

EVENT CALENDAR

DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT
10/04	Wed	07:00 pm	Edavaka Mission Bible Study @ Church
10/11	Wed	08:30 pm	Western Regional MTVEA Tele Prayer Call In No. (515) 603-3108 Access Code No. 638599#
10/14	Sat	06:00 pm	East Area Prayer Mrs. & Mr. Jijo Varghese
10/19	Thur	07:00 pm	Parish Convention - Day 1 @ Church
10/20	Fri	07:00 pm	Parish Convention - Day 2 @ Church
10/21	Sat	04:30 pm	Special Meeting for Youth and Children @ Church
10/21	Sat	06:00 pm	Parish Convention - Day 3 @ Church
10/22	Sun	10:30 am	Parish Convention - Day 4 @ Church
10/25	Wed	08:30 pm	Western Regional MTVEA Tele Bible Study Call In No. (515) 603-3108 Access Code No. 638599#
10/28	Sat	10:00 am	Sevika Sanghom Meeting
10/28	Sat	05:30 pm	Holy Qurbana Las Vegas

Parish Convention

Dr. George Varghese is a Renowned Revival Preacher and a leading evangelist from India. He is in the ministry of the Lord for more than 30 years. He started his Christian ministry with FEBA radio in 1987. He had worked with several mission organizations. He travels around different countries in preaching the word of God.



Word of God.

Let us get renewed and reenergized with the

From the Vicar's Desk ...



Greetings to you all in the matchless name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We have come to the last quarter of this year. Let us thank God for His manifold blessings and Guidance that we had experienced during the past.

Last month we had many programmes of the church and its organisations. I thank all the members for their active participation and support.

This month too we are having various programmes, both at the parish level and also under the auspices of our parish organizations. Voluntary Evangelistic Association Day, Youth Sunday and Family Sunday falls in this month. We are planning to have our parish convention on October 19-22. Dr. George Varghese (Tiruvalla) will be the main speaker. I request all of you to pray and prepare for this blessed occasion to hear the word of God and to experience a renewal in our family life and parish life.

As the church we are celebrating Family dedication Sunday on October 22. Family is the prime unit of any community. The togetherness and nurture of this unit is a serious matter. Conscious effort should be taken to eliminate anything that create disturbance for its unity and harmony. One of the greatest blessings we can receive in this life is the love of a family, and the bonds that exist between its members. A family in order to be blessed should be God Centered. The love, care and security that we experience in the family life is transmitted to the generations. Our families should reflect God's unconditional love to its surroundings. I pray that the celebration of Family Sunday strengthen our families and also the Church ...the family of families.

Let us continue our journey with Christ, to transform the world. As we move on, I seek your wholehearted co-operation and support towards our parish and its activities. May the crucified and the resurrected Lord be with us in our daily life, in our ministry and in all walks of life...

Yours In Christ

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SAVE THE DATE

- Sunday School Fall Festival Celebration & Fancy Dress competition on November 04, 2017.(Saturday)
- General Body Meeting on November 05, 2017. (Sunday)



Traditional Kerala Sadhya

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

10/1	Dr. Merrill A. Mathew	10/11	Aiden Mathew Deepu
10/1	Justin M. Mathew	10/11	Soji Yohannan
10/2	Sara Eipe	10/13	Kurian Philip
10/2	Shaeba R. Mathew	10/14	Kavitha M. George
10/2	Shirley Cherian	10/14	Thankamma Varghese
10/3	Jacob Varghese	10/15	Alice K. Mathew
10/3	K.V.Thomas	10/16	Mia Susan Zachariah
10/4	Rev. Liju John	10/17	Neeta M. Joseph
10/5	Alicia Grace Prince	10/17	Nisha Mathew
10/5	Sibu P. Babu	10/19	Jonathan Varghese Siby
10/6	Jonathan Varghese	10/19	Joshua Jace Varghese
10/6	Madalyn R. Philip	10/19	Samuel J. Alex
10/8	Mathew Daniel	10/21	Jonah Austria
10/8	Varughese Jacob	10/23	Aaron Jacob Manoj
10/9	George Varghese	10/25	Preetha Sara George
10/10	Beena Eapen	10/26	Riyan B. Mathew
10/10	Shaila John	10/29	K.S.George
10/10	Austin Anil Issac	10/29	Shaun P. Daniel
10/10	Samuel Mathew Kurian	10/31	Lincy Raju

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

10/03	Kurien Philip & Reeja Kurian
10/06	Samuel Mathai & Annamma Samuel
10/10	N.J.Mathai & Aleyamma Mathai
10/11	Binu K. Mathew & Smitha S. John
10/11	Dr. Octavio Balbuena & Bindu A. Balbuena
10/14	Mathew Daniel & Leela Daniel
10/18	George John & Manju John

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE & LECTIONARY

OCT	Time	Service	Lessons	Epistle/ Gospel	Theme
1	09:15am	Sunday School	Amos. 7:10-17 1 Pet 2 :1-10	1Thes 4:1-8 Luke 10:30-37	Voluntary Evangelist's Day.
	10:00am	Praise & Prayer			
	10:30am	Holy Qurbana (Malayalam)			
8	09:15am	Sunday School	Isa 42:16-20 Acts 3:1-10	2 Cori12 :1-10 John 5:1-9	Day for the People with Special Skills
	10:00am	Praise & Prayer			
	10:30am	Holy Qurbana (English)			
15	09:15am	Sunday School	Gen 41:37-43 Phil 3:1-16	1 Tim4:7-16 Luke10:25-28	YOUTH SUNDAY
	10:00am	Praise & Prayer			
	10:30am	Holy Qurbana (Malayalam)			
22	09:15am	Sunday School	Josh 24:14-22 Titus 2:1-8	Eph 3:14-21 Luke 19:1-10	Family Dedication Sunday.
	10:00am	Praise & Prayer			
	10:30am	Holy Qurbana (English)			
29	09:15am	Sunday School	Exod 14: 15-31 Rom 6: 1-11	Titus 3: 3-8 John 3: 1-8	The Sacrament of Holy Baptism.
	10:30am	Divine Service In Malayalam			

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