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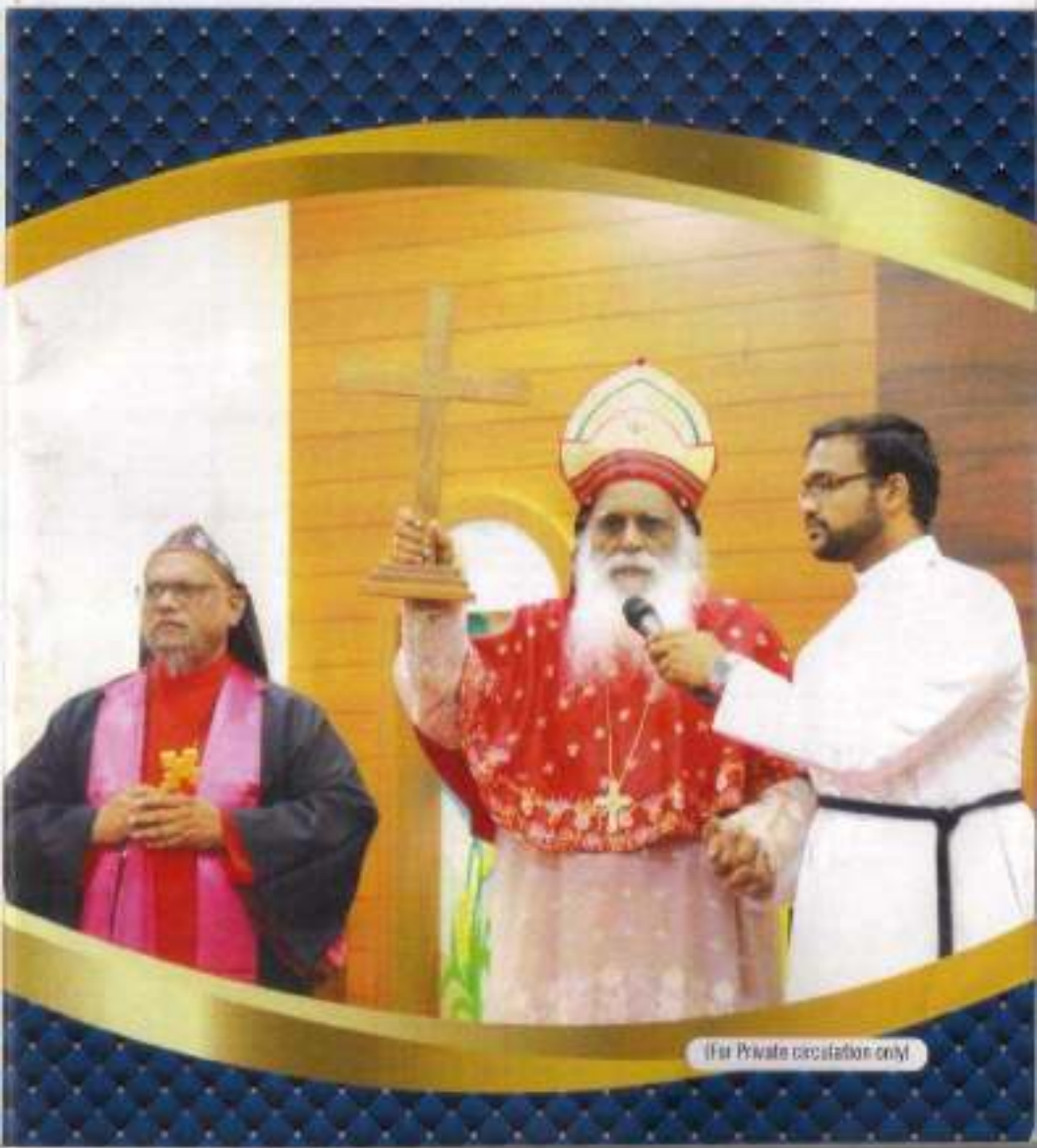
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Consecration of Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Nerul



Immanuel Mar Thoma Church Nerul

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday at 9.00 AM

- 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays - Holy Communion Service in Malayalam
- 3rd Sunday - Holy Communion Service in English
- 5th Sunday - Divine Service in Malayalam

During the Holy Communion Services, there will be 'Thanks Giving Service' for those who celebrated their Birthdays & Wedding Anniversary.

Special dedication and Thanksgiving prayer will be held on the 1st Sunday of every month.

ORGANISATIONS

TIME

- Sunday School - Sunday at 7.30 am at IMTC.
- Womens Fellowship Meetin - 1st Sunday after the Worship Service at IMTC.
- Senior Citizen Fellowship - 1st Sunday at 6.00 PM.
- Edavaka Mission - 2nd Sunday at 7.00 PM.
- Sevika Sangham - 2nd & 4th Saturday at 5.00 PM.
- Yuvajana Sakhyam Meeting - 3rd Sunday after the Worship Service.
- Sunday School Teachers Meeting - 4th Sunday after the worship Service at IMTC.
- Choir Practice - Sunday after the Worship Service at IMTC.
- Fasting Prayer - Friday at 10.00 AM at IMTC.

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FROM OUR PARSONAGE



Lent: A Time for Transformation.

Dearly Beloved in Christ

Lent is the Christian season of preparation before Easter. This is a period of fasting, repentance, temperance and spiritual discipline by setting aside time for reflection on Jesus Christ - His life, suffering and sacrifice, death, burial and

resurrection. Lent is observed by most of the main-line churches like Catholics, Orthodox, Jacobites, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, Anglican etc.

The Great Lent season spreads seven Sundays from Pethurtha to Kemta. The church observes fifty days as the Great Lent, which includes the forty days fast ending with 40th Friday, symbolizing the forty days fast of Jesus Christ in the desert and with an extension of ten more days inclusive of Palm Sunday (the royal entry), passion, crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Thus, the great lent season spreads to 7 weeks with a total of fifty days. The Church enters in to this season of the Great Lent in the month of February or March each year, as calculated based on the lunar calendar.

St. Thomas Christians fasted and practiced abstinence for the period 'pethurtha' Sunday to Easter Sunday. The Syriac term 'pethurtha' means 'looking back', 'reconciliation' etc. Lent is a season set apart mainly for repentance and reconciliation. Lenten season calls our attention in a special way to the need for reconciliation with God and fellow-beings. Therefore, in this period, the Church exhorts the faithful to receive the sacrament of reconciliation.

The venerable American Catholic bishop Fulton John Sheen explains the expectations of observing lent.

"We can think of Lent as a time to eradicate evil or cultivate virtue, a time to pull up weeds or to plant good seeds. Which is better is clear, for the Christian ideal is always positive rather than negative. A person is great not by the ferocity of his hatred of evil, but by the intensity of his love for God. Asceticism and mortification are not the ends of a Christian life; they are only the means. The end is charity. Penance merely makes an opening in our ego in which the Light of God can pour. As we deflate ourselves, God fills us. And it is GOD's arrival that is the important event."

During these fifty days, we use special liturgical prayers for services and we consider some days as special with its liturgical importance.

Service of Reconciliation

The Church, begins Great Lent with the 'Day of Forgiveness', 'the service of reconciliation' (Shubukono), on the first Sunday or Monday of the Great Lent and sets the journey into penitence. The Service of reconciliation is an occasion for the church and community to reflect on the love, peace, and reconciliation that God has given us through Jesus Christ.

The Mid-Lent service.

The mid-lent service focuses on Christ's death on the cross for the sins of the whole world. Through the cross, salvation is made possible. Salvation, eternal life and love are the enduring messages of the cross.

Service on the 40th Friday:

It is a special service that recalls the end of the forty days of fasting by Jesus Christ in the wilderness. Jesus was able to overcome all the three temptations from Satan with the knowledge of Scripture. It is emphasized that we need to acquire enough knowledge of Scripture to defend against and overcome temptations.

Lent: A time for transformation.

We often think of the season of Lent as a time of 'giving something up.' But Lent should also be what we intentionally do as a sacramental spiritual practice. Daily prayers, fasting and almsgiving are spiritual disciplines that we all can do for the Lenten season that will awaken us to God in novel and bright ways. It is my hope that, we as a parish should engage in the spiritual disciplines of fasting, almsgiving, meditation, scripture reading and prayer that will resurrect spiritual transformation in our lives. This will empower not only our church but our communities, families, and wherever God leads us on our journeys. The Church reminds us to spend the Lenten period in ardent prayers, sincere fasting and generous almsgiving and to eradicate our evil desires. Like Jesus who conquered death and entered into life, let us also die to sin and enter into eternal life.

The traditional Lenten disciplines of prayers, fasting and almsgiving help people to repent and return to God. Lent is the time to strengthen our spirit and nourish our souls as we prepare for Jesus' Passion, Death, and Resurrection. It is the time of transformation for the people and the faith community through Prayer, fasting and almsgiving. May God Bless us to fulfill the meaning of lent.

Love and Prayers

God Bless You All

Salomon Achen Kalarikkal, Nerul

From Edavaka Secretary...

Complete Consecration



"For now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, from me" Gen. 22:12.

Why do so many people not have a satisfactory Christian experience? They recognize that they do not have victory like some other saints of God. They see that others have something that they do not have. The reason

is that they have never gone to the bottom in their consecration—there is some last thing which they have withheld from God; their soul has drawn back when they saw the cost.

We can hardly comprehend what it meant to Abraham, when God asked him to give his only son to him as a burnt offering. Human reason would set every argument against this demand: (1) God had miraculously given him to them; (2) God's covenant to make Abraham's seed as the stars of heaven hinged on this son; Sarah could never have another child; (3) human sacrifice was cruelly wrong, and condemned by God in heathen idolatrous worship; (4) it was a violation of the God-given instinct of paternal love, etc. This extreme demand seemed to pull out Abraham's very soul. It was the supreme test of his faith. But, in his consecration to God, he was willing to give the dearest thing in life. His consecration was complete, including that last thing, and his faith was strong and unshaken." By faith Abraham, when he was tried (tested), offered up Isaac...accounting that God was able to raise him up, even the dead." Heb 11:1-19.

Can we imagine, the struggle going on in this father's soul, as they slowly climbed the mountain side? He told the servant to wait at the foot of the mountain until they returned. Trudging up the mountain, the son asked the father if he had forgotten the Lamb; he has the fire and the wood. The father must have turned his head aside to brush a tear, or hide the anguish of his face. Bringing into play his mighty faith, he said, "God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering." They proceed in silence to the top of the mountain, where Abraham put on God's altar the dearest thing in life to him—his only son. At this crucial point God said, "It is enough; your consecration is complete. Thou hast not withheld thine only son."

If we Christians were willing to go down to that depth of consecration, we would come up with victory in our experiences. When carnal, selfish Lot chose the best grassy plains, and his uncle Abraham, with his herds, turned up the rocky

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mountain sides of Palestine, Abraham was blessed, and God sent angels to him to renew His own covenant with him. Abraham had left home and everything, believed God, was going through with Him, and was seeking a better (heavenly) country where He had prepared a city from him.

Another analogy of complete consecration is found in Elisha, at the death of the old

Abraham put on God's altar the dearest thing in life to him—his only son. At this crucial point God said, "It is enough; your consecration is complete. Thou hast not withheld thine only Son."

prophet, Elijah. He told Elisha that he had better stay at Gilgal while God sent him to Bethel. But Elisha said that he would not leave him. The other prophets told Elisha that God was going to take his master away. He said that he knew that. Elijah pleaded that he would go back, at Bethel, and again at Jericho, and at Jordan. But Elisha was going clear through with God.

As Elijah was about to depart to Heaven by the chariot of fire, he asked Elisha what he wished, and Elisha answered "Let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me". So Elisha became the great victorious prophet, dividing Jordan, sweetening the bitter waters, multiplying the widow's oil, cleansing the leper, raising the women's son, etc...

Have you gone the last step of the way with God in your consecration, or are you still holding unto some worldly pleasure, enjoyments, and popular crowds? Are you will to let all these things go, and become dead to them? Is some selfish ambition the idol of your heart? Do you aspire to success along some line of life work? May be Christ wants your life somewhere yonder for Him and souls—buried in sacrifice and lost (as the world counts it). Will you put that on the altar? "Whosoever will save his life shall lose it; but whosoever shall lose his life shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's, the same shall save it" Will we surrender to God's will, to be or do what he wants of us? When we put that last thing, dearest to our hearts, on the altar of consecration, and ask God for the cleansing blood of Christ, and the baptism with the Holy Ghost and fire, he will then and there purify our hearts, sanctify us wholly, giving us the Holy Ghost. Glory to God. Then we will be free from all carnal pride, impatience, anger, love of the world, troubling tongues, ill feeling, grudges, revenge, etc. "Seeing that we have put off the old man with his deeds." What would you give

"Whosoever will save his life shall lose it; but whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's the same shall save it".

to have this sweet, constant, victorious experience in your soul? God has it for you. "For now I know that thou fearest (fear of Love) God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only from me."

Parish News & Events

Special Dedication and Thanks giving service: was held on every 1st Sunday of the Month during the Holy Communion Service.

Tithe Collection: Tithe offerings collected on every 2nd Sunday of the Month.

Sunday School Teachers Dedication: was held on Sunday the 6th January, 2019.

Diocesan Sunday School Sunday: was observed on Sunday the 6th January, 2019.

Sunday School New Academic Year: Classes start from Sunday the 6th January, 2019.

Dedication of Board Exam Students: Dedication prayer for the 10th & 12th Board Exam Students was held on Sunday 13th January, 2019 for students and 20th January, 2019 for parents & students after the Service 1 hour each on both the dates.

Edavaka Mission Chain Prayer: Chain Prayer of Edavaka Mission was held from Friday 4th Jan, 6:00 PM to Saturday 5th Jan 6:00AM. All the members are requested to participate in this Chain Prayer.

Fasting Prayer: Fasting Prayer was held on every Friday at 10:00 AM at Parsonage.

Diocesan Convention: Diocesan Convention was held as the following schedule.

Date	Time	Venue	Programme
Thursday 24 th January, 2019	7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	St Peters Mar Thoma Church, Goregoan, Mumbai	Diocesan Convention
Friday 25 th January, 2019	7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	Jerusalem Mar Thoma Church, Ambemath West	Diocesan Convention
Friday 25 th January, 2019	5:00 PM to 6:00 PM	ST Thomas Mar Thoma Church, Kalyan West	Diocesan Sevika Sangham Meeting
Saturday 26 th January, 2019	7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	St Pauls Mar Thoma Church, Vashi.	Diocesan Convention
Sunday 27 th January, 2019	9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	Cidco Exhibition Centre, Vashi	Holy Communion & Diocesan Convention.

Maramon Convention: Maramon Convention was held from Sunday the 10th February to 17th February 2019.

Anduveri Collection: Anduveri Collection was collected on Sunday the 3rd February 2019

The Great Lent: Lent prayers are being held at the residence of our members from 3rd March onwards. These services are well attended and our members give the message during this service.

The Consecration of IMTC: Consecration & First Holy Communion service of IMTC, Nerul was held on Saturday the 16th of March, 2019 at 5:00 Pm by His Grace The Most Rt. Rev Dr. Joseph Marthoma Metropolitan and His Lordship Rt. Rev Dr. Geevarghese Mar Theodios, Diocese Bishop at IMTC.

General Body: A general Body meeting of the Nerul Immanuel Mar Thoma Church was held on Sunday the 24th March immediately after the Holy Communion Service at our worship Place. The following members were elected as office bearers and Area Committee Members for the year 2019-20.

Sr. No	Designation	Name
1.	Vice President	Dr. C.P Thomas
2.	Secretary	Mr. P.V. Thomas
3.	Trustee	Dr. Abraham Varghese
4.	Accountant	Mr. Dommen Mathew
5.	Lay Leader 1	Mr. Varghese Varghese
6.	Lay Leader 2	Mr. Shaji K John
7.	Internal Auditor 1	Mr. Abraham George
8.	Internal Auditor 2	Mr. P. V. John
9.	Nerul A Committee Member	Mr. Thomas Varghese (Monachan)
10.	Nerul B Committee Member	Mr. Paul Mathew Parackal
11.	Nerul C Committee Member	Mr. Jiju T. Chacko
12.	Nerul D Committee Member	Mrs. Rosy Joy
13.	Beyond Nerul Committee Member	Mrs. Jeny Jacob
14.	Sevika Sangham	Mrs. Kunjunjamma Mathai
15.	Yuvajana Sakham	Mr. Shobin Thomas
16.	Sunday School	To be elected
17.	Choir	To be elected.
18.	Edavaka Mission	To be elected
19.	Senior Citizens	To be Elected.

Special Cover Collection: Special Cover Collection was held on Sunday the 3rd March, 2019. Member's participation was well appreciated.

Sunday School Talent School Competition: Navi Mumbai Centre Sunday School Talent Competition was held on Sunday the 24th February at Chembur MTC. Our Parish won the overall Championship at the Centre Level. We congratulate all the participants and winners.

The Following Sunday School Children's won the prize at Centre Level.

Result of the Centre Talent Competition

No	Class	Event	Name	Place
1	Nursery	Story Telling	Jevan Mathew	3 rd
2	Beginners	Solo	Leesa Siby	3 rd
3	Primary	Solo	Eveline Bilji Philip	2 nd
4	Primary	Bible Reading	Andrew Siby	3 rd
5	Primary	Mono Act	Joshua Reji Philip	1 st
6	Primary	Mono Act	Bryan Philip John	3 rd
7	Primary	Story Telling	Eveline Bilji Philip	2 nd
8	Primary	Story Telling	Bryan Philip John	3 rd
9	Juniors	Solo Girls	Shreya Shibu Mathew	1 st
10	Juniors	Solo Girls	saira Mary Emil	2 nd
11	Juniors	Elocution	Juan Mathew	2 nd
12	Inters	Bible Reading	Joshua V John	2 nd
13	Inters	Elocution	Joshua V John	1 st
14	Seniors	Bible Reading	Irene B Philip	1 st
15	Seniors	Elocution	Allan B John	3 rd
16	Seniors	essay Writing	Arpita M Abbey	2 nd
17	Seniors	essay Writing	Joanne M John	1 st
18	Young Adult	Solo	Ayush P Shabu	3 rd
19	Young Adult	Solo	Alysa Ann Jacob	2 nd
20	Young Adult	Elocution	Jaiden K. Solomon	2 nd
21	Young Adult	essay Writing	Ayush P Shabu	2 nd
22	Young Adult	essay Writing	Jaiden K. Solomon	1 st
23	Liturgy- Juniors		IMTC- Sunday School	2 nd
24	Liturgy- Seniors		IMTC- Sunday School	1 st
25	Quiz		IMTC- Sunday School	2 nd

Overall Championship - we are on the 1st.

The Following Sunday School Childrens won the prize at Church Level.

Result of the Sunday School Talent Competition- 2019				
Nursery	Solo	Story Telling		
1	Aaron Mathew Thomas	Sophia Ann Thomas		
2	Sophia Ann Thomas	Jeevan Mathew		
3	Janice Jacob			
Beginners	Solo	Story Telling	Memory Verse	
1	Norah Susan Varkey	Keziah Varghese	Shaun T Thomas	
2	Leesa Siby	Shaun T Thomas	Keziah Varghese	
3	Keziah Varghese	Kenisha B Thomas	Norah Susan Varkey	
Primary	Solo	Story Telling	Bible Reading	Mono Act
1	Evelyn Bilji Philip	Evelyn Bilji Philip	Andrew Siby	Bryan Philip John
2	Andrew Siby	Bryan Philip John	Evelyn Bilji Philip	Joshua Reji Philip
3	Shalom Jacob	Joshua Reji Philip	Joshua Reji Philip	Andrew Siby
Juniors	Solo	Story Telling	Bible Reading	Elocution
1	Shreya Shibhu	Kavya Thomas	Kavya Thomas	Juan Mathew
2	Saira Mary Emil	Saira Mary Emil	Ananya Mathew Thomas	Saira Mary Emil
3	Ananya Mathew Thomas	Ananya Mathew Thomas	Shawn Abey	Ananya Mathew Thomas
Inters	Solo	Elocution	Bible Reading	Essay

1	Joshua V John	Joshua V John	Joshua V John	Joel Mathew	
2		Benett P John	Benett P John	Benett P John	
3		Joel Mathew	Joel Mathew	Joshua V John	
Seniors	Solo Male Voice	Solo Female Voice	Bible Reading	Elocution	Essay
1	Allan John	Irene B Philip	Allan John	Allan John	Arpita M Abbey
2		Joanne John	Joanne John	Ruchita M Kurien	Joanne John
3		Ruchita M Kurien	Irene B Philip	Irene B Philip	Irene B Philip

Sevika Sangham Diocesan Level Talent Competition: Navi Mumbai Centre Sevika Sangham Diocesan Level Talent Competition was held on Saturday the 9th of March at Panvel St Peters MTC. Our Parish won 2nd & 3rd position at the Diocesan Level. We congratulate all the participants and winners.

Elocution	Name	Prize
1 st Group	Alisha Varghese	2 nd
2 nd Group	Smitha Biju	2 nd
3 rd Group	Bindhu John	2 nd

Bible Quiz	Alisha Varghese	1 st Prize
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Liturgy	Name	Prize
2 nd Group	Smitha Biju, Jeny Jacob, Mini Shaji, Elson Bilji, Jibi Shibu	3 rd Prize
3 rd Group	Elsy Abraham, Mary David, Sicy Varghese, Anu Abraham	1 st Prize

Note: All the First and Second prize winners are eligible to participate in Kendra Kaia Mela which will be held on 11th May, 2019 at Thiruvaila. Please book your Tickets in Advance.

Change in Contact No.

Sr. No.	Name	Old Landline No	New Land Line No.
01.	Dr. Sam Daniel	27701520	27721859

FORTH COMING EVENTS

Special Dedication and Thanks giving service: will be held on every 1st Sunday of the Month during the Holy Communion Service.

Mission Charity Collection: Mission Charity Collection will be collected on every 2nd Sunday of the Month.

Edavaka Mission Chain Prayer: Chain Prayer of Edavaka Mission will be held from Friday 5th April 6:00 PM to Saturday 6th April 6:00 AM. All the members are requested to participate in this Chain Prayer.

Fasting Prayer: Fasting Prayer will be held on every Friday (After Easter) at 10:00 AM at IMTC, Nerul.

40th Friday: Special Holy Communion service will be conducted on Friday the 12th April, 2019 at IMTC, Nerul at 7:00 am.

Passion Week Programme: Passion Week will be held from 14th April, 2019 to 21st April, 2019.

14.03.2019	Hosanna Service & Qurbana at 9:00 AM.	
15.03.2019 to 17.03.2019	Sandhya Namaskaram, 8:00 PM at IMTC.	
18.03.2019	Maundy Thursday & Qurbana 7:30 PM at IMTC.	Rev. Thomas Daniel Achen, Promoter Sabha Tharaka
19.03.2019	Good Friday Service at 8:30 AM at IMTC.	
21.03.2019	Easter Sunday Service and Qurbana at 6:00 AM	

Note: On Good Friday, Recessa and self-denial will be collected. **Kanji will be served immediately after the service.** Offertory received during the lent prayer will be utilized for the Mission projects. All Members are requested to participate prayerfully.

Parish Executive Committee Members Retreat: Parish Executive Committee Members Retreat (dates will be announced later) from 9:00 Am to 4 PM at IMTC, Nerul. All the Executive Committee Members for the year 2018-19 and 2019-2020 are requested to attend this retreat.

5th Sunday Combined worship & Fellowship: meeting will be held on Sunday the 30th June, 2019 at 9:00 Am (Venue will be announced later)

Important Days

12/04/2019	40th Friday of lent.
18/04/2019	Passover Thursday-Eucharist The Re-membling Jesus
19/04/2019	Good Friday- Cross Death of Death
20/04/2019	Holy Saturday- Hope for the New Life
21/04/2019	Resurrection- Celebrating the Joy of Salvation
28/04/2019	New Sunday- Encounter with the Risen Lord.
5/05/2019	Identifying Risen Lord in the work Place
26/05/2019	DSMC Sunday
30/06/2019	Ascension of Jesus Christ.
02/06/2019	Students Sunday
09/06/2019	The Feast of Pentecost-Come Holy Spirit Renew Us
16/06/2019	Trinity Sunday-We worship in Triune God

Visitors

We were privileged to have the following visitors during the last quarter. We thank God for their valuable presence & guidance.

1.	His Grace The Most Rt. Rev. Dr. Joseph Marthoma Metropolitan	9.	Rev. Justin K Mathew
2.	His Lordship Rt. Rev. Dr. Geevarghese Mar Theodious, Diocesan Episcopa.	10.	Rev. Joel Samuel Thomas
3.	Rev. Gigy Thomas	11.	Rev. Thomas K Mathew
4.	Rev. P.P. Kuruville	12.	Rev. Nitin John Chacko
5.	Rev. Sanjeev Koshy	13.	Rev. Issac Achen
6.	Rev. Dr. Jameson K.	14.	Mr Sabu Daniel
7.	Rev. Minoy Kuruville	15.	Dr. Col. James Thomas
8.	Rev. Sheejo M. Abraham	16.	Mr. Varghese, Navjeevan Treasurer
		17.	Dr. John Mathew (Roy)

CHURCH CALENDAR April

Date	Title	Assisting	Lessons.	Epistle -Gospel	Altar Boys
7 th Apr 9:00 AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Nerul B	Gen 26:12-33 2 Cor. 11:20-31	2 Cor. 1:3-11 St. Mark 10:46-52	Melwin Mancy Joseph Elwin Thomas
14 th Apr 9:00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam (Hosanna Sunday)	Nerul C	Zach. 9:1-12 1 Tim. 4:6-15	Heb 5:5-10 St. Luke 19:28-40	Teji Varghese Reuben George
18 th Apr 7:00 PM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam (Maundy Thursday)	Nerul D	Zach 9:9-17 Rom 11:16-36	St Matt 26:31-46 1 Cor 11:23-34	Nikhil Varghese Elwin Thomas
19 th Apr 8:30 AM	1 st Service	Seawoods	Isa 53:1-12 1 Peter 1:1-25	St Mat 26:47-75	
Good Friday	2 nd Service	Beyond Nerul	Zach 13:1-9 Gal 3:1-22	St Mat 27: 1-44	
	3 rd Service	Nerul A	Num 21:1-9 Heb 3:1-22	St Mat 27:1-44	
	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam (Easter Sunday)	Nerul B	Gen.23:1-19 Colo. 3:1-11	Acts.4:13-18 St. Matt. 28:1-10	Teji Varghese Shobin Thomas
28 th Apr 9:00 AM	Holy Communion Service in English	Yuvajana Sakhyam	Gen.28:10-22 Acts.20:7-12	1 Tes. 1:2-10 St. John.20:24-29	Jitin Varghese Jerin Mathew

May

Date	Title	Assisting	Lessons	Epistle-Gospel	Altar Boys
5 th May 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Seawoods	Lev.25:1-17 Acts.7:54-60	Gal 4:1-7 St. Matt. 28:16-20	Reuben George Jinson Abraham
12 th May 9.00 AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Beyond Nerul	Eze.36:24-36 Rom 8:12-17	Acts 1:12-14 St.John21:1-14	Jose Mathew Jusin Thomas
19 th May 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in English	Yuvajana Sakhyam	Jere.1:1-10 1 Tim 4:6-16	2 Tim. 2:1-8 St.John 21:15-19	Jitin Varghese Jerin Mathew
26 th May 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Nerul A	Exo. 15:1-18 Rev. 7:9-12	Philt 2:1-11 St.Luke 10:21-24	Teji Varghese Shobin Thomas

June

Date	Title	Assisting	Lessons	Epistle-Gospel	Altar Boys
2 nd June 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Nerul B	1 King 3:3-14 1 Cor. 1:18-25	1John 5: 18-21 St.Luke 2: 41-52	Melwin Mancy Joseph Elwin Thomas
9 th June 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Nerul C	Isa. 61:1-11 Acts 2:1-13	Rom 8:26-30 St. John 16:6-16	Teji Varghese Reuben George
16 th June 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in English	Yuvajana Sakhyam	Jere1:1-12 Heb 10:32-39	1 Cor 12:27-31 St.Matt. 4:13-20	Jose Mathew Jusin Thomas
23 rd June 9.00AM	Holy Communion Service in Malayalam	Nerul D	1 King 19:15-21 Rom 15:22-29	Rom 12:3-8 St.Matt. 4:13-26	Teji Varghese Shobin Thomas
30 th June 9.00 AM	Divine Service in Malayalam/ 5 th Sunday Programme	Seawoods	Gen 35:1-7 1 Peter 5:1-11	1 John 4:1-6 St. John 10:1-6	Shobin Thomas Jerin Mathew

AREA WISE PRAYER MEETING

NERUL A 3rd Friday 8.00 PM

- 17th May Mr. C. John Mathai, N-6, Bldg No.-5, R no.-6, Pancharatna, Sector 3, Nerul
- 21st Jun Mr. Mathew P. Chacko, NL-4/47, Room no.10, Sector-11, Nerul East

NERUL B 2nd Saturday 8.00 PM

- 11th May To Be announced
- 8th Jun To Be announced

NERUL C 4th Saturday 8.00 PM

- 27th Apr Mr. Oommen Mathew, 1102, Sangharch CHS EVS Zion 1, Plot 29, Sector 25, Nerul East
- 25th May Mr. C.T. Thomas, C-403, Olive Estate, Sector 27, Nerul East
- 22nd Jun Mr. John A. Philip, C-6-304, Nilgiri Garden, Sector 24, C.B.D.

NERUL D 1st Saturday 8.00 PM

- 4th May Mr. Varghese Cherian, E 1/27, B-9, Sector -8, Nerul
- 1st June Rev. Dr. Salomon K. NL 6/3-8, Bridge View Apts, Sector 2, Nerul.

SEAWOODS 3rd Saturday 8.00 PM

- 18th May To Be announced
- 15th Jun Mr. Biju Philip, 202, Plot No 95/96, Sector 44, Seawoods.

Yuvajana Sakhyam Cottage Prayer : 3rd Sunday after the Worship

- 19th May Mr. Melvin Moncy Joseph, 303, Shree Sadan, Plot No.43, Sector -44A, Seawoods
- 16th Jun Mr. Tijo Varghese, NL6/2-10, Pancharatana Apts, Sector-3, Nerul
- Sunday School Teachers Meeting - 4th Sunday after Worship in IMTC, Nerul**

SEVIKA SANGHAM PRAYER MEETINGS

Sevika Sangham 2nd Saturday 5.00 PM

- 11th May Mrs. Sally Abraham, Plot no 121, Vatsalya, Nandavan CHS Sector 17, Nerul East
- 8th Jun Mrs. Accamma Raju, NL 6/10-11, Sector 9, Nerul

Sevika Sangham 4th Saturday 5.00 PM

- 27th Apr Mrs. Marykutty Varkey, B21/153, Kendriya Vihar, Sector 38, Seawoods
- 25th May Mrs. Valsa Alexander, A 303, Olive Estate, Sector 27, Nerul East.
- 22nd Jun Mrs. Mariamma Philip, B/3-403, Madhavi CHS, Sector 19-A, Nerul East

Edavaka Mission Prayer meeting 2nd Sunday 7.00 PM

- 12th May will be announced later
- 9th Jun will be announced later

Senior Citizens Fellowship 1st Sunday at 6.00 PM

- 5th May Mr. M.T Alexander A, 303, Olive Estate, sector 27, Nerul-East
- 2nd Jun Mr. V.G. Varghese, A 401, Coral Crest, Sector 23, Nerul-East

Lent Prayer (Sandhya Namaskaram) Every Day 8:00 PM

Date	Day	Name & Address	Speakers	Bible Readings
1-Apr-19	Monday	Mr. C. John Mathai, N-6, Bldg No.-5, R no.-6, Pancharatna, Sector 3, Nerul	Ms. Lincy Raju	Genesis 33:1-17 St. John 2:1-11
2-Apr-19	Tuesday	Mr. P.C Mathew, D2/104, Lenyadri CHS Sector 19A, Nerul East	Mr. Jibin Prasad	Isaiah 29: 15-24 John 4:11-20
3-Apr-19	Wednesday	Mr. A.T. Philip, B/3-403, Madhavi CHS, Sector 19-A, Nerul East	Ms. Suja Jaison	Jeremiah 11:1-8 James 1:13-21
4-Apr-19	Thursday	Mr. Ebby David, 602, Shalom CHS, Plot No 85, Sector 50, Nerul	Mr. Robin Varghese	Isaiah 13:5-13 James 2 :22-27
5-Apr-19	Friday	Mr. C.T. Thomas, C-403, Olive Estate, Plot 104, Sector 27, Nerul	Ms. Alisha Varghese	1 king 18:16-24 Roman 3:9-24
6-Apr-19	Saturday	Mr. George Kurien Roy, E 1/01, Nilgiri Garden, Sector 24, CBD, Belapur.	Mr. John C. Philip	Isaiah 1: 1-9 James 3 :13-44
7-Apr-19	Sunday	Mrs. Saramma Mathews, B 201, Laxmi Tower, Sector 42, Seawood.		Jerem 17:5-15 Rom 12:10-21

8-Apr-19	Monday	Mr. Thomas Varghese (Monachan), NL 6/2-10 Pancharatna Apts, Sector 3, Nerul East.	Ciril Abraham	2 King 5:1-16 St.Luke 5:12-16
9-Apr-19	Tuesday	Mr. Oommen Mathew, 1102, Sangharch CHS EYS Zion 1, Plot 29, Sector 25, Nerul East		2 Samuel 16:5-12 1 Timothy 2:1-10
10-Apr-19	Wednesday	Mr. Varghese Varghese C13/03, Niwara CHS, Sector 46, Seawoods	Ms. Merin Mathew	Isaiah 33:1-6 1 corint 4:14-21
11-Apr-19	Thursday	Mr. K. Thomas, 1102, Ratan Icon, Plot No 121, Sector 50, Seawoods		Exodus: 34:1-7 1 Corin 8:1-13
12-Apr-19	Friday	Mr. P.V. Abraham, 902, Star Galaxy, Plot No 30, Sector 18, Ulwe		Numbers 17:1-11 1 Corin 9:13-23
13-Apr-19	Saturday	Mr. Shaji K John, B 402, Priyadarshini Complex, Plot 6, Sector 50, Seawoods.		Job 25:1-6 Romans 1:13-25
14-Apr-19	Sunday	Hosanna		Isaiah 35:1-10 2 corint 7:9-16
15-Apr-19	Monday	IMTC		Isaiah 1:10-20 St Mark 2:1-12
16-Apr-19	Tuesday	IMTC		Judges 2:1-10 1 Timoth 1:12-17
17-Apr-19	Wednesday	IMTC		Job 31:1-15 Ephesians 3:1-13
18-Apr-19	Thursday	Maundy Thursday.	Rev. Thomas Daniel Achen, Promoter Sabha Tharaka	1 Samuel 9:17-27 James 2:14-26
19-Apr-19	Friday	Good Friday		Mica 4:1-8 Philip 1:1-11
21-Apr-19	Sunday	Easter Sunday		Hosea 2:18-22 1 Peter 2:1-10

Birthday Anniversary

The following members are celebrating their birthdays in this quarter. Let God's grace and mercy be upon them throughout the year.

BEYOND NERUL		NERUL A	
Apr-10	Mr. Alex Mathew	May-20	Mr. Aji Varghese
May-14	Mrs. Eisy Abraham	Apr-01	Mr. John C Mathew (joby)

Apr-03	Mr. C John Mathai
Apr-08	Mst. Teji Varghese
Apr-11	Mrs. Sheeba Abraham
May-07	Mrs. Lovely Wilson
May-10	Mr. Abraham Mathew
May-11	Mr. Thomas V Kurian
May-13	Mrs. Susan Thomas
May-17	Mr. Mathews P Chacko
May-31	Mr. Thomas Varghese (Saji)
May-31	Mrs. Leelamma Thomas
Jun-05	Mrs. Diana Anil Thomas
Jun-07	Mr. Binu John
Jun-15	Mrs. Accamma Raju
Jun-25	Mr. Wilson Mathew
Jun-26	Kum Alka Anil Thomas
NERUL B	
Apr-04	Ms. Lejy J Thomas
Apr-11	Kum Alisha Liz Varghese
Apr-15	Mr. Thomas P V
Apr-18	Mst. Varun Shibu
Apr-18	Mst. Shaun T Thomas
Apr-27	Mr. Jeevan Sashi
Apr-30	Kum Rachel Sarah Sam
May-01	Mr. Siju P Abraham
May-01	Mr. Abraham P M
May-01	Mrs. Sally Abraham
May-03	Mrs. Anna Lovin
May-10	Mr. Varghese P V
May-10	Mrs. Annie Ebby
May-15	Mrs. Seline A Philip
May-15	Mr. Joju Thomas
May-20	Mrs. Annamma Thomas
May-20	Mr. Daniel Philip
May-25	Mr. Thomas Philip
May-25	Mr. Thomas Libin Jacob

May-28	Mr. Sonu T Thomas
May-30	Mrs. Sheeja Varghese
Jun-01	Dr. Sam Daniel
Jun-04	Mr. Mathew P G
Jun-05	Ms. Sheril Thomas
Jun-08	Mrs. Saramma Thomas
Jun-11	Mr. Paul Mathew Parackel
Jun-17	Mrs. Ann Mariam Thomas
Jun-18	Mrs. Elizabeth Mathew
Jun-26	Mr. Abbey Philip
Jun-29	Kum Rithika Saira Roy
NERUL C	
Apr-03	Mr. Allan Varghese Thomas
Apr-03	Mr. Koshy Chacko
Apr-03	Mrs. Annie Thomas
Apr-05	Mr. Ajoe Santhosh Thomas
Apr-21	Mst. Rushil Mohan
May-02	Mr. Thomas Varghese (Babu)
May-07	Mr. Philip C Thomas
May-10	Mr. P K Mathew
May-17	Ms. Jaicy Varghese Mathew
May-23	Mr. Varghese V G
May-25	Mr. Mathew Aji Thomas
May-26	Mrs. Ani Koshy
May-29	Kum Anannya Mathew Thomas
May-30	Mr. George Kurian Roy
May-31	Mr. Bilji Philip
Jun-01	Mr. Simon Job
Jun-01	Mr. John P V
Jun-03	Dr. Thomas C P
Jun-04	Mr. Thomas C T
Jun-18	Mst. Yohan T Philip
Jun-30	Mr. Shibu Varghese

NERUL D	
Apr-01	Mst. Ryan Thomas Rajan
Apr-06	Mrs. Sarla George
Apr-09	Mr. Dinno George
Apr-11	Mr. Thomas K
Apr-19	Mr. Ranjeev Joseph
Apr-24	Mr. George T
Apr-27	Mr. Jaison Jacob
May-04	Mrs. Rosamma Joy
May-12	Mrs. Ponnamma Cherian
May-22	Mr. T. Geevarghese
May-23	Kum Leah Easo
May-25	Mr. Joseph John
May-26	Mrs. Sosamma Thankachan
May-27	Mr. Ranji Joseph
May-30	Mr. Abey Jacob Varghese
Jun-02	Mrs. Anu Rajan
Jun-06	Mr. Monson Cherian
Jun-09	Mst. Ronan Kuriakose Rajan
Jun-11	Mr. Vilayil Ruben George
Jun-15	Mr. Jose Mathew E
Jun-16	Mrs. Aleyamma Geevarghese
Jun-17	Mrs. Anupama Dinno
Jun-27	Mrs. Blessy Johnson
SEAWOODS	
Apr-04	Mrs. Priya Joseph
Apr-09	Mrs. Marykuty Varkey

Apr-10	Mrs. Aleyamma Varghese
Apr-19	Mr. Aji Varghese
Apr-21	Mst. Ben John Varghese
Apr-21	Kum Jemy P Varghese
Apr-23	Ms. Minu Annie John
May-05	Mrs. Mini Moncy
May-08	Mr. Philip Varghese
May-08	Mrs. Aleyamma Varghese
May-09	Mst. Melvin Moncy Joseph
May-10	Mst. Vineet Jacob David
May-10	Mr. Thomas Varghese (Babu)
May-16	Kum Niji K Shaji
May-19	Mrs. Susamma Shaji
May-20	Kum Roshni Mariam David
May-20	Mrs. Bindu John
May-24	Mr. Shaji K John
May-25	Kum Eva Poykayil John
May-25	Mr. Varghese Varghese
May-26	Mr. Zachariah P Thomas
May-29	Mrs. Saly Mathew
May-30	Mr. Moncy Joseph
May-31	Mrs. Sosamma Thomas
Jun-10	Mrs. Minu Shabu
Jun-16	Mr. Joy Ninan
Jun-23	Mst. Jeevan Mathew
Jun-27	Mr. Jacob C S

Wedding Anniverssary

The following couples are celebrating their Wedding Anniversary in this quarter. Let them be guided and blessed by God in the days to come.

BEYOND NERUL	
May-05	Mr. Abraham George & Mrs. Elsy Abraham
May-11	Mr. Jacob P V & Mrs. Jemy Jacob

May-27	Mr. Liju Raju & Mrs. Princy Mathew
Jun-05	Mr. Sony Thomas & Mrs. Smitha Sony

NERUL C	
May-12	Mr. Mathew Kochummen & Mrs. Achama Kochummen
May-15	Mrs. Libi Aleric & Mrs. Aleric Alexander
Jun-05	Mr. Varghese V G & Mrs. Ammini Varghes
NERUL D	
Apr-27	Mr. Sam Mathew & Mrs. Dr. Sherly Sam Mathew
May-13	Mr. Dinno George & Mrs. Anupama Dinno
Jun-01	Mr. Joseph Mathew & Mrs. Leelamma Mathew
SEAWOODS	
Apr-15	Mr. Varghese Varghese & Mrs. Aleyamma Varghese
May-14	Mr. Laish Ninan Roy & Mrs. Elsa Varghese
May-21	Mr. Roy John & Mrs. Annamma Roy
May-23	Mr. Jacob C S & Mrs. Susan Jacob
May-26	Mr. Vinny Mathews & Mrs. Suman Vinny Mathews
May-27	Mr. Sanson T. Koletth & Mrs. Kripa Sanson
May-28	Mr. Biju K Mathew & Mrs. Shyla Biju Mathew
May-29	Mr. Aji Varghese & Mrs. Jibi John
Jun-17	Mr. John Varghese & Mrs. Bindu John

Jun-22	Mr. Rojin Mathew & Mrs. Suchitra Adhikary
NERUL A	
Apr-27	Mr. Abraham Mathew & Mrs. Sheeba Abraham
May-03	Mr. Binu John & Mrs. Rossamma Binu
May-10	Mr. Anil Thomas & Mrs. Diana Anil Thomas
May-12	Mr. C John Mathai & Mrs. Kunjukunjamma Mathai
NERUL B	
Apr-07	Mr. Ninan Saji Prasad & Mrs. Ninan Prasad
Apr-20	Mr. Abraham Mathew & Mrs. Alice Mathew
May-08	Mr. Thomas V T & Mrs. Annamma Thomas
May-10	Mr. Jacob T T & Mrs. Lizzamma Jacob
May-14	Mr. Thomas Libin Jacob & Mrs. Ann Mariam Thomas
May-17	Mr. Cherian Lovin Jacob & Mrs. Anna Lovin
May-23	Mr. Ninan Prasad & Mrs. Elsamma Prasad
May-23	Mr. Liju Thomas & Mrs. Bini Liju Thomas
May-31	Mr. Abraham T Philip & Mrs. Mariamma Philip
Jun-02	Mr. Daniel Philip & Mrs. Milly Daniel
Jun-20	Mr. John Philip & Mrs. Shibi John
Jun-25	Mr. Thomas P V & Mrs. Jiji Thomas