

Malankara Orthodox Sabha Panchangam

2017

JANUARY

- 1. New year, Circumcision of Jesus, 1st Sunday after Christmas** Memory of St. Basil and St. Gregory. Memory of all Saints and Malpans.
- Memory of Mar Baselios Gheevarghes II Bava (Kottayam, Devalokam Catholicate Aramana), Oath of Koonan Cross.
- 6. Danaha/Theophany (Baptism of Jesus).**
- Beheading of St. John the Baptist.
- 8. 1st Sunday after Danaha, Feast of St. Stephen.**
- St. Barso, Bp of Edessa.
- Martyrs of Mt. Sinai
- 15. 2nd Sunday after Danaha,** St. Mary's Festival for seeds.
- St. Paul, the first among the hermits.
- Sts. Athanasius & Cyril of Alexandria.
- Feast of St. Antony. Mar Anhanos
- St. Macarius of Egypt.
- St. Maximos.
- 22. 3rd Sunday after Danaha** Memory of Philipose Mor Eusebios (Pathanamthitta),
- St. Gregory of Nazianzus.
- Memory of H.G. Paulose Mar Athanasios (Alwaye Thrikkunnathu Seminary), Memory of Baselios Mathews II. Bava
- St. Ephraim the Syrian.
- 29. 4th Sunday after Danaha**

FEBRUARY

- Mayalitho (Jesus' Entry into the Temple) Memory of Oldman St. Simon and St. Hanna (Day of the Old aged), Memory of Pathrose Mar Osthathios Metropolitan (Kandanad Carmel Dayara)
- All Departed Holy Fathers,** Feast of Mar Bersouma.
- 5. 5th Sunday after Danaha.**
- 6. 3 Day Lent starts.**
- Memory of Mar Severios Patriarchs of Antiochian.
- 9. 3Day Lent Ends,** Memory of Mathews Mor Eppiphanius, St. Meletius of Antioch.
- 12. Sunday of all Departed Priests.**
- Memory of Mar Ignathios Alias III Patriarchs (Manginikkara Dayara).
- St. Xystus of Rome.
- Memory of Mar Osthathios.
- 19. Sunday of all Departed.**
- See of St. Peter at Antioch.
- (Paralytic) (M'Sharico),
- St. Polycarp of Smyrna. Memory of St. Gheevarghes Mar Divanyasios (Vattasseril Thirumeni) (Kottayam Old Seminary chapel), Memory of Thomas Mar Makarios,
- Feast of Apostle St. Matthew the Proclamanator of Evangelion.
- 26. Sunday of Cana (PETHURTO)** (Kothine Sunday) (Pethrutha of the Great Lent)
- 27. Great Lent starts.** (Shubukono),

MARCH

- St. Eudochia martyr.
- Memory of Mar Apram Melpan and Mar Thevodoras.
- 5. 2nd Sunday of Great Lent** (Lepers' Sunday [Garbo]). St. Conun, martyr.
- Feast of 40 Martyrs of Sebaste.
- 12. 3rd Sunday of the Great Lent.**
- Memory of Paulose Mar Severios Metropolitan (Kunnamkulam Arthattu Puthen Palli).
- 19. 4th Sunday of Great Lent.** (Knanatho) [Canaanite Woman] Memory of Sleaaba Mor Osthathios Metropolitan (Kunnamkulam Arthattu Puthen Palli).
- 22. Middle of Great Lent.**
- 25. Annunciation to St. Mary** (Subhoro), Memory of 4th Marthoma (Kandanadu).
- 26. 5th Sunday of Great Lent** (Kpiptho) [Crippled Women].

APRIL

- St. Mary of Egypt.
- 6th Sunday of Great Lent** Samiyo (Blind Man), Catholicate Day.
- Memory of Pampady Thirumeni.
- Paulose Mar Severios (Kunnamkulam Arthattu Puthenpalli).
- 40th Day of Great Lent, Memory of Valiya Mor Divanyasios Metropolitan (6th Marthoma Puthencave Pally

- Saturday of Lazarus.
- 9. Palm Sunday** (Hosanna), (Boys/Girls Day)
- Gheevarghes Mar Evanios (Kottayam), St. Seraphin.
- 13. Pesaho** (Maundy Thursday)
- 14. Good Friday** (Great Friday)
- 15. Holy Saturday (Gospel Saturday)**
- 16. Easter Sunday,** Memory IInd Marthoma (Niranam Valiya Palli)
- Memory of Gheevarghes Mor Philexinos Metropoli tan. (Puthencave)
- Memory of Maudhanian (Confessor). St. Paphnutius.
- St. Eugene (the head of the monks)
- 23. New Sunday,** The Sunday of the Youth, Memory of 3rd Marthoma (Kadam banad), Feast of **St. George** the Great Martyr.
- Memory of Mar Markos Brona the Evangelinisthan. Memory of 1st Marthoma (Ankamali Cheriya Palli)
- Memory of Abdul Jaleel Metropolitan. (North Paravoor Palli)
- Feast of Mar James the Apostle and son of Sebadhi.
- 30. 2nd Sunday after Easter.**

MAY

- Memory of Mar Baselios Paulose Catholicos I (Pampakuda Cheriya Palli)
- 7. 3rd Sunday after Easter.**
- Fest of the Apostle St. John the Evangelionist.
- Feast of Apostle Mar Simon. Memory of 5th Marthoma (Niranam Valiya Palli)
- St. Epiphanius of Cuprus. St. Jacob of Nozbin.
- St. Isaac of the Syrian.
- 14. 4th Sunday** after Easter.
- St. Mary's Festival for seeds.
- Memory of Yoohanon Mor Severios Metropolitan (Koratti Season Seminary)
- Memory of Mor Divanyasios III (Punnathra) Metropolitan. (Kottayam Cheriya Palli)
- Memory of 4 Evangelions and 3 Fathers of the General Synnadu.
- 21. 5th Sunday** after Easter, St. Helen the Queen.
- Ascension of Jesus Christ. (**Sulokko**)
- Memory of Didimos Bava.
- 28. Sunday** before Pentecost (Sunday of Monks)

JUNE

- 4. Pentecost Sunday** (50th day after Easter), Sunday School Day.
- Memory of Yuyakkim Mor Evanios Metropolitan (Parumala), Augen Mar Divanyasios 7th Memory (Idukki Dioces)
- Golden Friday (1st Friday after Pentecost).
- 11. 1st Sunday** after Pentecost, . Memory of Apostle Mar Berthulmai & St. Barnabas. Memory of Simon Mor Athanasios Metropolitan (Kottayam Puthen palli).
- 16. Apostles Lent Starts.**
- 18. 2nd Sunday** after Pentecost., Feast of Mar James, the brother of Jesus, 1st Bishop of Jerusalem and who did the first H. Qurbana.
- Memory of birth of St. John the Baptist
- 25. 3rd Sunday** after Pentecost.
- 29. Ends of Apostles Lent.** Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul.
- Feast of 12 Apostles.

JULY

- The commemoration of translation of the remains of St. Thomas the Apostles. St. Cosmas and Domianus.
- 4. 4th Sunday** after Pentecost. (Mission Sunday),
- Feast of St. Thomas
- Feast of 72 Evangelist. Memory of 7th Marthoma (Kolenchery Palli).
- Memory of Zachariah Mor Divanyasios Metropolitan (Pathanapuram Thabor Dayara.)
- 9. 5th Sunday after Pentecost**
- Memory of Yoohanon Mor Gregorios Metropolitan (Mulanthuruthy Church)
- Memory of Pulikkottil Joseph Mor Divanyasios V Creator of Kottayam M.D. Seminary (Kottayam Old Seminary)
- Feast of Mar Kuriakose Martyr, Mother Martha Yuliyathi and Mar

- Abhahai of Nikhya. St. Abhai of Nicea. Feast of Mar Eligha prophet. Feast of Mariya the Magdatha.
- 16. 6th Sunday** after Pentecost.
- Memory of Mar Elijha Prophet.
- Memory of Mariam Magdatha.
- 23. 7th Sunday** after Pentecost, Metropolitan Diascorus Gheevarghes (Holy Trinity Rani),
- Memory of Mar Eppipaniyas.
- St. Anne, the mother of Mary
- Feast of Mar Simon Desthuni. St. Pantalemon Martyr.
- 30. 8th Sunday after Pentecost,**
- Memory of Mar Gregorios Bar Abra. Memory of Gheevarghes Mor Dhiyas koros Metropolitan (Ranni Holi Trinity)
- 30. 8th Sunday after Pentecost.**

AUGUST

- 15 Day Lent starts.** Feast of Mar Eliazh, the teacher of Martyrs Marthase Muni and 7 Children, Memory of Paulose Mar Pachomios (Mavelikara).
- Sunday.** The Festival of Transfiguration /Koodara Perunnal. Memory of Alexious Mar Theodosios (Perunadu Bethani)
- 13. 1st Sunday** after the Festival of Transfiguration.
- 15. 15 Day Lent ends.** The Festival of the Assumption of St. Mary. (Shoonoyo) Martha Mariam Samajam Day. Memory of Antiochian Patriarchs Mar Ignathios Abded Meshiha. (Kurkuma Dayara). Festival at Devalokam Aramana Chappel.
- Memory of Mar Evanios Hidayathulla Metropolitan (Mulanthuruthy Palli). Feast of Mar Lobby Apostles. Memory of Joseph Mor Pakkamios Metropolitan (Mulakkulam Karmel Kunnu Palli).
- 20. 1st Sunday** after the Festival of the Ascension of St. Mary. (Shoonoyo).
- Memory of the beheading of St. John the Baptist.
- Feast of Apostle Mar Matthew.
- 27. 2nd Sunday** after the Festival of the Ascension of St. Mary.
- Memory of Mathews Mor Evanios metropolitan (Pampadi Mar Kuriakose Dayara).

SEPTEMBER

- 8 Day Lent Starts**
- Memory of Yuakki Mor Koorilose Metropolitan (Mulanthuruthi). Intercession Prayer Day.
- 3. 3rd Sunday** after the Festival of the Ascension of St. Mary, St. Anthimos.
- 8. 8 Day Lent ends.** Nativity of St. Mary, Sts. Joachim and Anna, Parents of Mary.
- 10. 4th Sunday** after the Festival of the Ascension of St. Mary. (Shoonoyo).
- 14. Festival of the Holy Cross.**
- 17. 1st Sunday** after the Festival of the Holy Cross.
- Memory of Alvaris Mar Yulios Metropolitan (Panchim St. Mary's Church, Goa).
- 24. 2nd Sunday** after the Festival of the Holy Cross, Memory of Mar Ignathios Peter III Patriarchs Bava, Memory of Mar Deemothu. St. Thecla Martyr
- Memory of Philipose Mor Theyophilos Metropolitan (Alwaye Thrikkunnathu Seminary)

OCTOBER

- 3rd Sunday** after the festival of the Holy Cross. Priests Seminary Day Feast of Evengalithian Mar Adai (Apostle), Mar Abhai Martyr and Mar Malkoi.
- Memory of Baselios Eldo Catholicos (Kothamangalam Cheriya Palli).
- St. Thomas the Apostle (celebrated in Thuradbeen area)
- Feast of Mar Sarghesse and Mar Bakkos Martyrs.
- 4. 4th Sunday** after the Festival of the Holy Cross, Memory of Philipose Mor Divanyasios IV Metropolitan (Cheppadu Palli). Memory of Yuhannoon Mar Athanasios Episcopas (Perunadu Bethani)
- 15. 5th Sunday** after the Festival of the Holy Cross.
- Feast of Mar Lukose Msbrono the Evengalithithe Holy Cross.
- 22. 6th Sunday** after the Festival of

the Holy Cross, Memory of Mar Baselios Sakralla Bava. (Kandanadu Palli)

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- Feast of Apostles Mar James the son of Alphaeus,
- 7th Sunday** after the Festival of the Holy Cross.

NOVEMBER

- Feast of all Saints. Enthoremment Aniversary of H.H. Baselios Marthoma Paulose II Catholicos
- Memory of St. Gregorios of Parumala.** Memory of Kadavil Paulose Mor Athanasios Metropolitan. (Alwaye Thrikkunnathu Seminary).
- . Koodhosh Eetho (Sanctification) Sunday** Memory of Stephanos Mor Theodosios of Calcutta
- Memory of Gheevarghes Mor Gregorios Metropolitan. (Alwaye Thrikkunnathu Semi)
- Archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael and all the angels. Memory of Mar Baselios Mar Thoma Mathews I Catholicos Bava. (Devalokam Catholicate Aramana) Memory of Mar Baselios Marthoma Mathews 1st (Devalokam), St. Mina.
- Hoodhosh Eetho (Dedication) Sunday** St. John Chrysostom.
- Feast of Apostle Mar Philipose.
- Sunday** of Annunciation to Zechariah, Parents Day, **Hoodhosh Eetho (Dedication) Sunday** St. Matthew, the Apostle and Evangelist.
- Memory Job Mar Philexinos (Delhi)
- Memory of Sabha Jyothis Pulikkottil Joseph Mor Divanyasios metropolitan (Creator of Kottayam Old Seminary). Memory of Paulose Mor Gregorios Metropolitan (Kottayam Old Seminary)
- Sunday of Annunciation to St. Mary.** Festival of St. Mary entering in the Church.
- St. Andrew the Apostle. St. Mary entering the Church.
- St. Jacob Baradeus.
- Feast of Apostle Mar Androse. Feast of Mar James Burdhana.

DECEMBER

- Lent of Advent Starts.**
- Sunday** of St. Mary's visit to Elizabeth, (Ladies Day) Memory of Thoma Mor Divanyasios Metropolitan. (Pathanapuram Daber Dayara)
- Feast of Martyrs Ladies of Marth Barbara and Marth yooliyana.
- Memory of Mar Nicholovas the Episcopa of Moora (Mar Sokha)
- Memory of Sara the sister of Martyr Mar Bhananam and friends of Martyrs and Philexinos of Mabhooghi. Memory of Mar Baselios Augen Bava (Devalokam Catholicate Aramana).
- Mathews Mar Barnabas Memorial.
- Birth of John the Baptist Sunday,** (Children's Day)
- St. Daniel the Stylite
- St. Spyridon
- St. Lucia, virgin and Martyr. Memory of Daniel Mor Philexinos Metropolitan of Pathanamthitta Basil Aramana
- Sunday of Annunciation to St. Joseph.** St. Raboula, Bishop of Edessa. Memory of Mar Baselios Gheevarghes I Bava (Vakathanam, Vallikkattu Dayara). Thomas was pierced by spear.
- Feast of Mar Ignathios the fire person.
- Martyrdom of St. Thomas (Apostle of India)
- Sunday before Christmas,** Feast of St.
- Yeldho/Christmas** (Incarnation of our God), Ends 25 day Lent.
- The Holy Family moved to Egypt, Feast of the glory of St. Mary, James Mor Polickalpose's Memory (Koratti Seminary).
- Massacre of infants.
- 1st Sunday after Christmas**