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Monthly Newsletter

MAY 2022

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YOUTH CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Dearly Beloved in Christ,

As we welcome the fifth month of the year, it is a time when many of our youths are facing exams. As we look into the first week of the lectionary, we understand the theme: "Dignity of Labor and Divine Commissioning". Our life is full of labor. If we are students, we are laboring; if we are working, we are laboring. Labor is tiring but it is part of life. It is the question for whom we are laboring that matters. Especially as students in this season of studying, why and for whom are we studying for? We see in the Gospel portion for May 1: St. John 21:1-14, we see the disciples were fishing and toiling all night but still caught nothing. They were not able to see the result. When we do not see the results of our labor, it hurts us, and it is frustrating. We would feel like giving up. The Lord saw them and told them to set the net out again, they caught a great overwhelming number of fish and it was great! We should also persevere in our life and keep trying without losing hope. There will be seasons of failures, but if we know we are laboring for the Lord and not ourselves, in His time we can see how much of a blessing we are. We just must commit ourselves to being faithful to God as He has always been faithful to us.

This month, we will be having our Fifth Sunday NERYF Praise and Worship night at the Epiphany MTC on May 29th, 2022, at 5:00 P.M. Our love and prayers go out to all of our youths taking the finals. We are awaiting a well-deserved summer break to see all of you.

God bless everyone and have a blessed May!

Much love,

Jess M. George Achen

BIRTHDAYS

Date	<u>Name</u>	Date	<u>Name</u>
5/01	Mr. Jacob K. Philip	5/21	Mrs. Annamma Varughese
5/01	Ma. Ryan Chalunkal	5/23	_
	Mr. Jaison Peter	5/23	•
5/05		5/24	Ms. Riya Varughese
5/06	2 2	5/24	Ms. Silpa M. Chacko
5/06	Mr. Ginu Abraham	5/25	-
5/07	Mrs. Annamma Mathew	5/25	Ms. Saramma Titus
5/10	Ma. Jaden Jacob	5/25	Mrs. Sherly Mathew
5/10	Mr. Jain Alexander	5/25	•
5/10	Mrs. Liji Daniel	5/25	Ms. Cristine Dynu
5/11	Ma. Justin Daniel	5/26	Mr. Thomas Nellikalayil
5/13	Mrs. Bavakutty Sunny	5/27	Dr. Shaun Rajan
5/14	Mrs. Suma Jacob	5/27	Ms. Serina Varghese
5/14	Mrs. Joyce John	5/29	Mr. Binu Daniel
5/14	Mrs. Linsa Thomas	5/29	Mrs. Mini Abraham
5/15	Ms. Stephy Varghese	5/29	Mrs. Dolly Jacob
5/16	Dr. Jenny Abraham	5/30	Mr. Jacob Mathew Jr.
5/17	Mr. Mathai Samuel	5/30	Mrs. Leena Varghese
5/17	Mr. Manoj Pazhookudi	5/30	Mrs. Omana Mathew
5/18	Mrs. Thankamma Samuel	5/30	Mr. George Jacob Chalunkal
5/18	Mrs. Pristy Eapen	5/30	Mrs. Sosamma Chalunkal
5/19	Mr. Jacob Varughese	5/30	Mr. Mathews Koshy
5/19	Mr. Shiju Jacob	5/30	Mrs. Vinitha Joseph
5/20	Mr. Thomas Chacko	5/30	Mrs. Salimole John
5/20	Mr. Varughese P. Samuel	5/31	Mrs. Jyothi Peter
		5/31	Mr. Prasad Koshy
		5/31	Mr. Philip E. Samuel
		5/31	Mrs. Mini Kurian

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Date	<u>Name</u>
05/04	Mrs. & Mr. Mathai Joseph
05/06	Mrs. & Mr. Thankachen Chacko
05/19	Mrs. & Mr. Binu Daniel
05/24	Mrs. & Mr. Pramod Varghese
05/28	Mrs. & Mr. Shaju M. Peter
05/28	Mrs. & Dr. Shaun Rajan

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Date	<u>Service</u>	<u>Time</u>
05/01	Divine Service (English)	10:30 am
05/08	Holy Communion Service (Malayalam)	10:30 am
05/15	Holy Communion Service (English)	10:30 am
05/22	Holy Communion Service (Malayalam)	10:30 am
05/29	Holy Communion Service (English)	10:30 am

LECTIONARY

Date	<u>Lessons</u>	Epistle/Gospel
05/01	Judges 6: 11-24 Acts 18: 1-4	2 Thess. 3: 6-15 John 21: 1-14
05/08	2 Kings 4: 27-37 Rev. 22: 16-21	2 Cor. 4: 7-15 John 21: 15-25
05/15	1 Kings 19: 1-13 Acts 8: 26-40	Eph. 5: 1-10 Luke 24: 13-35
05/22	Exodus 15: 1-18 Acts 16: 19-31	Phil. 2: 1-11 Luke 1: 46-56
05/29	Ezek. 22: 23-31 Acts 1: 12-14	Eph. 6: 10-20 John 6: 10-20

CONDOLENCE

It is with a heavy heart to inform you all the passing of Mr. P.K. Samuel (Sunny) (60), brother of our Parish member Mr. P.K. Thomas on Sunday April 10 in Neeratapuram, Kerala. On behalf of our Parish we extend our sincere condolences to P.K. Thomas uncle and family. We pray that our Lord gives them the strength during this time of grief and enables them to find the peace and comfort knowing that their loved one is now in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

"I AM LIKE A FLOWER THAT IS RAISED WITH LOVE BY YOU. YOU HELP ME GROW UP BIG AND STRONG. MOM, THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO!"

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