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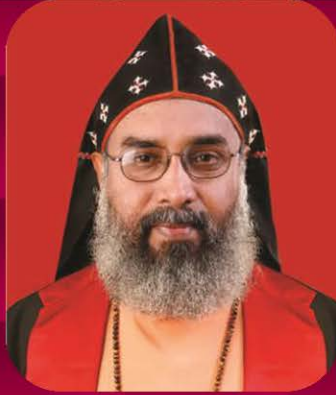
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Cordial welcome



Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos

Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos thirumeni will be with us during the days of Christmas and New Year. We Kuwait City Mar Thoma Parish whole heartedly welcome beloved thirumeni to our midst.

49TH PARISH DAY & GOLDEN JUBILEE INAUGURATION



Golden Jubilee Projects

Theme : Exult in the Desert (Psalms 65 : 12-13)

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Hridayapoorvam

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Financial assistance to set up a Cardiac unit in Kattanam hospital of the church in Kerala.

Karunyapoorvam

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Financial support to Fifty (50) deserving women's for their marriage, by giving Rs. 1Lakh each.

Darsanapoorvam

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To support & Sponsor Fifty (50) Evangelist of our church



Snehapoorvam

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Social Security Schemes for parish members

Arpanapoorvam

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To dedicate Five (5) members for full time ministry

(By God's grace Six (6) children have come forward and dedicated themselves to the full time God's ministry. Our Metropolitan Thirumeni has been dedicated these children during the 49th Parish day and Jubilee inauguration which held on 16th Nov. 2012 at Marina Hall, Abbassiya)

Christmas Carol Rounds

Christmas Carol rounds (Shepard's Choir) of Kuwait City Mar Thoma Parish is schedule to be held from **1st to 18th December 2012.**

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SUNDAY SCHOOL

<i>Events</i>	<i>Date/Day</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Time</i>
Best Wishes Meet for outgoing students	14-Dec-2012 Thursday	Will announce during church services	
Practice for Christmas Programme	30 th -Nov-2012 Friday	Marina Hall	3:00PM
	7 & 14 - Dec-2012 Friday	Marina Hall	3:00PM
Christmas Programme	21-Dec-2012 Friday	Marina Hall	3:00PM
Sunday School Anniversary	28-Dec-2012 Friday	Marina Hall	3:00PM

CHRISTMAS PROGRAMME

Christmas Programme will be held at Marina Hall, Abbasiya on Friday, 21st December 2012 at 3:00PM. All are cordially invited to attend.

For more information visit the Parish Website:

www.q8citymarthoma.com

Christmas Carol Service

“Arise, Shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you... They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.”

Isaiah 60, 1-6

Our Church Christmas Carol Service will be held on **Saturday 22nd December 2012, at Marina Hall, at 6:30 pm.** Our Church Choir (Senior & Junior) will sing Carols and the theme shall be **"Arise, Shine"**. Let us join in to make it a cherished event with a spirit like a candle, burns brightest at Christmastime.

Family Benefit Scheme (FBS)

Notice is hereby given that the family benefit scheme membership will be **opened till January 31st 2012.** All members of the parish those who are not yet joined as the FBS are requested to enroll themselves to the scheme by filling in the prescribed form along with a payment of KD.5/- Please note that the parish members who have completed 18, both men and women are eligible to join the scheme. Membership forms are available with the Vicar, Office Bearers and Kaisthana Samithi members.

Regular Programmes

Sunday School: Every Friday 3:15pm to 5:30pm at Marina Hall

Yuvajana Sakhyam: All Saturdays, except 2nd Saturday at 7:30pm. Cottage fellowship on 2nd Saturday

Choir: All Saturdays - Junior Choir & Senior Choir - 7pm

Sevika Sanghom: All Saturdays - Abbassiya at 4.30pm
City at 4:30 pm

All Tuesdays - Salmiya at 5pm

1st & 3rd Tuesdays - Riggai at 5 pm

Edavaka Mission: Fellowship meetings on all Thursdays 7:00pm at Rythum Hall, Abbassiya. Cottage fellowship on 1st & 3rd Thursdays at Salmiya.

Greetings

Greetings to all the Parish members who are celebrating their birthday and wedding anniversary. Thanksgiving prayer will be held during the services

Condolences

Kuwait City Mar Thoma Parish expresses heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family members on the sad demise of their beloved ones. May God's care strengthen and comfort them.

Schedule - December 2012

6 st Thur.	7.00 pm	Edav. Mission Prayer	Rhythm Hall
7 th Fri.	6.00 am	Holy Communion	Marina Hall
10 th Mon.	7.30 pm	Holy Communion	Church & P.H.
13 th Thur.	7.00 pm	Edav. Mission Prayer	Rhythm Hall
14 th Fri.	6.00 am	Fasting Prayer	Marina Hall
20 th Thur.	7.00 pm	Edav. Mission Prayer	Rhythm Hall
21 th Fri.	6.00 am 3.00pm	Holy Communion Sunday School Christmas	Marina Hall
22 nd Sat.	6.30pm	Christmas Carol	Marina Hall
24 th Mon.	7.30 pm	Holy Communion	Church & P.H.
25 th Tue.	4.00am	Holy Communion (Christmas Service)	Marina Hall
27 th Thur.	7.00 pm	Edav. Mission Prayer	Rhythm Hall
28 th Fri.	5.45 am	Holy Communion	Marina Hall
31 st Thur.		Watch Night Service	

Verses for the month of December 2012

<i>Date</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Lessons</i>	<i>Epistle</i>
7 th & 10 th	Birth of John the Baptist (Song 201)	Judg.13:2-25 Heb. 2:1-10	1John. 5:13-20
14 th	Annunciation to Joseph (Song 123)	Isa.40:1-11 Rev.2:12-17	Phil.4:4-9
21 st	The Mystery of Holy Incarnation (Song 423)	Isa. 11:1-10 1 John. 5:1-12	Rom. 1:8-16
25 th	Yaldo- Feast of Nativity. Birth of Our Saviour(End of Twenty five Days Lent)(Song 128)	Micah. 5:1-9 Col. 1:15-20	1Tim 1:14-17
28 th	Our Lord who is coming again (Song 290)	Zech.14:1-5 Acts. 1:6-11	1Thes. 1:14-17
31 st	Year ending - Watch Night Service God who is always with us(Song 427)	Exo. 33:12-23 Heb. 13:7-21	1Pet. 5:6-11