LECTIONARY

Date	Day	Old	Catholic	Pauline/Other Letters	Gospel
01/05/2019	WEDNESDAY		I PET 1: 1-2	I COR 1: 1-3	St Matt. 1: 1-5
02/05/2019	THURSDAY		IPET 1: 3-5	I COR 1: 4 -9	St Matt. 1: 6- 11
03/05/2019	FRIDAY		I PET 1: 6-9	I COR 1:10 - 13	St Matt. 1: 12 - 16
04/05/2019	SATURDAY		I PET 1: 10-12	I COR 1: 14 -17	St Matt. 1: 17 - 21
05/05/2019	SUNDAY (FIRST SUNDAY AFTER NEW SUNDAY)	EXODUS 14: 26 -31	ACTS 13: 26 -39	EPH 6 : 10 -20	St John 21 : 1 -14
06/05/2019	MONDAY		I PET 1: 13-16	I COR 1:18 -25	St Matt. 1: 22 - 25
07/05/2019	TUESDAY		I PET 1: 17-21	I COR 1: 26 -31	St Matt. 2: 1 -6
08/05/2019	WEDNESDAY		I PET 2:1-5	I COR 2: 1-5	St Matt. 2: 7 -12
09/05/2019	THURSDAY		I PET 2:6-10	I COR 2: 6 -9	St Matt.2: 13 - 15
10/05/2019	FRIDAY		I PET 2:11-15	I COR 2: 10 -16	St Matt. 2: 16 - 18
11/05/2019	SATURDAY		I PET 2:17-15	I COR 3: 1 -4	St Matt. 2: 19 -23
12/05/2019	SUNDAY (SECOND SUNDAY AFTER NEW SUNDAY)	JOSHUA 2: 1 - 6	ACTS 4:8-21	HEB 3:1-13	St John 21 : 15 -19
13/05/2019	MONDAY		I PET 2:20-25	I COR 3: 5 -10	St Matt. 3: 1 - 5
14/05/2019	TUESDAY		I PET 3:1-6	I COR 3: 11 -17	St. Matt. 3: 6 -12
15/05/2019	WEDNESDAY		I PET 3:1-6	I COR 3: 18 -22	St Matt 4: 1 - 5
16/05/2019	THURSDAY		I PET 3:7-12	I COR 4:1-5	St Matt. 4: 6 - 11
17/05/2019	FRIDAY		I PET 3:13-17	I COR 4: 6 -10	St Matt 4: 12 - 17
18/05/2019	SATURDAY		I PET 3:18-22	I COR 4: 11 -16	St Matt 4: 18 - 22
19/05/2019	SUNDAY (THIRD SUNDAY AFTER NEW SUNDAY)	MICAH 4: 1 -7	I JOHN 5 : 13 -21	HEB 11: 3-6	St Luke 24: 13 -35
20/05/2019	MONDAY		I PET 4:1-6	I COR 4: 17 -21	St Matt 4: 23 - 25
21/05/2019	TUESDAY		I PET 4:7-11	I COR 5 : 1 -5	St Matt 5: 1 -5
22/05/2019	WEDNESDAY		I PET 4:12-16	I COR 5: 6 -13	St Matt 5: 6 - 12
23/05/2019	THURSDAY		I PET 4:17-19	I COR 6: 7-11	St Matt 5: 13 -16
24/05/2019	FRIDAY		I PET 5:1-4	I COR 6: 12 - 14	St Matt 5: 17 -20
25/05/2019	SATURDAY		I PET 5:5-11	I COR 6: 15 -20	St Matt 5: 21 -26
26/05/2019	SUNDAY (FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER NEW SUNDAY)	Joshua 8: 30-35	I Pet. 3: 17 -22	Heb. 11: 32 -40	St Luke 9: 51 -62
27/05/2019	MONDAY		I PET 5:12-14	I COR 7: 1-5	St Matt 5: 27- 30
28/05/2019	TUESDAY		II PET 1:1-4	I COR 7: 6 -11	St Matt 5: 31 - 37
29/05/2019	WEDNESDAY		II PET 1:6-11	I COR 7: 12 -16	St Matt 5: 38- 42
30/05/2019	THURSDAY (Ascension of our Lord)	JER 31: 31 -34	ACTS 1: 4 -11	EPH 4: 1- 16	St Luke 24: 36-53
31/05/2019	FRIDAY		II PET 1:12-15	I COR 7: 17 -24	St Matt 5: 43 - 47

PRAYER SCHEDULE

Group	Time	Date	Host	Bldg	Floor	Flat	Location	Telephone
		3-May-19	Mr. NINAN JOHN	200	6	22	BALANCIYA BAKEKRY	66898264
St. Aprem	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. JIBIL CHAKO	1	4	14	HOLY STAR COFFEE SHOP	98702926
		31-May-19	Mr. SHIBU JACOB	15121	7	33	Q8 SHOPPE	99405807
St. Behenan		10-May-19	Mr. MONCY PAPPACHEN		6	40	BESIDE ELECTRICAL WORK SHOP BLDG	66719652
	4:45pm	17-May-19	Mr. SUNNY THOMAS		3	19	OPP.KERALA SALOON BLDG	69900613
	4:45pm	24-May-19	Mr. BIJU VARGHESE		3	12	ELECTRICAL WORK SHOP BLDG (OLD CABIN)	66858231
		31-May-19	Mr. JIJI ALEX		1	2	AL SAFWA PHARMACY BLDG	24344962
		3-May-19	Mr. THOMAS K BURSOUMA		5	23	APS Store Bldg.	60609108
		10-May-19	Mr. JAIMON MATHEW		5	18	DOUBLE BLDG, RIGHT WING	66387984
St. Elias	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. MAIBU ZACHARIAH		5	19	PRAVASI AUDITORIUM BLDG	97272609
		24-May-19	Mr. THOMAS P.J		9	35	PRAVASI AUDITORIUM BLDG	66392094
		31-May-19	Mr. SHAJI GEORGE		3	14	OPP.SREERAGAM DIGITAL SHOP	94459104
St. Gregorios	5.30pm	3-May-19	Mr. OOMMEN MATHEW		7	26	FITNESS GYM BUILDING	97208914
		3-May-19	ST.GEORGE DAY					
		10-May-19	Mr. GEORGE K VARGHESE (JOSE)		4	14	BLUE STAR / TOP STAR HOTEL BLDG	66015171
St. George	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. ROY VARGHESE		3	12	NEXT TO OLD PAKISTHANI MOSQUE BLDG	66094678
		24-May-19	Mr. CHERIYAN T JOHN (BENNY)		12	72	ADDRESS BLDG	67626965
		31-May-19	Mr. SAJAN B JACOB		2	6	BLUE STAR/ TOP STAR HOTEL BLDG	99063242
		3-May-19	Mr. JOBI T KURIAN		7	32	HIGLAND SUPER MARKET BLDG	99120848
St. Ignatius	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. Ebey Samuel		5	18	GOLDEN GIFTCENTER BUILDING	65873642
St. Igilatius	3.00pm	24-May-19	Mr. ROY N K		3	9	RAHMAN STROE BLDG	66396204
		31-May-19	Mr. JOHN K MATHEW		1	3	RAHMAN STROE BLDG	66441668
		3-May-19	Mr. SHIBU VARGHESE		1	4	OPP.CHAPPRA MOSQ.CORNER BLDG	66405307
St. Jude	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. BIJU.C.MATHEW		3	6	BEHIND TELE.EXCH 3RD BUILDING	66616379
St. Jude	3.00pm	24-May-19	Mr. JOHN KOSHY		4	15	BEHIND TIME OUT REST.BLDG	50151383
		31-May-19	Mr. ABRAHAM POTHEN		4	16	DAILY FRESH VEG.SHOP BLDG	97953811
	5.00pm	3-May-19	Mr. JERALD.K.P		2	11	AL LIBAS SHOP BULDG	60322321
St. Kuriakose		17-May-19	Mr. THOMAS KURUVILLA		1	1	DAY FRESH BULDG	98008235
St. Kuriakose		24-May-19	Mr. GEORGE JOSEPH		1	4	ANGEL BEAUTY PARLOUR BLDG	66631532
		31-May-19	Mr. BINUMON BABY		3	5	BEST BAKERY BLDG	65524204
		3-May-19	Mr. LAJI N ISSAC		2	4	TWINKLE TWINKLE BLDG, OPPOSITE GARDEN STORE	97204351
St. Luke	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. VINOY C VARGHESE		1	3	CAESARS TRAVELS BLDG	50472970
		24-May-19	Mr. THYYIP PATHROSE VARGHESE		3	27	JOY ALUKKAS BLDG	99715387
	5:30pm	10-May-19	Mr. BINODJI CHERIAN				CHACHOOS HALL, NEAR SUPER EXB	65053949
St. Mark		17-May-19	Mr. SHELBY ONNOONNY		4	14	DYNA RESTAURANT BLDG	99513556
JC. WIGHK	3.50pm	24-May-19	Mr. MATHEW ALEXANDER THOMAS		4	11	TAJ SULTAN BLDG	97928232
		31-May-19	Mr. ROHSAN.K.VARGHESE		5	23	BRIGHTWAY RESTAURANT BLDG	50553454
		3-May-19	Mr. JOHN MATHEW		2	10	OPP.BLAZER TAILORS CORNER BULDG	24312892
St. Mathew	5.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. VARGHESE JOSEPH		10	76	SWAD RESTAURANT BLDG	99625831
St. Middle	3.00pm	24-May-19	Mr. JERRY JOHN KOSHY		4	17	OPP.BLAZER TAILORS CORNER BULDG	97542844
		31-May-19	Mr. REJI ABRAHAM		1	3	MINISTRY BUILDING NO-2	66567498
	5.00pm	3-May-19	Mr. JISHNU KANNETHU		3	12	AL JLEEB SHOP CORNER BLDG	97253149
		10-May-19	Mr. ROY PETER		GF		OPP.HADA CENTER (CORNER BLDG)	66695781
St. Philipose		17-May-19	Mr. THOMAS ALEXANDER		4	14	DOLLARCO EXCHANGE BUILDING	69694955
		24-May-19	Mr. ZACHARIAH.P.C		1	4	OPP.GERMAN CLINIC	99675660
		31-May-19	Mr. JINS BABY		6	22	OPP.GERMAN CLINIC	66259761
	5.30pm	3-May-19	Mr. STEPHEN THOMAS		4	10	SUCCESSLINE BUILDING	97171371
St. Thomas		17-May-19	Mr. GEORGE KUTTY BABY(ANU)		1	1	STYLE SALOON BUILDING	65918727
		24-May-19	Mr. SANTHOSH V THOMAS	1772	6	48	HI-TECH COMPUTER BUILDING	55469975
St. Paul	5.30pm	3-May-19	Mr. JEBI THOMAS		3	13	BAIT AL CAKE BLDG	66544338
		24-May-19	Mr. P M VARGHESE		3	12	OPPOSITE APSARA BEAUTY PARLOUR BLDG	66184514
St. Joseph	8.00pm	3-May-19	Mr. BIJU VARGHESE	90	4	8	NEW RIGGAE, BLOCK 2 , STREET 20 VICTORIA BLDG	97213478
St. Johns	8:00pm	24-May-19	Mr. JOHN KOSHY		2	8	ORTHODOX BULDING NO-35	50899276
St. Dionysius	4.30pm	24-May-19	Mr. JACOB KURIEN	11	7	27	SAS SILVER RESTAURANT BUILDING	97379962
St. Andrews	5.00pm	24-May-19	Mr. CHARLY JOSHUA		7	17	A ONE RENT A CAR BLDG NO 13	97993502
St. James	7.00pm	24-May-19	Mr. JIJO GEORGE SAMUEL				SALMIYA BLOCK NO:12, STREET:ABU DHAR AL GHIFARI AVENUE LANE 17 , HOUSE :12 MCDONALDS BULDG	97245591
St. Mary	8.00pm	17-May-19	Mr. REJI MAMMOOTTIL	1504	1	1	FARWANIYA BLOCK 6, BESIDE BURGER KING	65521353
St. Peters	5.30pm	17-May-19	Mr. CIBU ALEX CHACKO		5	9	FATHIMAAL MULLA BLDG, NEXT CANADIAN CLINIC. SHARQ.	65003040
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St. Stephens	7.00	17-May-19	Mr. ANIL P VARGHESE	2	3	9	HAWALLY, BLOCK 2, OPPOSITE AL NOOR BOYS SCHOOL.	66118467
St. Bursouma	7.00pm	5-Dec-19					ABBASIYA OFFICE PARSONAGE	
Brahmavar	11.30am	17-May-19					ABBASIYA OFFICE PARSONAGE.	

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VICAR`S MESSAGE

Easter is preceded by the Ascension of Jesus. The centrality of the festival of Easter gives us

Joy, Hope and Peace.

The whole of the world is overjoyed after three days of gloominess and sadness that dispensed around the disciples and the whole of the multitude that loved and followed Jesus. Their joy had no limits and as they were filled with new vigor and strength.

Disciples after following Jesus for three years found themselves in desolation. They lost their expectation which was restored through the Resurrection, which boosted their courage.

St John 20:19 gives us a new dimension "peace" which is initiated from the Re appearance of Jesus to the world. May this new found joy, hope and peace fill in our hearts to move ahead in all dire circumstances.

The ascension of Jesus is the departure of Christ from Earth into the presence of God. The biblical narrative in Chapter 1 of the Acts of the Apostles takes place 40 days after the resurrection: Jesus is taken up from the disciples in their sight, a cloud hides him from view, and two men in white appear to tell them that he will return "in the same way you have seen him go into heaven." In the Christian tradition, reflected in the major Christian creeds and confessional statements, the ascension is connected with the exaltation of Jesus, meaning that through his ascension, Jesus took his seat at the right hand of God: "He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. Through this Ascension of Jesus, may we be also reach new heights of spirituality that we have attained in all these days of fasting and prayers.

Let me also bring forth a word of appreciation for the newly instated Managing Committee who has managed the affairs of the Church in adverse situation during the Passion Week. We were able to stand up and deliver when it mattered most. There were shortcomings but to move ahead and learn lessons out of it. Let Joy, Hope and Peace prevail in all of us.

God Bless.

Yours in Christ Fr. Jacob Thomas

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

DATE	DAY	TIME	VENUE			
03-May	Friday	6:00 AM	Baselios Memorial Hall, Abbasiya			
		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
04-May	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
07-May	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
	Fridav	6:00 AM	Baselios Memorial Hall, Abbasiya			
10-May		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
	Tiluay	8:15 AM	NECK (Holy Qurbana in English)			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
11-May	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
14-May	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
		6:00 AM	Baselios Memorial Hall, Abbasiya			
17-Mav	Friday	6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
17-Iviay		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
18-May	Saturday	5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
21-May	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
		6:00 AM	Baselios Memorial Hall, Abbasiya			
24-May	Friday	6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
		6:30 AM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			
25-May	Saturday	7:00 AM	NECK (South Tent)			
Z3-IVIdy		5:30 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
28-May	Tuesday	5:30 PM	NECK			
29-May	Wednesday	6:00 PM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya (ASCENSION OF JESUS CHRIST)			
		6:00 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya (ASCENSION OF JESUS CHRIST)			
	Friday	6:00 AM	Baselios Memorial Hall, Abbasiya			
31-May		6:30 AM	St. George Chapel, Abbasiya			
31-IVIdy		8:15 AM	NECK			
		5:30 PM	St. Mary's Chapel, Salmiya			

CHURCH CALENDAR

Date	Church Calendar			
01-May	Commemoration of St James the Apostle (son of Zebedee)			
03-May	Baselios Paulose I Catholicos (Pampakuda Cheriyapally)			
05-May	First Sunday after the New Sunday			
08-May	Feast of Saint John the Evangelist			
10-May	Feast of Saint Simon the Zealot, Commemoration of Marthomas V (Niranam Valiyapally)			
12-May	Second Sunday after the New Sunday			
15-May	Feast of Saint Mary for Good Crops & Harvest , Commemoration of St. Issac			
16-May	Commemoration of LL Yuhanon Mar Severios (Zion Seminary Chapel, Koratty), Commemoration of St. Aaron the Monk			
19-May	Commemoration of LL Mar Divanasios III (Punnathra) Metroplitan (Kottayam Cheriyapally), Third Sunday after the New Sunday			
20-May	Commemoration of the 4 Evangelists, All fathers of the 3 Ecumenical Synods			
21-May	Commemoration of St. Helen the Queen			
26-May	Fourth Sunday after New Sunday, Commemoration of LL Baselios Marthoma Didymus I Catholicos (Pathanapuram Mount Tabor)			
30-May	Ascension of our Lord /Suloqo (Thursday after the fourth Sunday following New Sunday)			

FEAST OF ST. GEORGE



Feast of St. George (Perunnal) will be celebrated on Friday, 3rd May 2019 at NECK, St. George Chapel, St. Mary's Chapel and Baselios Hall as per the worship schedule. Nercha will be served.

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST



Feast of Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ is on 30 May 2019. Holy Qurbana will be celebrated on Wednesday, 29 May 2019 at St. George Chapel Abbassiya & St. Mary's Chapel at 6.00 p.m.

ORTHODOX VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - 2019



OVBS 2019 will be held from June 6th to 20th. Please register online for the same or return the filled-in OVBS Registration Forms. Registration Fee KD.1.000 until Thursday, 31st May. Thereafter,

Registration Fee will be KD.2.000.

SGIOC JUBILEE VEDA MAHA VIDYALAYAM

- 1. SS is pleased to announce the New SS Secretary Mr. Ebey Samuel who will be replacing Mr. Shabu Mathew w.e.f 1st May, 2019.
- 2. Talent Scan Essay Competition will be carried on 2nd May at NECK.
- 3. SS Half Yearly Exams will be tentatively conducted on 9th / 10th May & 16th / 17th May at both City & Abbassiya.
- 4. Last working day prior to Summer Vacation will be Thursday, 30th May at City and Friday, 31st May at Abbassiva. SS Re-opens on Thursday, 5th September at SS City and Friday, 13th September at SS Abbassiya.
- 5. Talent Scan 2019 all Group Events will be held on 6th September, venue will be announced later. Talent Scan Group Quiz will be conducted on 19th September.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCAIATION

2nd Holy Land Pilgrimage Tour 2019

സൺഡേസ്കൂൾ അലുമിനി അസോസിയേഷൻ നേതൃത്വത്തിൽ കഴിഞ്ഞ മാസം നടത്തിയ ജെറുസലേം യാത്രയുടെ വൻ വിജയത്തിനുശേഷം വീണ്ടാര പോകുവാൻ തീരുമാനിച ഒരിക്കൽക്കുടി വിവരം സന്തോഷപൂർവം അറിയിക്കടെ. ഇങ്ങനെ ഒരു യാത്ര പോകുവാൻ ആഗ്രഹിക്കുന്ന പലരും ഇനിയും ഉണ്ടെന്നുള്ള വിവരത്തിന്റെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിലാണിത് വീണ്ടും ഓഗസ്റ്റ് മാസം 3–12 തീയതിയിൽ വിശുദ്ധനാട് സന്ദർശനം ക്രമീകരിചിരിക്കുന്നത്

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MARTH MARIAM SAMAJAM

Fasting Prayer will be on 6 May 2019 at Abbassiya Parsonage 9.30am.

Common meeting will be on 16 May 2019 at NECK at 5.30pm

ANTI-ALCOHOLISM MOVEMENT

AAM monthly prayer meeting scheduled on 5 May (Sunday) 7:30pm at Abbassiya parsonage office.

INDIAN ORTHODOX MERCY FELLOWSHIP

IOMF General Body will be on 30 May 2019. The time and venue will be informed later.

MAR BASELIOS MOVEMENT

Mar Baselios movement monthly prayer meeting will be held on Thursday, 9th May at 7:45pm.

Venue will be informed later.

Mar Baselios movement General Body meeting will be held on Friday, 24th May at 11:00am

Venue will be informed later.

MAR GREGORIOS MOVEMENT

MGM monthly prayer meeting will be held on 16th May in Orma Hall at 7:30pm

MGM General Body meeting will be held on 17th May in Orma Hall at 11:30am

ST GREGORIOS YOUTH MOVEMENT

1. കിങ്ങിണിക്കൂട്ടം 2019

ഇടവകയിലെ കുട്ടികൾക്കുവേണ്ടി മാത്യഭാഷപഠനകളരി (കിങ്ങിണിക്കൂടം 2019) മെത് 6M) അബാസിയ ഏരിയായിലും മെയ് 28നു സാൽമിയ ഏരിയായിലും നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നതാണ്

2. മാനിസോ 2019

ഇടവകയിലെ പ്രയർ ഗ്രൂപ്പകളെ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തി ആരാധന കുദാശ ഗാന മത്സരം (മാനിസോ 2019) മെയ് 10 വെള്ളിയാഴ്ച വൈകീട്ട് 6.30നു അബാസിയ സെൻ് സ്റ്റീഫൻസ് ചർച്ചിൽ വച്ച് നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നു.

- 3. പ്രയർ മീറ്റിംഗ് അബ്ബാസിയ പാഴ്സനേജ് ഓഫീസിൽ വച്ചു 1900 തീയതി ഞായറാഴ്ച വൈകീട് 7.30ന് നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നു
- 4. യുവജന പ്രസ്ഥാനത്തിന്റെ 2019–20 വർഷത്തെ 2ാമത്തെ ജനറൽബോഡി മെയ് 23നു അബ്ബാസിയ പാഴ്സനേജ് ഓഫീസിൽ വച്ചു നടത്തപ്പെടുന്നു.

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