



2016

ഞാൻ പുതിയ ആകാശവും പുതിയ ഭൂമിയും കണ്ടു. - വെളിപ്പാടു 21:1a And I saw a new heaven and a new earth. - Revelation 21:1a நான் புதிய வானத்தையும் புதிய பூமியையும் கண்டேன். - வெளி 21:1a

Vicar



Rev. C.Y. Thomas Christ Church Parsonage DBRA-61, Near Devaswom Board Jn, Nanthencode, Trivandrum-695 003 Mobile: 94471 76033 Telephone: 2316033 vicar@csichristchurch.org

| Observate Wassalassa | |
|--|--|
| Church Wardens | 0047475000 |
| Mr. John Kurien | 9847175080 |
| Prof. K.V. Thomas | 8547247910 |
| Church Secretary | |
| Mrs. Omana Abraham | 9745692727 |
| Lay Treasurer | |
| Mr. A.J. Thomas | 9447020738 |
| Internal Auditor | |
| Mr. Abraham Mathew | 9847181820 |
| Church Committee Members | |
| Mr. George Ninan | 8289909503 |
| Mr. Godwin Mathew | 9895332868 |
| Mr. Hezekiel V.S. | 9447071185 |
| Mr. M.M. John (Munduparambil) | 9544689029 |
| Mr. Joshy Mathew | 9809788681 |
| Mrs. Laila Jacob | 9446018091 |
| Mr. Luke P.K. | 9495880774 |
| Mr. Mesfin Zachariah Abraham | 9847062108 |
| Ms. Nimmi Rachel Mathew | 9995458461 |
| Mr. Reuben Daniel Koshy | 9895223223 |
| | |
| Mrs. Susan Thomas | 9447751085 |
| | 9447751085 |
| Diocesan Council Members | |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew | 9447054335 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip | 9447054335 9846065640 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph Rev. Joseph Samuel | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 8281291203 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph Rev. Joseph Samuel Rev. Dr. George Joseph | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 8281291203 9447452473 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph Rev. Joseph Samuel Rev. Dr. George Joseph Rev. A. Viswasaraj (Tamil) Church Staff | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 8281291203 9447452473 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph Rev. Joseph Samuel Rev. Dr. George Joseph Rev. A. Viswasaraj (Tamil) Church Staff Mr. Aji George Jacob Mr. S. Samuel (Joy) | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 8281291203 9447452473 9495349325 |
| Diocesan Council Members Mrs. Mary Mathew Mr. Renju Philip Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. Suku C. Oommen Mrs. Susan Ebby Dr. N.O. Varghese Senior Presbyters Very. Rev. Mathew Mathew Rev. Dr. Jacob Verghis Rev. Mathai John Rev. M.P. Joseph Rev. Joseph Samuel Rev. Dr. George Joseph Rev. A. Viswasaraj (Tamil) Church Staff Mr. Aji George Jacob | 9447054335 9846065640 9447303524 9447059920 9447890411 9847065697 2559965 2432560 9447958556 9539335580 8281291203 9447452473 9495349325 |

Tidings

July 2016

| | | — 、 | JUL | Y — | | |
|----|----|------------|-----|-----|----|----|
| Su | Ho | Tυ | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| | | | | 14 | | |
| | | | | 21 | | |
| | | | | 28 | | |
| 31 | | | | | | |

Editorial Board

Rev. C.Y. Thomas Mr. John Kurien Mr. Saji Sam George Mr. M M John Mr. Renju Philip Mrs. Susan Ebby Mr. Godwin Mathew Mr. Ebby Kuruvila Mr. A.J. Thomas Mr. Soman John



CSI CHRIST CHURCH

(Diocese Of Madhya Kerala)

Palayam Trivandrum

Telephone: 2305902 Office: 2726033

Email:office@csichristchurch.org www.csichristchurch.org

Online Edition - http://tidings.csichristchurch.org

Vicar's Reflections

Greetings to you in the precious name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

"I am the gate, whoever enters through me will be saved." (John10:9)

To understand the full significance of these words of Jesus, we must look back to that famous event in the Old Testament when God met with His servant Moses at the burning bush. In that encounter with God, Moses asked Him to reveal His name, and this God did. However, the name, when given, appeared to be vague and confusing. God said, "I am who I am" (Exodus 3:14). The name seemed to go out like a boomerang and double back on itself, "I am who I am". This great name of God seemed never to have a clear definition. The nearest we can get to interpreting is in the words, "The ever present One".

Now here in this passage we find Jesus taking that name of God. "I am the gate" he says. It might not have been possible for the Old Testament saints to fully understand the meaning of the august title God revealed to Moses, "I am who I am", but now all that is changed. Jesus takes that vague name of God and gives it clear identity by stating that He is a "gate", a "shepherd", a "light", and so forth. "I am the good shepherd", He says (John 10:14). "I am the Light of the world" (John 8:12). "I am the way, and the truth and the life" (John 14:16)

Through Jesus, the great name of God, "I am", no longer swings back upon itself, but opens out into the most wonderful, the most exciting of all revelations, that He is the only way by which men and women can know and understand God. Christ took the most complicated name in the Old Testament and linked it to the most ordinary objects of life. And by doing so, He showed us what God is really like.

May the Spirit of God help us to understand and experience this wonderful God.

Yours in His service,

C.Y. Thomas Achen

കർത്താവിൻ പ്രീയരേ,

യേശുക്രിസ്തുവിന്റെ നിസ്തുല്യനാമത്തിൽ സ്നേഹവന്ദനം.

"ഞാൻ വാതിലാകുന്നു; എന്നിലൂടെ കടക്കുന്നവൻ രക്ഷപെടും". യോഹ. 10:9

യോഹന്നാന്റെ സുവിശേഷത്തിൽ "ഞാനാകുന്നു" എന്നേശു പറഞ്ഞ വാകൃങ്ങളുടെ പൂർണ്ണമായ അർത്ഥം ഗ്രഹിക്കണമെങ്കിൽ, പുറപ്പാട് പുസ്തകത്തിൽ എരിയുന്ന മുൾപ്പടർപ്പിലൂടെ ദൈവം മോശെയ്ക്കു വെളിപ്പെട്ട ആ മഹത്തായ സംഭവത്തിലേക്ക് ഒന്നു തിരിഞ്ഞു നോക്കേണ്ടത് ആവശ്യമാണ്. തനിക്കു വെളിപ്പെട്ട ദൈവത്തിന്റെ പേരെന്ത് എന്ന് മോശെ ദൈവത്തോടു ചോദിച്ചു. ഞാനാകുന്നവൻ ഞാനാകുന്നു. എന്ന മറുപടിയാണ് മോശെയ്ക്ക് ലഭിച്ചത്. പുറ. 3:14. ദൈവത്തിന്റെ ഈ നാമം ചിന്താക്കുഴപ്പം ഉണ്ടാക്കുന്നതും അവ്യക്തവുമാണ്. അയച്ച സ്ഥലത്തേക്കു പോയി, അതേ സ്ഥലത്തേക്ക് മടങ്ങിവരുന്നു. "ബൂമറാങ്ങ്" പോലെയാണ് "ഞാനാകുന്നവൻ ഞാനാകുന്നു" എന്നു പറയുന്നത്. ദൈവത്തിന്റെ അതിശ്രേഷ്ഠമായ ഈ നാമത്തിന് വ്യക്തമായ ഒരു നിർവ്വചനം നൽകുക പ്രയാസമാണ്. "എപ്പോഴും അഥവാ എന്നുമുള്ള സാന്നിദ്ധ്യവും' എന്ന വ്യാഖ്യാനമാണ് ഈ വാക്കുകൾക്ക് ഏറ്റവും യോജിച്ചത്.

മോശെയ്ക്ക് വെളിപ്പെട്ട ഈ ദൈവനാമമാണ് യേശു സ്വീകരിച്ചത്. ഈ അർത്ഥ്തതിലാണ് ഞാൻ വാതിലാകുന്നു എന്നേശു പറഞ്ഞത്. മോശെയ്ക്കു വെളിപ്പെട്ട ദൈവനാമത്തിന്റെ പൂർണ്ണമായ അർത്ഥം പഴയനിയമ കാലഘട്ടത്തിൽ മനസ്സിലാക്കുവാൻ കഴിഞ്ഞിരുന്നില്ല. ഞാൻ വാതിലാകുന്നു, ഞാൻ ഇടയനാകുന്നു, ഞാൻ വെളിച്ചമാകുന്നു എന്നേല്ലാം യേശു പ്രസ്താവിച്ചതിലൂടെ മോശെയ്ക്ക് വെളിപ്പെട്ട അവ്യക്തമായ ദൈവനാമത്തിന് വ്യക്തത നൽകുകയായിരുന്നു. യേശു പറഞ്ഞു: ഞാൻ നല്ല ഇടയനാകുന്നു (യോഹ. 10:14), ഞാൻ ലോകത്തിന്റെ വെളിച്ചമാകുന്നു. യോഹ. 8:12; ഞാൻ തന്നെ വഴിയും സത്യവും ജീവനുമാകുന്നു (യോഹ. 14:16).

"ഞാനാകുന്നവൻ" എന്ന അത്ഭുതകരവും അതൃന്തം ആവേശകര വുമായ ദൈവനാമം യേശുക്രിസ്തുവിലൂടെ മാത്രമെ മനുഷ്യർക്ക് മനസ്സിലാക്കുവാൻ സാധിക്കുകയുള്ളൂ. ജീവിതത്തിലെ സാധാരണ വസ്തുതകളുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെടുത്തി പഴയനിയമത്തിലെ സങ്കീർണ്ണമായ ദൈവനാമം യേശു സ്വജീവിതത്തിലൂടെ വ്യക്തമാക്കി. തന്മൂലം, ദൈവം യഥാർത്ഥ്യത്തിൽ എന്താണെന്ന് യേശുവിലൂടെ മനുഷ്യർക്ക് വ്യക്തമായി മനസ്സിലാക്കുവാൻ സാധിച്ചു.

് അത്ഭുതവാനായ ദൈവത്തെ ജീവിതത്തിൽ മനസ്സിലാക്കുന്ന തിനും രുചിച്ചറിയുന്നതിനും, ദൈവത്തിന്റെ ആത്മാവും നമ്മെ സഹായിക്കട്ടെ.

> നിങ്ങളുടെ സ്നേഹമുള്ള, സി.വൈ. തോമസച്ചൻ

Guidelines for Paying Monthly Subscriptions

Monthly Subscriptions may be paid by any of the following methods:

- 1. Through the Sexton or Peon, as is being done so far.
- 2. At the Church Counter, specially intended for collecting monthly subscriptions, in front of the Church.
- 3. Directly at the Church Office.
- 4. The amount may be put in a cover, with full details such as the names, ID Nos., amounts and periods for which the subscriptions are made, and the addresses of the members, and the cover may be dropped in the offertory bag during the Church services. In such cases, the receipts can be collected on the next Sunday from the Church counter.

Monthly Subscriptions, as well as all other contributions and dues should be made only through one of the above methods, and receipts should be obtained.

For Christ Church Committee
Church Wardens

NEW INTERFACE WITH THE PARISHIONERS

Suggestions for improvement of Parish activities, including those of the Church Organisations, can be mailed to the email ID: suggestions@csichristchurch.org by members of the Congregation.



വാർത്തകളും കുറിപ്പുകളും

ഇക്കോളജി ഫോറം – ലോക പരിസ്ഥിതി ദിനം

ലോകപരിസ്ഥിതി ദിനത്തോടനുബന്ധിച്ച് 6-6-2016 രാവിലെ 9.30 മണി മുതൽ 12 മണി വരെ, ഇക്കോളജി ഫോറത്തിന്റെ ഒരു പ്രോഗ്രാം നടത്തപ്പെട്ടു. Church Cleaning, Beautification, Waste disposal, Water harvesting and Solar Energy utilisation എന്നിവയെക്കുറിച്ച് വിശദമായ ചർച്ച ചെയ്യപ്പെട്ടു. കൂടാതെ പള്ളി കോമ്പൗണ്ടിൽ വിവിധങ്ങളായ വൃക്ഷതൈകൾ നടുകയും ചെയ്തു.

രജതജൂബിലി – പേരൂർക്കട ഏരിയാ പ്രേയർ ഗ്രൂപ്പ്

പേരൂർക്കട ഏരിയാ പ്രേയർ ഗ്രൂപ്പിന്റെ രജതജൂബിലി വിവിധ പരിപാടികളോടു കൂടി 11-6-2016 ശനിയാഴ്ച വൈകിട്ട് 4.30 മണി മുതൽ നടത്തപ്പെട്ടു. നമ്മുടെ ഇടവക വികാരി റവ. സി.വൈ. തോമസ് പ്രധാന ദൂത് നൽകി. അതിന്റെ സംക്ഷിപ്തരൂപം താഴെ ചേർക്കുന്നു. കൂട്ടായ്മയെ ക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള ചിന്തകളാണ് അച്ചൻ പങ്കുവെച്ചത് (1 John 13). അതിന്റെ അർത്ഥങ്ങൾ പങ്കുവക്കുക, ദൈവവുമായുള്ള സംസർഗ്ഗം, സഖിത്വം, പാർട്ണർഷിപ്പ് തുടങ്ങിയവയാണ്.

1. ദൈവവുമായുള്ള കൂട്ടായ്മ

നോഹയുടെ ജീവിതപ്രവർത്തനങ്ങൾ ഉദ്ധരിച്ചുകൊണ്ട്, ദൈവഹിതമനുസരിച്ച് പ്രവർത്തിക്കുവാൻ ഉദ്ബോധിപ്പിച്ചു. ദൈവത്തെ സ്നേഹിക്കുന്നവർ സഹമനുഷ്യരെയും പരിസ്ഥിതിയേയും സഹജീവികളേയും സ്നേഹിക്കും.

2. ക്രിസ്തുവുമായുള്ള കൂട്ടായ്മ

യോഹന്നാന്റെ സുവിശേഷം 15-ൽ മുന്തിരിവള്ളിയും കൊമ്പു കളും തമ്മിലുള്ള ബന്ധത്തെ ആസ്പദമാക്കി മനുഷ്യനും ദൈവവും തമ്മിലുള്ള അഭേദ്യമായ ബന്ധമാണ് കൂട്ടായ്മ (Mystical Union).

3. വിശ്വാസികൾ തമ്മിലുള്ള കൂട്ടായ്മ

ഇതു വെളിവാക്കുന്ന വേദഭാഗം അപ്പോ: പ്രവൃത്തികൾ 2:36–47 വരെയുള്ള വാക്യങ്ങൾ.

കൂട്ടായ്മ ഇല്ലാതാക്കുന്ന 4 കാര്യങ്ങൾ

- 1. ലോകത്തോടുള്ള അമിതാസക്തി
- 2. സായസംതൃപ്തി

- 3. രഹസ്യപാപങ്ങൾ
- 4. ആത്മീയ ജീവിതത്തിലെ അവഗണന.

Clergy Conference

ജൂൺ മാസം 13-ാം തീയതി തിങ്കളാഴ്ച രാവിലെ 10 മണി മുതൽ അടൂർ ജില്ലാ Clergy Conference, നമ്മുടെ പള്ളിയിൽ വച്ച് നടത്തപ്പെട്ടു. പട്ടക്കാർ, ചർച്ച് വർക്കേഴ്സ്, ജില്ലാ സംഘടനാ സെക്രട്ടറിമാർ, ഹെൽപ്പേഴ്സ്, നമ്മുടെ കമ്മിറ്റി അംഗങ്ങളിൽ ചിലർ എന്നിവർ പങ്കെടുത്തു. നമ്മുടെ ഇടവക വികാരിയും, ഡിസ്ട്രിക്ട് ചെയർമാനുമായ റവ. സി.വൈ. തോമസിന്റെ അദ്ധ്യക്ഷതയിൽ വിവിധ സംഘടനകളുടെ ഡിസ്ട്രിക്ട് തലത്തിലുള്ള പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾ നിശ്ചയിക്കുകയും ചെയ്തു. ഇതാദ്യമായിട്ടാണ് ക്രൈസ്റ്റ് ചർച്ചിലെ ഇടവക വികാരി ഡിസ്ട്രിക്ട് ചെയർമാൻ ആകുന്നത്. സഭയുടെ അഭിനന്ദനങ്ങൾ !!

നന്തൻകോട് പ്രാർത്ഥനാ കൂട്ടായ്മ – സുവർണ്ണ ജൂബിലി

നന്തൻകോട് പ്രാർത്ഥനാ കൂട്ടായ്മയുടെ സുവർണ്ണജൂബിലി സ്മരണിക എന്ന ഗ്രന്ഥം വിതരണം ചെയ്യപ്പെട്ടു. നമ്മുടെ സഭയിലെ എല്ലാ അംഗങ്ങൾക്കും പ്രയോജനപ്പെടുന്ന വിധത്തിൽ ആത്മീയ വിഷയങ്ങൾക്ക് പ്രാധാന്യം നൽകി, മറ്റ് അനേകം വിഷയങ്ങളും ഇതിൽ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിരിക്കുന്നു. കോപ്പികൾ ആവശ്യമുള്ളവർ റെജി ഈശോ ചെറിയാനുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെടുക. മൊബൈൽ : 9447116426

ഓമന എബ്രഹാം (സെക്രട്ടറി)

Organizations Corner

Christ Church Sunday School – Parent Teacher Meeting

The Parent teacher Meeting of Christ Church Sunday School was held on 18th June 2016 from 5 PM to 7 PM. 35 Teachers, 40 Parents and a few students attended the meeting. Our Vicar Rev. C. Y. Thomas delivered a message on the theme for the year – "Be Transformed to Transfer". He insisted on the need for sending students to the Sunday School. The Programme Schedule for the Sunday School 2016 was presented. Parents and Teachers actively participated in the discussions that followed. The meeting was a very fruitful experience for the participants.

| Almanac | | | | | |
|------------|--|--|-----------------------------|--|--|
| 01-07-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday | | |
| 03-07-2016 | 7 th Sunday after Pentece Stewardship Sunday Giving without Counting കാര്വവിചാരകത്വ ഞായർ – OT : Genesis 13:8-18 Psalm : 15 7.30 a.m. Combined Service 6.00 p.m. Evening Worship | the Cost വില പരിഗണിക Epistle : 2 Coi Gospel : Mark e (H.E) | r. 8:1-15 k 14:3-11 | | |
| 06-07-2016 | H.E. (English) | 6.00 p.m. | Wednesday | | |
| 08-07-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday | | |
| 10-07-2016 | 8 th Sunday after Penteco Theological Education S Theological Education : ຄຄາເຄີອດມີຄຸວຄຸວໜ _ໍ : വിശ്യ OT : Joshua 4:1-9 Psalm : 1 7.30 a.m. Combined Servic (Annual General Body Mee 6.00 p.m. H.E. at Zenana C | unday Making of the ໜັຫຄວ വാർതെ Epistle : 1 Tim Gospel : Matt e (H.E.) ting) | നടുക്കുക 1. 6:11-16 | | |
| 13-07-2016 | H.E. (English) | 6.00 p.m. | Wednesday | | |
| 15-07-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday | | |
| 17-07-2016 | 9 th Sunday after Pentece Ordained Ministry: Frace പട്ടത്വശുശ്രൂഷ – ക്രിസ്ത OT: Exodus 29:1-9 Psalm 99 6.15 a.m. Matins (Tamil) 7.15 a.m. H.E. (English) 9.45 a.m. H.E. (Malayalam) 6.00 p.m. Evening Worship | jrance of Chris ുവിന്റെ സൗരഭ്യ Epistle : Eph. Gospel : Luke | വാസന 5:1-14 e 10:1-11 | | |
| 20-07-2016 | H.E. (English) | 6.00 p.m. | Wednesday | | |
| 22-07-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday | | |
| 24-07-2016 | 10 th Sunday after Pented Marriage: Lasting Life (ເປີເປັນດາດ): ເຫັຕາລາເໜືອເຖື OT: Genesis 29:1-20 Psalm: 128 6.15 a.m. Matins (Tamil) 7.15 a.m. Matins (English) 9.45 a.m. H.E. (Malayalam) 7.00 a.m. H.E. at Zion Hall 6.00 p.m. Evening Worship | of Love ຜາຜ <u>າ</u> ຫຂາໝ ຫາເອີ Epistle : Heb. Gospel : Matt | 13:1-6 . 19:3-9 | | |

| 27-07-2016 | H.E. (English) | 6.00 p.m. | Wednesday |
|------------|--|--|-----------|
| 29-07-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday |
| 31-07-2016 | 11th Sunday after Pentec Baptism : Born from Ab ബപ്തിസ്മ : ഉയരത്തിൽ നി OT : Genesis 8:1-14 Psalm : 25 6.15 a.m. Matins (Tamil) 7.15 a.m. H.E. (English) 9.45 a.m. H.E. (Malayalam) 6.00 p.m. Evening Worship | ove നും ജനിച്ചതു Epistle : Col. (Gospel : Johr | า 3:1-8 |
| 03-08-2016 | H.E. (English) | 6.00 p.m. | Wednesday |
| 05-08-2016 | H.E. (Malayalam) | 7.30 a.m. | Friday |
| 07-08-2016 | 12th Sunday after Pented Almaya Sunday Living Sacrifice OT: Genesis 22:1-10 Psalm: 51 6.15 a.m. H.E. (Tamil) 7.15 a.m. H.E. (English) 9.45 a.m. H.E. (Malayalam) 6.00 p.m. Evening Worship | Epistle : Rom. Gospel : Luke | 9:23-26 |

Roster For Reading Lessons

| FN | GU | ISH |
|----|----|-----|
| | αь | |

| LITALIOIT | | |
|------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Date | First Lesson | Second Lesson |
| 03-07-2016 | Combined | Service |
| 10-07-2016 | Combined | Service |
| 17-07-2016 | Mr. Vinod Das Mathew | Mrs. Mary Mathew |
| 24-07-2016 | Mr. A.G. Abraham | Mrs. Preethi Koshie |
| 31-07-2016 | Dr. Ebenezer Rajakumar | Mrs. Raena Thomas |
| 07-08-2016 | Alamaya | Sunday |

MALAYALAM

| Date | First Lesson | Second Lesson | |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 03-07-2016 | Combined | Service | |
| 10-07-2016 | Combined Service | | |
| 17-07-2016 | Mr. V.S. Samuel | Mrs. Reena Kurian | |
| 24-07-2016 | Dr. Thomas Abraham | Mrs. Rosamma Samuel | |
| 31-07-2016 | Prof. K.V. Thomas | Mrs. Santhamma Mathew | |
| 07-08-2016 | Almaya Sunday | | |

Programme for July

All Sundays

Sunday School 8 AM
Bible Study (Youth Fellowship) – After
the English Service
Prayer Meeting (Almaya Fellowship) –
After the Malayalam Service
Hindi Service at Centenary Hall – 4.30 PM

All Fridays

Intercessory Prayer - 10.00 AM Choir Practice (English) - 5.00 PM

All Saturdays

Intercessory Prayer (Youth Fellowship) - 4.30 P M
Choir Practice (Junior Choir) - 4.30 PM

Choir Practice (Malayalam) - 5.00 PM

• 12th - Tuesday

Prison Visit – (Women's Fellowship) – 2 PM

• 16th – Saturday

Bible Study (Women's Fellowship) – 3.30 PM

- 22nd Friday Visiting the Sick (Golden Age Fellowship) – 9 AM
- 23rd Saturday

House Visit (Women's Fellowship) - 10 AM

• 26th - Tuesday

Prison Visit (Women's Fellowship) 2 PM

Marriages

Mr. Akash Kurian John S/o Mr. Kurian P John and Mrs. Leelamma John, Parakkattil, Cotton Hill Road, Trivandrum and **Miss. Thara Thankam David** D/o (Late) Mr. David Solomon and Mrs. Lovely David, Kolath House, Chittazha, Vattappara, Trivandrum on 28th May 2016 in this Church

Mr. Godwin Mathew S/o Mr. Mathew K J and Mrs. Rosamma Mathew, Kochuparambil House, Swagath Nagar, Vattiyoorkavu P O and **Miss. Aneena Balson**, D/o Mr. P G Balson and Mrs. Mary Balson, Thekkeparambil House, Arakkulam P O, Thodupuzha on 27th June 2016 in this Church

Participation in CSI MKD Bicentenary Projects Finance Campaign

Members of the Congregation who have not yet contributed to the Bicentenary Thanksgiving Celebrations are once again requested to support the finance campaign and contribute to the Bicentenary Projects of the Diocese at the earliest.

Vicar

| Area | Prayer | Meeting | S |
|------|--------|---------|---|
| | | | |

| Time | Area | Name | New ID | Page No. | Phone |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|---------|----------|----------|
| 03-07-2016 | Sundav | | | | |
| 3.00 PM | Kowdiar- Kurav. | Mr. C. Thomas Varghese | T- 032 | 128 | 2434056 |
| 4.30 PM | Pongum-Sreeka. | Mr. Thomas Stephen | T-063 | 448 | 2591562 |
| 4.30 PM | Kesavadasapuram | Mr. V. Sam James | S-018 | 54 | 2534062 |
| 08-07-2016 | | | | | |
| 4.30 PM | Nanthencode | Mr. Thomas T. Kunjummen | T-046 | 89 | 2311800 |
| | Saturday | | | | 0054500 |
| 4.30 PM | PTP Nagar–Vatti. | Mr. Jasac Ariat | J- 059 | 507 | 2351732 |
| 10-07-2016 | | Mar Jaha Mathaus | 1 440 | 400 | 0440700 |
| 4.30 PM | Med. Coll.–Kanna. | Mr. John Mathew | J- 119 | 183 | 2449702 |
| 4.00 PM | Peroorkada | Mr. Roy Philip | R- 062 | | 2432808 |
| 4.30 PM 17-07-201 6 | Poojappura-Karam | Mr. P.T. Prasad | P-034 | 09 | 07452751 |
| 4.30 PM | PongumSreeka. | Mr. P.J. George | G-065 | 464 | 2551864 |
| 4.00 PM | Peroorkada | Mr. Philip Mathen | P- 022 | 338 | 2437459 |
| | 6 Wednesday | wii. i iiiip watien | 1 - 022 | 330 | 2437433 |
| 4.30 PM | Pattom-Plamoodu | Mr. P.C. Varghese | V-016 | 301 | 2443671 |
| 24-07-2016 | | Will 1.0. Vargiloco | V 010 | 001 | 2110071 |
| 4.00 PM | Peroorkada | Mrs. Annamma Abraham | A-102 | 374 | 2372830 |
| 4.30 PM | Med. Coll. Kannam | Mr. John James | J-102 | 194 | 2440767 |
| 25-07-2016 | Monday | | | | |
| 5.00 PM | Palayam-Vazhu. | Mrs. Remany Punnen | R - 039 | 264 | 2326587 |
| 28-07-2016 | S Thursday | · | | | |
| 4.30 PM | Palayam-Vazhu- | Mrs. Kunjukunjamma | K-025 | 260 | 2323661 |
| 31-07-2016 | • | | | | |
| 4.00 PM | Peroorkada | Mr. Benjamin George | B-014 | 396 | 2432545 |
| 4.30 PM | Nanthencode | Mr. Joseph George | J-161 | 237 | 2318734 |
| 4.30 PM | Pattom-Plamoodu | Mrs. Nissy John | N-010 | 304 | 2449272 |

Baptism

AHANA GEORGE, D/o Mr. George Joseph and Mrs. Praseedha, Karimbil, Kowdiar P O, Trivandrum on 29th May 2016 - DOB September 28, 2015.

Manna Elsa Mathew, D/o Mr. K. Mathen Mathew and Mrs. Merimol P.I. Kayalakakathu - Elzabad, Law College Road, Trivandrum 695033 on 18th June 2016 - DOB 16th May 2016.

SARAH ALEYAMMA SONY, D/o Mr. Sony Alex Abraham and Mrs. Rejoice Aleyamma Abraham Naduviledath, Kavalloor Lane, Vattiyoorkavu P O. Trivandrum on 25th June 2016 - DOB 6th April 2016

| Co | ntril | outions | |
|--|-------------------------|--|---------------------|
| TIDINGS:DOANTIONS From 25 May to June 27 2016 | | Mr Binu Joseph Mr. P C Varghese | 500 200 |
| MEDICAL HELP Mr Mathew John | 500 | PARKAL ORPHANAGE Dr. Y A Ajith | 3,000 |
| MARRIAGE HELP Mr. Philip John Varghese FOOD FOR THE NEEDY | 1,000 | CHARKARI MISSION Mr Binu Joseph Mr. P C Varghese | 500 200 |
| Mr. Nithin J Cherian Mrs & Mr M Y Rao | 10,000 | Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph VELLORE MISSION Mr. Riggy Loseph | 1,000 500 |
| Dr Anna Varkey Mr. P A Roy Mrs. Annamma T George | 1,000 5,000 1,000 | Mr Binu Joseph CITY MISSION Mr. Reji Luke | 2,000 |
| Mr. P A Roy Mrs. Annamma T George Mrs. Elizabeth Varkey Mrs. Mary John Liza Anna Isaac | 1,000 2,000 1,000 | Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph THANK OFFERTORY | 1,000 |
| Dr Rebekka Thomas Mr. George Cherian Mrs. Susan Abraham | 1,000 1,500 1,000 | Mr. Vivek P Chandy Mrs Jasmin Mani ANDHRA MISSION | 1,000 1,000 |
| A well wisher Mrs. Rema Joseph | 500 2,000 | Akshy Ajith Mr. Varkey John | 3,000 1,000 |
| Mr. Easow Kurien Mrs. Rebecca D Alex Mr. A S Thomas | 1,000 500 1,000 | Mr. P C Varghese Mr Binu Joseph Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph | 200 500 1,000 |
| Mr C D Kurien Mr. T K Mathew Mr C C Cheriankunju | 1,000 500 500 | UTTARANJAL MISSION Mrs. Annamma T George Mr Binu Joseph | 1,000 500 |
| A well wisher Mr. Varkey John Mr. Ajith jacob | 500 1,000 1,000 | Mr. P C Varghese Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph | 200 |
| Mrs. Marykutty Abraham Mr. Jacob Koshy Mr. Bejov G John | 500 500 2,000 | KUTTANAD MISSION Mr Binu Joseph Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph | 500 1,500 |
| Mr. Laji Wilson Mr. Jibu D Solomon Mr Saju George | 1,000 3,000 2,000 | MALAYORA MISSION Mr. P C Varghese THOTTAPRADESH MISSION | 200 |
| A well wisher Mr. George Thomas Mr Vijumon M J | 14,000 500 500 | Mr. Varkey John Mr Binu Joseph Mr. P C Varghese | 1,000 500 200 |
| Mr Pil John Mr. P.C. Varghese | 500 1,000 | MYSORE MISSION Mrs. Annie George Varghese Mr Binu Joseph | 500 500 |
| CHURCH MAINTENANCE Mr. P. C Varghese HOME OF LOVE-GIRLS/ BOYS | 400 | Mr. P C Varghese Mrs. Santha Mary Joseph | 200 1,000 |
| Pattom Area prayer Mrs. Sheeba Anu Tharian | 1,000 2,500 | BIBLE SOCIETY Mr. John Mathew Mr. P C Varghese | 1,000 300 |
| Mrs. Sheeba Anu Tharian Mr Binu Joseph PARKAL ORPHANAGE | 2,500 500 | OTHERS Mr. P C Varghese(Deaf School,Tvla Mr. P C Varghese(Deaf School,Ado | a) 500 or) 500 |
| Mr Binu Joseph PARKAL JENGEDU MISSION | 500 | Mr.P C varghese(Sponsor a child. <i>F</i> Mr. P C Varghese(KUTS) | AI/FeI)600 300 |
| Palayam Area Prayer Palayam Area Prayer Mrs. Annie George Varghese | 680 1,400 500 | Mr. P C Varghese (Prison Ministry Mr P C Varghese (Almaya Fel-unifo CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS | r) 300 orm) 300 |
| Mrs. Annamma T George Mr Roy Philip | 1,000 600 | Mr P C Varghese (Choir) Mr P C Varghese (Women's Fellow | 300 vship) 300 |

A Tribute to Rev. Dr. K.C. Abraham



The Rev. Dr. K.C. Abraham, Cherukara (80), brother of our members, Mr. C.A. Abraham (ID A-030) and Mrs. Achamma Koshy (ID K-018) passed away on 12th June 2016, and the funeral was held at St. Mark's Cathedral, Bengaluru, on 14th June 2016.

K.C. Abraham Achen served as our first Asst. Vicar during 1964-65, just after his ordination.

Achen is respected and remembered for his significant contributions in the fields of Theology, Mission and Ecumenism, and Ecology, and was the author of books on Christian Ethics, Church and Society, Ecology, Mission, and other contemporary issues. He served as Professor and Principal of United Theological College, Bengaluru, Presbyter-in-charge of St. Mark's Cathedral, Director of the Ecumenical Christian Centre (ECC), Bengaluru, and was a former Director of the South Asian Theological Research Institute.

Achen last preached in our Church on 2nd May 2016 in a marriage service.

Christ Church fondly remembers his ministry in our Church and all over the world, and we convey our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family members. Our Church Secretary paid floral tributes to Achen during his funeral service. Let us uphold Kochamma, children and other family members in our prayers.

The **Zonal Bicentenary Celebrations** including Adoor District, is to be held at Mavelikara on 24th August 2016. Members of the congregation are requested to set apart this day for attending the celebrations at Christ Church, Mavelikara. Please uphold this event in your prayers.

Vicar

THE TUG OF LOVE

Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if any man hears my voice and open the door, I will come in to him, and eat with him and he with me (Revelation.3.20. (RSV)

The book of Revelation contains the letters to the 7 churches, which is recorded in chapters 2&3. The seven churches include the whole Church from the time of Christ to the end [the second coming of Christ]. All these 7 messages to the 7 churches are given directly by the Lord Jesus Christ Himself. The above verse is given to the seventh church, the church in Laodicea. This is a very important and precious message as it comes in the last book of the Bible as a part of the last message to the last church and its meaning is, 'I (the Omnipotent GOD) can enter in (into the human heart) if (only if) you open the door (show me the willingness) to receive'.

A twelve year old boy accepted Jesus as his personal Saviour. The next day he shared his experience with his school friends. They questioned him. Did you hear God talk? 'No', he answered. Did you have a vision? Still he said, 'No'. Then how do you know it was God? They continued to probe. The boy thought for a moment and then he said, 'It's like when you catch a fish. I go with my father for fishing. When you catch the fish, you do not see the fish, you can't hear the fish, but you know you have caught it because you feel it tugging on the line. I feel God tugging in my heart'..

Often we try to figure out life by what we see or hear. But everything cannot be perceived or explained by the senses. When faith shoots up and we hold on to Jesus we sense something happening within us. The precious presence of the beloved Master is genuinely felt. It is an experience beyond explanation. He is only happy to ensure His presence in our humble hearts.

God sends us little jerks while in our life's pathway to remind our souls of his unfailing love. A verse from the Word or a line of a song suddenly arrests us, as a divine touch on our soul that demands us to halt. It makes us pause amidst our busy schedule, to stop and to think!

Yes! It is the Master's knock at our heart!

'Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, Pleading for you and for me, Why should we linger and heed not His mercies, Mercies for you and for me. Come home, come home, Ye who are weary, come home, Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, Calling for you and for me.'

Mrs. Elizabeth Matthew (ID M-076)

ORDAINED MINSTRY: FRAGRANCE OF CHRIST

Rev. Joseph Samuel, KUT Seminary, Trivandrum

Quite often, within the frame work of certain definitions, pastoral ministry of the people of God has been explained to the pew as a peculiar kind of involvement of particular section of the church. Such depictions strategically create and sustain divisions within the wider community of Christian faith. Anything that makes partition within the community and Christian movement cannot be considered as a theological and biblically motivated spiritual tendency either in the form of idea or implication. Moreover, definitions are temporary working outlines only to explore more from one phase to another phase of reality. For faith community life is a process of defining ourselves in terms of faith in the Triune God and our commitment to the Mission of God. We need to constantly explain and narrate ourselves, the significance and essentiality of our being as Christian, for our selfunderstanding in order to attempt to comprehend the imminence of the otherwise transcendent reality of God-head. Our efforts to translate and experience the reality of Triune God are simultaneously explicating ourselves for us and for others. Divine revelations in both the Holy Scripture and our living environments directly communicate to our thought-world and thinking process. Therefore, as we live as the faithful ones, we are to struggle every moment to define ourselves in relation to who we are and what we ought to.

Certain people in the church are called to commit themselves for the ordained ministry, or more specifically, for the priestly duties of the church .Anglo-Saxon word "priest" comes from the Latin noun "pontifix". Of course, this is a designative noun and sign assigning a particular position for an individual in a social or religious system. The meaning

of the word is translated as 'a bridge-builder'. This understanding sheds more light on the concept of priesthood not as someone who confines himself/herself to the altar of the sanctuary, but as someone who tries to extend themselves to others. A bridge built over the river not only conjoins both of its shores but allows itself the exchange and movement of people, ideas and culture. Therefore a bridge is more than a bridge. Priestly responsibilities as part of the pastoral ministry of the church revitalize the relationship aspect of the faith community with Triune God, World and with others. The aim of the pastoral ministry of the people of the Lord is to equip the faith community in the values of the Kingdom of God and in the understanding of God's mission.

Ordained ministry of the people of God is part of the wiser pretext of the ministry of the Church. Here the community or the Church as macro-organism decides the nature and character of the ministry. Ministry is the 'activity' that gives life to the values and principles of the Church. Ministry of church, in any form and content, is a translation of the saving activity of the Triune God in this world. Ordination is a sacramental ceremony where the power of the Holy Spirit is invoked on the ministerial candidate, in a liturgical context of worship and Eucharist, not elevate him/her to certain offices of prestige, power and privilege, rather to submit oneself to the self-denying process of taking up the Cross of Christ to serve the world and God's people for the extension of the Kingdom of God. Generally, we tend to see people entering in the ordained ministry as part their upward career mobility and socio-economic suppleness in the community and society. Social acceptance and identity dignity of any person has to be recognized by the wider community as part of their representation and involvement in the society and in this sense everyone need to celebrated and recognized. Ordained ministry cannot be seen as privilege to exercise

power over the people but to see as a passion to serve the people of God. It is, in fact, submitting ourselves to be more Christ-like in the ministry of Feet-washing, that throwing ourselves the dust of others feet. The higher we go in our office of ministry, the more humble we become in our self-awareness and attitude.

Ordained ministry of the church is a vocation for the people of faith to yield to the life style of uncompromising discipleship of Jesus Christ. Therefore an ordination service is symbolic liturgical enactment of totally giving us to the absolute discipleship mandates: a spiritual process and public witness and proclamation for us to succumbing ourselves to the yoke of Christ. Ordained minsters are in fact coworkers of Christ in the world of God. We need to constantly live in the habitat of God to translate the content of divinity and permeate its aroma to the world around. It is in the sacraments of the church, substance of faith, the lord of our faith and life, comes to live with us as experiential reality. The association of the ordained minsters with the celebration of sacraments ascribes to them a special sense of holiness of divinity, it is because, the people believe and consider the sacraments as holy and divine. The self-denying, self-emptying, and self-breaking nature inscribed into the theology of sacrament induces us to opt for different life-style. Ordained ministry is an engagement of the church to radically break and ooze herself to the world around spreading the fragrance and aroma of Christ to especially the least ones of the society.

PRAYER MEETINGS

- **1. Intercessory Prayer** will be conducted in the Church every Friday between 10 AM and 12 Noon.
- 2. **Revival Meetings** will be held at the Church every Second Saturday, at 10.00 am, starting from 13th August 2016.

All members are welcome to attend these meetings.

URGENT REFURBISHMENT WORKS IN THE PARISH

1. ZION HALL

As you may be aware, the dilapidated Zion Hall requires immediate refurbishment to continue the divine worship services and prayer meetings there. The Nanthancode Area prayer Group has represented to the Church Committee and it has been decided to undertake the work immediately. Members of the congregation are requested to uphold this work in prayer and contribute generously

2. PARSONAGE FOR ASST. VICAR IN FERN HILL, BETHEL

As advised by our Bishop on 09 June 2016, we have commenced the refurbishment of the Ms. Cox Cottage in the Fern Hill Bethel to be used as the Parsonage for our Asst. Vicar. This arrangement will provide greater attention to look after the activities of the Fern Hill Bethel Compound where we have regular worship service in the Chapel and a Project for enhancing the livelihood opportunities of Women through various training courses, started by the Joint Committee consisting of our Women's Fellowship, Women's Fellowship of MKD and Bethel Ashram. I request all the members to uphold and cooperate with the activities in Fern Hill Bethel and contribute for taking up the Refurbishment work of Ms. Cox Cottage as our parsonage.

The Inauguration of the Project by Rt.Rev.Thomas K Oommen, our Bishop, will take place at **3.00.p.m. on 6**th **July 2016**

Kindly participate in the function.

Vicar

Birthdays - July 2016

| 01 | Mrs. Sarah Pearse | P-009 | | Mrs. Priya Philip | P-022 |
|----|-------------------------------|-------|----|----------------------------|-------|
| | Mrs. Alice Thomas | A-076 | | Mrs. Bianca Jones | R-040 |
| 02 | Mr. Jacob Marshall Lee | J-184 | | Mrs. Eva Berny Abraham | S-075 |
| | Mrs. Achyamma George | G-018 | | Mrs. Thanu Elizabeth Koshy | V-002 |
| | Mrs. Tina Varghese | J-072 | 11 | Mrs. Geetha Philip | B-001 |
| | Mrs. Reena Solomon | J-069 | | Mrs. Sebreena James | S-019 |
| 03 | Mr. Mathew Joseph | M-074 | | Mr. Binu N Sam | B-039 |
| 04 | Mr. M I Oommen | O-002 | | Mr. Bobby Jacob Daniel | B-047 |
| | Mr. Ashok David Thomas | A-096 | 12 | Mr. A A George | A-022 |
| 05 | Mr. Rajesh Koshy Mathew | K-020 | | Mrs. Doris Albert | D-034 |
| | Mr. Abraham Philip | A-003 | | Mr. Varghese Thottathil | V-013 |
| | Mrs. Susamma Stanley | S-085 | | Mr. Oommen Silas Thomas | O-007 |
| | Mrs. Shibi Cheriyan | A-088 | | Mr. Nithin J Cherian | N-008 |
| 06 | Mrs. Sarah Thomas | T-044 | 13 | Mr. Joy C Mathew | J-006 |
| | Mrs. Santhamma Thomas | T-046 | | Mrs. Valsamma Vinod | V-034 |
| | Mrs. Mary John | J-126 | | Mr. Prem Mathew Kurien | P-037 |
| | Mr. Jacob Jacob Puthuparambil | J-012 | | Mrs. Cinily Isaac | B-018 |
| | Mrs. Poornima Sheeba Abraham | R-074 | | Mr. Kurien Thomas | K-035 |
| 07 | Mrs. Peggy Solomon | R-054 | | Mr. Thomas Chandy | C-005 |
| | Mrs. Marykutty Abraham G L | M-047 | 14 | Mrs. Sherly Jesty | J-067 |
| | Mr. M Koshy John | K-011 | | Mr. Roy Simon | R-058 |
| | Mr. V Sam James | S-018 | | Mrs. Bindhu Biju Tharian | B-029 |
| 80 | Mr. Mathew T Kunjummen | M-077 | | Mrs. Shikku Modayil | R-072 |
| | Mr. Jacob Mathew | J-005 | | Mr. Joseph John | J-165 |
| | Mrs. Anitha Thomas | R-044 | | Mr. Umesh | D-036 |
| 09 | Mrs. Joe Annie Mammen | M-003 | 15 | Mrs. Sheena Bobby | B-046 |
| | Mr. John M John | J-103 | | Mrs. Shiny Ann Itty | S-050 |
| | Mr. Thomas T Kunjummen | T-046 | | Mrs. Lila Abraham | A-029 |
| | Mrs. Annie Titus | T-070 | | Mr. Saji Varghese | S-007 |
| | Mrs. Beena Abraham | A-008 | | Mr. Zachariah Varkey | Z-002 |
| | Mrs. Moncy Kurien | K-039 | | Mr. Manoj B Mathew | B-015 |
| | Mrs. Sunitha Manoj | S-111 | | Mr. Derry Philip | D-022 |
| | Mrs. Blessy Koshy | M-060 | 16 | Mr. Joji Denny | J-136 |
| 10 | Mrs. Rebecca Jacob | J-002 | | Mr. Mani Joseph | M-008 |
| | Mr. Saji George | S-003 | | Mr. Thomas Kurien K | T-024 |
| | Mr. George M Cheriyan | G-068 | | Mrs. Elizabeth Mani | M-006 |
| | | | I | | |

| | Mr. Vivek Panavelil Chandy | V-043 | | Mrs. Srujana Merugu | T-059 |
|----|----------------------------|-------|----|----------------------------|-----------|
| | Mrs. Kavitha Achu Cherian | C-011 | | Mrs. Shelly Edwin | E-019 |
| 17 | Mrs. Achamma George | G-035 | 25 | Mrs. Achamma Koshy | K-019 |
| | Mr. P J George | G-065 | | Mr. Jose Jacob Koshy | J-143 |
| | Mr. M Mani | M-005 | | Mr. Jacob George | J-017 |
| | Mrs. T C Baby | G-068 | | Mrs. Anitha Rachel Thomas | R-036 |
| | Mrs. Alice Ninan | N-003 | 26 | Mr. T K Mathew | M-089 |
| | Mrs. Usha Abraham | A-020 | | Mr. Daniel Mathew | D-008 |
| | Mrs. Lissiamma K D | G-079 | | Mr. Jen Abu Koshy | J-062 |
| | Mr. S Prakash | S-022 | | Mrs. Anitha Varkey | S-007 |
| | Mr. Simeon K Prasad | P-035 | | Mr. Raja J | R-004 |
| | Mrs. Ruth J Peters | R-070 | 27 | Mrs. Susy Pothen | P-029 |
| 18 | Mr. Sanjay Itty Mathew | M-081 | | Mrs. Susan Mathew | M-073 |
| | Mrs. Mariam David John | M-017 | | Mr. Biju Mathew | B-028 |
| | Mr. George Thomas | G-025 | 28 | Mrs. Achamma Lalu | L-003 |
| 19 | Mr. Joseph S | J-150 | | Mrs. Nirmala Sarah Koshy | I-005 |
| | Mr. Thomas Mathen | T-012 | | Mr. Samuel Koilraja | S-026 |
| | Mrs. Saramma George | G-065 | 29 | Mrs. Reena Kurian | R-030 |
| | Mrs. Sally John | J-114 | | Mrs. Kanakamony Stanley Jo | nes K-005 |
| | Mrs. Nisha Ann Eapen | J-188 | | Mrs. Susan Rachel Thomas | K-038 |
| 20 | Mr. Salim Thomas Ninan | S-015 | 30 | Mrs. Anju Elizabeth George | M-079 |
| | Mr. George Varghese P | G-054 | | Mr. Reji Joseph | R-034 |
| 21 | Mrs. Omana Abraham | A-030 | | Mr. Sajith Jacob | S-132 |
| | Mrs. Shirly Mary Kurian | K-029 | | Mrs. Mary Jacob | J-044 |
| | Mr. Jiju Philip Thomas | J-073 | | Mrs. Laila Jacob | J-049 |
| | Mr. Jerry Mathen Jacob | J-066 | | Mr. Abraham J Ampattu | A-010 |
| 22 | Mrs. Renjini John Koshy | C-008 | | Mrs. Anie Jula Thomas | S-061 |
| | Mrs. Sarasu John Punnen | S-048 | | Mr. Jijoe K Varghese | J-072 |
| | Mrs. Sosamma K J | S-147 | | Mr. Sonu Mammen Abraham | S-075 |
| 23 | Mrs. Sophy Joseph | S-131 | 31 | Mr. Jasac Ariat | J-059 |
| | Mrs. Mary Thomas | T-031 | | Mrs. Leelamma Mathew | L-005 |
| | Mrs. Sosamma Mathew | B-050 | | Mrs. Anna Thomas | A-098 |
| 24 | Mr. Verghese Chacko | V-027 | | Mrs. Sulekha Jacob | J-046 |
| | Mrs. Omana Abraham | A-014 | | Mr. Saki Koshy Abraham | S-014 |
| | Mrs. Marykutty Chacko | J-167 | | Mrs. Lissy Eapen | E-005 |
| | Mr. Daniel George | D-005 | | Mrs. Mary William | W-002 |
| | Mr. Prasad P T | P-034 | | Mr. Vibin Vinod | V-046 |
| | Mrs. Majoe M E | J-079 | | Mrs. Ann Mary Oommen | G-050 |
| | | | I | | |

Wedding Anniversaries - July 2016

| 02-Jul | Joseph Isaac (Capt & Mrs) | J-008 |
|--------|---|-------|
| | Abraham Ninan (Mr & Mrs) | A-033 |
| | Anish Raj (Mr & Mrs) | A-092 |
| 03-Jul | Jibu Daniel Solomon (Mr & Mrs) | J-069 |
| 04-Jul | Juby Mathew Kuriakose (Mr & Mrs) | |
| | Prince George Punnen (Mr & Mrs) | P-040 |
| 07-Jul | Noble Mammen Chacko (Mr & Dr) | N-009 |
| | V Koshy Jacob (Dr & Dr) | K-014 |
| | George Mathew (Adv & Mrs) | G-017 |
| | Dinu Philip Alex (Mr & Mrs) | D-030 |
| 08-Jul | Sunil Edwin Joseph (Mr & Mrs) | S-145 |
| 09-Jul | Sunil Jacob Moffat (Mr & Mrs) | S-104 |
| 10-Jul | Siju Kurian John (Mr & Mrs) | S-068 |
| | Abraham Kayalakkakathu Mathen (Mr & Dr) | A-005 |
| | S Dinakar (Mr & Mrs) | D-027 |
| 11-Jul | Kurien George (Prof & Mrs) | K-036 |
| | Johnson John (Mr & Mrs) | J-132 |
| | Saji Varghese (Mr & Mrs) | S-007 |
| | Pradeep M Joseph (Mr & Mrs) | P-033 |
| 12-Jul | Samuel Abraham (Mr & Mrs) | S-025 |
| 12-Jul | Vivek Oommen Varghese (Dr & Dr) | V-042 |
| 14-Jul | George M J (Mr & Mrs) | G-070 |

| | Chandy Thomas (Mr & Mrs) | C-005 |
|--------|------------------------------------|-------|
| | Tiju George Joseph (Mr & Mrs) | T-067 |
| | Edwin Joseph (Mr & Mrs) | E-019 |
| 15-Jul | Blessen George (Mr & Mrs) | B-045 |
| | Kurian P John (Mr & Mrs) | K-027 |
| | Abraham Mathew (Mr & Mrs) | A-017 |
| | Anand Alex Mathew (Mr & Dr) | A-086 |
| 16-Jul | P George Thomas (Col & Mrs) | G-051 |
| | P Ninan Varghese (Mr & Mrs) | N-005 |
| 17-Jul | V C Kurian (Mr & Mrs) | K-030 |
| | Roy Mathai (Mr & Mrs) | R-061 |
| | Binoy Stephen (Dr & Mrs) | B-033 |
| 19-Jul | Viju Varghese Thomas (Dr & Dr) | V-045 |
| 22-Jul | K Mathen Mathew (Mr & Mrs) | M-109 |
| 25-Jul | Renju Eapen Kuruvilla (Mr & Mrs) | R-041 |
| 26-Jul | PVJoy(Dr&Mrs) | J-171 |
| 27-Jul | Joseph George (Mr & Mrs) | J-145 |
| 28-Jul | Joshua Anbunathan (Mr & Mrs) | J-169 |
| 29-Jul | Denison V Daniel (Mr & Mrs) | D-021 |
| 30-Jul | Benoy Mathew Tharian (Mr & Mrs) | B-020 |
| | Koshy Abraham (Mr & Mrs) | K-017 |
| 31-Jul | Alexander Mathew (Dr & Dr) | A-063 |
| | | |

The Deacon ordination of **Mr. Alex Abraham** will be held on 25 July 2016 at 9.30.a.m. in Holy Trinity Cathedral, Kottayam. The members of the congregation are requested to uphold Mr. Alex Abraham and family in prayer

Vicar

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH

'Pray without ceasing', St. Paul exhorts the church.

A prayerful church is a powerful church. Hence we are bound to pray.

I request your attention and earnest prayers for the following matters:

- An overall revival of the Church
- Those who are sick and bedridden
- A positive judgment for recovering our Parking Area
- For the matrimonial matters of our youngsters
- Celebration of the Bicentenary of our Diocese
- Activities of various Church Organizations and Area Prayer Groups

Vicar



It All Adds Up

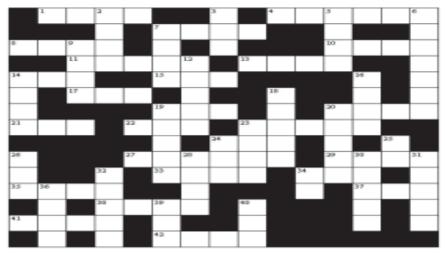
Here is a math puzzle that will help you discover something very important. Can you figure it out?

Directions: X out every box where the answer is 36. The letters in the remaining boxes will tell you something that is vital for all Christians to know.

| 30 + 6 | 15 x 2 | 40 - 5 | 9 x 4 | 6 x 7 |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Т | L | 0 | В | V |
| 5 x 6 | 40-8 | 6X6 | 25 + 10 | 60 - 30 |
| E | G | Н | 0 | D |
| 46 - 10 | 18 + 10 | 16 x 2 | 18 + 18 | 19 +18 |
| М | L | 0 | М | V |
| 12 x 4 | 72 / 2 | 50 - 15 | 20 + 16 | 8 x 4 |
| Е | D | 0 | Α | Т |
| 10 + 32 | 12 x 2 | 108 / 3 | 38 - 36 | 4 x 10 |
| Н | Е | Т | R | s |

!

CROSSWORD



iggestion box before 22nd July Drop your answers in the

ACROSS

- 1. "Your Word is a to my feet and a light to my path" 4. Governor of Judea who was a much better man and
- governor than his predecessor, Felix
- 7. "Having __ and clothing, with these we shall be content"
- 8. Opposite of worst
- 10. The product of combustion, manifested in light, flame
- 11. Who said, "Your money perish with you, because you thought that the gift of God could be purchased with
- 13. What Peter did after he betrayed Jesus
- 14. The unclean spirit in Capernaum said to Jesus, "I know You are-- the Holy One of God!"
- 15. Partake of food
- 17. A well-known, bluish-white metal, easily melted and verv malleable
- 19. The Jews' feast of Purim is an expression of
- 20. The month that the temple of Solomon was completed
- 21. A 24-hour period; "So the evening and the morning were the first
- 22. One of the men that Moses left with Aaron to help the children of Israel while Moses went up on Mt. Sinai
- 23. Dwelling place
- 24. This is the moisture on the grass in the mornings
- 27. Joshua and Caleb spied out this land before Israel entered
- 29. "Every intent of the thoughts of his (man's) heart was
- only _____ continually"
 33. "The Lord said to my Lord, 'Sit at My right _ make Your enemies Your footstool"
- 34. "But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully ____ you, and persecute you" 35. "Blessed are those who do His commandments, that

of life"

- 37. Place to which David came after fleeing from Saul
- 38. The son of Noah in the lineage of Jesus

they may have the right to the ____

- 41. They licked the sores of Lazarus the beggar
- 42. "We are unprofitable servants. We have done what was our ____ to do"

DOWN

- 2. Small denomination of currency
- 3. "_____ to you who are at ease in Zion"
- 5. "A _____ answer turns away wrath" Proverbs 15:1
- 6. The rod or staff of a ruler
- 7. To run away quickly from danger
- 9. Jesus offered Himself without ____ to God Hebrews 9:14
- 12. Your tongue devises destruction, like a sharp _, working deceitfully"
- 14. What God through Moses used to bring in the plague of locusts upon the Egyptians
- 16. Next to the last book in the New Testament
- 18. The Roman soldiers fashioned one of these out of thorns for the head of Jesus
- 19. The tribe of Israel through which Christ came
- 20. When he heard Haman's decree, Mordecai covered himself with this
- 23. "Therefore if your enemy is hungry, feed him, if he is thirsty, give him a drink, for in so doing you will heap coals of fire on his
- 24. One of the sons of Jacob, whose mother was Rachel's maid, Bilhah
- 25. The Israelites were defeated in battle at this city because of the sin of Achan
- 26. A flying creature that inhabits caves
- 28. A Son of Caleb
- 30. "Their wine is the poison of serpents, and the __ of cobras" cruel
- 31. Father-in-law of Jacob
- 32. Grandson of Boaz and Ruth
- 34. Opposite of "down"
- 36. The part of a tree or plant under ground
- 39. "For Christ is the ____ of the law for righteousness to everyone who believes" Romans 10:4
- 40. Condition of the ground when there is a drought

5th Death Anniversary

31st July 2016 In Loving Memory Of



Mrs. Sosamma Joseph Karimbil Kowdiar, Trivandrum

"We shall meet on that beautiful shore"

Remembered by Mr. Joseph George and Family (ID No. J-161)

9th Death Anniversary In Loving Memory of



Mrs. Reni Ann Mathew

Puthen Parampil Pongummoodu, Trivandrum

30. 4.1976 - 13. 7. 2007

Granddaughter of Late Mrs & Mr. M. R. Mammen

Remembered by

Jamimah Ann Jose, Mathew Mammen Mariamma Mathew, Regi Mammen Mathew, Xujin Rong Reji

In Loving Memory of



Mr. P. George Zachariah 08.02.1923 to 26.07.2001 15th Death Anniversary



Mrs. Ammukutty George 18.08.1926 to 18.01.2009.

Parackal Kunnukuzhy, Trivandrum

Remembered by their Children (ID 323):

Mrs. Molly Mathew, Mrs. Susan Varghese (ID No. V-018), Mrs. Annamma Abraham, Mrs. Sheela Bobby George (ID No. G-018), Mr. Saji George (ID No. S-003), and their Families



14th Death Anniversary
31st July 2016

In fond memory of

Mr. W.T. Joseph
Wattachanackal
Ambalamukku

Remembered by
Mrs. Rajamma Joseph,
Children, and Grandchildren (ID: R-006)



Christ Church Sunday School Parent Teacher Meeting 18th June 2016



Prison Ministry volunteers handing over emergency lamps to the Supdt. of Vanitha Jail



Peroorkada Area Prayer Group Anniversary







5 JUNE

EVERY YEAR, EVERYWHERE, EVERYONE.







