



ST. PAUL'S
MAR THOMA CHURCH OF DALLAS

Sunday, February 28, 2016

“ Faith Expression of the Marginalized ”

4th Sunday in Lent



General Body Meeting Notice

- ❖ The 2015 Annual General Body meeting of St. Paul's Mar Thoma Church will be held on Sunday, 02/28/2016 in the sanctuary following the Holy Communion service to transact the following agenda:
1. To receive, consider and adopt the Annual Report for 2015.
 2. To approve extra budgeted and non-budgeted expenses for 2015.
 3. To receive, consider and adopt the Annual Accounts for 2015 along with auditor's report.
 4. Presentation and adoption of the budget proposals for the year 2016.
 5. 2016 Christmas collections to be deposited in the building fund, be used to fund legal fees from the present personal injury lawsuit against St. Paul's MTC in the year 2016, if needed.
 6. Election of Facilities Manager
 7. Any Other Business with the permission of Chair.

By Order,

Jeff Thomas, Secretary 2015

Worship Service

- ❖ Thanks to all who assisted in today's worship service.
- ❖ Next Sunday, March 6th, 2016, there will be Holy Qurbana in **Malayalam** starting at **10:15 AM**.
- ❖ As announced earlier, next Sunday is the Pulpit Exchange and **Rev. John Mathew of Mar Thoma Church of South Florida** will be conducting Qurbana at our church. Our Achen will be leading the Qurbana service in **Kansas City Mar Thoma Church, Kansas**.
- ❖ As part of the pulpit exchange, Diocesan Sunday collection will also be made. The amount decided for our church is **\$2,460 (Minimum of \$25 per family)**. Prayer group leaders have been distributing the offertory envelopes to members, please use these envelopes for offertory next week
- ❖ Thanks to **Mr. Joseph A. V & family** for today's refreshments.

Prayer Fellowships

- ❖ **Monday Prayer** - Monday, February 29th 7 PM at the residence of **Mr. & Mrs. Toy & Ginu**
- ❖ **Fasting Prayer** - Friday, March 4th 10 AM at **Parsonage**.

Lent Evening Prayers / Sandhya Namaskaram

- ❖ **Wednesday, March 2nd** 7:00 PM at the residence of **Mathew Kutty Geevarghese & family**- 4429 Sea Sparrow Ln, Garland
- ❖ **Thursday, March 3rd** 7:00 PM at the residence of **Raju Chacko & family** - 5909 San Marino Dr, Rowlett
- ❖ **Friday, March 4th** 7:00 PM at the residence of **John Thomas & family** - 901 John Peter Way, Mesquite
- ❖ **Saturday, March 5th** 7:00 PM at the residence of **Thomas Abraham & family** - 3101 Caddo Ln, Sunnyvale



SS Announcements

- ❖ There will be a teacher's meeting this Wednesday March 2nd at 9pm via conference call. Call in number will be provided via Group Me. All teachers are asked to call in.
- ❖ Parents, the topics for the Annual Competition should have been emailed to you by your child's teacher this week. If you have not received this information please contact your child's teacher. Information can also be found on the Sunday School Facebook page and the Sunday School bulletin board.
- ❖ The MTC Sunday School Center A would like to inform you of the upcoming free Harvest America event at the Dallas Cowboys Stadium on **March 6th from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM.**

Bindu Joseph,
Sunday School Superintendent

Youth Fellowship

- ❖ Bible Study will be Friday March 4th, 7 PM at church
Continuing the series: Grace
- ❖ YF Dues : \$ 10, will increase to \$15 after March 1st. Please pay to Sen Mathai or Ashish Mathai.
- ❖ SWRYF ONE DAY RETREAT
 - ❖ Theme: **The Faith Awakens – Romans 13:11**
 - ❖ Date: **March 12, 2016**
 - ❖ Place: **Trinity Mar Thoma Church, Houston**
 - ❖ Cost : **\$15**
 - ❖ To Register : <https://tmcyf.org/the-faith-awakens>

Anisha Mathew,
Youth Fellowship Secretary



Sevika Sanghom

❖ Sevika Sanghom Regional Conference

Venue: Mar Thoma Church Of Oklahoma

Date: March 18th & 19th

Please notify the Sevika Sanghom Secretary on or before March 1st if you will be attending this conference.

❖ World Day of Prayer

Venue: Mar Thoma Church of Dallas, Carrollton

Date: March 12th

Please notify the Sevika Sanghom Secretary if you will be attending.

Alice Raju,
Sevika Sanghom Secretary

Other Announcements

- ❖ **2016 Maramon Convention Song CDs** are available with our choir secretary **\$10.00 per CD**. Only limited copies are available, please check with Mr. Thomas Mathew (Shiju) after the service.

Birthdays

Date	Name
28-Feb	Jennifer John
1-Mar	Tony Easo
3-Mar	Shibu Chacko
4-Mar	Nisha Koshy



Wedding Anniversary

Date	Name
28-Feb	Mr. & Mrs. Joseph A. Varghese
28-Feb	Mr. & Mrs. Geevarghese Mathew
2-Mar	Mr. & Mrs. Raju Mathew
3-Mar	Mr. & Mrs. Sunil K. Abraham
5-Mar	Mr. & Mrs. Chandy Jacob



Happy Anniversary



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Guests



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