

- **Worship Service and Lectionary**

Sunday, September 4, 2022

English Holy Communion Service at 8:30 AM

Theme: Education Sunday – *Education based on Divine Grace*

1st Lesson: Proverbs 2:1-15
2nd Lesson: James 3:13-18
Epistle: Colossians 1:24-29
Gospel: Matthew 7:24-29

Missouri City and Stafford Area members will assist the Service

- **Fasting Prayer Meetings**

- Friday, September 2nd @ 9:30 AM @ Church
- Friday, September 2nd @ 9:30 AM @ Stafford Parsonage

- **Prayer Meeting**

- Missouri City and Stafford Area: Saturday, September 3rd @ 7:00 PM at the residence of Magesh and Suma Mathew.

- **Organizational Announcements**

- **Sunday School**

- New Sunday School Year - New Sunday School year will start today, Sunday August 28th after English Holy communion. If a child wants to attend our Sunday school for the first time, please reach out to Sunday school leadership for registration details. Please look out for Sunday school communications via email.
- Next Sunday, September 4th, Sunday school will begin with a singing session following the English Holy Communion Service.
- Church Picnic - Encourage all Sunday school kids to come and participate in our church picnic on Saturday September 3rd at 9am at Trinity Center.

With Regards,
John Varghese (Anil) & Sunday School Leadership Team

- **Young Family Fellowship**

- Please join us this Thursday, September 1st, on Zoom, at 8:30 PM for a study on “talking to your kids about Heaven and Hell”.
- A Zoom link will be shared later this week.



Thanks,
Varghese Mathai
Secretary

- Yuvajana Sakhyam

Yuvajana Sakhya is organizing a Trip to "The Promise at Glen Rose" on October 8, 2022. Prices are \$125 per person for adults and \$100 for kids under 18. (This fee includes ticket for the show, bus ticket, lunch, snack and dinner).

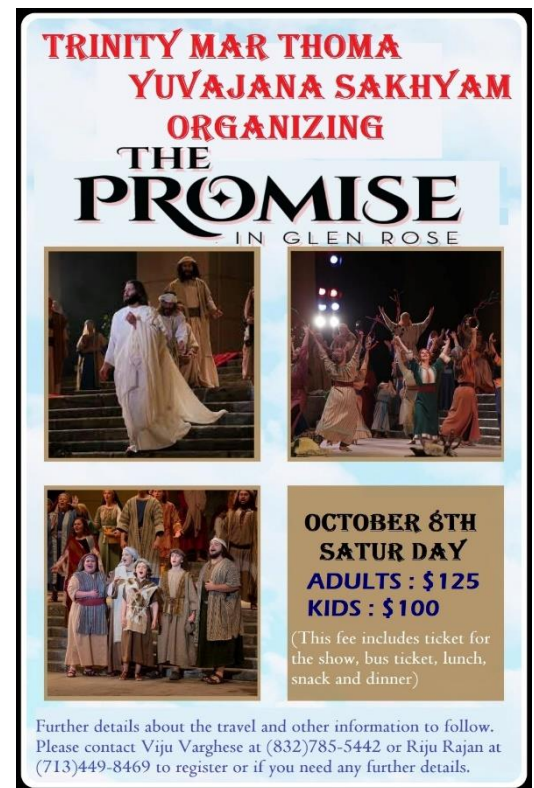
The current plan is to leave from Church at 11.00 AM on Saturday, October 8 and return around 4.30 AM on Sunday October 9.

There will be a counter open for registration in the fellowship hall. There are only limited number of tickets available for the show so please register as soon as possible to have your places confirmed.

<https://forms.gle/deFaNpfNiBoCeH5P8>

Further details about the travel and other information to follow. Please contact Viju Varghese at (832)785-5442 or Riju Rajan at (713)449-8469 to register or if you need any further details

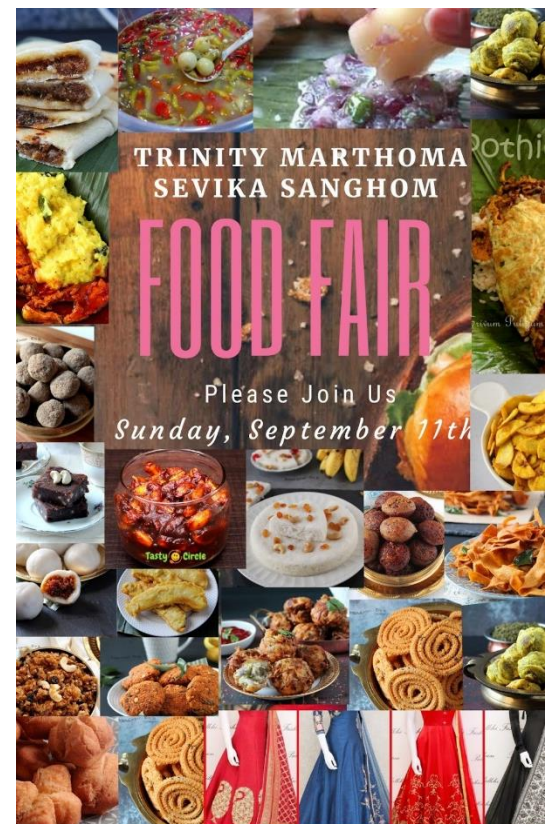
Thanks,
Viju Varghese
Yuvajana Sakhyam Secretary



- Sevika Sanghom

- Sevika Sanghom Day:- This year the Sevika Sanghom day will be observed on 11th of September. Please note the following items.
- We are planning to have a food fair on Sunday, September 11th, after the Malayalam Holy Communion Service. We are requesting all Sevika Sanghom members to donate at least one item for the food fair.
- Sevika Sanghom day offertory envelopes:- Our Diocesan Sevika sanghom needs our sincere support for all the projects and missions and requesting our wholehearted contribution through the envelopes given.
- Special song:- The Music and the lyrics are posted in TMC Sevika Sanghom Whatsapp Group.
- There will be only one practice which will be on 4th of September after the Holy Communion service. Today's practice is cancelled as many are sick.
- All Sevika Sanghom members are requested to wear a uniform of 'OFF WHITE or KERALA attire' on Sevika Sanghom Day.

Thanks,
Jooley Zachariah
Secretary



- **Middle-Aged Family Fellowship**

Middle-Aged Family Fellowship meeting will be held today - Sunday, August 28th, at Church following the Holy Communion Service. All members are requested to attend this meeting.

Thanks,
Shajan George
Secretary

- **Edavaka Mission**

Edavaka mission received 4 financial assistance requests for Medical Aid and Education.

- Evangelist Sunil George from Attapady mission - Requested Financial assistance for his daughter's treatment
- Evangelist C.A. Samuel from Dindigal mission - Requested financial assistance for his Daughter Education expense
- Theological student Abjith - from United Theological Seminary requested assistance to pay his Tuition to continue his studies
- Mr. John Soji Abraham - from Eramattur requesting financial assistance for his medical expenses.

All these requests were endorsed by the Vicars, Mar Thoma Church. Anyone like to help these individuals, please contact the Edavaka mission office bearers.

Thanks,
Abraham K. Idiculla
Secretary

Trinity Mar Thoma Church Picnic

- Venue: Trinity Mar Thoma Church
- Date and Time: Saturday September 3, 2022, at 9.00 am. Registration starts at 8.30 am
- Breakfast and Lunch served
- Fee: \$10.00 per person
- Free children under 10 years old



- Sports of all kinds for all ages from 3-90 years
- Trinity Tug of War by Teams lead by Samachen and Roshenachen
- Fun Games and activities

Please sign-up for the picnic at the table/booth arranged in the Fellowship Hall

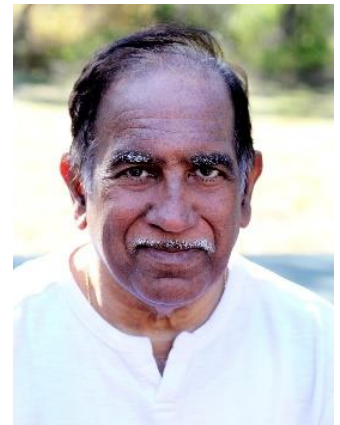
- **Condolences**

Mr. Joseph Koshy (Jochen - 79), received the heavenly call on Sunday, August 21st.

The Funeral was held on Friday, August 26th in Austin, Texas.

Thank you to Roshen Achen & over 70 Trinity family members who attended the funeral service, all who prayed for the family, and many who helped in various ways.

Please continue to pray for Lillykutty Aunty and all family members.



- **Family Enrichment Program** at Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Houston

- September 9: 6.00PM - 9.00PM
- September 10: 9.00AM - 4.00PM
- September 11: After Service

- Dr. Sam George from Chicago will be the Guest Speaker for the Family Enrichment Program. **Registration deadline:** Thursday, September 1, 2022

- Entry is by registration only and can be done at the below given registration link:
<https://forms.office.com/r/4QaWEqi4eU>

The poster features a yellow background. At the top center is a shield-shaped logo with the words 'LIGHTED LIGHTEN' and a cross. Below the logo, the text 'IMTC FAMILY ENRICHMENT PROGRAM' is written in red. The central image shows the silhouettes of a man, a woman, and a child standing in front of a large cross, with a bright light source behind them. Below this image, the text 'JOIN US AT IMMANUEL MAR THOMA CHURCH' is followed by the address '12803 Sugar Ridge Blvd, Stafford, TX 77477'. The schedule for the program is listed: 'FRIDAY 9 SEPTEMBER 2022 SESSION FOR YOUTH (6.00PM-9.00PM)', 'SATURDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2022 SESSIONS FOR MARRIAGE FAMILY LIFE & PARENTING (9.00AM-4.00PM)', and 'SUNDAY 11 SEPTEMBER 2022 SESSION FOR EVERYONE (AFTER SERVICE)'. A note at the bottom states 'Lunch & Snacks will be provided on September 10th & 11th'. On the right side, a starburst graphic contains the text 'Guest Speaker: Dr. Sam George' and 'Registration Fee: Individual \$15 Family \$30'. A QR code is located at the bottom right.

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- **Offertory - Sunday, August 21st: \$ 3,924.21**
 - GENERAL: \$ 1,812, BIRTHDAY: \$ 1211.21, WEDDING: \$ 901

Harvest Festival: Please remember to make payments (donation & auction), if you are yet to do so.

Donations and payments: Donations and payments can be made by dropping off a check (or cash) with our Trustees - Mr. Thomas Mathew (Cell: 713-398-6696) & Mr. Varghese Samuel (Cell: 281-804-4060), or money transfer by Zelle (Zelle Pay # 346-520-4916) or Venmo (@TrinityMTCHouston). Note there is a service fee for Venmo.

- Join us for Snacks in the fellowship hall. Thank you, Mrs Chinnamma John, from the Pearland East Prayer group for sponsoring snacks.

Have a blessed new week.

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