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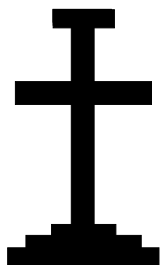
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The Feasts of our Lord, such other obligatory days and days of importance are given in this Ecclesiastical Calendar. The Lord's Feasts, which commemorate the salvific events of our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ and other very important feasts are to be observed like Sundays. On these days, the faithful should participate in the Holy *Qurbono* and should refrain from all servile works. They should specially be solicitous to observe these days holy by engaging themselves in the reading of the Holy Scripture, meditation, prayer and other virtuous deeds. On the Sunday before the important feasts, the priest has to announce in the church about how to observe them.

The Feasts of Our Lord and other important feasts that we celebrate are given below:

The Feasts of Our Lord

1. **Yaldo** (The Birth of Our Lord)
2. **Denho** (Baptism of Our Lord)
3. **Mayaltho** (Entrance of Our Lord into the Temple)
4. **Qyomtho** (Easter)
5. **Sulokho** (The Ascension of Our Lord)
6. **Pentecost** (Fiftieth Day Feast)
7. **M'thale** (Transfiguration of Our Lord)

The Feasts to be observed like the Feasts of Our Lord

1. **March 25** – **Suboro** (Feast of the Annunciation)
2. **June 29** – **Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul**
3. **July 3** – **Dukrono** (The Martyrdom of St. Thomas)
4. **August 15** – **Sunoyo** (The Assumption of Mary, the Mother of God, into Heaven)
5. **September 14** – **Exaltation of the Holy Cross**
Maundy Thursday

This is the day of commemoration of our Lord instituting the Holy *Qurbono*. On this day all faithful, young as well as old, shall participate in the Holy *Qurbono* and receive the same worthily.

Good Friday

All are obliged to participate in the special liturgical services of the day.

Season of the Passover

The period from the beginning of the Great Fast till the first Sunday after Pentecost is known as the Season of Passover

Fasts

1. Canonical Fasts

- 1. Twenty-Five Days *Nombu* - 1-25 December 2025**
- 2. Three-Days *Nombu* / Nineveh *Nombu* - 26-29 Jan 2026**
- 3. Fifty-Days *Nombu* / the Great Lent - 15 Feb - 5 April 2026**

2. Pious Fasts [Besides the above given fasts, there are 3 others, which although not binding under law, we are advised to observe them as part of our devotion].

- 1. Thirteen-Days *Nombu* (*Sleeha Nombu* - 16-29 June 2026)**
- 2. Fifteen-Days *Nombu* (*Sunoyo Nombu* - 1-15 August 2026)**
- 3. Eight- Days *Nombu* (1-8 September 2026)**

3. Mar Ivanios Fast [This fast is devotedly observed by Faithful for the cause of the canonization process of Servant of God Archbishop Mar Ivanios] **1-15 July 2026.**

Abstinence

On all Fridays and days of the Twenty-Five Days *Nombu*, the Three-Days *Nombu* and the Fifty-Days *Nombu*, the faithful shall abstain from meat. But the 18 days, after the Three-Days *Nombu* till the commencement of the Great Fast and 50 days between *Qyomto* and Pentecost are exempted from this abstinence.

On days of the Nineveh Fast, first Monday (*Shubkono*) and all Fridays of the Great Fast and on days from 40th Friday till *Qyomto* we should also abstain from fish and egg. On Good Friday, besides

what is mentioned above we should abstain from milk and all milk-products. There is no abstinence on the closing day of Fasts, whatever day it may be.

Fasting

The faithful above 21 years and below 60 years of age are obliged to fast till noon on the second day of the *Nineveh* Fast, first Monday and all Fridays of the Great Fast. Sick persons, pregnant women and those who do hard labour are not obliged to fast.

Prohibition from Marriage Celebrations

The Holy Episcopal Synod gives certain particular laws concerning the celebration of marriage in our Church. **The Church earnestly desires that the Sacrament of Marriage be conducted at the periods prescribed for the celebration of marriage.** The celebration of marriage is prohibited in our Church during the Seasons of the Twenty-Five Days Fast, Three-Days Fast, Fifty-Days Fast and the Season of the Expectation of the Coming of the Holy Spirit (From Ascension to the Feast of Pentecost). But for serious reasons, the heads of the Archieparchies/Eparchies have the authority to grant dispensation to the faithful to celebrate marriage during these prohibited seasons. **The faithful are reminded that such dispensation shall be sought only when there are grave reasons.** In the Pastoral set up, considering the needs of the faithful of different regions favourably, the application shall be given for conducting marriage during the periods of the Expectation of the coming of the Holy Spirit, the Twenty-Five Days Fast and the Great Lent (Up to the Mid-Lent). In order to obtain such dispensation, a fee in proportion to the dispensation has to be remitted to the Eparchial Curia. This fee shall be used to conduct the marriage of poor girls. **All are informed that dispensation for conducting marriage during the Three-Days Fast and the**

days from the Fortieth Friday to Easter Sunday will not be given at any reason. The abstinence from meat as prescribed by our Church shall be strictly observed in marriage celebrations held during the Seasons of Fast. The abstinence that are stipulated by the Church shall be also observed in all other celebrations in the seasons of Fast. **The marriage that are blessed with the special permission during the seasons of Fast shall not be blessed by the Bishops of our Church** (Ref. Prot. No. CPL 3/2009).

Holy *Qurbono* for the People

According to the norms of the Code of Canons of the Eastern Churches, the Parish Priests and Mission Superiors are obliged to celebrate the Holy *Qurbono* for the people on ten important feast days of the liturgical year. The days are: 1) *Yaldo*, 2) *Denho*, 3) Annunciation to the Bl. Virgin Mary (*Suboro*), 4) *Qyomtho*, 5) *Sulokho*, 6) Pentecost, 7) Commemoration of Saints Peter and Paul, 8) *Dukrono*, 9) Commemoration of the Servant of God Archbishop Mar Ivanios and 10) *Shunoyo*.

Memorable Historical Events

A.D. 52	Arrival of St. Thomas to Kerala. The Churches established by him are Kodungalloor, Palayoor, Paravoor (Kottackavu), Kokkamangalam, Chayal, Niranam and Kollam.
72 July 3	Martyrdom of St. Thomas.
345	Thomas of Cana landed at Kodungalloor.
1599 June 20-26	Synod of Diamper (Udayamperoor).
1653 Jan 3	Koonan Cross Oath (Against the Portuguese rule).
1882 Sep 21	Birth of Geevarghese Mar Ivanios
1908 Sep 15	Priestly Ordination of Geevarghese Mar Ivanios
1919 Aug 15	Rev. Fr. P.T. Geevarghese (Later Mar Ivanios) established the Bethany Ashram in Ranni-Perunad in the Malankara Orthodox Church.
1925 May 1	Episcopal Ordination of Archbishop Geevarghese Mar Ivanios (in the Malankara Orthodox Church) at Niranam. His Holiness Baselios Catholicos (Mar Philexinos of Vakathanam) was the Principal consecrator, His Grace Yuyakim Mar Koorilos of Kandanad and His Grace Mar Gregorios of Niranam (Third Catholicos) were the Co-consecrators.
1925 Sept 21	Establishment of Bethany Sisters Congregation
1926	Parumala Synod (Malankara Orthodox Church) (Mar Ivanios was entrusted by the Synod of Orthodox Church for the discussion of the reunion with Rome)
1926 Nov 11	Episcopal Ordination of Mar Dioscorus (Knanaya Jacobite Church)
1929 Feb 16	Episcopal Ordination of Jacob Mar Theophilos (in the Malankara Orthodox Church) at Kottayam. His Holiness Baselios Geevarghese II was the

principal consecrator, His Grace Vattaseril Mar Divannasios and His Grace Geevarghese Mar Ivanios of Bethany were the Co-consecrators.

1930 Sep 20

Syro-Malankara Re-Union

A group of five persons from the Malankara Orthodox Church headed by Abp. Mar Ivanios along with Bishop Mar Theophilos, Rev. Fr. John Kuzhinapurath OIC, Deacon Alexander OIC and Mr. Chacko Kilileth reunited with the Catholic Church (At Aramana Chapel, Kollam received by His Excellency Aloysius Maria Benziger).

1932 June 11

Establishment of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Hierarchy. Erection of the Archieparchy of Trivandrum and Eparchy of Tiruvalla.

1933 March 12

Inauguration of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Hierarchy and the Installation of Archbishop Geevarghese Mar Ivanios as the first Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum at Queen of Peace Pro-Cathedral, Palayam.

1933 March 13

First Holy Mass, after the establishment of the Hierarchy, was celebrated by Mar Ivanios as the main celebrant and Jacob Mar Theophilos as the co-celebrant at Queen of Peace Pro-Cathedral, Palayam.

1933 May 25

Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios of Niranam (Malankara Orthodox Church).

1933 Nov 6

Installation of Bishop Jacob Mar Theophilos as the first Bishop of Tiruvalla.

1937 Nov 29

Re-union of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios

1938 May 8

Establishment of the Congregation for the Sisters of Daughters of Mary

1938 Nov 20

Appointment of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios as the Apostolic Administrator of the Eparchy of Tiruvalla.

1939 Nov 12	Re-union of Bishop Thomas Mar Dioscoros from Knanaya Jacobite Church.
1943 Feb 22	Demise of Bishop Thomas Mar Dioscoros (Tombed at St. Mary's church, Tirumoolapuram).
1950 May 5	Installation of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios as Bishop of Tiruvalla.
1953 Jan 29	Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Benedict Mar Gregorios as Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum.
1953 July 15	Demise of Archbishop Geevarghese Mar Ivanios.
1954 April 22	Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios as Auxiliary Bishop of Tiruvalla.
1955 Jan 18	Demise of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios.
1955 Jan 22	Installation of Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios as second Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum.
1955 Jan 27	Installation of Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios as Bishop of Tiruvalla.
1955 Sept 20	Silver Jubilee of Reunion at Tiruvalla
1956 June 27	Demise of Bishop Mar Theophilos.
1962 Oct 11	Inauguration of the 21 st Ecumenical Council (Second Vatican Council). Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios, Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum and Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios, Eparchial Bishop of Tiruvalla, were attended in all sessions of Second Vatican Council, representing Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
1964 Dec 4	Visit of Pope Paul VI to India.
1965 Feb 22	Blessing of the Metropolitan Church of the Archieparchy of Trivandrum (St. Mary's Cathedral).
1965 Dec 8	Closing of the 21 st Ecumenical Council.
1967 Dec 16	Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Paulose Mar Philexinos.

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- 1968 Feb 28 'Yuvadeepam', the first Youth Movement in the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, was formed in Tiruvalla.
- 1971 Nov. Youth Movement in the Archieparchy of Trivandrum was formed in the name of 'Malankara Catholic Youth Movement' (MCYM) . The Church officially recieved this name for the youth activities of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church in 1984.
- 1977 Aug 28 Re-union of Bishop Paulose Mar Philexinos from the Malabar Independent Church (Malabar Independent Syrian Church).
- 1977 Sep 28 Demise of Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios.
- 1978 July Mar Ivanios Padayatra started from Mundanmala, Ranni-Perunad
- 1978 Oct 28 Erection of the Eparchy of Bathery.
- 1978 Dec 28 Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Cyril Mar Baselios (Eparchy of Bathery) and Bishop Issac Mar Yoohanon (Eparchy of Tiruvalla) (Thirumoolapuram).
- 1978 Dec 29 Installation of Bishop Issac Mar Yoohanon as Bishop of Tiruvalla .
- 1979 Feb 2 Installation of Bishop Cyril Mar Baselios as the first Bishop of Bathery.
- 1980 Dec 26-28 Conclusion of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the Re-union Movement at Kottayam.
- 1980 Dec 27 Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Lawrence Mar Ephrem as Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum.
- 1985 Sept 14 St. Ephrem Ecumenical Research Centre (SEERI), the training Centre for Syriac, was inaugurated at Kottayam
- 1986 Feb 8 Visit of Pope John Paul II to the Malankara Catholic Church (St. Mary's Cathedral, Pattom, Trivandrum).
- 1987 April 28 Demise of Bishop Isaac Mar Yoohanon.

- 1987 Aug 18-19 Visit of Cardinal Simon de Lourdusamy, the Prefect of the Congregation for the Oriental Churches, to the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 1988 April 16 Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios was elected as the President of CBCI.
- 1988 Aug 6 Episcopal Ordination and Installation of Bishop Geevarghese Mar Timotheos as Bishop of Tiruvalla.
- 1989 May 25 Blessing of St. Mary's Malankara Major Seminary, Trivandrum.
- 1994 Oct 10 Demise of Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios
- 1995 Dec 14 Installation of Archbishop Cyril Mar Baselios as Metropolitan Archbishop of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 1996 Feb 11-13 Visit of Achille Cardinal Sylvestrini, the Prefect of the Congregation for the Oriental Churches, to the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 1996 Feb 13-21 C.B.C.I. meeting held at St. Mary's Malankara Major Seminary, Nalanchira, TVM.
- 1996 March 2 Establishment of the Malankara Catholic Association (MCA), an apostolic (pious) association for the laity in the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 1996 Dec 16 Erection of the Eparchy of Marthandom.
- 1997 Jan 23 Enthronement of Most Rev. Lawrence Mar Ephrem as the first Bishop of Marthandom.
- 1997 Feb 5 Episcopal Ordination and Enthronement of Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Divannasios as Bishop of Bathery.
- 1997 April 8 Demise of Bishop Lawrence Mar Ephrem.
- 1997 July 17 Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Koorilos as Auxiliary Bishop of Tiruvalla.
- 1998 June 29 Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Chrysostom (Bishop of Marthandom) and Most Rev. Joshua Mar Ignathios (Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum) at Nalanchira.

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1998 July 1	Enthronement of Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Chrysostom as Bishop of Marthandom.
1998 Nov 3	Demise of Bishop Paulose Mar Philexinos.
2000 June 24	Archbishop Cyril Mar Baselios took charge as the President of CBCI.
2001 Aug 15	Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Isaac Mar Cleemis as Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum and Apostolic Visitator to North America and Europe (Thirumoolapuram).
2003 Jan 15	Erection of the Eparchy of Muvattupuzha.
2003 Feb 6	Enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Koorilos as the first Bishop of Muvattupuzha.
2003 Mar 29	Geevarghese Mar Timotheos retired from the official duties and responsibilities of the Eparchy of Tiruvalla.
2003 Oct 2	Enthronement of Most Rev. Isaac Mar Cleemis as Bishop of Tiruvalla.
2004 Sep 20	Blessing of the New Cathedral at Tiruvalla.
2005 Feb 10	Elevation of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church to the status of the Major Archiepiscopal Church.
2005 Feb 19	Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Joseph Mar Thomas as Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum and Apostolic Visitator to North America and Europe.
2005 Mar 30-Apr 1	The Preparatory Synod of the Syro- Malankara Catholic Church at Cherupushpagiri Bishop's House, Tiruvalla.
2005 April 2	Demise of His Holiness Pope John Paul II.
2005 April 8	Moran Mor Cyril Baselios Catholicos and Most Rev. Isaac Mar Cleemis, the Bishop of Tiruvalla, were participated in the funeral service of Pope John Paul II held at Rome, representing Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
2005 May 14	Enthronement of Moran Mor Cyril Baselios as Major Archbishop-Catholicos.

- 2005 May 16 Blessing of the Foundation Stone for the Catholicate Centre by Cardinal Moussa Daoud, the Prefect of the Congregation for the Oriental Churches.
- 2005 Aug16-18 The First Holy Episcopal Synod of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church at the Catholicate Centre, Pattom.
- 2005 Sept 19-21 Platinum Jubilee Celebrations of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Re-union Movement at Mavelikara.
- 2006 May 15 Erection of the ecclesiastical province of Tiruvalla and the elevation of the Eparchy of Tiruvalla as Archieparchy.
- 2006 June 10 Enthronement of Most Rev. Isaac Mar Cleemis as the First Metropolitan Archbishop of Tiruvalla.
- 2006 Sept 20, 21 76th Reunion Day celebration at Muvattupuzha
- 2007 Jan 1 Erection of the Eparchy of Mavelikara.
- 2007 Jan 18 Demise of Moran Mor Cyril Baselios Catholicos.
- 2007 Jan 18 Bishop Geevarghese Mar Divannasios took charge as the Administrator of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2007 Feb 8-10 The First Holy Episcopal Synod to elect the Catholicos held at the Catholicate Centre.
- 2007 Feb 10 Archbishop Isaac Mar Cleemis, elected as the Major Archbishop-Catholicos of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church by the Holy Episcopal Synod.
- 2007 Feb 16 Enthronement of Most Rev. Joshua Mar Ignathios as the First Bishop of the Eparchy of Mavelikara.
- 2007 March 5 Enthronement of Most Rev. Isaac Mar Cleemis as Major Archbishop-Catholicos with the title 'Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis'.

- 2007 March 10 Episcopal Ordination of Jacob Mar Barnabas as Apostolic Visitor to the Syro-Malankara Catholic faithful residing in the Extra-territorial Regions in India.
- 2007 March 22 Most Rev. Jacob Mar Barnabas, the Apostolic Visitor to the Syro-Malankara Catholic faithful residing in the Extra- territorial Regions in India, took charge.
- 2007 May 2 Enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Koorilos as Metropolitan Archbishop of Tiruvalla.
- 2007 July 14 Solemn Declaration of Archbishop Mar Ivanios as 'Servant of God' by Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos.
- 2007 Sept 20-21 The Platinum Jubilee Celebrations of the establishment of Syro-Malankara Catholic Hierarchy at Kodanchery in the Eparchy of Bathery.
- 2007 Sept 23 125th Birthday Celebrations of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios, at Puthiyakavu, Mavelikara.
- 2008 Jan 18 Stone Laying of the new Catholicate Centre by Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos.
- 2008 Feb 9 Episcopal Ordination and enthronement of Most Rev. Abraham Mar Julios as Bishop of Muvattupuzha.
- 2008 Oct 5-26 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos attended in the Synod on Word of God representing Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, convoked by Pope Benedict XVI, at Rome.
- 2008 Oct 12 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos, representing Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, participated in the Canonisation Ceremony of St. Alphonsa of Venerable Memory, at Rome.

- 2008 Nov 10 Visit of Leonardo Cardinal Sandri, the Prefect of the Congregation for the Oriental Churches, to the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church
St. Mary, Queen of Peace Church, Palayam, Trivandrum, is raised to the status of Minor Basilica by the Holy See.
- 2009 Sep 20-26 Visit of Moran Mor Ignathios Yousuf III Younan, the Patriarch of the Syrian Catholic Church of Antioch to the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
Syro-Malankara Thirusabhai Sangamam: 79th Reunion Anniversary and the Platinum Jubilee Celebrations of the inception of the apostolic activities of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church in the district of Kanyakumari of Tamil Nadu State, at Mariagiri in the Eparchy of Marthandom.
- 2010 Jan 25 Erection of the Eparchies of Pathanamthitta and Puttur.
- 2010 March 13 Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Vincent Mar Paulos (Bishop of Marthandom), Most Rev. Thomas Mar Anthonios (Curia Bishop), Most Rev. Samuel Mar Irenios (Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum) and Most Rev. Philipose Mar Stephanos (Auxiliary Bishop of Tiruvalla). Patriarch Gregorios III Laham of Greek Melkite Catholic Church was the Chief Guest.
- 2010 March 14 Enthronement of Most Rev. Vincent Mar Paulos as Bishop of Marthandom.
- 2010 March 15 Most Rev. Dr. Thomas Mar Anthonios officially took charge as the first Curia Bishop.
- 2010 March 20 Enthronement of Most Rev. Yoochanon Mar Chrysostom as the first Bishop of Pathanamthitta.
- 2010 April 13 Enthronement of Most Rev. Joseph Mar Thomas as Bishop of Bathery.

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- 2010 April 15 Enthronement of Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Divannasios as the first Bishop of Puttur.
- 2010 July 14 Erection of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Exarchate in the USA.
- 2010 Sep 20-21 80th Anniversary of Reunion Movement at St. Mary's Cathedral, Pattom, Trivandrum.
- 2010 Sep 20 Establishment of the Malankara Catholic Children's League (MCCL), an apostolic (pious) association for the Sunday School students in the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2010 Sep 21 Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Eusebius as the first Bishop of the Exarchate in the USA and Apostolic Visitor to Canada and Europe (at St.Mary's Cathedral, Trivandrum).
- 2010 Oct 3 Enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Eusebius as the first Bishop of the Exarchate in the USA (in New York).
- 2010 Oct 10-24 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, attended the Synod on Middle East, held at Rome, convoked by Pope Benedict XVI.
- 2011 March 25 The first *Ad limina* Visit to the Holy Father Benedict XVI by the Bishops of the Holy Episcopal Synod headed by Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos, the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church after being elevated to the status of a Major Archiepiscopal Church.
- 2011 Sept 20 81st Reunion Day Celebration at St. Mary's Cathedral, Pattom.
- 2011 Sept 21 The Blessing of the Catholicate Centre.
- 2011 Sept 21-23 First Syro-Malankara Catholic Church Assembly based on the theme 'the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church - the Evangeliser' (Catholicate Centre, Pattom).

- 2011 Oct 27 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos, as the representative of the Indian Catholic Church, attended the Prayer Meeting of the World Religious leaders, which was held at Assisi and the Vatican, convoked by Pope Benedict XVI.
- 2012 Jan 25, 26 Blessing of the St. Joseph's Cathedral, Eparchy of Muvattupuzha.
- 2012 March 9-10 Blessing of the Holy Myron (Pattom Cathedral).
- 2012 March 10 Publishing of the Code of Particular Canons of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church (CPCSMCC).
- 2012 Sept 20 82nd Reunion Day Celebration. Blessing of St. Peter's Cathedral, Eparchy of Pathanamthitta. Visit of Moran Mor Bechara Boutros al-Rahi, the Patriarch of the Maronite Syrian Catholic Church to the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2012 Oct 7-28 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos attended the Synod on New Evangelization, held at Rome, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, convoked by Pope Benedict XVI.
- 2012 Oct 24 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos was elevated Cardinal by His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI.
- 2012 Nov 24 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos was created as a Cardinal.
- 2012 Nov 25 Thanksgiving Holy Mass of Syro-Malankara Catholic Church at St John & Paul Basilica, Rome, lead by Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos. Heads of the different Churches and faithful from all over the world attended. Thereafter, the felicitation Meeting and Agape.
- 2012 Dec 1 Thanksgiving Holy Mass of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church in the context of the elevation of Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos at St. Mary's Cathedral, Trivandrum.

- 2013 March 12-13 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos participated in the Conclave for the election of 266th Pope of the Universal Catholic Church.
- 2013 March 19 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos attended in the Installation Ceremony of Pope Francis, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2013 May 19 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos took charge of the Basilica of St Gregorio VII, the titular church, in Rome.
- 2013 July 15 The 60th Commemoration feast of Servant of God Mar Ivanios. His Eminence Louis Antonio Cardinal Tagle, Archbishop of Manila in Philippines, was the Chief Guest.
- 2013 Sept 20 Blessing of the St. Mary's Cathedral, Eparchy of Mavelikara.
- 2013 Sept 21 83rd Reunion Day celebration at Punnamoodu in Mavelikara.
- 2014 Feb 11 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos was elected as the President of CBCI.
- 2014 June 23 As part of the Canonization process, the tomb of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios was opened and canonical recognition conducted.
- 2014 July 15 His Grace Archbishop Cyril Vasil, Secretary General of the Congregation for the Oriental Churches, was the Chief Guest in the 61st commemoration of the Servant of God Archbishop Mar Ivanios.
- 2014 Sept 20 84th Reunion Day celebration at Bathery.
- 2014 Oct 5-19 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, attended the Synod on Family, held at Rome, convoked by Pope Francis.
- 2014 Nov 23 Moran Mor Baselios Cleemis Catholicos,

- representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, participated in the Canonisation Ceremony of St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara and St. Euphrasia, held at Rome.
- 2015 March 26 Erection of the Eparchy of Gurgaon and Exarchate of Khadki.
- 2015 May 1 Inauguration of the Eparchy of St. John Chrysostom, Gurgaon and installation of Most Rev. Jacob Mar Barnabas as its first Bishop at Delhi.
- 2015 May 30 Inauguration of the Exarchate of St. Ephrem, Khadki and installation of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Anthonios as its first Exarch at Pune.
- 2015 July 15 His Eminence Cardinal Peter Turkson, President, Pontifical Council for Peace and Justice, was the Chief Guest in the 62nd Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios..
- 2015 Sept 20 85th Reunion Day celebration at Thirumoolapuram, Tiruvalla.
- 2016 Jan 16 Concluding Ceremony of the Birth Centenary of Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios. His Eminence Oswald Cardinal Gracius was presided over the function. His Grace Salvatore Penacchio, the Apostolic Nuncio, inaugurated the function (St. Mary's Cathedral, Pattom)
- 2016 Jan 4 Erection of the Eparchy of St. Mary, Queen of Peace USA-Canada.
- 2016 Jan 23 Enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Eusebius as the first Bishop of the Eparchy of St. Mary, Queen of Peace USA - Canada.
- 2016 March 8 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos was re-elected as the President of CBCI.
- 2016 July 15 His Grace Timothy Cardinal Michael Dolan, Archbishop of New York was the Chief Guest in the 63rd commemoration of the Servant of God

- Archbishop Mar Ivanios.
- 2016 Aug 25 Closing ceremony of the canonical inquiry of the Cause of Canonisation of the Servant of God Archbishop Mar Ivanios in the Major Archieparchial level.
- 2016 Sept 8 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos together with Most Rev. Thomas Mar Anthonios submitted the official documents of the canonisation process to His Eminence Angelo Cardinal Amato, the Prefect of the Congregation for the cause of Saints in the Vatican.
- 2016 Sept 17,18 86th Reunion Day, *Sabhasangamam* and the Golden Jubilee celebration of South Canara Malankara Mission held at Noojibalthila in the Eparchy of Puttur.
- 2016 Sept 19, 20 Blessing of the St. Thomas Cathedral, Eparchy of Bathery.
- 2017 Jan 24 Geevarghese Mar Divannasios, the first bishop of the Eparchy of Puttur, retired from the official duties and responsibilities of the Eparchy.
- 2017 July 15 64th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios. His Beatitude George Cardinal Alancherry, Major Archbishop of the Syro-Malabar Catholic Church, was the Chief Guest.
- 2017 Aug 5 Erection of the Eparchy of Parassala.
- 2017 Sept 19,21 87th Reunion Day and *Sabhasangamam* held at Adoor in the Major Archieparchy of Trivandrum. His Beatitude Moran Mor Ignatius Youssef III Younan, the Head of the Antiochean Syrian Catholic Church, was the Chief Guest.
- 2017 Sept 21 Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Makarios (Puttur) Most Rev. Yoochanon Mar Theodosius (Curia Bishop and Apostolic Visitor to Europe and Oceania) (Adoor).

2017 Sept 23	Inauguration of the Eparchy of Parassala and enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Eusebius as its first Bishop.
2017 Sept 30	Enthronement of Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Makarios as the Bishop of Puttur.
2017 Oct 5	Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Theodosius officially took charge as the Bishop of the Major Archiepiscopal Curia.
2017 Oct 28	Enthronement of Most Rev. Philipos Mar Stephanos as the Bishop of the Eparchy of St. Mary, Queen of Peace, USA-Canada.
2018 Jan 16	Demise of Geevarghese Mar Divannasios, Bishop-Emeritus of Puttur (tombbed at St. John's Cathedral, Tiruvalla).
2018 Apr 10	Most Rev. Samuel Mar Irenios was appointed the Co-Adjutor Bishop of Pathanamthitta and Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Theodosius was appointed the Co-Adjutor Bishop of Muvattupuzha.
2018 April 12	Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Theodosius took charge as the Co-Adjutor Bishop of Muvattupuzha.
2018 April 29	Most Rev. Samuel Mar Irenios took charge as the Co-Adjutor Bishop of Pathanamthitta
2018 July 15	65 th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios. His Eminence Cardinal Rainer Maria Wolki, Archbishop of Köln, Germany, was the Chief Guest.
2018 Sept 20, 21	88 th Reunion Day and <i>Sabhasangamam</i> which was hosted by Eparchy of Muvattupuzha were cancelled due to the flood caused in Kerala. Instead of this, it was observed in parish level.
2018 Oct 3-28	Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church, attended the Synod, convoked by Pope

- Francis at Rome, based on the theme 'Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment'.
- 2019 Jan 19 Golden Jubilee of MCYM Celebration in the Church level at Punnamoodu, Mavelikara.
- 2019 Mar 11 Visit of His Grace Most Rev. Dr. Giambattista Diquattro (Apostolic Nuncio) to HES.
- 2019 March 13 First meeting for the Centenary (2030) celebraion of Reunion Day at Catholicate Centre, Pattom, convoked by the Head of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2019 June 4 Demise of Geevarghese Mar Timotheos, Bishop-Emeritus of Archieparchy of Tiruvalla.
- 2019 June 8 Bishop Yoohanon Mar Chrysostom, the first Bishop of the Eparchy of Pathanamthitta, retired from the official dutes and responsibilites of the Eparchy.
- Enthronement of Most Rev. Samuel Mar Irenios as the Bishop of Pathanamthitta.
- 2019 June 12 Bishop Abraham Mar Julios, the second Bishop of the Eparchy of Moovattupuzha, retired from the official dutes and responsibilites of the Eparchy.
- Enthronement of Most Rev. Yoohanon Mar Theodosius as the Bishop of Muvattupuzha.
- 2019 July 15 66th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios.
- His Beatitude Ibrahim Isaac Sedrak Gad Elsayad, the Head of the Coptic Catholic Church, Alexandria, was the Chief Guest.
- 2019 Sept 18-20 89th Reunion Day and *Sabhasangamam* and Centenary celebration of Bethany Ashram held at Kottayam Girideepam

- 2019 Sept 22,23 The *Ad limina* Visit to the Holy Father Pope Francis by the Bishops of the Holy Episcopal Synod at Rome headed by Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos.
- 2019 Oct 8-10 The Second Assembly of the SMCC based on the theme 'Grace-filling Family' (Pattom, Catholicate Centre).
- 2019 Oct 10 25th Commemoration Day of Archbishop Benedict Mar Gregorios.
- 2019 Nov 23 Erection of the Eparchy of St. Ephrem, Khadki-Pune
- 2020 Jan 14 Inauguration of the Eparchy of St. Ephrem, Khadki-Pune and enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Anthonios as its first Bishop.
- 2020 July 15 67th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios. It was celebrated in restricted manner due to 'Covid-19'
- 2020 Sept 19-21 90th Reunion Day and *Sabhasangamam* at Mavelikara. (On the context of Covid, the Programmes were held through the Web Platform)
- 2021 June 11 *Navathi* Year of the institution of the Hierarchy of the Malankara Syrian Catholic Church and *Navathi* of the erection of Major Archieparchy of Trivandrum and Archieparchy Thiruvalla was inaugurated by His Beatitude Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Major Archbishop-Catholicos at St. Mary's Queen of Peace Basilica, Palayam.
- 2021 July 15 68th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios. It was celebrated in restricted manner due to 'Covid-19'.
- 2021 Aug 26 Demise of Jacob Mar Barnabas, Bishop of the Eparchy of Gurgaon-Delhi

- 2021 Sept 20-21 91st Reunion Day and *Sabhasangamam*, which was decided to conduct at Marthandam, was celebrated at the eparchial level on the context of Covid.
- 2021 Nov 26 Syro-Malankara Catholic Church officially welcomed to Baselios Marthoma Mathews III Catholicos, Head of the Malankara Orthodox Church, at Major Archbishop's House, Trivandrum. All the Bishops, priests, and representatives in our Church, Metropolitans in the Sister-Church, Ministers, and public representatives participated in the function which was held in the church with liturgical reception, Basmalko, public blessing and dinner.
- 2022 June 30 Enthronement of Most Rev. Thomas Mar Anthonios as the Bishop of St. John Chrysostom, Gurgaon-Delhi.
- 2022 July 15 69th Commemoration of the Servant of God, Archbishop Mar Ivanios.
- Episcopal Ordination of Most Rev. Antony Mar Silavanos (Bishop of the Major Archiepiscopal Curia) and Most Rev. Mathews Mar Polycarpus (Auxiliary Bishop of Trivandrum) at St. Mary's Cathedral.
- 2022 July 18 Most Rev. Antony Mar Silavanos took charge of the Bishop of the Major Archiepiscopal Curia.
- 2022 Sept 20-21 92nd Reunion Day and *Sabhasangamam* at Tiruvalla.
- 2023 June 16 Pope Francis appointed Msgr. George Panamthundil, a member of the Major Archieparchy of Trivandrum as the Archibish and apostolic nuncio of Khasakistan, Kirjistan, Thajikistan.
- 2023 July 15 70th comemmoration day of Servant of God Mar Ivanios. Vatican Ambassador Archbishop Leopoldo Girelli was the chief guest.

2023 Sept 9	Episcopal Ordination of Archbishop Dr. George Panamthundil at St. Peters Basilica in Rome.
2023 Sept 21	93 rd Reunion Day and Sabhasangamam held at Mar Ivanios Nagar in the Eparchy of Muvattupuzha.
2024 Feb 11	The Syro-Malankara Syrian Catholic Church honored His Beatitude Ignatius Ephrem II, Patriarch of the Universal Orthodox Syrian Church (St. Mary's Major Archieparchial Cathedral, Trivandrum). All the Bishops, and the representatives in our Church, Metropolitans in the Sister-Church, Honourable Chief Minister of Kerala, Ministers, and public representatives, etc participated in the occasion. From the cathedral gate, His Beatitude was welcomed to the Holy Madbaha. His Beatitude offered incense at the tomb of Venerable Mar Ivanios.
2024 Feb 15	Episcopal ordination of Most Rev. Mathews Mar Pachomios.
2024 March 14	His Holiness Pope Francis proclaimed Servant of God Archbishop Mar Ivanios as the 'Venerable'.
2024 July 15	71 st feast of commemoration of Venerable Archbishop Mar Ivanios. His Beatitude Raphael Thattil, Major Archbishop of the Syro-Malabar Church, was the Chief Guest.
2024 Sept 21	94 th Reunion Day and Sabhasangamam held at Parassala. Inauguration of the Year of the Word of God (2024 Sept 20 - 2025 Sept. 19) in connection with the Centenary of Reunion.
2024 Oct 27	Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos, the Head and the Father of our Church participated in the conclusion of the Synod of Synodality in Rome.
2025 April 21	Demise of His Holliness Pope Francis
2025 April 26	Funeral of Pope Francis (at St Mary's Major Basilica) - Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos, the Head and the Father of our Church participated.

- 2025 May 7 - 8 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos participated in the Conclave for the election of 267th Pope of the Universal Catholic Church.
- 2025 May 18 Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos participated in the Installation Ceremony of Pope Leo XIV, representing the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church.
- 2025 May 30 Bishop Joshua Mar Ignathios, the first Bishop of the Eparchy of Mavelikara, retired from the official duties and responsibilities of the Eparchy.
- 2025 June 29 Enthronement of Most Rev. Mathews Mar Polycarpus as the Bishop of the Eparchy of Mavelikara.
- 2025 July 15 72nd Commemoration of the Venerable Archbishop Mar Ivanios. Archbishop Paul Gallagher, the Secretary General of the Vatican's International Office was the chief guest.
Remebrance of the centenary of the consecration of the Venerable Mar Ivanios.
- 2025 Sept 20 95th Reunion Day celebration at Pathanamthitta (Adoor).
Inauguration of the Year of Liturgy (2025 Sept 20 - 2026 Sept. 19) in connection with the Centenary of Reunion. His Eminence Ignatius Yonan, Syrian Catholic Patriarch of Antioch, was the Chief guest.
Concluding ceremony of the centenary of the episcopal consecration of the Venerable Mar Ivanios. Honourable Chief Minister was the Chief guest.

Readings for Special Occasions

Commemoration of All Saints

Rev 19:1-16; Rom 8:26-30; Phil 3:8-14; Mt 16:24-27; Jn 15:1-8; Jn 17:20-26.

Commemoration of the Martyrs

Acts 7:55-60; Rev 7:9-17; Jas 1:2-12; 1Pet 3:14-17; Rom 5:1-5; Rom 8:31-39;
2 Cor 4:7-15; Heb 10:32-36; Mt 10:17-22; Mk. 8:34-38; Mt 10:28-33; Lk 9:23-26;
Jn 12:24-26; Jn 15:18-21; Jn 17:11-19.

Commemoration of the Doctors of the Church

1 Cor 1:18-25; 1 Cor 2:1-10; Eph 3:8-12; 2 Tim 4:1-5; Mt 5:13-16; Mt 23:8-12.

Commemoration of the Virgins

1 Cor 7:25-35; Mt 25:1-13; Lk 10:38-42.

Commemoration of the Departed Souls

Wis 3:1-9; Wis 4:7-14; Dan 12:1-3; 2 Macc 12:43-46; 1 Jn 3:1-2; 1 Jn 3:14-16;
Rom 5:7-21; Rom 6:3-9; Rom 14:7-12; 1Cor15:20-28; 1Cor 15:51-57; 2 Cor 5:1-10;
Phil 3:20-21; 1 Thess 4:13-18; 2 Tim 2:8-13; Mt 25:1-13; Mt 25:31-46; Lk 7:11-17; Jn
5:24-29; Jn 6:37-40; Jn 6:51-58; Jn 11:17-27; Jn 11:32-45; Jn 14:1-6.

Thanksgiving

Prov 50:22-24; Isa 63:7-9; Ps 105:38-45; 1Cor 1:3-9; Eph 1:3-14; Col 3:12-17;
Mt 7:7-11; Mk 4:35-41; Lk 18:1-8; Jn 17:6-19

Votive Holy Qurbano

Lam 3:17-26; Dan 3:34-43; Jas 1:2-12; Rom 8:18-30; Rom 8:31-39; Heb 4:14-16;
Mt 7:7-11; Mk 4:35-41; Lk 18:1-8; Jn 17:6-19

Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination

1Pet 5:1-4; 1Tim 6:11-21; 1 Tim 5:17-22; Jn 10:11-16; Mt 6:25-34

Commemoration of Bishops

1Jn 3:11-16; Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51; Jn 10:11-18; Jn 14:1-6; Jn 15:9-17

Sacerdotal Jubilee

1Tim 1:8-14; Jn 15:11-17; Lk 1:46-55.

Birthday

Gal 3:26-29; 4:1-7; Eph 6:1-4; Mt 18:1-5

First Holy Communion

1Cor 11:26-29; 1Jn 6:48-58

Feast Day

2Thess 2:13-17; Mt 5:13-16

Wedding Anniversary/ Wedding Jubilee

Eph 4:1-6; 1 Cor 13:4-13; Col 3:12-21; Jn 15:11-17

Consecrated Jubilee

Eph 3:14-21; Jn 15:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

The Liturgical Year

The Liturgical Year of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church begins on **Qudos Eetho** (Sanctification of the Church) Sunday. On that day we remember the establishment and sanctification of the Church. The most important feast of the Liturgical Year is Easter. The date of this feast changes every year according to the fullmoon that comes after the day on which the sun comes on the equator in the spring season, which is called the vernal Equinox. In the Synod of Nicea it was decided to celebrate the feast of Easter on the Sunday that comes after the Passover Moon. The Seven Seasons of the Liturgical Year are the following:

1. **The Season of Annunciation (*Suboro*)**
2. **The Season of *Yaldo-Denho***
3. **The Season of the Great Fast**
4. **The Season of *Qyomtho***
5. **The Season of Pentecost**
6. **The Season of Transfiguration**
7. **The Season of *Sleebo***

Though the Feast of Christ the King and the Feast of the Sacred Heart do not belong to the tradition of the Syro Malankara Church, we celebrate them. We celebrate also the Feasts of certain Apostles and Saints on days different from those of the Latin Tradition.

The Changeable Feasts of the Year 2027

Nineveh Fast	- 18 January
Great Fast	- 8 February
Easter	- 26 March
Ascension of Our Lord	- 6 May
Pentecost	- 16 May

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

2025 November (*Teshreen Hroi*)

- 1 Sat 1 Thess 4:1-8; Mt 5:1-12
 Commemoration of All Saints

I Suboro (The Season of Annunciation)

- 2 Sun ***Qudos Eetho* Sunday**
 Beginning of the Liturgical Year
 Mk 8:27-30; Ex 10:1-5; 1 Kings 6:1-8;
 Eze 10:1-5, 18-22; Isa 6:1-8; 1 Pet 2:1-12;
 Eph 2:14-22; Mt 16:13-23
 Today Begins the S'himo Prayer-First Qolo
- 3 Mon Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51
 (Jn 10:11-18; Jn 14:1-6; Jn 15:9-17)
 Comm. of Bishop Paulose Mar Philexinos (1998)
 Commemoration of the 318 Fathers of Nicea
- 4 Tue 1 Cor 4:6-14; Lk 6:37-42
- 5 Wed Heb 12:4-11; Jn 5:19-23
- 6 Thu 1 Tim 6:17-19; Lk 7:36-50
- 7 Fri 1 Cor 1:10-17; Jn 12:20-22
 33 Martyrs of Milithin
- 8 Sat Heb 1:5-14; Mt 18:10-14
 All Angels
- 9 Sun ***Hudos Eetho* Sunday**
 (Renewal of the Church)
 Mk 11:15-17; Ex 32:1-14; 1 Kings 8:22-30;
 Jer 31:10-14, 22-26; Isa 55:1-13;
 Rev 3:14-22; Heb 9:1-14; Jn 2:13-22
 St. Theodore

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
10	Mon	1 Tim 6:1-2; Mt 20:1-16 Prophet Samuel, St. Pope Leo the Great
11	Tue	Eph 2:14-22; Mt 7:21-28
12	Wed	Eph 1:15-23; Mk 4:26-29 St. John of Alexandria
13	Thu	1 Cor 2:6-15; Mt 13:44-52 St. John Chrysostom Feast of Bishop Yoohanon Mar Chrysostom
14	Fri	1 Cor 4:1-5; Jn 14:7-14 St. Philip, the Apostle
15	Sat	2 Tim 4:1-5; Mt 5:13-16 St. Albert
16	Sun	Message to Zachariah Lk 1:1-17; Gen 17:15-22; Ruth 1:11-18; 1 Sam1:9-17; Isa 41:8-17; 2 Pet 1:3-11; Rom 4:13-25; Lk 1:5-25 St. Mathew, the Apostle
17	Mon	Eph 4:1-6; Mt 9:9-13
18	Tue	2 Tim 4:19-22; Mt 23:37-39
19	Wed	Eph 6:1-4; Mt 23:1-12
20	Thu	Rom 10:5-13, Mt 13:1-9
21	Fri	Entrance of Mary, Mother of God, into the Temple Phil 4:4-9; Mt 12:46-50
22	Sat	Phile 1:1-7; Lk 6:43-45 Mar Philemon, Morth Cecilia

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 23 **Sun Annunciation to Mary, Mother of God**
 Mt 1:1-17; Gen 3:8-15; Jud 13:2-14;
 Zech 4:1-7; Isa 63:15-64:5;
 1 Jn 3:1-10; Gal 4:1-7; Lk 1:26-38
 Pope St. Clement, St. Felicita
Erection of the Eparchy of St. Ephrem, Khadki (2019)
 Feast of Christ the King (Latin Rite)
- 24 Mon Tit 2:11-15; Mt 24:32-36
- 25 Tue Phil 1:15-20; Mt 10:40-42
- 26 Wed 1 Cor 10:14-22; Lk 4:31-37
- 27 Thu 2 Thes 3:6-15; Mk 10:1-12
- 28 Fri 1 Cor 4:15-21; Mk 4:30-34
 St. Catherine
- 29 Sat Gal 4:12-20; Lk 6:27-36
 Mar Jacob of Sarug
- 30 **Sun Visitation of Mary, Mother of God, to Elizabeth**
 Lk 1:39-45; Gen 24:15-27; 1 Sam 2:1-11;
 Prov 31:10-26; Isa 29:17-24; 1 Pet 2:6-10;
 1Tim 2:4-10; Lk 1:39-56
St. Andrew, the Apostle
 (Remind the faithful about the special prayers of the fast and
 abstinence from 1 December onwards).



2025 December (*Koonon Qdeem*)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 1 Mon **Beginning of the Twenty-Five Days *Nombu***
Rom 13:8-14; Jn 1:1-5
- 2 Tue Rom 10:14-17; Jn 1:29-34
- 3 Wed 1 Cor 9:19-23; Mk 16:14-18
St. Francis Xavier
- 4 Thu Rom 10:17-20; Mt 5:21-26
St. John Damascene
- 5 Fri 1 Tim 4:6-10; Jn 7:40-53
Mar Sabas & Mar Clement of Alexandria
- 6 Sat 2 Tim 1:8-14; Jn 16:25-33
Mar Theophilus of Antioch
- 7 **Sun Birth of John the Baptist**
Lk 1:67-80; Ex 2:1-10; 1 Sam 1:19-28;
Ps 127:1-5; Isa 62:1-12; 1 Jn 4:1-6;
Gal 4:21-31; Lk 1:57-66
St. Ambrose
- 8 Mon **Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary**
Gal 4:1-7; Lk 1:46-56
- 9 Tue Heb 1:1-4; Lk 7:18-23
- 10 Wed 1 Thes 4:9-12; Mt 10:26-33
Mar Behnan the Martyr and his Sister Sarah, 40
Martyrs
- 11 Thu 1 Cor 16:21-24; Mt 12:1-8
- 12 Fri 1 Thes 5:12-22; Mk 9:42-50
- 13 Sat Heb 7:1-10; Jn 16:1-4

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 14 **Sun** **Apparition of the Angel to St. Joseph**
 Mt 1:18-25; Gen 37:5-11; Sir 7:11-17;
 1 Sam 3:10-18; Isa 45:20-25;
 1 Pet 2:11-17; Gal 1:11-24; Mt 1:18-25
 St John of the Cross
 Mar Abraham Kidunoyo
- 15 Mon 1 Cor 2:1-5; Lk 14:25-35
- 16 Tue 2 Cor 12:7-10; Lk 9:18-20
 Erection of the Eparchy of Marthandom (1996)
- 17 Wed Rom 16:17-20; Mt 3:1-6
 Mar Rabula
- 18 Thu Eph 3:8-13; Jn 14:1-6
 The Miraculous Cross of Mylapore
- 19 Fri Eph 2:14-22; Mt 11:1-6
- 20 Sat Rom 1:8-15; Mt 4:23-25

II The Season of *Yaldo-denho*

- 21 **Sun** **Sunday before *Yaldo***
 Mt 1:1-17; Gen 46:8-27; 1 Kings 9:3-7;
 Jer 23:5-8; Isa 11:1-9; Acts 3:20-26;
 Heb 7:14-17; Lk 2:1-5
Bible Sunday
 (The collection of the day from each parish shall be sent
 to the Eparchial Curia for the activities of the Bible
 Apostolate of the eparchy)
 (Christmas is on Thursday. Remind the faithful to bring
 the palm leaves of Palm Sunday and frankincense, etc)
- 22 Mon Gal 4:8-11; Jn 5:30-40
- 23 Tue Col 2:1-5; Lk 10:21-24

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 24 Wed Rom 1:18-23; Jn 1:14-18
- 25 Thu *Yaldo* (Christmas)**
 Holy *Qurbono* for the People
 Jn 1:6-18; Gen 21:1-8; 2 Kings 4:8-17;
 Mic 5:1-4; Isa 9:1-7; Acts 3:20-26;
 Heb 7:14-17; Mt 2:1-12
- 26 Fri **Exaltation of Mary, the Mother of God**
 Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:15-19
- 27 Sat Heb 11:32-40; Mt 2:13-18
 Comm. of the Infants killed by Herod
- 28 Sun I Sunday after *Yaldo***
 Mt 2:19-23; Gen 21:8-14; Judg 13:24-14:4;
 Ps 122:1-9; Zech 8:3-12; 1 Pet 5:5-11;
 Heb 3:1-6; Lk 2:41-52
 David, the King and Prophet
- 29 Mon Gal 5:1-6; Mt 22:41-46
- 30 Tue Rom 15:7-13; Mt 2:19-23
- 31 Wed Rom 15:14-21; Lk 13:6-9



2026 January (Koonon Hroi)

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| D | W | Feasts and Scripture texts |
| 1 | Thu | Naming of Our Lord
Eph 4:17-24; Lk 2:21-24

New Year begins
Mar Baselios & Mar Gregory,
Feast of Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis Catholicos
Erection of the Eparchy of Mavelikara (2007) |
| 2 | Fri | 2 Tim 2:21-26; Jn 3:1-14.
Mar Macarios Eehidooyo |
| 3 | Sat | Heb 11:4-7; Mt 5:1-12
Prophet Malachi, St Chavara Kuriakose Elias |
| 4 | Sun | II Sunday after Yaldo
Lk 3:7-14; Gen 37:1-4; 1 Sam 2:18-21;
Ps 45:1-17; Isa 40: 25-31; 1 Jn 3:19-24;
Heb 11:23-31; Jn 1:29-34

<i>(Feast of Denho is on Tuesday. Remind the faithful)</i>
Erection of the Eparchy of St Mary, Queen of Peace USA-Canada (2016) |
| 5 | Mon | Eph 4:7-16; Lk 12:22-28 |
| 6 | Tue | Denho (Baptism of Our Lord)
Holy <i>Qurbono</i> for the People
Mk 1:1-11; Gen 24:10-20; 2 Kings 3:21-27;
Ezek 47:1-12; Isa 12:1-6; Acts 19:1-7;
Tit 2:11-3:9; Mt 3:13-17 |

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

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| 7 | Wed | Exaltation of St. John the Baptist
Eph 3:1-7; Lk 7:24-29
St. Julian |
| 8 | Thu | Acts 7:54-60; 1 Cor 16:15-18; Mt 23:34-36
St. Stephen, the Martyr
Feast of Bishop Philipos Mar Stephanos |
| 9 | Fri | Rom 3:1-8; Mk 7:1-13 |
| 10 | Sat | 2 Cor 1:3-11; Jn 3:31-36
Mar Gregory of Nyssa |
| 11 | Sun | I Sunday after <i>Denho</i>
Mk 1:14-20; Gen 30:25-43; Ex 3:1-15;
Ps 147:1-11; Isa 49:7-13; Acts 2:37-47;
Eph 1:3-14; Mt 4:12-22
Mar Thevodosios the Abbot
Feast of Bishop Yoohanon Mar Theodosius |
| 12 | Mon | 2 Cor 4:1-6; Mt 9:35-38 |
| 13 | Tue | 1 Tim 2:1-7; Lk 12:4-7 |
| 14 | Wed | Rom 3:21-26; Mt 7:1-6
40 Martyrs of Mount Sinai
St. Devasahayam |
| 15 | Thu | 2 Cor 9:6-11; Lk 2:15-19
Commemoration of Mary, Mother of God of Seeds
Erection of the Eparchy of Muvattupuzha (2003) |

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
16	Fri	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Com. of Bishop Geevarghese Mar Divannasios (2018) Imprisonment of St. Peter
17	Sat	Gal 6:14-18; Lk 6:20-26 Mar Antony of Egypt Feast of Bishop Thomas Mar Anthonios
18	Sun	II Sunday after <i>Denho</i> Lk 4:14-15; Lev 22:26-33; Prov 8:22-36; Mic 5:1-8; Isa 51:1-8; 1 Pet 1:13-25; Rom 3:1-8; Jn 1:43-51 Com. of Moran Mor Cyril Baselios Catholicos (2007) Com. of Bishop Joseph Mar Severios (1955) Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/Jn 15:9-17) Mar Koorilos of Alexandria, Mar Athanasios Church Unity Octave begins
19	Mon	Gal 1:11-17; Mt 10:40-42 Mar Macarios of Jerusalem Feast of Bishop Geevarghese Mar Makarios
20	Tue	2 Tim 2:1-5; Mt 10:26-33 St. Sebastian
21	Wed	2 Thes 2:13-17; Mt 5:13-16 St. Agnes

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
22	Thu	1 Tim 6:11-16; Mt 5:17-20 Mar Timotheos
23	Fri	Heb 8:1-6; Mt 9:32-34
24	Sat	2 Cor 3:1-5; Mt 4:23-25 St. Francis De Sales
25	Sun	III Sunday after <i>Denho</i> Jn 3:22-4:3; Ex 32:30-35; 2 Kings 2:13-25; Joel 2:21-32; Isa 34:8-17; Acts 17:16-21; 1Cor 3:16-4:5; Jn 3:1-12 Conversion of St. Paul Church Unity Octave ends Acts 9:1-9; Gal 1:13-24; Jn 17:20-23 Erection of the Eparchies of Pathanamthitta and Puttur (2010) (Nineveh fast will start tomorrow. Remind the faithful about the special prayers, 40 prostration, and abstinence)
26	Mon	Nineveh Fast begins (3 Days <i>Nombu</i>) Jon 1:1-7; Phil 2:1-11; Mt 12:38-42 Indian Republic Day
27	Tue	Jon 3:1-10; Rom 12:9-15; Mt 24:37-44
28	Wed	Jon 2:1-10; 1Thess 5:1-11; Lk 13:1-5 St. Thomas Aquinas Com. of Fr. John Kuzhinapurath OIC, reunited in 1930. (2018) (Heb 13: 7-16, Jn 17:20-23)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 29 Thu **End of the three days *Nombu***
Lk 12:54-59; Gen 18:22-33; Josh 7:6-13;
Jon 4:1-11; Ps 13:1-6; Acts 9:1-9;
Gal 1:13-24; Lk 11:29-32
St. Ignatius the Fiery
Feast of Bishop Joshua Mar Ignathios
Rom 12:1-8; Jn 12:20-26
- 30 Fri 2 Cor 13:5-8; Mt 12:33-37
Mar Jacob Aphrates,
St. Haiseenta and St. Martina
- 31 Sat Eph 5:6-14; Mk 16:15-18
St. Don Bosco



2026 February (Sboth)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

1 Sun Kohne Sunday

(Comm. of the Departed Priests)

Lk 19:11-27; Num 20:22-29; Josh 24:29-33;
Sir 45:15-22; Isa 65:13-16; Acts 20:25-38;
Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51

Catholicos Day

(The collection of the day and other donations shall be sent to the eparchial curia for the catholicate fund. The Eparchial Metropolitans and Apostolic Visitators shall hand over the fixed amount to the Catholicos in the forthcoming HES. This fund shall be used for the common expenses of the Major Archiepiscopal Curia)

2 Mon Mayaltho

(Entrance of Our Lord into the Temple)

Lk 2:22-35; Lev 12:1-8; Lev 22:17-25;
2 Sam 5:1-5; Isa 11:1-9; Acts 24:14-21;
Heb 9:11-14; Lk 2:22-24

**3 Tue Eph 3:14-21; Lk 2:25-38
Mar Simon and Morth Hanna**

**4 Wed Rom 1:13-17; Mt 7:13-14
St. John Britto**

5 Thu 1 Cor 10:1-13; Jn 15:18-25

6 Fri 1 Tim 6:17-21; Lk 12:16-21

7 Sat Rom 11:1-6; Jn 12:1-11

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

8 Sun *Aneede Sunday*

(Comm. of the Departed Faithful)

Mt 25:31-46; Gen 49:29-33;

2 Macc 12:38-45; Sir 41:1-4; Isa 38:9-22;

2 Pet 3:8-13; 1 Thes 4:13-18; Jn 5:19-29

Malankara Catholic Children's League Day

(An amount from each parish shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the activities of Malankara Catholic Children's League of the eparchy)

9 Mon Rom 8:1-11; Jn 10:11-16

Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Abraham Mar Julios (2008)

10 Tue Phil 3:12-14; Lk 9:18-20

Establishment of the Throne of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Major Archiepiscopate (2005)

11 Wed Rom 8:1-11; Lk 1:46-55
Mary of Lourde

12 Thu 1 Tim 1:8-11; Mt 8:14-17

13 Fri 2 Tim 1:3-8; Mk 1:35-39
Prophet Haggai

14 Sat Rom 9:1-5; Mt 8:23-27
Mar Ksusthos

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

III The Season of the Great Fast

15 **Sun** **Kothine Sunday**

(Miracle of changing water into wine at Cana)

I Sunday of the Great Fast

Jn 10:22-30; Gen 9:12-17; Ex 20:7-22; Joel 2:12-20;
Isa 58:6-14; Acts 11:19-26; Col 3:5-17; Jn 2:1-11
(The special prayers of the Lent begin today Evening.
Remind the faithful about Fasting and Abstinence).

**Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of
Bishop Mathews Mar Pachomios (2024)**

16 Mon **Shubkono** (Service of Reconciliation)
Gen 15:1-6; Eph 4:25-32; Mt 4:1-11

17 Tue Gen 15:7-16; Eph 5:13-21; Mt 6:1-4

18 Wed Gen 15:17-21; Tit 1:10-16; Mk 6:1-6

19 Thu Gen 16:1-6; Phil 3:8-11; Jn 10:27-30
Mar Isaac

**Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of
Bishop Joseph Mar Thomas (2005)**

20 Fri Gen 16:7-16; Rom 2:12-16; Lk 12:8-12

21 Sat Gen 17:1-8; Heb 4:12-14; Mt 7:21-28
Special Commemoration of Mar Ephrem and Mar
Theodosius

22 **Sun** **Garbo Sunday** (Curing the Leper)

II Sunday of the Great Fast

Mt 8:1-4; Gen 7:6-16; 2 Kings 5:1-14; Jer 50:4-7;
Isa 33:2-9; Acts 9:20-25; Rom 3:27-4:3; Lk 5:12-16
Comm. of Bishop Thomas Mar Dioscorus (1943)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

Establishment of the Throne of St. Peter in Antioch

Anniversary of the dedication of

St. Mary's Cathedral Trivandrum (1965)

23	Mon	Gen 17:9-14; Rom 5:1-5; Mt 11:28-30 Mar Policarp of Smirna Feast of Bishop Mathews Mar Polycarpus
24	Tue	Gen 17:15-22; Rom 3:10-20; Mt 14:1-12 Finding of the Head of St. John the Baptist
25	Wed	Gen 17:23-27; 2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 10:16-25 Rani Maria, the Blessed.
26	Thu	Gen 18:1-8; 2 Cor 6:14-18; Mt 22:1-14
27	Fri	Gen 18:9-15; 1 Cor 7:36-40; Mt 24:1-2
28	Fri	Gen 18:16-21; Tit 3:1-7; Lk 12:32-34 Prophet Obadiah



2026 March (Odor)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 1 **Sun** ***M'shario* Sunday** (Curing the Paralytic)
III Sunday of the Great Fast
Lk 5:17-26; Deut 31:19-30; Sir 9:10-18;
Eze 33:23-33; Isa 5:18-25; Acts 5:12-16; Rom 5:1-11; Mk 2:1-12
- 2 Mon Gen 18:22-33; 1 Cor 8:7-13; Mt 24:15-22
- 3 Tue Gen 19:1-11; Heb 1:5-9; Mk 9:38-41
- 4 Wed Gen 19:12-22; Eph 5:13-21; Mt 6:1-4
- 5 Thu Gen 19:23-29; 1 Cor 16:13-24; Jn 10:14-16
Anniversary of the Enthronement of Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis as Major Archbishop-Catholicos (2007)
- 6 Fri Gen 19:30-38; Rom 2:1-11; Mt 6:5-8
- 7 Sat Gen 20:1-7; Rom 2:12-16; Lk 12:8-12
- 8 **Sun** ***Knanoitho* Sunday**
(Curing the Daughter of Cananite woman)
IV Sunday of the Great Fast
Mk 7:24-30; Ex 16:1-12; 1 Sam 7:10-17;
Sir 10:6-18; Isa 56:1-7; Acts 20:22-32;
Rom 7:13-25; Mt 15:21-28
- 9 Mon Gen 20:8-18; Col 1:24-29; Mk 8:31-38
40 Martyrs of Sebasty
- 10 Tue Gen 21:1-8; Gal 3:26-29; Mt 11:20-24

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
11	Wed	Middle day of the Great Fast Erection of Gogultho Mt 17:22-27; Num 21:1-9; 1Sam 7:5-9; Ps 34:1-9; Zech 12:6-14; Acts 15:22-33; 1 Cor 10:1-13; Jn 3:13-21
12	Thu	Gen 21:9-14; 1 Cor 8:1-6; Mt 5:43-48
13	Fri	Gen 21:15-21; Rom 3:27-31; Jn 15:11-17 Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of Bps. Vincent Mar Paulos, Thomas Mar Anthonios, Samuel Mar Irenios & Philipos Mar Stephanos (2010)
14	Sat	Gen 21:22-34; 1 Tim 4:1-5; Lk 4:42-44
15	Sun	<i>K'piphtho</i> Sunday (Curing the Crippled Woman) V Sunday of the Great Fast Lk 10:25-37; Gen 9:1-7; Sir 51:1-10; Jer 51:1-9; Isa 50:1-5; 1 Pet 3:8-17; Rom 12:1-15; Lk 13:10-17
16	Mon	Gen 22:1-8; 1 Cor 11:1-10; Lk 5:33-39
17	Tue	Gen 22:9-19; Eph 5:1-4; Lk 4:16-19 St. Patrick
18	Wed	Gen 22:20-24; Col 3:12-17; Mt 5:13-16 St. Cyril of Jerusalem Feast of Abp. Thomas Mar Koorilos
19	Thu	Gen 23:1-9; Rom 4:16-18; Mt 1:18-25 Mar Joseph
20	Wed	Gen 23:10-16; Eph 2:11-22; Mk 8:14-21

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
21	Sat	Gen 23:17-20; 2 Cor 5:1-5; Mk 10:28-31 Mar John Cleemakoos
22	Sun	<i>Samio</i> Sunday (Curing the Blind) VI Sunday of the Great Fast Jn 9:1-41; Deut 25:13-19; Job 42:1-9; 1 Kings 3:4-15; Jer 51:10-19; 1 Pet 4:12-19; Rom 14:10-23; Mk 9:46-52 (Next Friday is the Fortieth day of the Great Fast. Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. Remind the faithful to bring palm leaves and flowers) Com. of Rev. Fr. Seraphion Attapurath OIC (Bro. Alexander) (1975)
23	Mon	Gen 24:1-9; Eph 6:18-20; Mk 11:27-33
24	Tue	Gen 24:10-14; Col 1:24-29; Mk 9:30-32
25	Wed	Annunciation to the Bl. Virgin Mary Holy <i>Qurbono</i> for the People Jn 1:14-16; Gen 3:8-19; Judg 13:2-14; Zech 4:1-7; Isa 64:1-7; 1Jn 3:1-10; Heb 6:13-20; Lk 1:26-38
26	Thu	Gen 24:15-27; Heb 11:23-31; Mk 10:32-34 Erection of the Eparchy of St. Chrysostom, Gurgaon (2015)
27	Fri	Fortieth Day of the Great Fast Mt 4:1-11; Gen 3:1-7; 2 Sam 24:18-25; Jer 7:1-7; Isa 58:1-8; 1 Pet 1:13-21; Rom 14:1-9; Lk 4:1-13 (No Fasting and Kneeling down)

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
28	Sat	Raising of Lazarus Gen 24:28-24; 1 Cor 15:20-28; Jn 11:28-44
29	Sun	Palm Sunday Lk 19:28-40; Gen 49:8-15; 2 Sam 6:1-7; Prov 16:13-25; Zech 9:8-17; Rev 7:9-12; Rom 11:17-24; Jn 12:12-19 (Holy Week begins this evening. Remind the faithful about the special prayers and abstinence)
		Social Welfare Day (The collection of the day from each parish shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the activities of the Social Apostolate of the eparchy) (Old Testament, Epistle, and Gospel passages for all prayers of the Hour in the Holy Week are included in the newly prepared Lectionary)
30	Mon	Monday of the Holy Week Isa 28:5-13; Heb 1:10-14; Mt 21:23-27
31	Tue	Tuesday of the Holy Week Deut 31:14-30; Heb 4:1-5; Jn 12:27-36



2026 April (Neesan)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 1 Wed Wednesday of the Holy Week
Eze 21:28-32; Heb 9:23-28; Mt 26:14-16
- 2 Thu **Maundy Thursday**
Jn 7:37-53; Ex 12:1-11; Lev 16:3-10; Prov 1:10-19;
Isa 24:16-23; Rev 19:5-16; 1Cor 11:23-34;
Lk 22:14-30
- 3 Fri **Good Friday**
(The collection of Good Friday, as per the direction of the Holy Father, is for the Holy Land. It shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia to be sent to the Holy Father)
- 4 Sat Holy Saturday
Amo 6:10-14; Rom 6:1-11; Mt 27:62-66

IV Season of Qyomtho

- 5 Sun **Easter**
Holy *Qurbono* for the People
Mt 28:1-10; Ex 40:17-23; Sir 30:21-25; Dan 6:18-24;
Isa 57:14-21; Acts 2:29-36; 1 Cor 15:1-11; Jn 20:1-10
Hevoro Week
- 6 Mon Rom 7:1-6; Mt 28:11-15
- 7 Tue 1 Cor 5:6-8; Mk 4:21-25
- 8 Wed Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18)
Comm. of Bishop Lawrence Mar Ephrem (1997)
- 9 Thu Heb 2:5-9; Mk 12:18-27

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
10	Fri	Heb 11:32-40; Mt 10:26-33 All Confessors of faith
11	Sat	Heb 3:1-6; Lk 9:49-50
12	Sun	New Sunday Jn 20:19-23; Gen 41:37-45; 2 Kings 2:1-12; Wis 3:1-9; Isa 40:9-15; 1 Pet 1:3-12; 2 Tim 2:1-13; Jn 20:19-29 Pope St. Yulios Feast of Bp. Abraham Mar Julios
13	Mon	Heb 5:5-10; Lk 11:1-4 Mar Zeraphion
14	Tue	Heb 6:1-8; Lk 11:5-13 Mar Simon Barsaboyo
15	Wed	Heb 7:11-19; Lk 13:22-30
16	Thu	Heb 9:15-22; Lk 14:7-14
17	Fri	Heb 10:11-18; Lk 14:15-24
18	Sat	Heb 10:19-25; Lk 15:1-7
19	Sun	II Sunday after Qyomtho Jn 21:15-19; Ex 15:1-8; Wis 1:12-16; Josh 6:8-14; Isa 63:1-6; Acts 13:26-41; Eph 6:18-24; Jn 21:1-14
20	Mon	Heb 10:26-31; Lk 16:11-18
21	Tue	Heb 10:32-39; Lk 17:1-6
22	Wed	Heb 12:1-3; Lk 18:1-8
23	Thu	2 Tim 2:1-6; Mt 10:16-25 St George, the Martyr
24	Fri	Heb 12:14-17; Lk 18:9-14

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
25	Sat	Heb 12:18-24; Mk 4:1-9 St. Mark, the Evangelist
26	Sun	III Sunday after <i>Qyomtho</i> Mk 16:9-13; Ex 40:1-15; Josh 2:1-14; Amo 4:6-13; Isa 65:1-7; Acts 4:5-22; Eph 2:1-10; Lk 24:13-35
27	Mon	Heb 12:25-29; Lk 18:18-30 St. Cleetus
28	Tue	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Comm. of Bishop Isaac Mar Yoohanon (1987)
29	Wed	1 Thes 5:23-26; Mt 25:1-13 St. Catherine of Sienna
30	Thu	Gal 6:1-10; Mk 10:35-45 Apostle Mar James, Son of Zebede



2026 May (Eyor)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

1 Fri 2 Thess 3:6-12; Mt 13:53-58
 St. Joseph the Worker
 Prophet Jeremiah

2 Sat 2 Cor 6:1-10; Jn 8:12-20
 Mar Athanasios of Alexandria

3 **Sun** **IV Sunday after Qyomtho**
 Mt 28:16-20; Ex 34:10-17; Job 42:7-17;
 1 Kings 3:4-15; Isa 49:8-13; Acts 10:34-43;
 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 24:36-49

Syro-Malankara Catholic Laity Day

(The collection of the day shall be sent to the eparchial curia for the Laity Welfare Fund. The eparchies shall send half of the total amount to the Major Archiepiscopal Curia for the common activities of the Laity of the Church)

4 Mon 1 Thess 2:1-12; Jn 8:48-51

5 Tue 2 Thes 3:1-5; Lk 11:33-36

6 Wed Phil 4:10-14; Lk 12:1-7
 Job the Just, St. Dominic Savio

7 Thu Gal 6:11-18; Mt 13:44-52
 Finding of the Cross of Our Lord

8 Fri Rom 8:35-39; Jn 21:20-24

St. John, the Apostle

Establishment of the Congregation for Daughters of Mary (1938)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

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| 9 | Sat | 1 Cor 16:5-12; Lk 19:1-10
Prophet Isaiah |
| 10 | Sun | V Sunday after <i>Qyomtho</i>
Jn 16:12-15; Deut 16:10-12;
2 Sam 5:9-12; Prov 10:1-13; Isa 28:23-29;
Acts 13:44-52; Col 3:1-11; Jn 16:16-24
(Remind the faithful about the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord on Thursday)
Mar Simon the Zealot, the Apostle |
| 11 | Mon | Eph 1:7-14; Lk 6:12-16
St. Cyril and Methodius of the Slav |
| 12 | Tue | Phil 2:12-18; Lk 12:54-59
Epiphanius of Cyprus, Mar James of Nisbis |
| 13 | Wed | Heb 6:13-20; Jn 7:37-39
Mar Isaac of Antioch |
| 14 | Thu | <i>Suloko</i> (Ascension of Our Lord)
Holy <i>Qurbono</i> for the People
Mk 16:14-20; Deut 10:1-5; 2 Kings 2:9-15;
Jer 31:31-34; Isa 49:1-7; Acts 1:6-11;
Eph 4:7-16; Lk 24:50-53
(10 days vigil till the day of Pentecost. Remind the faithful not to engage in marriage celebrations)
Mar Addai, the Apostle |
| 15 | Fri | 2 Cor 9:6-10; Lk 11:27-28
Commemoration of Our Lady of Harvest
Mar Pachomios
Feast of Bp. Mathews Mar Pachomios |

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
16	Sat	Phil 1:27-30; Mt 10:5-15
17	Sun	VI Sunday after <i>Qyomtho</i> Jn 17:1-5; Ex 6:1-8; Josh 1:5-9; Wis 12:1-11; Isa 44:21-28; Acts 1:12-14; Eph 1:15-23; Jn 16:5-11 (Remind the faithful about Pentecost on Sunday) Social Communication Media Day (The <i>offering</i> of the day from each parish shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the activities of Social Communication of the Eparchy)
18	Mon	Heb 2:14-18; Lk 15:8-10
19	Tue	Eph 2:19-22; Jn 12:37-43
20	Wed	Rom 10:14-20; Mt 28:16-20 The Four Evangelists
21	Thu	Tit 3:8-11; Lk 9:57-62 Queen St. Helena
22	Fri	2 Cor 3:1-11; Mt 25:1-13 St. Rita
23	Sat	Eph 6:5-9; Jn 4:43-54
V The Season of Pentecost		
24	Sun	The Sunday of Pentecost Holy <i>Qurbano</i> for the People Jn 14:25-31; Num 11:16-35; Josh 18:1-7; 1 Sam 10:9-16; Eze 36:22-38; Acts 2:1-13; 1 Cor 12:1-11; Jn 14:15-24
25	Mon	2 Cor 4:16-18; Lk 19:11-27 St. Sophia

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
26	Tue	1 Thes 2:13-16; Jn 6:67-69 St. Philip Neri
27	Wed	1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 22:14-20 Comm. of the First Holy <i>Qurbono</i> celebrated by St. James the Apostle
28	Thu	1 Thes 3:1-5; Mk 12:41-44
29	Fri	Golden Friday Acts 3:1-10; 1 Cor 13:1-6; Mt 19:23-30 St. Theodotia
30	Sat	2 Thes 1:3-7; Jn 15:1-8 Mar Eusebius of Caesarea Feast of Bp. Thomas Mar Eusebius St. Joan of Arc
31	Sun	I Sunday after Pentecost Lk 8:4-15; Ex 12:31-42; Josh 5:9-12; Mich 3:8-10; Jer 29:10-16; Acts 17:10-15; Gal 5:16-26; Jn 6:25-33 Vocation Day



2026 June (Hseeron)

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
1	Mon	1 Tim 3:14-16; Jn 8:25-30 St. Justin
2	Tue	1 Cor 1:18-25; Lk 13:18-21
3	Wed	Gal 3:7-14; Lk 11:24-26
4	Thu	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Comm. of Bishop Geevarghese Mar Timotheos (2019)
5	Fri	2 Tim 3:10-17; Mk 12:35-37 St. Boniface
6	Sat	1 Tim 2:8-15; Jn 14:25-27
7	Sun	II Sunday after Pentecost Lk 6:12-23; Lev 19:1-8; 2 Sam 5:1-10; Bar 1:2-8; Dan 6:25-28; Acts 2:14-21; Rom 8:1-11; Mt 10:38-42
8	Mon	Gal 2:15-18; Jn 15: 26-27 Saint Mariam Thresia
9	Tue	Rom 1:24-32; Jn 11:17-27
10	Wed	Phil 2:25-30; Jn 16:12-15
11	Thu	Rom 5:1-11; Jn 14:15-24 Mar Barthulmai the Apostle & Mar Barnabas Erection of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Hierarchy (1932) Erection of Archieparchy of Trivandrum and Eparchy of Tiruvalla (1932)

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
12	Fri	Rom 10:1-4; Mt 17:14-21 Feast of Sacred Heart (Latin Rite)
13	Sat	Rom 6:12-14; Jn 17:1-5 St. Antony of Padua
14	Sun	III Sunday after Pentecost Mk 6:4-13; Gen 42:18-25; Judg 1:8-11; Dan 3:1-18; Jer 3:1-5; Acts 13:26-41; Gal 6:10-15; Jn 6:35-46 Elisha, the Prophet
15	Mon	1 Cor 7:17-24; Jn 4:21-26 Comm. of the erection of the First Church in honour of Mary, the Mother of God
16	Tue	13 Days' <i>Nombu</i> (Apostles) begins 1 Cor 4:1-5; Mt 10:1-4
17	Wed	Col 2:6-15; Lk 6:46-49
18	Thu	Heb 10:1-4; Jn 15:11-17 Mar Ephrem Malpan
19	Fri	Heb 10:5-10; Mt 5:38-44 Mar Judah Thadaeus, the Apostle
20	Sat	Rom 6:15-23; Mk 6:45-52
21	Sun	IV Sunday after Pentecost Lk 10:1-16; Deut 33:23-29; Josh 6:14-18; Ps 15:1-5; Isa 65:8-12; Acts 6:1-7; 1 Cor 10:14-22; Lk 10:17-20 St. Aloysius Gonzaga

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
22	Mon	2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:19-21
23	Tue	Eph 6:21-24; Jn 9:35-41
24	Wed	Birth of John, the Baptist Heb 12:14-17; Lk 1:57-66 Comm. of Cheppattu Philipose Ramban Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51
25	Thu	Heb 11:17-22; Jn 7:14-24
26	Fri	Phil 4:15-20; Jn 8:42-47
27	Sat	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Comm. of Bishop Jacob Mar Theophilos (1956)
28	Sun	V Sunday after Pentecost Mk 9:30-37; Ex 23:14-19; Zech 6:1-8; Hos 14:6-10; Isa 40:27-31; Acts 9:10-19; 2 Cor 6:14-18; Lk 9:10-17 Seminary Day (The collection of the day and other donations shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the Seminary Fund. The Eparchies shall send half of the total amount to the Major Archiepiscopal Curia. This amount shall be used for the common expenses of the Malankara Major Seminary) St. Irenios Feast of Bp. Samuel Mar Irenios

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 29 Mon Feast of Sts. Peter & Paul**
13 Days' *Nombu* (Apostles) ends
Holy *Qurbono* for the People
Mt 16:13-20; Gen 12:1-8; Prov 13:1-9; Dan
1:1-9; Isa 43:1-7; Acts 12:6-19; 2 Tim 4:6-10;
Jn 21:15-19
**Establishment of St. Mary's Malankara
Major Seminary (1989)**
**Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination
of Bps. Yoohanon Mar Chrysostom &
Joshua Mar Ignathios (1998)**
Feast of Bp. Vincent Mar Paulos
- 30 Tue 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mk 3:13-19**
12 Apostles



2026 July (*Thomoos*)

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
1	Wed	Heb 5:1-4; Lk 1:5-10 Aaron, the Chief Priest
2	Thu	2 Cor 8:1-7; Jn 10:31-39
3	Fri	<i>Dukrono</i>, St. Thomas Day Holy <i>Qurbono</i> for the People Jn 14:1-6; Gen 12:1-9; Prov 4:10-18; Job 23:1-7; Isa 52:1-15; 1 Pet 2:15-17; 1 Cor 4:15-21; Jn 20:19-29 Feast of Bp. Joseph Mar Thomas
4	Sat	1 Cor 7:25-35; Mk 9:14-29
5	Sun	VI Sunday after Pentecost Lk 17:1-10; Ex 30:34-38; 2 Sam 3:17-21; Ps 20:1-9; Isa 14:22-27; Acts 17:22-34; 1 Cor 12:12-26; Lk 15:1-7 72 Disciples Family Day
6	Mon	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 Commemoration of Pulikkottil Joseph Ramban St. Maria Goretti
7	Tue	2 Cor 11:1-6; Jn 11:7-16
8	Wed	Phile 1:17-22; Mt 16:5-12
9	Thu	Rom 11:30-36; Mk 11:12-14
10	Fri	Rom 11:11-16; Lk 9:37-43
11	Sat	2 Cor 11:7-15; Mt 4:18-22 St. Benedict

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
12	Sun	VII Sunday after Pentecost Mt 12:30-37; Lev 16:29-34; 1 Sam 4:18-22; Hos 5:1-5; Isa 57:14-21; Acts 4:23-31; Eph 2:11-22; Mk 3:20-30
13	Mon	Rom 14:7-12; Mt 9:35-38 Mar Silas Feast of Bp. Antony Mar Silvanos
14	Tue	Rom 14:7-12; Mt 9:27-31
15	Wed	Commemoration of the Venerable Archbishop Mar Ivanios (1953) Holy <i>Qurbano</i> for the People Mt 25:14-30; Ex 3:9-12; Deut 34:1-8 Sir 7:29-36; Isa 65:13-16; Acts 20:25-35; Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Mar Kuriakose, Morth Yuleethi Anniversary of Episcopal Consecration of Bps. Antony Mar Silvanos and Mathews Mar Polycarpus (2022)
16	Thu	Gal 4:4-7; Lk 11:27-28 Our Lady of Mount Carmel
17	Fri	2 Cor 2:12-17; Lk 4:16-19 Anniversary of Episcopal Consecration of Abp. Thomas Mar Koorilos (1997)
18	Sat	2 Thess 2:7-12; Mk 8:11-13
19	Sun	VIII Sunday after Pentecost Mk 4:1-12; Ex 3:9-15; Job 23:1-7; Jer 7:21-25; Isa 65:13-16; 1 Pet 2:4-10; Heb 4:12-16; Mk 4:1-20 St. Macreena

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
20	Mon	Col 2:16-19; Mk 9:9-13 Prophet Elijah
21	Tue	Rom 15:1-6; Mt 13:31-35 Prophet Daniel
22	Wed	2 Cor 5:17-21; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18 St. Mary Magdalene
23	Thu	Col 1:12-14; Mt 24:3-14 Prophet Ezekiel
24	Fri	2 Cor 3:12-18; Lk 9:57-62 St. Sharbel of Lebanon
25	Sat	2 Cor 7:10-16; Lk 13:31-35
26	Sun	IX Sunday after Pentecost Mt 13:24-35; Deut 4:1-6; Sir 13:1-7; Ps 22:1-11; Isa 24:1-5; Acts 28:11-22; 1 Cor 6:1-11; Lk 14:7-11 (Remind the faithful that the Fifteen Days <i>Nombu</i> begins on August 1 st in preparation for the Assumption of Mary, Mother of God)
27	Mon	2 Cor 5:6-10; Lk 13:6-9
28	Tue	Gal 2:19-21; Jn 12:24-26 Morth Alphonsa
29	Wed	Heb 13:1-6; Lk 10:38-42 Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus of Bethany
30	Thu	1 Thes 5:1-6; Lk 4:42-44
31	Fri	1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Lk 14:25-33 St. Ignatius of Loyola



2026 August (Ob)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 1** Sat Rom 6:1-5; Mt 10:26-33
15-Days Nombu (Shunoyo) begins
 Morth Shmoonni & her 7 Sons & Eliaser
 St. Alphonse Ligori
- 2 Sun X Sunday after Pentecost**
 Lk 9:12-17; Ex 15:23-27; Job 42:7-17; Ps 112:1-10;
 Isa 57:14-21; Acts 28:23-30; Rom 10:5-13;
 Mt 18:1-14
The Syro-Malankara Catholic Sunday School Day
 (The collection of the day and the 'cover collection' shall
 be sent to the Eparchial curia for the faith formation of the
 children in the eparchy)
- 3** Mon 1 Cor 14:20-25; Jn 13:31-35
- 4** Tue 1 Tim 4:11-16; Mt 35-38
St. John Maria Vianney, Patron of Priest
- 5** Wed 2 Cor 11:30-33; Mt 4:12-17
Erection of the Eparchy of Parasala (2017)

VI The Season of Transfiguration

- 6 Thu Transfiguration of Our Lord**
 Mt 17:1-8; Ex 19:24-20:6; Deut 16:13-17;
 Ps 24:1-10; Isa 60:8-14; 2 Pet 1:16-21;
 Rom 11:25-36; Lk 9:28-36
- 7** Fri Rom 9:30-33; Mt 14:34-36
- 8** Sat Heb 6:9-12; Mt 7:7-12
 St. Dominic

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 9 Sun **I Sunday after Transfiguration**
 Mk 4:21-34; Deut 25:13-16; 1 Sam 2:31-36;
 1 Kings 18:36-46; Eze 7:1-4; Jas 4:7-10;
 Phil 4:8-20; Mt 21:28-32
Mar Mathias, the Apostle
- 10 Mon 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 12:15-21
 St. Lawrence
- 11 Tue Heb 8:7-13; Jn 12:44-50
 Prophet Micha, St. Clare of Assisi
- 12 Wed Heb 3:7-11; Jn 8:12-20
 St. Susanna
- 13 Thu Phil 3:8-11; Mt 19:27-29
 St. Hippolitus of Rome, St. John Berchmans
- 14 Fri Heb 2:1-4; Jn 15:18-21
 St. Maxmillian Colbe
- 15 Sat **Feast of *Shunoyo***
 (Assumption of Mary, the Mother of God)
15-Days *Nombu (Shunoyo)* ends
 Holy *Qurbono* for the People
 Mt 12:46-50; Gen 3:14-18; Josh 4:1-14;
 Ps 45:9-17; Isa 45:9-19; Acts 7:44-53;
 Heb 9:1-12; Jn 19:25-27
Anniversary of the Episcopal Consecration of
Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis
Catholicos (2001)
Establishment of Bethany Ashram (1919)
 Independence Day of India

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 16 **Sun** **II Sunday after Transfiguration**
 Lk 14:15-24; Ex 23:20-29; Josh 1:10-18;
 Hos 11:1-6; Isa 43:1-5; 1 Pet 5:1-9;
 1 Cor 10:7-13; Mk 12:38-44
Social Justice Sunday
 (The collection of the day shall be sent to the eparchial
 curia for the welfare fund of the Dalit Christians of the
 Eparchy)
- 17 Mon 2 Cor 1:8-11; Mk 7:14-16
- 18 Tue Rom 5:15-21; Lk 7:1-10
- 19 Wed Heb 3:12-19; Mk 5:35-43
- 20 Thu 2 Cor 13:11-13; Mt 6:22-23
 St. Bernard
- 21 Fri Heb 13:20-25; Jn 16:25-27
 St. Pope Pius X
- 22 Sat 1 Thes 2:2-8; Mk 6:53-56
 Hananiah, Azariah, Michael
- 23 **Sun** **III Sunday after Transfiguration**
 Lk 11:5-13; Gen 6:1-12; Eccl 5:1-7;
 Sir 4:1-10; Isa 43:1-7; 2 Pet 3:1-7;
 2 Cor 12:1-10; Lk 18:9-14
 Mar Osthathios of Antioch
**Comm. of Msgr. Joseph Kuzhinjalil, the
 founder of the Congregation for Daughters
 of Mary**
 Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51
- 24 Mon 1 Cor 2:1-5; Lk 17:3-10

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
25	Tue	Tit 2:1-5; Mk 6:30-44 Mar Titus
26	Wed	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18) Comm. of Bishop Jacob Mar Barnabas (2021)
27	Thu	1 Cor 14:6-11; Mt 10:40-42 St. Monica
28	Fri	Rom 8:26-30; Jn 15:1-10 St. Augustine
29	Sat	Beheading of St. John the Baptist Rom 8:18-25; Mk 6:21-29 Morth Euphrasia
30	Sun	IV Sunday after Transfiguration Mt 20:20-28; Deut 18:1-8; 2 Chr 19:8-11; Ps 119:1-8; Eze 47:1-12; 1 Pet 4:1-11; Phil 2:1-11; Mk 10:35-45 Malankara Catholic Mothers Forum Day Joseph & Nicodemus of Arimathea (Remind the faithful that the Fifteen Days <i>Nombu</i> begins tomorrow)
31	Mon	2 Cor 10:12-18; Jn 19:38-42



2026 September (Eelool)

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
1	Tue	8 Days <i>Nombu</i> begins Gal 4:1-7; Jn 2:1-11 Prophet Joshua
2	Wed	Heb 4:14-16; Lk 1:26-38 Mar Simon Destuni
3	Thu	1 Thes 4:1-8; Mt 12:46-50
4	Fri	Heb 7:26-28; Lk 1:39-45
5	Sat	Heb 5:11-14; Lk 2:15-20 St. Mother Theresa of Kolkata
6	Sun	V Sunday after Transfiguration Lk 18:1-8; Deut 9:25-29; 1Sam 12:16-25; Prov 16:1-9; Isa 40:1-11; Jas 1:2-8; Heb 13:5-6; Lk 18:18-30
7	Mon	Heb 9:1-11; Lk 1:46-56
8	Tue	Nativity of Mary, Mother of God 8 Days <i>Nombu</i> ends Mk 3:31-35; Gen 3:8-15; Song 4:1-9; Ps 45:9-15; Isa 7:1-15; Rev 12:1-12; Rom 6:1-11; Jn 19:25-27
9	Wed	Heb 11:8-16; Lk 8:19-21 Mar Joachim & Martha Anna Episcopal Anniversary of Apostolic Nuncio Archbishop George Panamthundil (2023)
10	Thu	2 Cor 7:2-4; Lk 14:1-6
11	Fri	Heb 11:3-7; Mt 22:34-40
12	Sat	Rom 15:22-33; Mk 11:20-26

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

- 13 **Sun VI Sunday after Transfiguration**
Lk 20:27-40; Gen 4:1-7; 1Chr 29:1-19;
Ps 150:1-6; Isa 43:16-28; Jas 1:19-27;
1 Cor 3:16-23; Lk 21:34-38

VII The Season of Sleebo

- 14 **Mon Exaltation of the Holy Cross**
Mt 24:29-36; Gen 48:13-20; Num 21:4-9.
1 Sam 17:37-51; Isa 65:1-7; Acts 13:26-39;
Gal 3:1-14; Lk 21:5-28
- 15 **Tue** 2 Cor 11:16-22; Lk 2:25-35
The Mother of Sorrows
- 16 **Wed** Phil 1:3-11; Jn 17:6-8
St. Cyprian of Carthage
- 17 **Thu** Rom 14:1-6; Jn 5:24-29
Comm. of Shri. Kileeleth Chacko, reunited in 1930 (1970)
- 18 **Fri** Eph 6:10-17; Mt 16:21-23
- 19 **Sat** 1 Cor 1:10-17; Mt 24:3-8
St. Januarius
- 20 **Sun I Sunday after Sleebo**
Lk 17:20-35; Gen 42:1-8; Hos 5:1-7;
Dan 4:1-9; Isa 57:14-21; Acts 3:21-26;
1 Cor 2:10-15; Mk 13:28-37
The Syro-Malankara Re-union Day (1930)
Jn 17:6-16; Gen 15:1-21; Ex 34:10-28; Hab 3:17-19;
Isa 41:1-7; 1 Jn 3:11-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 17:16-23

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
21	Mon	Rom 3:27-31; Jn 15:11-17 Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of Bishops Thomas Mar Eusebius (2010), Geevarghese Mar Makarios and Yoohanon Mar Theodosius (2017) Establishment of the Congregation for Bethany Sisters (1925)
22	Tue	Col 4:7-9; Jn 10:11-16
23	Wed	1 Cor 14:26-33; Lk 9:1-6 St. Padre Pio
24	Thu	1 Cor 12:27-31; Mt 6:25-34
25	Fri	1 Cor 15:12-19; Mk 13:14-23
26	Sat	1 Tim 1:12-17; Lk 6:6-11
27	Sun	II Sunday after <i>Sleebo</i> Mt 15:1-9; Gen 42:9-17; 1 Kings 3:5-9; Wis 6:1-9; Isa 48:12-16; Acts 5:17-32; 1Cor 3:1-9; Mt 16:5-12 St. Vincent de Paul
28	Mon	Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18) Commemoration of Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios (1977)
29	Tue	Gal 1:6-10; Jn 1:47-51 Archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael
30	Wed	2 Tim 3:12-17; Mt 15:10-18 St. Jerome



2026 October (*Teshreen Kteem*)

D W Feasts and Scripture texts

1 Thu 1 Cor 13:7-13; Mt 18:1-5
St. Therese of Child Jesus

2 Fri Heb 1:5-14; Mt 18:10-14
Guardian Angels

3 Sat 2 Tim 3:14-17; Lk 6:39-42
Mar Divannasios of Areopagos

4 **Sun** **III Sunday after *Sleebo***
Mt 18:15-20; Gen 42:18-21; Prov 1:2-9;
Jer 31:7-9; Isa 48:12-16; Acts 7:1-8;
Rom 8:9-11; Mt 18:21-35
St. Francis of Assisi, Mar Dumatheos

The Syro-Malankara Catholic Youth Day

(The collection of the day shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the Youth Welfare Fund. The eparchies shall send half of the total amount to the Major Archiepiscopal Curia for the common activities of the Youth of the Church)

5 Mon Gal 6:14-17; Mt 11:25-30
St. Faustina

6 Tue Col 1:3-6; Lk 6:46-49

7 Wed Col 1:15-20; Lk 1:46-55
Feast of the Holy Rosary
Mar Sargis & Bachos

8 Thu Gal 5:16-21; Lk 9:51-56

9 Fri Rom 4:1-8; Jn 8:39-47
Patriarch Abraham

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
10	Sat	Acts 20:25-35; Heb 13:7-16; Mt 24:45-51 (Jn 10:11-18/ Jn 14:1-6/ Jn 15:9-17) Commemoration of Abp. Benedict Mar Gregorios (1994)
11	Sun	IV Sunday after <i>Sleebo</i> Mk 10:1-16; Num 29:35-40; 1 Kings 8:22-30; Ps 42:1-11; Isa 54:5-8; Jas 2:18-26; Col 1:21-26; Lk 16:13-18 Mar Philipose Deacon Pope St. John XXIII
12	Mon	Phil 4:12-14; Lk 10:17-20
13	Tue	1 Cor 7:8-16; Mk 10:17-27 Mar Karpose
14	Wed	1 Tim 3:8-13; Mt 10:34-39
15	Thu	1 Cor 1:26-31; Jn 12:24-26 St. Therese of Avila
16	Fri	Col 2:20-34; Jn 14:21-24
17	Sat	Col 2:12-15; Lk 21:1-4
18	Sun	V Sunday after <i>sleebo</i> Lk 20:27-40; Lev 2:1-3; Ps 46:1-11; 2 Sam 3:17-21; Isa 40:27-31; Acts 22:22-29; 1 Tim 6:13-21; Mt 23:1-12 Mission Sunday Mt 28:16-20; Gen 42:29-38; Sir 35:1-13; Prov 27:1-9; Isa 6:8-13; Acts 22:17-21; Rom 10:14-20; Mk 16:14-18 (The collection and the 'cover collection' of the day shall be sent to the Eparchial Curia for the missionary activities of the universal Church. The epharies shall send this amount to the Holy See) St. Luke, the Evangelist

D	W	Feasts and Scripture texts
19	Mon	2 Tim 4:9-17; Lk 10:1-12
20	Tue	1 Thes 1:2-5; Lk 12:49-53 Prophet Joel
21	Wed	Gal 3:21-25; Mt 5:27-30
22	Thu	Phile 1:8-16; Mt 9:35-38 Mar Hilarion St. John Paul II
23	Fri	Gal 1:11-17; Mt 13:53-58 St. James, the Apostle, the son of Alphaeus
24	Sat	1 Tim 5:1-2; Lk 12:35-40
25	Sun	VI Sunday after <i>Sleebo</i> <i>(Last Sunday of Liturgical Year)</i> Lk 12:13-21; Ex 12:43-51; Job 23:1-7; Ezek 10:18-22; Is 52:7-15; 1 Pet 2:13-17 1 Cor 6:9-11; Mt 25:31-46.
26	Mon	2 Cor 8:16-24; Mk 12:32-34
27	Tue	2 Cor 7:5-13; Mk 12:38-40
28	Wed	2 Cor 9:1-5; Mk 13:32-37 Erection of the Eparchy of Bathery (1978)
29	Thu	2 Cor 8:8-15; Lk 8:22-25
30	Fri	2 Cor 13:1-4; Lk 8:1-3
31	Sat	1Thess 4:13-18; Mt 25:14-30



Commemoration of Bishops

16 January	- Bishop Geevarghese Mar Divannasios
18 January	- Moran Mor Cyril Baselios Catholicos
	- Archbishop Joseph Mar Severios
22 February	- Bishop Thomas Mar Dioscorus
8 April	- Bishop Lawrence Mar Ephrem
28 April	- Bishop Isaac Mar Yoochanon
4 June	- Bishop Geevarghese Mar Timotheos
27 June	- Bishop Jacob Mar Theophilos
15 July	- Servant of God Archbp. Mar Ivanios
26 August	- Bishop Jacob Mar Barnabas
28 September	- Bishop Zacharias Mar Athanasios
10 October	- Metropolitan Archbp.
	Benedict Mar Gregorios
3 November	- Bishop Paulose Mar Philexinos

Memorable Days

Bible Sunday	21 December 2025
Catholicos Day	1 February 2026
MCCL Day	8 February "
Social Welfare Day	29 March "
Good Friday	3 April "
Laity Day	3 May "
Social Communication Media Day	17 May "
Vocation Day	31 May "
Seminary Day	28 June "
Family Day	5 July "
Sunday School Day	2 August "
Social Justice Day	16 August "
Mothers Forum Day	30 August "
Youth Day	4 October "
Mission Sunday	18 October "



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