PM for our first Revival of the year. We can't wait to see you for a night of worship.

Thank you, Thomas Benjamin YF Joint Secretary



Young Family Fellowship

• We will have our next meeting via Zoom on Thursday, February 24th at 8:30 PM on the new series, *The Art of Marriage*, led by Alwin and Leeja Thomas. Zoom link will be sent later this week.

Thank you, Varghese Mathai Secretary

The Landing donation drive

- Sunday School, Youth Fellowship, & Young Family Fellowship will be hosting a donation drive to benefit The Landing, a local ministry that helps victims of human trafficking in the Houston area.
- Boxes to drop off needed items will be available first Sunday of March.
- Sunday School, Youth Fellowship, & Young Family Fellowship Officers will email out the designated items for each organization.

For more information about this ministry, please visit www.thelanding.org

• Yuvajana Sakhyam

- The Yuvajana Sakhyam Office bearers would like to thank everyone who attended the kickoff of 2022 activities on Sunday, February 13. We really appreciate all the prayers and support.
- Yuvajana Sakhyam is organizing a blood drive on Sunday March 27, please see the flyer and the link to register which will be held at the Trinity Center from 9am to 1pm. Please share this information with family and friends and encourage others to donate blood. Please support with prayers.

 Link: https://forms.gle/fQTNx1AXUPoCAB858

Thanks Viju Varghese Yuvajana Sakhyam Secretary Cell:(832)785-5442



• Sevika Sanghom

SWR Center B Sevika Sanghom meeting will be held on February 26th, 2022, Saturday, 9 am to 10:30 am by Zoom platform

Mrs. Preena Mathew, w/o Rev Mathew Samuel, will be the main speaker for this meeting.

I request all the Sevika Sanghom members to attend this meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/i/93435474490?pwd=bEUzeWxMRTI3MHlvOW54bHhLZIA2Zz09

Meeting ID: 934 3547 4490, Passcode: 1111

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Thank you, Jooley Zachariah Secretary

• Edavaka Mission

The Monthly Prayer meeting of MTVEA SouthWest Region will be held on February 21, Monday at 7.30 pm by Zoom.

Rev. Thomas Mathew, Vicar, St.Louis Mar Thoma Church will give the message. All are requested to attend the prayer meeting.

Meeting ID 799 998 2537

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/7999982537

Thank you, Abraham K. Idiculla Secretary

• Senior Fellowship

Our next Senior Fellowship Prayer Meeting will be held in-person on Thursday, February 24th, at 10:00 AM at our church campus.

Bible Quiz will be from Acts: 13,14 & 15 chapters.

Discussion: Husband & wife Interaction

Requesting ALL SENIORS to attend with prayers.

Thank you,

Thomas K. Varghese

Secretary

Condolences

Mrs. Rachel Yohannan (74), sister-in-law of Mr. Abraham Joseph of the North Shore Prayer group, received the Heavenly call on Monday, February 14th in Ranni, Kerala.

The funeral was held on Wednesday, February 16th at Christos Mar Thoma Church, Angadi, Ranni. Please uphold the family in your prayers. May God comfort all family members.

• Offertory

Sunday, February 13, 2022: \$2,274

General: \$925, Birthday: \$875, Wedding: \$474 Join us for Snacks and Tea in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you Tom & Annamma Thomas (Missouri City & Stafford Area) for sponsoring snacks



Trinity Mar Thoma Church, Houston, Texas February 20, 2022 – Announcements

• Annual General Body Meeting

- Annual General Body Meeting of Trinity Mar Thoma Church will be held on Sunday,
 Feb 27, at 5810 Almeda Genoa Road, immediately after the Holy Communion Service.
- Agenda:
 - 1. Church Facility Project next phase
 - 2. Election: Youth Lay Leader
 - 3. Election: Trinity Facility Managers
 - 4. Create 2022 Teams: (a) Medical, (b) Inventory, and (c) IT
 - 5. Annual Report 2021
 - 6. Approval of over and non-budgeted items
 - 7. Audited Statement of Accounts 2021
 - a) Convert existing Insurance Settlement Bank A/c to Church Facility Building Project Bank A/c
 - b) Approval to earmark funds for (Local & India) Mission Projects
 - c) Approval to earmark funds and transfer funds to Church Facility Building Project Bank A/c
 - 8. Annual Budget 2022
 - 9. Any Other Business, with the permission of the Chair
- All General Body members are requested to attend the meeting.
- Questions regarding the Annual Report, Statement of Accounts, and the 2022 Budget must be submitted to the President and Vicar-in-Charge, Rev. Roshen V. Mathews in writing on or before Wednesday, February 23, 2022, at 5:00 PM.

Note: Annual Report emailed to all members on Saturday, Feb 12. If you need a printed copy, please contact 2021 Trustee – Mr. Pulinthitta George, or VP – Shajan George, or Secretary – Reji George

Have a blessed new week.

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