

Detroit Mar Thoma Church

24518 Lahser Rd, Southfield, MI 48033

Feb 28th, 2010 Announcements

Our thanks to **Rev. Alex Peter, Achens and Lay leaders** for today's service and to **Rev. Alex Peter** for today's message.

Next Sunday Mar 7th, 2010:

Sunday School at 9:00AM

Adult Bible Study at 9:30AM

Holy Qurbana Service in Malyalam at 10:15AM - **Diocesan Sunday**

This year the March 7th is being celebrated as Diocesan Sunday, Rev. Rev. Shibi Abraham is assigned for pulpit change. This year the amount allotted for our Parish is \$6150/-. It has been suggested to collect *a minimum of \$50/-* from each family, which can be offered as your offertory during the Sunday service on March 7th. The purpose of collecting this fund is: ***TO MEET THE REVENUE EXPENSE OF THE DIOCESAN OFFICE SUCH AS SALARY ALLOWANCES PAID TO THE DIOCESAN BISHOP, DIOCESAN SECRETARY AND STAFF OF THE DIOCESE.*** Kindly remember our diocese and its leaders in your daily prayer.

Weekly Prayers:

Intercessory Prayer: Mar 2nd, 2010 Tuesday @ 5:30PM at Church

Fasting Prayer: Mar 5th, 2010 Friday @ 10:00AM at Church

Young Couples Meeting:

The monthly young couples meeting will be held on Feb 28th, 2010 next Sunday after the worship service. All couples between the age group of 25 and 45 are requested to attend.

Prayer Group 2

Prayer group 2 will be meeting Feb 28th Sunday 5:30PM at the residence of:

Mr. & Mrs. Wilson Jacob

34790 West Eight Mile Rd., Unit 4, Farmington Hills, MI 48335

Tel: 734-716-7135

All prayer group members are kindly requested to attend the meeting.

Senior Fellowship:

Senior fellowship meeting will be a meeting immediately after the service on Sunday February 28th. The chapters for discussion are Nehemiah 4, 5 and 6. All interested individuals are encouraged to come as we study the dedication, the commitment and determination of God's people and their chosen leaders to serve the Lord, against all odds.

World day of Prayer:

We once again to request your prayerful participation at the World Day of Prayer Worship Service on Saturday, March 6, 2010 at 2.00 PM in our sanctuary. The theme of this worship service is based on Psalm 150:6, "Let everything that has breath, praise the Lord." We would appreciate if our church members could park in the school parking lot, so that our guests from the sister churches can park in our parking lot.

Children's Choir Practice

There will be a children's choir practice soon after the service in the sanctuary. It is mandatory that all the children who are attending the WDP worship service practice today with the group. Parents, please make sure that your child has the uniform attire for this event. Please contact Ejje today itself if you have not purchased the attire.

Final Practice- Children's Choir

The final practice for the children's choir will be at 8.00PM on Friday, March 5, 2010. Parents, please bring the children a few minutes early so that we can start right on time. Since there are other events to be practiced for the WDP service, it is extremely important that we adhere to a strict time schedule.

After World Day of Prayer Worship Service, we are planning to serve some light refreshments. We request a few individuals to sponsor the food items. If you are interested, please do contact Lillykutty Samuel or Anuja Chacko.

Lent Prayer:

Our great Lent will be start on Feb 14th this year also we are trying to organize prayer in our members home for the last 25 days of the lent from March 6th to March 27th. All those members that are interested host the prayer at their residence kindly sign up by contacting our Achen or the secretary at the earliest. If we would get 3 families from each prayer group to sign-up we can easily cover up for these 25 days.

Diocesan Sunday School Examination:

The 2010 North American Diocesan Sunday School examination will be held on May 2nd, 2010. All students from grades 5 to 10 who are interested in participating in this examination should give their names and a registration fee of \$5 to their respective teachers on or before March 7

Maramon CD:

A few copies are still available and are being sold on first come first serve basis. Those who are interested kindly see Mr. Alan John (Choir Secretary) or Mrs. Suja George (Choir Treasurer) after the service.

Refreshments:

Our thanks to our members and the refreshment committee for today's refreshment – **Idlie & Sambar**

Welcome Visitors and Guest