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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

HOLY MASS AT 7:00 PM

THURSDAY

ST. JUDE NOVENA AFTER MASS
AT 7:00 PM

SATURDAY

HOLY MASS AND MOTHER OF
PERPETUAL SUCCOUR AT 10:00
AM.

SUNDAY

HOLY MASS AND RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION CLASS AT 10:00 AM.

ENGLISH MASS AT 11:40 AM.

HOLY MASS AT 5:30 PM.



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St. Joseph's Feast Day celebration March 22nd
Sunday



St. Joseph's Novena Starts on March 14th

Baptism class

April 16 Thursday after 7 pm mass

SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM CLASS FOR OUR CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

March 28, Saturday after 10 am Mass

April 9, Thursday after 7 pm Mass

Holy Week Schedule



"Palm Sunday - Sunday, March 29 at 10:00 AM,



" Holy Thursday – Thursday, April 2nd at
07:00 PM



" Passion Friday – Friday, April 3rd at 5:00
PM



" Great Saturday - Saturday, April 4th at
10:00 AM



" Easter Vigil Mass – Saturday, April 4th at
7:00 PM



Easter Sunday – Sunday, April 5th at
10:00 AM

Due to the Forane inauguration
of Sacred Heart Knanaya Catho-
lic Church Maywood, No eve-
ning mass (5:30 PM) at St.
Mary's Church Morton Grove on
Sunday March 22.

FAMILY DEDICATIONS FOR MARCH 22.

ANCHAKNNATHU BIJU & VALSA
CHORATH CYRIAC & THRESIAMMA
KAITHAKATHOTTIYIL SIBY & SUJA
KULANGARA KUNJACHAN & JOLLY
NJARAVELIL JOSE & TISSY
PATHIYIL JAIROSE & JONNA
PINARKAYIL MATHAI & CHINNAMMA
THEKUMKATTIL JIMMY & SOUMAYA
THURUTHIYIL CICCILYAMMA
VAKKEL ESTHAPHAN & ANNAMMA
VALLARAMKALAYIL SAJI & SIJU

FAMILY DEDICATIONS FOR MARCH 29.

INDIKUZHLY JOY & LIZY
KATTAPURAM CYRIL & SUJA
KIZHAKETHIL RAJESH & DOLLY
KIZHAKKEVALAYIL JAMES & SHERLY
KULANGARA VALSAMMA
MYALIL CYRIL & SIJI
POOZHICKUNNEL LUCKACHEN & ELSAMMA
THEKKEMYALIL JOSE & SURYA

FAMILY DEDICATIONS FOR APRIL 04.

ALUMKAL THOMAS & MARY
KANNACHAMPARABIL BIJU & JEENA
KUNNEL BAIJU & SUMA
MACHANIKAL SHAJAN & SHINY
MATTATHIPARAMBIL GEORGE & ANCY
MURINGOTH PRADEEP & BIJI
NADUVEETIL SABU & LISY
NELLAMATTAM JOY & LIZY
THARATHATTEL SABU & SHINY
VETTETHUKANDATHIL SUNIL & SOPHY

OFFERINGS	Mar 15.
St Jude-Thursday	2182.00
Sunday Morning Mass	1708.00
Sunday Evening Mass	185.00
Building Fund	10.00
Feast St Joseph & Divine Mercy	300.00
Fund Raising 2015	1000.00
Facility Usage	300.00
Family Dedication	1300.00
TOTAL COLLECTION	6985.00



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RETREAT OFFERINGS	
Friday	1742.00
Saturday	2180.00
Saturday Evening	913.00
Sunday	4722.00
Food Sale	639.00
TOTAL COLLECTION	10196.00

RETREAT EXPENSE	
Food for CCD Students	548.00
For Food	2360.00
Supplies	935.00
For Confession—Priest	1100.00
For Retreat Leaders Including CCD	3800.00
For Cleaning	500.00
TOTAL COLLECTION	9243.00

AGAPE MOVEMENT	
Sacred Heart	46.00
St. Mary's	138.00
Sponsor a Seminarian	750.00
Bulletin Donation	20.00
TOTAL AGAPE	954.00

നോമ്പുകാലം / Sixth Sunday of Lent

March 22	READING	10:00 A.M.	11:40 A.M
1st Reading	Gen 19:15-26	Valsa Anchakunnath	Sona Kadhalimattam
2nd Reading	Rom 14:13-23	Samaya Thekkumkattil	Alan Karikulam
Gospel	John 10:11-18	<i>Shepherd lays down his for the sheep.</i>	

Palm Sunday

March 29	READING	10:00 A.M.	Holy Thursday April 2	
1st Reading	Gen 49: 8-12	Rajesh Kizhakethil	Ex 12:1-20	Roy Chelamalayil
2nd Reading	Zech 9:9-12	Surya Karikulam	Mal 1:10-14	James Mannakulathil
3rd Reading	Rom 11:13-24	Akhil Kunnathukizhakethil	1 Cor 11:23-29	Sini Neduthuruthil
Gospel	Mathew 21:1-17		<i>John 13:1-14</i>	

Good Friday

April 3	READING	5:00 P.M.	Great Saturday April 4	10:00 A.M
1st Reading	Gen 22 :1-19	Anila Mattathikunnel	Gen 22: 1-19	Tissy Njaravelil
2nd Reading	Is 52: 13-53	Mannu Thirunelliparambil	Jon 2: 1-10	Ancy Aikaraparambil
3rd Reading	Rom 5: 6-16	Sindhu Mattathiparambil	Rom 6: 3-11	Sibil Elavumkal
Gospel			<i>Mathew 28: 1-20</i>	

St. Joseph, a Christian model father

Everything we know about the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus comes from Scripture and that has seemed too little for those who made up legends about him.

We know he was a carpenter, a working man, for the skeptical Nazarenes ask about Jesus, "Is this not the carpenter's son?" (Matthew 13:55). He wasn't rich for when he took Jesus to the Temple to be circumcised and Mary to be purified he offered the sacrifice of two turtledoves or a pair of pigeons, allowed only for those who could not afford a lamb (Luke 2:24).

Despite his humble work and means, Joseph came from a royal lineage. The angel who first tells Joseph about Jesus greets him as "son of David," a royal title used also for Jesus.

We know Joseph was a compassionate, caring man. When he discovered Mary was pregnant after they had been betrothed, he knew the child was not his but was as yet unaware that she was carrying the Son of God. He planned to divorce Mary according to the law but he was concerned for her suffering and safety. He knew that women accused to adultery could be stoned to death, so he decided to divorce her quietly and not expose her to shame or cruelty (Matthew 1:19-25).

We know Joseph was man of faith, obedient to whatever God asked of him without knowing the outcome. When the angel came to Joseph in a dream and told him the truth about the child Mary was carrying, Joseph immediately and without question or concern for gossip, took Mary as his wife. When the angel came again to tell him that his family was in danger, he immediately left everything he owned, all his family and friends, and fled to a strange country with his young wife and the baby. He waited in Egypt without question until the angel told him it was safe to go back (Matthew 2:13-23).

We know Joseph loved Jesus. His one concern was for the safety of this child entrusted to him. Not only did he leave his home to protect Jesus, but upon his return settled in the obscure town of Nazareth out of fear for his life. When Jesus stayed in the Temple we are told Joseph (along with Mary) searched with great anxiety for three days for him (Luke 2:48). We also know that Joseph treated Jesus as his own son for over and over the people of Nazareth say of Jesus, "Is this not the son of Joseph?" (Luke 4:22).

We know Joseph respected God. He followed God's commands in handling the situation with Mary and going to Jerusalem to have Jesus circumcised and Mary purified after Jesus' birth. We are told that he took his family to Jerusalem every year for Passover, something that could not have been easy for a working man.

Since Joseph does not appear in Jesus' public life, at his death, or resurrection, many historians believe Joseph probably had died before Jesus entered public ministry .

Joseph is the patron of the dying because, assuming he died before Jesus' public life, he died with Jesus and Mary close to him, the way we all would like to leave this earth.

Joseph is also patron of the universal Church, fathers, carpenters, and social justice.

We celebrate two feast days for Joseph: March 19 for Joseph the Husband of Mary and May 1 for Joseph, the Worker.



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Dear Friends in Christ,

March 19, 2015

We are past approaching to celebrate the most important redemptive events of Jesus' passion, death and resurrection. The death of Jesus on the Cross liberates us from sin and teaches us our need for God and His merciful love. Jesus' Resurrection brings the hope of eternal life to all who believe in Christ.

Let us put aside our past with all its traces of self-centeredness, selfishness, and indifference to others' needs and walk in the light of newborn spirit in the risen Lord. Conversion to Christ, believing in the Gospel, ultimately means to exit the illusion of self-sufficiency and need of His forgiveness and His friendship.

As our forefathers did in India, we are here in US with a mission imprinted in our heart. We are missionaries to live gospel in our life and to express it in all way possible. So that people around us see Jesus in us and believe in him. Let us be generous in our actions and deeds as Jesus is generous to us totally. Let the fruits of His passion, death and resurrection strengthen us in our needs.

Wish You and your family the Joy and Happiness of Easter.

Yours sincerely in the Risen Lord,

Fr. Thomas Mulavanal (Pastor)
Fr. Suni Padinjarekkara (Associate)

UPCOMING HOLY WEEK EVENTS IN OUR CHURCH:

1. Sunday 22, Feast day celebration of St. Joseph
2. Palm Sunday service at 10 am and 5.30pm, March 29th.
3. Wednesday April 1, Confession 3pm - 6.30pm
4. Holy Thursday 'Washing of the feet' and "Pesaha" 7pm, April 2
5. Good Friday Service and Way of the Cross 5pm, April 3
6. Great Saturday April 4th, 10 am
7. Easter Vigil Saturday April 4th, 7pm
8. Easter Sunday April 5th, 10 am
9. Divine Mercy Novena starts on Saturday April 4th.

Best wishes and prayers

To

Sacred Heart Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Maywood.

Pastor, Associate Pastor

and Parish community of

St. Mary's Knanaya Church,

Morton Grove

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2015 മാർച്ച് 22 ഞായർ 4:00 പി.എം.

ദിവ്യബലിയുടെ മുഖ്യകാർമ്മികനും ഫെറോനാ ഉൽഘാടകനും:
ബിഷപ്പ് മാർ ജേക്കബ് അങ്ങാടിയാത്ത് (രൂപതാധ്യക്ഷൻ)
സന്ദേശം: ബിഷപ്പ് മാർ ജോയി ആലപ്പാട്ട് (സഹായമെത്രാൻ)

സഹകാർമ്മികർ: മോൺ. തോമസ് മുളവനാൽ (ക്ലാനായ വികാരി ജനറാൾ)
 മോൺ. അഗസ്റ്റിൻ പാലയക്കുപ്പാമ്പിൽ (വികാരി ജനറാൾ)
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 ഫാ. പോൾ ചാലിശ്ശേരി (രൂപതാ-ഫിനാൻസ് ഓഫീസർ)
 ഫാ. ഏബ്രഹാം മുത്തോലത്ത് (ഫെറോനാ വികാരി)
 ഫാ. സുനി പടിഞ്ഞാറേക്കര (അസി. വികാരി)
 ഫാ. ഫിലിപ്പ് രാമചന്ദ്രൻ (ഡിട്രോയിറ്റ് വികാരി)
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ഏവരെയും ധന്യമായ ഈ
 തിരുക്കർമ്മങ്ങളിലേയ്ക്കും
 അവയ്ക്കൊരുക്കുമായി മാർച്ച് 19 മുതൽ
 നടക്കുന്ന ധ്യാനത്തിലേയ്ക്കും സ്വാഗതം ചെയ്യുന്നു.

