

VICAR'S MESSAGE

Beloved Brothers & Sisters in Christ,
Greetings of Lord Jesus.

Yet another month has passed. God has been good to us. He protected us and guided us all these days. How much are we thankful to Him? How much have we thought about the wonderful ways God has guided us?

There was a blind girl who hated herself just because she was blind. She hated everyone, except her loving friend. He was always there for her. She said that if she could only see the world, she would marry her friend.

One day, someone donated a pair of eyes to her and then she could see everything, including her friend. Her friend asked her, "Now that you can see the world, will you marry me?"

The girl was shocked when she saw that her friend was blind too, and refused to marry him. Her friend walked away in tears, and later wrote a letter to her saying: "Just take care of my eyes dear."

Beloved in the Lord this may be a familiar story for all of us but isn't this the real condition of many of us. We all are in a chase of achieving. Achieving everything possible. We are getting addicted to achievements. Once we reach our goal very often we forget all our stepping stones. This is how human brain changes when the status changed. Only few remember what life was before, and who's always been there even in the most painful situations. Looking at our present situation we may be quite satisfied. We may be really happy about our achievements. But think about the path we have taken. How much selfish have we been? How many of my brothers have I offended?

Secondly the life that we are enjoying here is a gift of Lord Jesus at Mount Calvary. Have we ever thought what I would have been without Mount Calvary. Let us all try to be thankful to Almighty for all the Blessings He has showered upon us.

May God Bless You All.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Kurian John

26-Sep-2014

SCHEDULE OF HOLY QURBANA

DATE	DAY	TIME	VENUE
03/10/14	FRIDAY	5:30AM - 7:30AM	St. Paul's Church
04/10/14	SATURDAY	5:30PM - 7:30PM	St. Paul's Church
10/10/14	FRIDAY	6:00AM - 9:30AM	St. Paul's Church
11/10/14	SATURDAY	5:30PM - 7:30PM	St. Paul's Church
16/10/14	THURSDAY	8:00PM - 9:30PM	St. Paul's Church
18/10/14	SATURDAY	5:30PM - 7:30PM	St. Paul's Church
24/10/14	FRIDAY	6:00AM - 9:30AM	St. Paul's Church
25/10/14	SATURDAY	5:30PM - 7:30PM	St. Paul's Church
31/10/14	FRIDAY	6:00AM - 8:15AM	DPS Hall

SPECIAL PRAYER

BIRTHDAY	10th & 24th Oct 14
WED. ANNIVERSARY	

YOUTH MOVEMENT

DATE	TIME	PROG.	VENUE
05/10/14	7:00PM - 8:30PM	Monthly Meeting	Parsonage
WED.	6:30PM - 8:00PM	Bible Study	Parsonage

MARTHA MARIYAM SAMAJAM

DATE	TIME	PROG.	VENUE
08/10/14	6:30PM - 8:30PM	Monthly Meeting	Parsonage

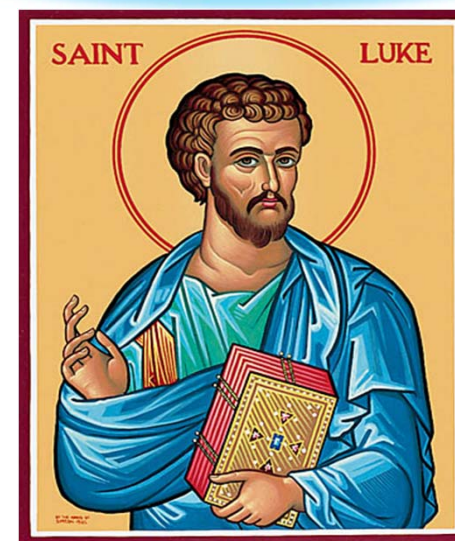
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DATE	TIME	PROG.	VENUE
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**ST. THOMAS INDIAN ORTHODOX
SYRIAN CHURCH AHMADI**

SNEHA SANDESHAM



October - 2014

BIBLE VERSE

*It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then and do not let yourself be burdened again by yoke of slavery.
Galathians 5:1*

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

You can't change the past but You can ruin the present by worrying over Future.

COTTAGE PRAYER (Time 5:30PM to 7:00PM)

Prayer Group	Date	Name	Address
St. Thomas (Mangaf Block-4 South)	10/10/2014	Mr. Joseph P. John (M # 345)	Mangaf, Block - 4, Street - 20, Bdg - 64, Floor - 1, Flat - 2, Mob.: 97983094, Ph.:23710558
	24/10/2014	Mr. Thomas Mathew (M # 497)	Mangaf, Block - 4, Street - 20, Bdg - 184, Floor - 2, Flat - 8, Mob.: 97749025
St. Pauls (Mangaf Block-4 North)	03/10/2014	Mr. Joy A. Cherian (M # 57)	Mangaf, Block - 4, Street - 19, Bdg - 17, Floor - 3, Flat - 16, Mob.: 99084591
	17/10/2014	Mr. Rajesh George (M # 706)	Mangaf, Block - 4, Street - 27, Bdg - 10, Floor - 7, Flat - 72, Mob.: 97248719
St. Mary's (Fahaheel, Ahmadi & Mangaf Block-3)	10/10/2014	Mr. Shiju Symon (M # 483)	Mangaf, Block - 3, Street - 25, Bdg - 172, Floor - 3, Flat - 12, Mob.:60044809
	24/10/2014	Mr. Shaji P. Thomas (M # 386)	Mangaf, Block - 3, Street - 25, Bdg - 163, Floor - 2, Flat - 3, Mob.:50981957
St. Gregorius (Mehboulah & AbuHalifa Blk-2 North)	03/10/2014	Dr. Bobby Cherian (M # 255)	Mehboula, Block-2, Mr. Baker Bldg. C Bolck, Floor - 6, Flat - 69, Mob.:97526290
	17/10/2014	Mr. Anodji Cherian. (M # 698)	Abu Haleefa, Block - 2, Bldg.- 4, Floor - 4, Flat - 13, Behind Naif Chicken, Mob.:96005615
St. Dionysius (AbuHalifa Blk-1 & Blk-2 South)	10/10/2014	Mr. Zacharia Koshy (M # 320)	Abu Haleefa, Block-1, Dubai Street, Bldg.- 18, Floor- 2, Flat-7, Opp. Garden, Mob.:66948586
	24/10/2014	Mr. Thomas P. J. (M # 468)	Abu Haleefa, Block-1, Al-Riya Complex B Block, Flat-742, Opp. Madina Store, Mob.:99052701
St. George (Salmiya & Abbassia)	17/10/2014 7:00PM - 8:30PM	Mr. Paul Varghese (Soji) (M # 401)	Salmiya Block-13, St. - Amman, Bldg. - 3, Floor - 4, Flat-15, Mob: 99388905

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717	Sini Varghese Mathews	Kozhenchery	99237427
718	Thankachan A.O	New Delhi	66649205
719	Jinis Mathew	Malappuram	90958575
720	Seena Alexander	Puthencavu	97212379
721	Abraham Varghese	Thiruvalla	99748462
722	Bibin V Cherian	Nelladu	51379415
723	Sunny K	Mavelikkara	66633781
724	Joseph Thomas	Kalluppara	97847186

CHURCH CALENDAR

05-10-2014	3rd Sunday after the Feast of Holy Cross
12-10-2014	4th Sunday after the Feast of Holy Cross
19-10-2014	5th Sunday after the Feast of Holy Cross
26-10-2014	6th Sunday after the Feast of Holy Cross

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

03/10/14	Sunday School Picnic at Mushrif Gardens. All are to gather at parsonage at 8:30AM
5-6/10/14	Sunday school Arts Competition will be conducted at 09:00 AM at St.paul's Church
06/10/14	Vidhyarambham 09:00AM at St.PaulsChurch 9:30 AM Sunday School competition resumes
17/10/14	Parish General Body meeting at 09:30 AM at Parsonage
31/10/14	6:00AM to 8:15AM Holy Qurbana at DPS Ahmadi and Harvest Fest - 2014 starting at 8:30AM. [Note: There will no Holy Qurbana on 30/10/2014 evening]
	H. Qurban will be celebrated on ALL SATURDAYS at St. Pauls Church @ 05:30 PM