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"Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of everlasting life"



Many were attracted to Jesus because he offered them something irresistible -- God's loving-kindness and mercy made manifest in his wonderful works of healing, deliverance, and miraculous feeding of the five thousand. Despite these signs, many stumbled, when Jesus made divine claims.. Jesus' discourse on "eating his flesh and drinking his blood" (see John 6:51-59) which pointed to the Last Supper, caused offence to many of his followers. Jesus claimed to be the very life of God come down from heaven and that no one could live this life without submitting to him. Even the apostles admitted that this was a "hard saying". This expression meant that it was not just hard to understand, but hard to accept. Jesus pressed the issue with his beloved disciples because he wanted to test their faith and loyalty. Jesus assures his disciples that it is his heavenly Father who invites and who gives the grace to follow even in the "hard sayings". Jesus knew that some would not only reject him and his word, but would do so hostilely, even betraying him to his enemies.

Real faith seeks understanding. That is why God gives us the help of the Holy Spirit to enlighten the eyes of our mind to understand his truth and wisdom (Ephes. 1:17-18). Jesus offers his life-giving word and Spirit to those who believe and who submit to his authority. Peter's profession of loyalty was based on a personal relationship with Jesus. Through the gift of faith Peter knew that Jesus was the Messiah, the Holy One of God, and he believed in his words. Faith is a response to God's revelation. It's the key to seeing God work in our lives with power. Do you believe, as Peter did, that Jesus can change your life because he has the words of everlasting life? Ask the Lord to increase your faith that you may grow in your relationship with him and in the knowledge of his love for you.

**No Morning Malayalam Qurbana this week
Tuesday - Friday**

Due to the diocesan annual retreat, there will not be Malayalam Qurbana in the morning from Tuesday to Friday this week (June 11 - June 14)

Church Schedule

HOLY Qurbana in MALAYALAM

Sunday 8.:00 AM, 10: 00 AM & 5.30 PM

Monday - Friday 8:15 AM

Monday-Thursday 7:00PM

Saturday - 10:00AM

HOLY QURBANA IN ENGLISH

Sunday -4.00 PM

Friday - 6:00 PM

NOVENA (AFTER HOLY QURBANA)

Tuesday: St. Anthony

Thursday: St.Jude

Saturday: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

1st Wednesday: St. Michael

CONFESSION

Everyday before Holy Qurbana

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday: 10:00AM

ADORATION CHAPEL

9:00AM - 9:00 PM



Liturgical Bible Readings

Fourth Sunday

Ex 20:1-17

Ten commandments.

Ezek 3:1-11

Proclamation by the power of the word.

Rom 10:5-15

**How beautiful are the feet of those who
proclaim the Gospel!.**

Jn 6:60-69

The words of Eternal life.

Readers for Malayam Mass at 10.00am

St. Joseph Koodarayogam

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MARK YOUR CALENDER

June13: Night Vigil and Adoration in preparation for
the Annual feast

June 14: Death anniverssary of Mar Kuriakose
Kunnassery

June 16: Feast of St. Anthony

June 27: Feast of Body and Blood of Christ

June 29: Feast of St.Peter & St.Paul

July 3: Dukhrana of St. Thomas, the Apostle

July 4: Independence day USA

July 7: First Sunday of Kaitha

July 28: Feast of St. Alphonsa

July 31: Feast of St. John Bosco

Aug 11- 18 : Main Feast of the Parish.

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നടത്തപ്പെട്ട ജപമാല പ്രദീക്ഷണം



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Malayalam Class and Unnikalari

Started on June 4th Tuesday

Malayalam Class and Unnikalari has started as part of the summer program of the CCD school. Visitation convent sisters will leading the classes. This is an 8 week course for ages 5 and above. Classes will be every Tuesday and Wednesday from 11 AM-12:30 PM. Malayalam writing, reading, and speaking will be taught along with indoor and outdoor games. There will be minimal fees for this session. If anyone wants to send the kids to escape boredom at home during school vacation, please send them to the next classes.

Sunday Mass Schedule for Summer

8.00 am Holy Mass (Malayalam)

10.00am Holy Mass (Malayalam)

4.00pm Holy Mass for the Youth (English)


5.30pm Holy Mass (Malayalam)

Picnic to Warren Dunes State Park Michigan

June 19th, 2024 08.00 am - 08.00pm

Men's Ministry is organizing a one day picnic to Warren Dunes State Park, Michigan on June 19th, 2024. Trip will start at 8.00 am and expected to be back at 8pm. The second bus is booked as the first bus is full. Those who are intersted to join the picnic, please contact Polson Kulangara at 847-207-1274 or Siby Kaithakkathottiyil at 773-620-1202.

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Day 1

- Afternoon arrival in Mexico City & non-alc cocktail welcome
- Meet & greet and private dinner buffet

Day 2

- Zocalo, National Palace, Museum of Anthropology
- Mass at the Cathedral (subject to availability)
- Shopping at the Ciudadela Bazaar
- Xochimilco 2-hour Boat Ride with panoramic views of Azteca Stadium & University Tour

Day 3





- Shopping in the Basilica area
- Mass at San Jose Chapels (subject to availability)
- Pyramids of Teotihuacan & Coyoacan
- Church of San Juan Bautista & Church of El Carmen

Day 4

- Pyramid of Cholula & Tlaxcala
- Mass at Basilica of Our Lady of Ocotlan
- Shrine of San Miguel Del Milagros

Day 5

- Morning departure home

Group Leaders
Rev. Fr. Siju Mundakkodil
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Pilgrimage to Guadalupe & Mexico City

October 11th, 2024 - October 15th, 2024

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