



For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

**Romans 12:4,5 NIV** 



## FROM THE EDITOR

As we have been seeing how the name of each month has been derived, June is no different. June ultimately comes from the Latin lunius, "of Juno (luno)," referring to the Roman goddess. Juno is most famous for her role as the goddess of marriage and childbirth.

In 2012, the U.N. General Assembly declared the first-ever Global Day of Parents. Since then, it has been held annually on June 1 to honor parents around the world. Parents are the best God given gifts that children can ever get in their lives. Their sacrifices are worthy to get honored. For the verse Exodus 20:12 says, "Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the Lord your God is giving you."

We are going to celebrate our church anniversary this month. It is a great thing that our church is standing for more than half centum and it is our immense responsibility to build our church to a higher level, so that more missionaries get originated from our church. For which, we must strengthen our church from within. We call our God as our FATHER, which means no matter of age, all of us are His children. So, all members of our church are brothers and sisters, and they should be treated the same way among each other.

What more joy would it bring to a Parent more than seeing their children obeying them and growing happily together? Therefore, Honor your Parent.

## **Pastor's Greeting**

Greetings to you in the sweet name of our Lord Jesus Christ. The word Vanakkam means "Vanangu" "Bow Down". We use to say vanakkam to parents, teachers and Guru. This Culture is slowly going down.

But for Christian's it is a very important virtue. Our Elders and others expects us to say "Vanakkam" "thothiram" to then. When I go for visit, the elder's in the family ask their children to say vanakkam to Iyya. Then only the children greet but in some houses children's automatically say vanakkam. That means their parents used to practice it in their day to day life, by using them their children have learnt that practice and have trained themselves to do so, especially in the Christian families it is a very important quality.

Once I visited a friend's house, there I saw a different scenario, when their children were leaving their house they simply touch the elderly person feet who is sitting in a chair as they go out.

In another house, I saw all the children go to their mother to take a cross on their fore head before leaving. In doing vanakkam we have divine vanakkam, Spiritual vanakkam, formal vanakkam, friendly vanakkam, Respectable vanakkam out of this people identify us and evaluate us. Be faithful, truthful, witnessful, fearfully saying Vanakkam to your Elder's, guru and parents.

When Paul writes letters he starts the letter with greetings. Meaning entering into Other's heart with ease. When you say vanakkam surely Whoever it may be, they will accept you and admit you. Then all your dealings will also become easy and happy. In the church, the pastor asks us to share "peace" among people. What it means is saying Vanakkam Or shaking hands leads us to together.

Togetherness is strength of the church, Strength of the society, strength of the nation.

This is the things that church and pastor's are doing. If you understand in your inner heart, you will become real Christians, be a Christian, be a worshipful person and be worthful person.

Yours lovingly,
Rev. Dr. Y.Silas Gnanadoss



June 19th is celebrated as Father's Day. Father's Day is a day of honouring fatherhood and paternal bonds, as well as the influence of fathers in society. In Catholic countries of Europe, it has been celebrated on March 19 as Saint Joseph's Day since the middle Ages. In the United States, Father's Day was founded by Sonora Smart Dodd, and celebrated on the third Sunday of June for the first time in 1910. The day is held on various dates across the world, and different regions maintain their own traditions of honouring fatherhood.

Why Father's day is to be celebrated?

A day dedicated to daddies that goes fatherhood is important. Well, some see a father as just a second adult in the home, after mom of course and kids tend to have more impact on their mom than dad. But actually, dad can bring positive benefits to his kids, unlike any other person. They are like your first male role model before you grow up and start idolizing some movie actors because they had cool punch lines in a movie. Daddies have a parenting style that is totally different from mommies, and that difference is what makes them so important in life. Well, our dad surely deserves a father's day gift because he is always present, supportive despite not getting enough credit that he deserves. This father's day, let's hear it out for amazing daddies as I list down the reasons why dads are important in one's life.

why dads are important in one's life

- Strengthens the family
- Teach you to chill
- Responsible for emotional development
- Boost self esteem
- Provide balance

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"Honor Your Father And Your Mother, So That You May Live Long In The Land The Lord Your God Is Giving You.

**Exodus-20:12** 

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Mother	Father	
One who loves till you close your eyes is mother.	One who loves without an expression in the eyes is, father.	
Introduces you to the world	Introduces the world to you	
Gives you life	Gives you living	
Makes sure you are not starving	Makes sure you know the value of starving	
Personifies cares	Personifies Responsibility	
Protects you from a fall	Teaches you to get up from a fall	
Teaches you walking	Teaches you walk of life	
Teaches from her own experiences	Teaches you to learn from your own experiences.	
Reflects Ideology	Reflects Reality	
Mother's love is known to you since birth	Father's love is known when you face the reality	

# Chosen one!

Who am I to talk about GOD?

Who am I?

Am I worthy? No.

Have I been forgiven? I don't know!

Have I been saved? Let me show.

Like me,

You've been broken!

And covered in the ashes of the past.

You say you've no pardon!

Drowning in the guilt of past.

But GOD says you're chosen! A Chosen one!

All the worries, guilt and shame don't last.

GOD has chosen you to be a king!

You could be:

A king in life; a king in work; a king in home,

A king in church; a king in family; or a king among friends.

But whoever you are, learn to be a king.

A king who is compassionate, filled with grace and mercy

and above all GOD's glory.

One question remains:

He has chosen you, but are you willing to take up the

role?

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அவமானங்களை சகித்தது;

மறுத்தலித்ததையும் மன்னித்தது;

நமக்கு பதிலாக சிலுவையில் தொங்கினது;

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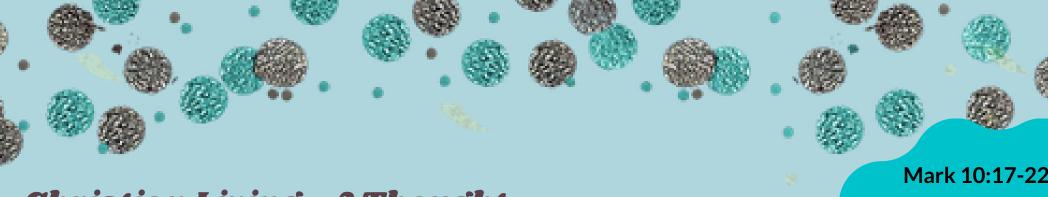
மதில்கள் தகர்ந்தது;

இறுதியில், அன்பு மட்டுமே நிலைத்தது!









## Christian Living - A Thought

This is a topic that is often dwelled upon in depth over long messages or debates of what is the ideal way to shape a Christian life.

I would approach this topic from the point of view of what is the objective of a Christian life. It would be to be in God's arms in eternal life.

When Christ came down and made salvation free for us, he also made Christian living as a path to attain eternal life very simple.

What does he say to the rich man, he says sell everything and give it to the poor, the rich man could not do this as his wealth was great. Would we able to do the same if God instructed us to sell everything and give it to the poor, probably not ( Mark 10: 17-22)

In another instance when asked how do I inherit eternal life ( Luke 10 ) God reminds the teacher about the law, asks what does the law say?

Among many things the teacher answers, "love your neighbour as thyself", and then the providential question pops out - who is my neighbour?

As we all know God narrates the Good Samaritan story (Luke 10: 30-36) and ends it in Verse 37 by saying "go do likewise"

Phew!! That is a relief, we don't have to sell anything now, but the point to ponder is how many of us are Good Samaritans in our life, we need to introspect if we are truly kind, loving, affectionate, ready to extend a helping hand.

If not stepping out to help, at the minimum do we stop ourselves from hurting others with an unkind word, or a closed fist when it was in our power to open up for help.

Remember, Mathew 25: 37 - 40

At the end of the day, it would be a passing act that could make the difference between eternal life or strife.

- 17 As Jesus started on his way, a man ran up to him and fell on his knees before him. "Good teacher," he asked, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?'
- 18 "Why do you call me good?" Jesus answered. "No one is good-except God alone. 19 You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder, you shall not commit adultery, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, you shall not defraud, honor your father
- and mother.'[a]' 20 "Teacher," he declared, "all these I have kept since I was a boy."
- 21 Jesus looked at him and loved him. "One thing you lack," he said. "Go, sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me."
- 22 At this the man's face fell. He went away sad, because he had great wealth.

### Luke 10:30-36

30 In reply Jesus said: "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead. 31 A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. 32 So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. 33 But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was: and when he saw him, he took pity on him. 34 He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. 35 The next day he took out two denarii[a] and gave them to the innkeeper. 'Look after him,' he said, and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.

36 "Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?'

### Matthew 25:37-40

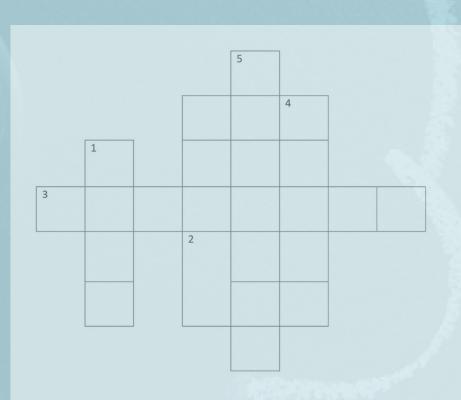
37 "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38 When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? 39 When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'

40 "The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

# Quiz Time

- 1. First king of Israel
- 2. How many books have the name John in them?
- 3. Jesus hometown
- 4. Which disciple denied Jesus three times
- 5. The woman judge who led Israel to victory?

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# MAY QUIZ ANSWERS

1.எலியா (Iஇராஜாக்கள்:17:21to23), எலிசா (IIஇராஜாக்கள்:4:32 to36)

2.மோசே (யாத்திராகமம் :9:23), சாமுவேல் (lசாமுவேல்:12:18)

3.ரெபெக்காள் (ஆதியாகமம் :25:24), தாமார் (ஆதியாகமம் :38:27)

4.அபிகாயில் (Iசாமுவேல் :25:38 to 42), பத்சேபாள் (IIசாமுவேல் :11: 26,27)

5.பார்வோன் (சுயம்பாகிகளின் தலைவனுக்கு) (ஆதியாகமம் :40:20,22), ஏரோது (யோவான் ஸ்நானனுக்கு) (மத்தேயு :14:6,10,11)

6.தாவீது (IIசாமுவேல்:11:2), இயேசு (மத்தேயு:4:5)

7.சிசெரா (நியாயாதிபதி:4:19), இயேசு (யோவான்:19:28)

8.யாகேல் (நியாயாதிபதி:5:24), மரியாள் (லூக்கா:1:28)

9.ரெபெக்காள் (ஆதியாகமம் :24:16), வஸ்தி (எஸ்தர் :1:10)

10.ஏசா (ஆதியாகமம் :25:25), தாவீது (Iசாமுவேல்:16:12

11.யெரொபெயாமுக்குத் தீர்க்கதரிசனம் சொன்ன தேவனுடைய மனுஷன் (lஇராஜா:13:1,24,26), தீர்க்கதரிசிகளின் புத்திரரில் ஒருவனின் தோழன்

(Іஇராஜா:20:35,36)

12.யோசேப்பு (ஆதியாகமம் :37:24), அப்சலோம் (llசாமுவேல்:18:17)

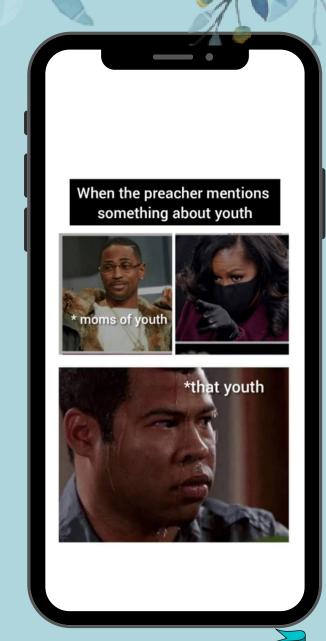
13. ஆபிரகாம் (ஆதியாகமம் :12:13, 20:2), ஈசாக்கு (ஆதியாகமம் :26:7)

14.ராகேல், லேயாள் (ரூத்:4:11)

15.இயேசு (மத்தேயு:17:2), பலமுள்ள தூதன் (வெளி:10:1)

16.சாராள் (ஆதியாகமம் :21:2,24:36), எலிசபெத் (லூக்கா:1:36)

17.ஈசாக்கு (ஆதியாகமம் :27:1), ஏலி (Iசாமுவேல்:4:15



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While this church may have started from humble beginnings, it is amazing to see how it has brought together such a large faith community over the years.

On this Anniversary of the church's founding, let's pledge to faithfully worship God for so many years, spread His word with our tireless efforts and make it a place of learning & shelter for generations to come.