

Worship Service and Lectionary - Sunday, February 4, 2024

- **Malayalam Holy Communion Service at 8:30 AM**
 - *Medical Center and Stella Link Area* will assist the Service
 - Theme: Jesus Christ who Heals (Medical Mission Sunday)
 - Lesson 1: 2 Kings 20:1-11
 - Lesson 2: Acts 14:8-15
 - Epistle: James 5:13-18
 - Gospel: John 9:1-11
- **English Holy Communion Service at 11:30 AM**

Fasting Prayer Meeting

- Friday, February 2, 2024, at 9:30 AM
 - Trinity Mar Thoma Church
 - Stafford Parsonage
- **Area Prayer Meeting**
 - Pasadena: At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Abraham, on Sunday, January 28, at 6:00 PM.

Lenten Prayers



Valiya Nombu begins on Monday, February 12.

- Weekday evening prayers will be held from 7:00 PM to 7:45 PM, from Monday, February 12, to Thursday, March 21.
- These prayers will be held in-person (or on Zoom, if necessary).
- Please contact your Area Committee member, or Sam Achen, or Jeevan Achen, to arrange an evening prayer at your home.
- Available Dates: February 13-14, 20, 26-28 & March 1, 4-7, 11-15, 18-21

Organizational Announcements

- **Youth Fellowship**

- Please join us for Ablaze on Friday, February 2nd, at 6:30 PM, at Trinity Mar Thoma Church.
- All YF members are requested to attend.

- **Sevika Sanghom**

The Annual General Body meeting of Sevika Sanghom will be held at Trinity Mar Thoma Church today - Sunday, January 28th, 2024, after the Holy communion service. All Sevikasanghom members are requested to attend this meeting.

Agenda:

- * 2023 Sevika Sanghom Annual Report.
- * 2023 Sevika Sanghom Annual Audited Accounts.
- * 2024 Sevika Sanghom Proposed Budget.
- * Distribution of prizes for Kalamela winners.
- * AOB with the permission of the Chair

Sheela Mathews

Sevika Sanghom Secretary

The 21st Diocesan Sevika Sanghom Conference will be held from October 3-6, 2024, at the Carmel Center, and hosted by the Mar Thoma Church of Atlanta.

Theme: Live to leave a legacy (Deuteronomy 6:7)

- **Edavaka Mission**

- **MTVEA Southwest Regional Convention**

As we are approaching the Great Lent Season of 2024, the Southwest Region MTVEA is hosting a Shrove Weekend Convention on February 9th Friday and 10th Saturday at 7 PM CST via ZOOM.

Zoom Id 799 998 2537

<https://zoom.us/j/7999982537>

Please mark your calendar and be part of the convention. Rev. Dr. Eappen Varghese, MTVEA Diocesan Vice President and Mr. Varghese Thomas (Sam Mallappally) are the leaders for the convention.

Please pray for the blessing of the Convention and plan to attend.



MTVEA SOUTHWEST REGION
PRESENTS
SHROVE WEEKEND
CONVENTION

2024 FEBRUARY 9 FRIDAY 7:00 PM CST
2024 FEBRUARY 10 SATURDAY 7:00 PM CST

CONVENTION LEADERS
Rev. Dr. Eapen Varghese
(MTVEA Regional President)
and
Mr. Varghese Thomas
(Sam Mallappally)

*Let us prepare our hearts for the Lent Season
You are invited*

Lent starts on Feb 11

*Humble yourselves, therefore,
under the mighty hand of God
so that at the proper time
he may exalt you (1 Peter 5:6)*

Rev. Dr. Eapen Varghese
(President)
Mr. Roby Chelagtri
(Secretary)

Mr Sam Alex
(Vice-President)
Mrs. Shirly Silas
(Treasurer)

ZOOM ID 799 998 2537

Trinity Mar Thoma Church, Houston, Texas
January 28, 2024 – Announcements

- The 11th South West Regional Conference of MTVEA, Sevika Sanghom and Senior Fellowship will be held March 8-9 (Friday & Saturday), 2024.
 - The Conference will be hosted by Mar Thoma Church of Dallas, Farmers Branch.
 - If you need transportation assistance, please notify respective organization secretaries or Edavaka Mission Secretary, Mr. Abraham K. Idiculla.
 - Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.

Senior Fellowship

- Senior Fellowship is arranging a bus tour to 3 states (Missouri, Kentucky, and Alabama).
 - Highlights: Queen Esther Show, Noah's Ark Encounter, Creation Museum and Birmingham Botanical Gardens.
 - All those who are interested, please contact Mr. M T Mathai (713-816-6947) or Mr. Joseph Chemmarappally (832-723-6065)
 - This tour is open to all (and not limited to Senior fellowship members)
 - Tour Date: June 25, 2024
 - Advance Payment (\$250) required on or before January 31, 2024

Trinity Golden Jubilee Chain Prayer – January 2024

Golden Jubilee Prayer cell Chain Prayer will be held tomorrow - Monday, January 29, from 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Please pray for 30 minutes at your scheduled time.
We appreciate and thank you for your dedication, commitment and support.

Trinity Golden Jubilee Sports Tournament

TRINITY MAR THOMA CHURCH GOLDEN JUBILEE SPORTS TOURNAMENT

- As part of our Golden Jubilee celebrations, we are conducting volleyball & basketball tournaments.
- We are finalizing a flyer in connection with these events.
- If you're interested in the sponsorship of this event, please contact Mr. Shajan George or Mr. Reji John by Monday, Jan 29, 2024

**TRINITY MAR THOMA CHURCH
GOLDEN JUBILEE SPORTS TOURNAMENT**

Open to all Churches in Texas

MARCH
02 SAT 03 SUN

TRINITY CENTER
5810 ALMEDA
GENOA RD
HOUSTON
TX- 77048

Cash Prizes & Individual Trophies

01
02 **Maximum 9 Teams**

03 **10 Players per Team**

04 **First Come First Served**

REGISTRATION \$200 / Team

Deadline Feb 24th, Sat

Contact
Reji John (Sports Coordinator) 832 723 7995

FOR GOLDEN JUBILEE COMMITTEE

Rev. Sam K. Easow (Vicar) 832-898-8699
Rev. Jeevan John (Assistant Vicar) 713-408-7334
Shajan George (General Convenor) 832-452-4195
Thomas Mathew (Jeemon) Co-Convenor 832-873-0023
Joji Jacob (Program Convenor) 713-894-7542

Condolences

Dr. Juliet Jacob (94) received the heavenly call in Kerala on Saturday, January 27, 2024.

- She is the mother of Dr. Geetha Suzanna Jacob (from Alief Sugar Land Prayer Group).
- The Funeral was held on Sunday, January 28, at St. Mary's Soonoro Church, Ernakulum.
- On behalf of Trinity Mar Thoma Church, we extend heartfelt condolences to the grieving family.
- May God comfort all family members and friends with Divine peace.

Mr. George Varghese V. (73) received the heavenly call in Kuwait early on Saturday, January 27, 2024.

- He is the brother of Mrs. Jessy John (from Alief Sugar Land Prayer Group).
- Funeral will be held at St. George Orthodox Cathedral, Palayam, Trivandrum.
 - Additional details will be announced later.
- On behalf of Trinity Mar Thoma Church, we extend heartfelt condolences to the grieving family.
- May God comfort all family members and friends with Divine peace.

Offertory - Sunday, January 21: \$ 2,944

General: \$ 1,123

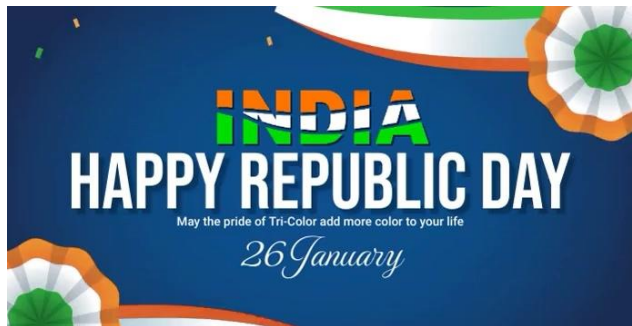
Birthday: \$ 970

Wedding Anniversary: \$ 851

Please join us for snacks in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you to George & Lizy Varghese, from North Houston Prayer Group, for sponsoring snacks.

Pray continue to pray for our Trinity Parish and all Golden Jubilee Year Programs.



Have a wonderful new week!

Sincerely,
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