

Kerala Council of Churches

Kerala Council of Churches invites you to the Centenary Celebrations of the National Council of Churches, which will be held at Kottayam and Tiruvalla from 26th to 28th September 2014. Kindly attend the programs and make the event a grand success.

Program

Friday, 26th September 2014

3.30 PM - Inaugural Ceremony at CSI Retreat Centre, Kottayam

Presidential Address: Most Rev. Thomas K. Oommen (Deputy Moderator, CSI Church)

Inauguration: Sri P. J. Kurien (Deputy Speaker, Rajya Sabha)

Guest of Honour: Sri Jose K. Mani M.P.

Felicitations: Rt. Rev. Dr. Taranath S. Sagar (President, NCCI)

H.G. Geevarghese Mar Coorilos (Mumbai Diocese)

Archbishop Kuriakose Mar Severius (Knanaya Diocese)

H.G. Dr. Kuriakose Mar Theophilus (Jacobite Church)

Rev. Dr. Roger Gaikwad (General Secretary, NCCI)

H. G. Mar Augin Kuriakose (Chaldean Church)

Sri Lebi Philip Mathew (YMCA President)

Sri V. N. Vasavan (Ex-MLA, Kottayam)

Sri Santhosh Kumar, Chairman, Kottayam Municipality

Ms Pearly Jose (Vice President, NCCI)

Choirs: Sruti – Fr. Dr. M. P. George & Team

CSI Choir Kottayam

Rev John Kunnampally & Team

Saturday, 27th September 2014

9.30 AM - National Seminar on Ecumenism at Old Seminary,
Kottayam

Ecumenism Re-envisioned: Towards a Just and Inclusive Society

9.30 AM Session I

Chair: Fr. Dr. Jacob Kurien

Theme Presentation: H.G. Dr. Yakob Mar Irenaios (Cochin Diocese)

Inauguration: Sri Tiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan (Minister for Transport)

Paper Presentation:

Sri Ninan Koshy *"Ecumenism and Nationalism- New Challenges"*

Response: Dr. Varghese George

11.15 AM Tea Break

11.30 AM Session II

Chair: Rev Dr. K. G. Pothen (Mar Thoma Theological Seminary)

Paper Presentation:

Fr. Dr. K. M. George – *Ecumenism Re-envisioned: A Cultural Perspective*

Response: Prof. Mammen Varkey

1PM Lunch

2PM Session III

Chair: President, YWCA

Paper Presentations: Ms Susan Jacob (CCA) - *Living Together in the Household of God: Asian Perspective*

Response: Ms

3.15 PM Session IV

Chair: Rev Sunil Raj (NCCI)

Mahatma Abel Christian Drisyavishkaram

Paper Presentations: Sri Sunny Kapikadu *Ecumenism Re-Envisioned: Perspective of the Marginalized*

Response: Dr. Simon John

Sunday, 28th September 2014

3.30 PM - Valedictory Ceremony at St. Thomas Church, SCS,
Tiruvalla

Presidential Address: Most Rev. Joseph Mar Thoma

Inauguration: Sri Oommen Chandy, Chief Minister

Sri Anto Antony, M.P. Pathanamthitta

Sri Mathew T. Thomas, MLA, Tiruvalla

Sri Joseph M. Puthusseri (EX-MLA)

Rt. Rev. K. G. Daniel (Vice President, KCC)

H.G. Dr. Zachariah Mar Aprem (Adoor Diocese)

H.G. Kuriakose Mar Gregorius (Knanaya Diocese)

H.G. Dr. Geevarghese Mar Coorilos

Major N.J. George (Div. Commander, Salvation Army)

Ms Jennya Mariam Philip (KCC Vice President)

Choirs: Sruti – DSMC Mar Thoma Church
CSI Choir Tiruvalla
Salvation Army Choir

