• Worship Service and Lectionary

Sunday, January 22, 2023

Malayalam Holy Communion Service at 8:30 AM

Pearland West Area members will assist the Service.

Rev. George Abraham (Diocesan Secretary) will lead the Holy Communion Service.

Lectionary Theme: Ecumenical Sunday, Unity of the Churches – God's will

Lesson 1: Ezekiel 37:15-23 Lesson 2: Ephesians 2:14-22 Epistle: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 Gospel: John 17:18-26

• Prayer Meetings

Fasting Prayer Meetings:

Friday, January 20th, 2022, at 9:30 AM

- Trinity Mar Thoma Church
- Stafford Parsonage

Pearland East Area Prayer Meeting

Friday, January 27th, at 7:30 PM, on Zoom

Zoom ID & Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/440320308?pwd=NmhBVnVhcnRKOUkxUE9hSGRyYXFsUT09

Meeting ID: 440 320 308, Passcode: 2222 Dial-in #: +13462487799,,440320308#

Missouri City and Stafford Area Prayer Meeting

Wednesday, January 18th, at 7:30 PM, on Zoom

Zoom ID & Link:

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Organizational Announcements

Sunday School

- 1. The second semester of Sunday School will begin today Sunday January 15th, 2023.
- 2. A mandatory teachers meeting is scheduled for **Sunday**, **January 15th** after Sunday school. All teachers are requested to attend.
- 3. Next Sunday, January 22nd, Sunday School classes will begin at 10:30 AM, with a singing session.

With Regards,

John Varghese (Anil) & Sunday School Leadership Team

Youth Fellowship

• Retreat is back! We will be having our winter retreat on January 20-22 at Forest Glen.

Theme: Servant Things

Verse (John 12:26): *If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him.*

Speaker: Rev. Dennis Abraham, Vicar of the Austin Mar Thoma Church and San Antonio Mar Thoma Congregation

Fee: \$100

Please donate to help with Youth Fellowship Retreat expenses.

Deadline for Registration is **Monday, January 2nd** to be guaranteed a souvenir!

For more information and registration, visit tmcyf.org/retreat.

Thank you,

Thomas Benjamin

YF Joint Secretary

• Senior Fellowship

The Senior Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, Jan 17th, 2023, at 8:00 PM, on Zoom. Zoom ID & Link:

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Thank you,

Joseph M. Chemmarappally

Senior Fellowship Secretary

Sevika Sanghom

TMC Sevika Sangham Annual general body meeting will be held on Sunday, 15th of January, 2023, following the Holy Communion Service, at Trinity Mar Thoma Church.

All Sevika Sangham members are requested to attend.

Agenda: -

- Election of Office bearers, committee members, and auditors except for the Secretary
- Election of South West region representatives.
- 2022 Sevika Sanghom Annual Report
- 2022 Sevika Sanghom Annual Audited Accounts
- 2023 Sevika Sanghom Proposed Budget.
- AOB with the permission of the Chair.

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Sevika Sanghom Secretary

• Edavaka Mission

1. The Edavaka mission Membership registration for 2023 to 2026 starting today. The Edavaka mission committee members will approach you with the registration forms and please sign up.

All Trinity members from ages 18 and above can become an Edavaka mission member. Registration fee \$10.00.

There is a booth in the Sunday School Hall and church foyer for your convenience. The deadline for registration is January 15, 2023

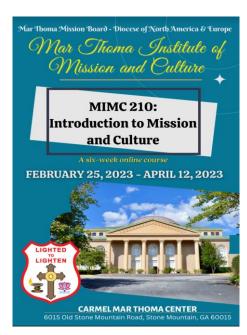
- 2. The regular monthly prayer meeting of the Edavaka mission will be held on January 18th Wednesday at 10:30 am at the Pearland Parsonage. This is a new schedule of the prayer meeting. Please plan to attend.
- 3. A committee meeting of the Trinity Mar Thoma Church Edavaka Mission will be held on Tuesday January 17th, 2023, at 7:00 pm via Zoom. All 2022 Committee members are requested to attend. Zoom ID # 440 320 308, Password: 2222.

 Agenda:
 - 1. Annual Report for the year 2022
 - 2. Audited Statement of Accounts for the year- 2022
 - 3. Budget for the year 2023
 - 4. General Body date and Agenda
 - 5. AOB with permission of Chair

Thanks, Abraham K. Idiculla Secretary

Mission and Culture Classes

This will be a six-week study course on Zoom sponsored by our Diocese. Open to all members 18-30. Price will be \$60.00 in January, and it will be limited to 30 participants.



Mar Thoma Cricket Cup - 2023

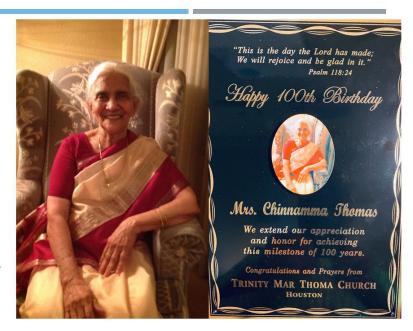




Mrs. Chinnamma Thomas – Happy 100th Birthday!

MRS. <u>CHINNAMMA</u> THOMAS HAPPY 100TH BIRTHDAY

- Happy Birthday to our dear Chinnamma Ammachi!
- Today, <u>Ammachi</u> celebrates her 100th birthday today!!
- The City of Houston has proclaimed today, January 15, 2023, Mrs.
 <u>Chinnamma</u> Thomas Day.
- First Lady Cecelia Abbott and Governor Gregg Abbott appreciated <u>Ammachi</u> with a recognition certificate.
- Our <u>Achens</u> honored <u>Ammachi</u>, on behalf of Trinity Mar <u>Thoma</u> Church, at a function yesterday.
- Please continue to pray for Ammachi.



Offertory (Sunday, January 8, 2023): \$ 2,906

GENERAL: \$1,696, BIRTHDAY: \$810, WEDDING: \$400

Year End Contributions

- Donations and payments: Donations and payments can be made by dropping off a check (or cash) with our Trustees Mr. Thomas Mathew & Mr. Varghese Samuel, or money transfer by Zelle (Zelle Pay # 346-520-4916) or Venmo (@TrinityMTCHouston).
 - o Today, Jan 15th last day for making 2022 donations

• Join us for snacks in the Fellowship Hall.
Thank you to M. T. Mathai Uncle and family for sponsoring snacks. Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary!

We need help with snack sponsorship. Please contact 2023 Trustees, if you can help.

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