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WEEKLY BULLETIN

HOLY QURBANA IN MALAYALAM

SUNDAY 8:00AM

SUNDAY 10:00AM

SUNDAY 5:30PM

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:15AM

MONDAY-THURSDAY 7:00PM

SATURDAY 10:00AM

HOLY QURBANA IN ENGLISH

SUNDAY 12:00PM

FRIDAY 6:00PM

CONFESSION

EVERY DAY BEFORE QURBANA

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SUNDAY 10:00AM

ADORATION CHAPEL

9:00AM-9:00 PM



SUNDAY READING

DEUT 6:1-9 THE COMMANDMENTS OF THE
LAND OF CANNAN

EZEK 3:16-21 THE EZEKIEL'S MISSION

THES 2:13-17 THE SUFFERING FOR THE
KINGDOM OF GOD

MT 13 :44-52 THE GROWTH OF THE KINGDOM
OF GOD

*Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a
merchant in search of fine pearls,
Matthew 13:45*

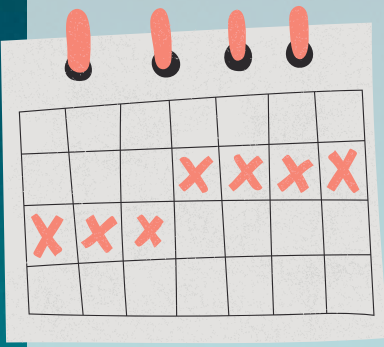
Gospel message

The thing we most set our heart on is our highest treasure. In this parable what does the treasure of the kingdom refer to? It certainly refers to the kingdom of God in all its aspects. But in a special way, the Lord himself is the treasure we seek for. If the Almighty is your gold and your precious silver, then you will delight yourself in the Almighty (Job 22:22-23). Is the Lord the treasure and delight of your heart? "Lord Jesus, reveal to me the true riches of your kingdom. Help me to set my heart on you alone as the treasure beyond compare with any other. Free my heart of any inordinate desires or attachment to other things that I may freely give to you all that I have in joy and gratitude for all that you have given to me. May I always find joy and delight in your presence."

Source:

<http://dailyscripture.servantsoftheword.org/readings/matt1344.htm>





UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

DATE TO BE REMEMBERED:

August

1. August 15 - Assumption of our Lady
2. August 19 - Feat of St John Eudes
3. On Sundays, English Qurbana will be @ 12 Noon
4. Our Church is inviting registration for KARSHAKA SREE award for best adukkala thottam. Register your names at the parish office ASAP.

Gospel message

What do you most treasure? In a peasant community the best safe was often the earth. The man in the parable "went in his joy" to sell everything. Why? Because he found a treasure worth possessing above all else he had. He did not, however, have enough to buy the treasure. Fortunately, he only needed enough to buy the field. In a similar fashion, God offers his kingdom as incomparable treasure at a price we can afford! We can't pay the full price for the life which God gives us; but when we exchange our life for the life which God offers, we receive a treasure beyond compare. The pearl of great price also tells us a similar lesson. Pearls in the ancient world came to represent the supremely valuable. Jesus remarked that one should not cast pearls before swine (Matthew 7:6). Why would a merchant sell everything for a peerless pearl? No doubt because he was attracted to what he thought was the greatest treasure he could possess.

Discovering God's kingdom is like stumbling across hidden treasure or finding the one pearl of great price. When we discover the kingdom of God we receive the greatest possible treasure -- the Lord himself. Selling all that we have to obtain this incomparable treasure could mean many things -- our friends, job, our "style of life", what we do with our free time. Treasure has a special connection to the heart, the place of desire and longing, the place of will and focus.



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Independence Day



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Assumption of Mary

Monday, August 15th, we celebrate the assumption of Mother Mary into heaven to be reunited with her son, Jesus Christ. Surrounded by the apostles, she died peacefully and was accompanied by angels to Heaven. Rather than decomposing, the body arose to Heaven. Accepting the call of God to be the mother of Jesus Christ, wholly filled her with grace and allowed her this unique opportunity.



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Tobin Nedumthuruthil

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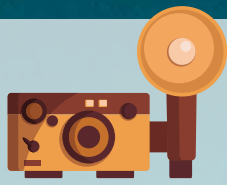
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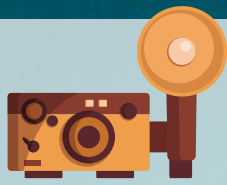
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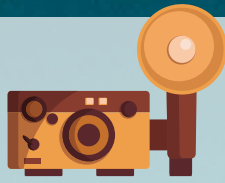


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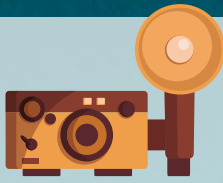
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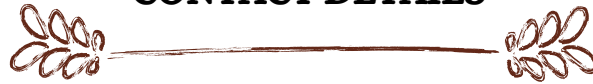




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