

**MAR GREGORIOS ORTHODOX CHURCH - PARUMALA OF THE NORTH**

**B.2, Janakpuri, New Delhi – 58**

**CHURCH VOICE**

**FEBRUARY 2012**

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**THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH:**

**“The Lord has shown you, Oh! Man, what is good. What He requires of us is this; to do what is just, to show constant love and to live in humble fellowship with our God.” (Micah- 6:8).**

**HOLY SERVICES, PRAYERS & MEETINGS:**

Sundays	:	08.00 am	-	08.45 am	Morning Prayer
	:	08.45 am	-	10.30 am	Holy Qurbana
Sunday school	:	10.30 am	-	11.30 am	All Sundays
Marth Mariam Samajam.	:	10.30 am	-	11.30 am	All Sundays
M.G.O.C.S.M	:	10.30 am	-	11.30 am	All Sundays
Youth League	:	10.30 am	-	11.30 am	All Sundays
Saturdays	:	05.30 pm	-	06.30 pm	Confession
	:	06.30 pm	-	07.30 pm	Evening Prayer
Fridays	:	06.15 pm	-	06.45 pm	Evening Prayer
	:	06.45 pm	-	08.00 pm	Holy Qurbana & Intercessory Prayer for St. Gregorios
Tuesdays	:	06.30 pm	-	07.00 pm	Evening Prayer & Intercessory Prayer for St. Mary

**CHURCH CALENDAR:**

02 Thursday	:	Mayaltho Perunal (Entry of our Lord to the Temple)
	:	Three Days Lent ends (Memory of Jonah the Prophet)
	:	Memory of St. Simon and St. Hanna (Day of the Old aged)
	:	Memory of Pathrose Mar Osthathios (Kandanadu Karmel Dayara)
05 Sunday	:	Sunday of all departed Priests.
09 Thursday	:	Memory of Mathews Mar Epiphanius (Kollam)
12 Sunday	:	Sunday of all departed Souls
19 Sunday	:	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in the Great Lent</b> (Pethrutha Sunday, Kothne Sunday)
	:	Shubkono Service (Prayers for peace and reconciliation)
20 Monday	:	Great Lent Begins
23 Thursday	:	Memory of Saint Dionysius (Malankara Sabha Bhasuran Vattasseril Thirumeni)
	:	Memory of Thomas Mar Makarios (Devalokam)
24 Friday	:	Feast of Apostle St. Matthew the Evangelist
25 Saturday	:	Memory of Aprem Malpan and Mar Theodoros
26 Sunday	:	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Great Lent</b> (Leprosy Sunday, GarboSunday)

**PRAYER MEETINGS:**

Thursday	02.02.12	:	<b>ST. IGNATIUS PRAYER at 7.30 p.m. (Mohan Garden, Uttam Nagar area)</b> Mr. Joji N. George, E – 11, Peeppal Wali Gali, Mohan Garden Ph: 9810319044
Sunday	05.02.12	:	<b>1. ST. JAMES PRAYER – CANCELLED</b> <b>2. ST. THOMAS PRAYER – CANCELLED</b> <b>3. ST. ANDREWS PRAYER – CANCELLED</b>
Monday	06.02.12	:	<b>ST. GEORGE PRAYER at 7.30 p.m. (Motinagar &amp; Kirtinagar area)</b> Mr. Koshy P.M., WZ – 93 / B, Ramgargh <b>Ph: 9818282218</b>

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- Sunday 12.02.12 : **1. ST. PETERS PRAYER at 4.00 p.m. (Hari Nagar, Mayapuri & Subhash Nagar area)**  
Mr. James P.K, JB- 34-D, Hari Enclave, Mayapuri **Ph: 9868497235**  
: **2. ST. STEPHENS PRAYER at 5.30 p.m. (Naraina area)**  
Mr. Joy Kunjukunju, WZ – 134, Ring Road, Naraina **Ph: 9654187457**  
: **3. ST. MARKS PRAYER at 7.00 p.m (Patel Nagar area)**  
Mr. Rajan P., T – 459, Baljit Nagar, West Patel Nagar **Ph: 9811909973**
- Wednesday 15.02.12 : **ST. MARYS PRAYER at 7.30 p.m (Arjun Park & Nangali Dairy area)**
- Sunday 19.02.12 : **1. ST. JAMES PRAYER at 4.00 p.m (Vikaspuri & Hastal area)**  
Mr. Mathews C.U., J – 8, Nightingale Appts., Vikas Puri **Ph. 9811488293**  
: **2. ST. THOMAS PRAYER at 5.30 p.m (Janakpuri area)**  
Mr. Philipose M.P., RZ – 48 – B, Gali No. 6, Sita Puri **Ph. 9654485765**  
: **3. ST. SIMONS PRAYER at 7.00 p.m. (Lajwanti, Nangal & Janakpuri D- Block area)**  
Mrs. Mariamma Babukutty, A1 / 77, Gali No. 11, 25 foot Road, Chanakya Place, **Ph: 9891553147**
- Monday 20.02.12 : **ST. GEORGE PRAYER at 7.30 p.m. (Motinagar & Kirtinagar area)**  
Mr. Rajan Thomas, 2-B/1, Rathan Park, Moti Nagar **Ph: 9811669241**
- Sunday 26.02.12 : **1. ST. MATHEWS PRAYER at 4.00 p.m. (Palam, Delhi Cantt. Area)**  
Mr. Thomas Joseph, 2 / 16, Sadar Bazar, Palam **Ph: 9911773073**  
: **2. ST. PETERS PRAYER at 5.30 p.m. (Hari Nagar, Mayapuri & Subhash Nagar area)**  
Mr. Varghese P., JA – 21 / C, LIG flats, Hari Enclave, Mayapuri **Ph: 25127799**  
: **3. ST. MARKS PRAYER at 7.00 p.m (Patel Nagar area)**  
Mr. T.M. Alexander, B – 150, DDA flats, New Ranjit Nagar **Ph: 9871434403**
- Monday 27.02.12 : **ST. PAULS PRAYER at 7.30 p.m. (Tagore Garden area)**  
Mr. Johny Thomas, D – 10 / B, Shivaji Enclave **Ph: 987145960**

## NEWS

- 1. The Mayaltho Perunal falls on 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb.** As it is a Moronoyo Perunal, **Holy Qurbana will be celebrated on 1<sup>st</sup> February (Wednesday) at 6.30pm.**
- Three days lent (**Nineveh Lent**) falls on 30<sup>th</sup> January to 1<sup>st</sup> February 2012. **Holy Qurbana** will be celebrated on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February (Wednesday) at 6.30pm.** All are requested to observe 3 days lent with true repentance and Devotion. There will be **Noon Prayer at 12.00 p.m. and Evening Prayer at 6.30 p.m.** at the church every day during the **Nineveh lent.**
- All Departed Souls Day falls on Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup> February 2012.** (Morning Prayer will be at 7.30 am) Members are requested to give the names of their departed one's in advance to be remembered in the Holy Qurbana. As in the previous years there will be special prayers and incense prayers at the church and Cemeteries as per the following timings:

<b>War Cemetery (Delli Cantt) - 11.30 am</b>	<b>Prithviraj Road Cemetery - 12.30 pm</b>
<b>Paharganj Cemetery - 01.30 pm</b>	<b>Nicholson Cemetery (Kashmere Gate) - 01.30 pm</b>
<b>Dwarka Cemetery - 01.30 pm</b>	<b>Tughlakabad Cemetery (Near Orthodox Centre) - 01.30 pm</b>
<b>Mangol puri Cemetery - 01.30 pm</b>	
- The **Great Lent** begins on **Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> February 2012.** **Shubkono Service** (Prayers for peace and reconciliation) to mark the entry in to Lent will be held in our parish on **Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup> February immediately after Holy Qurbana.** All are requested to observe the Great Lent with its sanctity and austerity.
- Our Youth Movement organizing a fund raising program (Grand gala fete) at our school ground Sector – 11, Dwarka on 05<sup>th</sup> February 2012 from 10.30 am to 5.30 pm All the members are requested to participate in the fete and make it a grand success.
- All members are requested to remit their subscriptions, cover collections and other obligatory contributions towards the church on or before Feb.26<sup>th</sup>, and help to finalize the accounts.

**Fr. M. C. Poulose**

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