



The Mar Thoma Church
Abu Dhabi

Parish Newsletter

October
2019

*"For the LORD takes delight in his people; he
crowns the humble with victory."*

Psalm 149:4



Holy Qurbana (Malayalam) :

Every Friday at 9:30 am at MTC, Mussafah

Every Sunday(except 13th Oct) at 8:00 PM at
St.Andrew's Church

Holy Qurbana (English) :

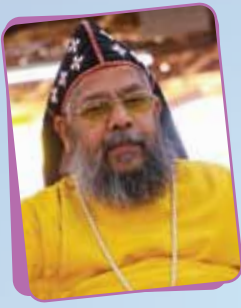
13th Oct Sunday @ 8:00 pm at St. Andrews Church

October Highlights

| Date | Day | Event Title |
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| 03 rd October | Thu | Parish Day Celebration |
| 04 th October | Fri | First Holy Communion |
| 11 th October | Fri | Yuvajana Sakhyam - Bible Quiz |
| 12 th October | Sat | Sevika Sangham Talent Fest |
| 18 th October | Fri | CCC Medical Seminar |
| 25 th October | Fri | Sunday School Picnic |
| 25 th October | Fri | CCC Health Check |



Psalms 1:3



From Rt.Rev.Dr. Abraham Mar Paulos Episcopa

Dearly beloved brothers and sisters in Christ.

Greetings to you all in the precious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. My short visit to Abu Dhabi was very pleasant and memorable because I got the opportunity to become part of the great meeting in which non- muslim places of worship in Abu Dhabi and Al Ain including decades old Churches were officially given legal recognition on Sunday September 22, 2019. Under the banner” A Call for Harmony”, the Department of Community Development in Abu Dhabi(DCD) brought all religious institutions under one License umbrella so that the authority could support them in their activities. Abu Dhabi is now a leading model for tolerance and co- existence. I really express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all the most respected authorities of UAE Government for their tall leadership and excellent love towards expatriates. Let me remind my beloved members of Mar Thoma Churches in UAE to be extremely responsible and loyal to this nation for their commitment to promote all means of dignified living for the members of various faith communities.

Abu Dhabi Mar Thoma Parish is taking a keen interest in promoting community development in Khalahandi and Uthkal areas through education and health care. I am sure you may be spending major share of your annual harvest festival mobilization for this cause. I have released the harvest festival logo with that in mind. May the Lord of the Church shower all the heavenly blessings upon all your activities. My Prayers and best wishes to all of you.

Peace be with you all.

With affectionate regards

Rt.Rev.Dr. Abraham Mar Paulos Episcopa

Ushers for the Month

| Date | Day | Prayer Group | Title | Lesson 1 | Lesson 2 | Epistle | Gospel |
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| 04-Oct | Fri | Kaisthana Samithy | First Holy Communion | 2Sam 9:1-13 | Acts 9:32-35 | 2Cor 12:1-10 | Mark 3:1-6 |
| 06-Oct | Sun | Zayani Area | Solidarity with differently abled | | | | |
| 11-Oct | Fri | Parish Mission | Priesthood of the Believers (Voluntary Evangelist's Day) | Isa 6:1-11 | 1Pet 2:1-10 | 1Thess 5:12-22 | John 17:9-20 |
| 13-Oct | Sun | Parish Mission | | | | | |
| 18-Oct | Fri | Kaisthana Samithy | Family: Place for faith formation Family Dedication Day | 1Sam 1:19-28 | Eph 3:14-21 | Eph 6:1-9 | Luke 2:41-52 |
| 20-Oct | Sun | T.C.A. 2 | | | | | |
| 25-Oct | Fri | Yuvajana Sakhyam | Youth: God's expectation Youth Sunday | Dan 1:1-15 | Acts 6:1-7 | Titus 2:1-14 | Mark 10:17-22 |
| 27-Oct | Sun | Yuvajana Sakhyam | | | | | |
| 01-Nov | Fri | Sunday School | Kudosh Eetho-Sanctification of the Church Beginning of the Liturgical Year Children: Expectation of God World Sunday School Day | Jer 31:31-34 | Rev 7:9-17 | Heb 13:7-17 | Matt 5:1-12 |
| 03-Nov | Sun | Sunday School | | | | | |

First Holy Communion

Cordially invite you

Date & Time : 04th October 2019 Friday, 8:00 AM

Chief Celebrant: Rt. Rev. Dr. Euyakim Mar Coorilos Episcopa
Bishop - Kottarakara-Punalur Diocese

Venue: Mar Thoma Church, Mussafah



Organization Programs

Senior Citizen's Fellowship

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| 08th October | Tue | Senior Citizens' Fellowship Meeting at the residence of Mr. Rajan George P. (Roll # G052) 8:00 p.m |
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Parish Mission

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| 11th 18th & 25th Oct | Fri | Fasting Prayer Cell at Carmel Hall, Mussafah @ 7:45 am |
| 04th October | Fri | Bible Class at Ebenezer Hall, Mussafah @ 07:00 pm |
| 11th October | Fri | Parish Mission Day |
| 11th October | Fri | Chain Participants Meeting at Ebenezer Hall, Mussafah @ 07:00 pm |
| 18th October | Fri | Joint Devotional Meeting at Ebenezer Hall, Mussafah @ 07:00 pm |
| 22nd – 24th Oct | Tue-Fri | UAE Center Parish Mission Chain Prayer |
| 25th October | Fri | Joint Praise and Worship at Ebenezer Hall, Mussafah @ 07:00 pm |

Yuvajana Sakhyam

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| 11th 18th & 25th Oct | Fri | Regular Sakha Meeting |
| 11th October | Fri | Inter Prayer Group – Bible Quiz |
| 18-25 October | | Youth Week & Membership Campaign |
| 25th October | Fri | Youth Day |
| 29th October | Tue | Cottage Prayer |

Sevika Sangham

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| 12th October | Sat | Sevika Sangham Talent Fest |
| 05th, 19th & 26th October | Sat | Abu Dhabi Sakha Meeting at St. Andrews Lower Hall @ 6:00 pm |
| 07th, 14th, 21st & 28th October | Mon | Mussafah Sakha Meeting at Member's residence @ 9:30 am |
| 25th October | Fri | Pothichoru Sale |
| 26th October | Sat | Baniyas Sakha Meeting at Member's residence @ 5 pm |

Parish Choir

04th , 11th 18th &

25th October Fri St. Andrews Lower Hall @ 5:30 pm

18th October Fri Choir Cottage Prayer

Sunday School

11th 18th &

25th October Fri Regular Sunday School

25th October Fri Sunday School Picnic

Youth Forum

05th October Fri Prayer meeting in the Residence of Deepa Oommen @ 7.30 pm.

19th October Fri Prayer meeting in the Residence of Jobin Abraham @ 7.30 pm.

CCC

25th October Fri CCC Health Check at @ Mussafah Ebenzer Hall at 7:30 AM

MEDICAL SEMINAR

Parish with CCC (WAYS)



Main Speaker

DR. YOGESH MANOHAR SHASTRI

HOD of Gastroenterology, NMC, Abu Dhabi
on current day intestinal and liver issues : cause and remedies.

Registration Fees for Lunch
10 Dhs / Single 20 Dhs / Family

18th October 2019 Time : 1.30 pm



Receiving Church License - DCD Gallery Event



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Unveiling Logo of Harvest Festival 2019



Youth Forum-UAE Centre Meeting



Yuvajana Sakhyam-Onam Celebrations



Yuvajana Sakhyam-Onam Celebrations-Uppukuzhi Mission Field



Sevika Sanghom-Health Talk for mothers and teen daughters

Welcome New Members



Mrs. & Mr. Tijo Mammen Thomas
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Prayer Group: A4
Home Parish: St. Thomas M T C, Kozhencherry
Mob: 0523038919



Mrs. & Mr. Linu Mathew Vaidyan
Roll No: V-361
Prayer Group: Electra
Home Parish: Al Ain M T C
Mob: 0501345123



Mrs. & Mr. Sajan Thongayil Thomas
Roll No: T-453
Prayer Group: Khalifa City
Home Parish: Nakkada St. Thomas M T C
Mob: 0567538760



Aby Kurikesu Alex
Roll No: A-289
Prayer Group: Khalidiya
Home Parish: St. Thomas MTC, Vayakkal
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Shibu Thomas Abraham
Roll No: A-290
Prayer Group: Khalifa Street
Home Parish: Kuriannoor Salem M T C
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Santhosh Samuel
Roll No: S-188
Prayer Group: Banlyas
Home Parish: St. Thomas MTC, Ellipakkulam
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Joji Thomas
Roll No: T-452
Prayer Group: Banlyas
Home Parish: Kochukoilikal Trinity M T C
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Jayan K Varghese
Roll No: V-363
Prayer Group: Khalifa City
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Farewell



Mrs. & Mr. I A Cherian
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