



ANNOUNCEMENTS: SUNDAY, AUGUST 27, 2023
TRINITY MAR THOMA CHURCH, HOUSTON, TEXAS

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

- **Sunday, September 3, 2023**
 - **English Holy Communion Service at 8:30 AM**
 - Northshore Area will assist the Service
 - Theme: Education Day-Care Oriented Education
 - Lesson 1 - Prov 1:1-12
 - Lesson 2 - Acts 8:26-38
 - Gospel - Matt 19:16-22
 - Epistle - Col 1:24-29

PRAYER MEETING

Fasting Prayer

- Friday, September 1st, 2023, at 9:30 AM
 - Trinity Mar Thoma Church
 - Stafford Parsonage

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

TRINITY SUNDAY SCHOOL

- August 27th, 2023 – Sunday School starts immediately after English Service.
- There will be a teachers meeting and workshop immediately after Sunday School at around 11:30 am.
- September 3rd, 2023 Sunday School starts Immediately after English Service.



TRINITY SUNDAY SCHOOL Teacher Workshop and Meeting

**Sunday, August 27, 2023
Immediately after SS Classes
11:30 AM**

01

Teacher Team Building Activity

- Welcome all new TMCSS Teachers
- Get to know all old TMCSS Teachers

02

Tips and Tricks to Teaching

- Strategies to make a deeper, longer lasting impacting in your SS ministry

03

Upcoming Events

- Outreach opportunities
- Christmas Program--Coordinators

04

Lunch

- Delicious
- And Nutritious

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

- The 2023 SWRYF Women's Retreat will be hosted by our sister church Immanuel Mar Thoma Church Youth Fellowship from September 1-3, 2023 at their church.
- All women ages 12-35 are encouraged to attend this conference.
- The registration fee is \$35. The deadline to register is next Sunday August 27, 2023

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Sisterhood, Self-Discovery, Serenity

Psalm 46:5 *God is within her, she will not fall*
Main Speaker: Ashley Daniel

Venue: Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Houston
September 1-3, 2023

Deadline to register: August 27, 2023

Registration Fee: \$35

Coordinator Contacts:
Jiana Kuruvilla (346) 283-4927
Jewel Zachariah (832) 334-8622



ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

- Our parish will be hosting the 2023 SWRYF Regional Retreat November 17-19th, 2023 at the Latham Springs Retreat Center. The main speaker will be Rev. Jaisen A. Thomas. Please encourage all youths ages 12-35 from our church to attend.
- The price till October 13, 2023 will be \$110. We are encouraging all Trinity Family members to give cheerfully to help support the various costs of the retreat and to keep the retreat in your prayers. Please visit the table in the Sunday School hall for more information.
- To sign-up, you can scan the QR code shown on the flyer or use the link that has been sent out. For more information, contact Grishma Oomman or Shawn Varghese.

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YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Trinity Mar Thoma Church Hosts

2023 SWRYF Regional Retreat


WITNESS

Live in Faith

You will be His witness to all
people of what you have seen
and heard.

Acts 22:15

When: November 17-19, 2023
Where: Latham Springs Camp &
Retreat Center



Scan to Register!

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YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

- The 2nd order of the summer shirts will be in the Sunday School Hall for those who have not yet picked it up. The price is \$15.00 if you have not paid.

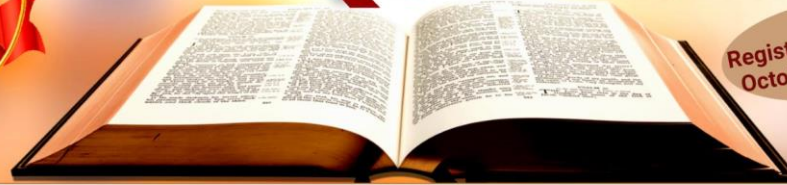


TRINITY MAR THOMA YUVAJANA SAKHYAM HOUSTON

INTER PRAYER GROUP

BIBLE QUIZ 2023

1st Place | 2nd Place



Registration Deadline
October 15th, 2023

BOOK OF JEREMIAH AND GOSPEL ACCORDING TO SAINT MARK - 60%
GENERAL BIBLE QUESTIONS - 20% , MARTHOMA CHURCH HISTORY - 20%

OCTOBER 22, SUNDAY, 2023

11:30 AM



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832-785-5442

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60% of questions will be from the Book of Jeremiah and Gospel according to Saint Mark, 20% from General Bible questions, and 20% from Church History.

For more information

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ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

YUVAJANA SAKHYAM

- The Yuvajana Sakyam Southwest Region Conference and Kalamela will be held on September 30th at Immanuel Mar Thoma Church in Houston.
- The Kalamela will feature various competitions, including solo performances, group song competitions, elocution, Bible reading, painting, and essay writing in both English and Malayalam.
- To participate in individual competition, there will be a charge of \$10.
- For group competitions, the fee is \$20 per team.
- The registration fee for the conference is \$30.
- For any inquiries or further information, please contact Yuvajana Sakyam office bearers.

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

YUVAJANA SAKHYAM

Yuvajana Sakhyam Meeting will be held immediately after the Holy Qurbana on August 27th (Today) ,2023 in the church Balcony upstairs. All Yuvajana Sakhyam Members are kindly requested to participate in this meeting .

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

EDAVAKA MISSION

- The Edavaka Mission cottage prayer meeting is scheduled to be held on Tuesday August 29th at 10:30 am at the residence of Mrs. Chinnamma John, 3123 Wickwood Ct. Pearland, TX 77584. Please plan to attend.
- Edavaka Mission Convention is scheduled to be held from Thursday September 21 to Sunday 24, 2023.
- Evangelist George Cherian will be the main speaker. Please pray for the blessing of the Convention and adjust your schedules to attend the meeting and be blessed.

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

EDAVAKA MISSION



LIGHTED TO LIGHTEN

Guest speaker
BR. GEORGE CHERIAN
Missions India

50

EDAVAKA MISSION CONVENTION
Pray, Prepare, Participate

Sept 2023 **21-24** | Time: 7pm Daily

VENUE: **TRINITY MARTHOMA CHURCH, HOUSTON**
5810 ALMEDA GENOA RD., HOUSTON, TX 77048

For more information, Please contact:

Rev. Sam K. Easow President 832 898 8699	Rev. Jeevan John Vice President 713 408 7394	
Mr. John Kuruvilla Lay Vice President 281 615 7603	Mr. Babu T. George Treasurer 281 723 1606	Mr. Abraham Idiculla Secretary 713 614 9381

ORGANIZATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENT

SEVIKA SANGHOM

- **Bake Sale:** Sevika Sanghom wholeheartedly thanks everyone for your generous support and commitment in various ways during its bake sale on 08/20/23.
- **Sevika Sanghom Day:** This year Sevika Sanghom Day will be observed on the 10th of September. Anyone able to assist with the Sevika Sangom day's special service please contact the secretary.
- **Sevika Sanghom Day offertory collection:** Our Diocesan and Sabha office of Sevika Sanghom needs support for its numerous projects and missions including Balika Bhavan, and Shalem Bhavan. They request our wholehearted contribution through the special collection of the envelopes provided.

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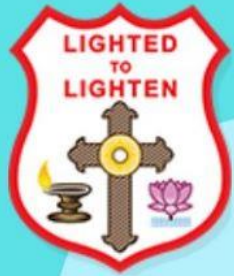
- **Sevika Sanghom Day Special song:** Please join for the practice on 08/27/23 and 09/03/23 after the Holy Communion service in the Sanctuary.
- **House visit:** Sevika Sanghom is planning to do house visits on Sep 5th-7th. Please let the secretary know if any of you are able to join.
- **Meeting and Kalamela.** Instead of the cottage prayer, a monthly meeting will be held on September 16th Saturday 9:30 A.M. followed by Kalamela at 10:30 A.M. at Trinity MTC.

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SEVIKA SANGHOM

Kalamela Elocution topics

1. സ്ത്രീകൾ മാറ്റത്തിന് വഴി ഒരുക്കുന്നവർ Women, the agents of change
2. സ്ത്രീകൾ പുതിയ ലോകത്തിന്റെ മാർഗ്ഗദർശികൾ Women, Mentors of the New World.
3. സ്ത്രീകൾ വിശ്വാസത്തിന്റെ സംരക്ഷകർ. Women, defenders of the faith
4. സ്ത്രീകൾ ദൈവിക രക്ഷയിൽ പങ്കാളികൾ. Women, partners in divine salvation
5. സ്ത്രീകൾ കുടുംബ താളം കാത്തുസൂക്ഷിക്കുന്നവർ. Women, keepers of the family rhythm.



**THE MAR THOMA CHURCH
DIOCESE OF NORTH AMERICA AND EUROPE
SUVISHESHA SEVIKA SANGHOM
SOUTHWEST REGION CENTER B**



PARENTING SEMINAR

LIVING OUT GOD'S PROMISES IN OUR FAMILIES -- Psalm 127:3-5

**Bible Devotional: Mrs. Ani Joji, Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Houston
Resource Person: Mrs. Beena Kalathoor, Occupational Therapist**



**August 28, 2023 at 7:30 PM via Zoom
Meeting ID: 799 998 2537**



**TRINITY MARTHOMA CHURCH
HOUSTON-TX**



Save The Date

**JUBILEE YEAR
FAMILY CONFERENCE
MAY 3-5, 2024**



FOR MORE DETAILS/ REGISTRATION:

REV SAM K EASOW	832 898 8699.	REV. JEEVAN JOHN.	713 408 7394
JOJY JACOB	713 894 7542.	JAIJU KURUVILLA.	281 736 2299
SHAJAN GEORGE.	832 452 4195.	THOMAS MATHEW.	407 718 4805

LIGHT TO LIFE MISSION PROJECT

- We have started to collect sponsorships for the Light to Life Mission Project since Sunday, August 6th.
- \$240 to sponsor One Child in 2024.
 - Please make the check payable to “Trinity Mar Thoma Church” and write “Light to Life” in the memo with your ID Number.
- For more details, please contact Mr. Jojy Jacob or Mr. Shawn Varghese, Coordinators for Light to Life Mission Project, from our Parish.

TRINITY PARISH PICNIC SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2023

- Our Parish Picnic is scheduled for Saturday, September 2nd, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
- Breakfast and BBQ lunch will be served
- In addition, arrangements are being made for various sporting activities for all age groups.
- There is no charge to attend the picnic.
 - However, we need an accurate attendee count to arrange food.
 - Please sign-up to attend
 - Sign-up options: today in person at fellowship Hall
 - Contact – Rajan Gevarghese



PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATE

- We have started the task of updating the Parish Directory.
- The goal is to take pictures of all families by November (Thanksgiving time) and distribute a new parish directory in Q1 2024.
 - Please support this effort
- A few Trinity photographers, led by Mr. Joseph Varghese (Rajan), will take pictures following Church Services on Sundays in the fellowship hall.
 - If you have picture taking skills, please volunteer to help.
- Join us in the Fellowship Hall to begin this effort with prayer.
- Please contact Shajan George or Reji George for additional details.



Condolences

Mr. George P. Abraham, 82 years, [Puthuparambil House, Manganam, Kottayam, Our member and Father of Mr. Jubin George ID# 309, North Shore Prayer group] received the heavenly call last Monday in Manganam, Kerala.

- Funeral was held at Bethel Mar thoma Church, Manganam Kottayam.
- On behalf of the Trinity family, we extend our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family members.
- May God comfort all family members and friends with Divine peace.
- Kindly uphold the family members and friends in our prayers.

- **Offertory - Sunday, August 20: \$ 3,667.20**

- General: \$ 1,334
- Birthday: \$ 1815.20
- Wedding Anniversary: \$ 518

- Today's snacks are sponsored by Raju Thomas and Susan Thomas of North Shore.

- Please continue to pray for our Trinity Parish and all our Golden Jubilee Programs over the next year.

- Have a wonderful new week!