



Announcements

Sunday, October 15, 2023

THE LONG ISLAND MAR THOMA CHURCH





Welcome

I would like to extend a warm welcome to all Members, Guests, and Visitors who are Worshipping this Sunday



Thanks

On behalf of the parish, we would like to thank everyone who assisted with the Holy Communion Service today Tanking Mr. Renjith Mathew from St. John's MTC for being with us today and sharing the word of God





Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries

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Reminders

Next Sunday: October 22, 2023, ([Family Sunday](#)) The Holy Communion Service will be in English at 10:00 AM

Christian Family Dedication Sunday: Family an Expression of the Kingdom of God

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Lesson 1 - Joshua 24: 14 - 22

Lesson 2 – Acts 10: 1 – 8

Epistle - Eph 5: 21 - 33

Gospel - Luke 10: 38 - 42



Reminders

- **Sunday School:** Classes will be held next Sunday, October 22, 2023, at 8:30 AM.
- **Sevika Sanghom:** Weekly meeting will be held on Tuesday, Oct 17, 2023, at 7:00 PM via Zoom
- **Edavaka Mission:** Weekly meeting will be held on Thursday, Oct 19, 2023, at 7:00 PM via Zoom
- **Friday Prayer and Fellowship:** Weekly meeting will be held at the church on Friday, Oct 20, 2023, at 10:00 AM





Youth Fellowship

The next Youth Fellowship Meeting will be on Friday, November 03, 2023, at 7:00 PM in the Church



YFF General Body Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a General Body meeting of the Long Island Mar Thoma Church Young Family Fellowship, 2350 Merrick Ave, Merrick, NY 11566, will be held on Sunday, October 15, 2023, immediately after the Holy Communion Service at the above address to transact the following agenda. Your prayerful presence is requested

AGENDA

1. Election of 2024 Office Bearers:

- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Committee Representatives (2)
- Auditors (2)
- Regional Representative (1)

2. A.O.B. with prior permission of the Chair

By order

Benny Thomas

LIMC YFF Secretary



Young Family Fellowship

LIMTC t-shirts are available for purchase today. If you've pre-ordered them please be sure to see a YFF committee member to pick them up. Proceeds will be going to Smirthi for Alzheimer's care in India



Senior Fellowship

- The next Yoga and Meditation will be on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 9:00 AM
- There will be Senior Fellowship Meeting on Wednesday, October 25th at 4:00 PM in the Parsonage Basement



October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and we're joining the fight. Throughout this month, we're collecting clothing donations to support those affected by breast cancer.

Your generosity can make a big difference. Please consider donating clothing items. Drop-off bins will be at the church entrance all October.

Let's show our support and compassion for those battling this disease. Spread the word and let's make a positive impact together.



F O U N D A T I O N





ADOPT-A-FAMILY 2023 OCT. 2 - NOV. 15

HELP YOUR NEIGHBORS PUT A HOLIDAY MEAL ON THEIR TABLES THIS SEASON.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR A FULL FAMILY THANKSGIVING MEAL MUST INCLUDE:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 cans of Vegetables (Corn, Carrots, Mixed Vegetables, Green Beans, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 can of Cranberry Sauce |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 cans of Fruit (Applesauce, Mixed Fruits, Pineapple, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 can of Yams |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 box of Stuffing | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 box of Corn Muffin Mix |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 box of Mashed Potato Mix | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Dessert (Cake Mix and Frosting, Cookie Mix, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 cans or packets of Gravy | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Frozen Turkey (optional) |

Main Drop-off Location:

Long Island Cares, Inc. - Center for Community Engagement
75 Davids Drive | Hauppauge, NY 11788



Do's

- Turkeys must be **completely frozen**.
- Meals must be complete with items on this list.*
- Double bag meals or use a reusable bag.
- Visit www.licares.org for **additional drop-off locations**.
- Drop off your donations as early as possible to help us distribute to families quickly.
- Questions? Email us at fooddrive@licares.org or call 631.582.FOOD.

* Students earn 1 hour of community service for each complete meal donated.



Don'ts

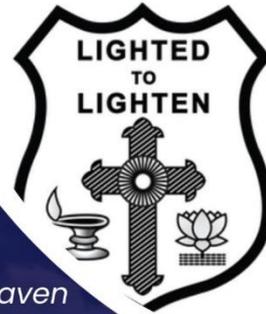
- No fruit cups.
- No perishable food items (ex: pre-made desserts, cookies, etc.).
- No partially or fully thawed turkeys.
- No pre-made pie crusts.
- No glass jars.



If you are donating as a group/organization, scan the QR code to register today!



LIMTC ENGLISH CONVENTION



Theme: *On Earth as it is in Heaven*

SPEAKER



Reverend Larry Varghese

Rev. Larry Varghese was raised in Houston, Texas. He has a Bachelor of Divinity from Mar Thoma Theological Seminary, Kottayam. He is currently enrolled in the MTS program at Candler Seminary at Emory University. He also has a BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Texas, Austin. He enjoys reading, teaching, and woodworking!

When: Friday, October 20th through Sunday, October 22nd *All events will be in English

Friday: 7 PM – 9 PM – Parish Convention

Saturday: 9:30 AM – 1 PM – Q&A and Panel Discussion

Saturday: 7 PM to 9 PM – Parish Convention

Sunday: 10 AM – Holy Communion Service & Closing Session

Where: Long Island Mar Thoma Church
2350 Merrick Avenue, Merrick, NY, 11566

Please reach out to our team to learn more!

Reverend Shaji Kochummen: (516) 589-1606

Jibi Mathew: (516) 849-4537 Jibu Abraham: (516) 297-6909

Benny Thomas: (203) 513-1497 Ron Jacob: (516) 410-2461

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- Please make sure you register for the tickets for the Sunday October 29th
- You will need to present the ticket at the gate



The poster features a dark purple and blue background with glowing light rays and two white doves in flight. At the top left is the Mar Thoma Church logo with the motto 'LIGHTED BY LIGHTEN'. The main title 'REGIONAL CONVENTION & FAREWELL MEETING' is in large, bold, white and pink letters. Below the title is the date 'OCTOBER 27, 28, 29'. On the right is a portrait of Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos, Episcopa, in black and pink vestments. On the left is a circular portrait of Rev. Dr. Eappen Varghese. The background also shows architectural columns.

MAR THOMA NORTHEAST REGIONAL ACTIVITY COMMITTEE INC.
Diocese of North America and Europe of the Mar Thoma Church

**REGIONAL
CONVENTION
& FAREWELL MEETING**

OCTOBER 27, 28, 29

Inauguration
Rt. Rev. Dr Isaac Mar Philoxenos
Episcopa

Main Speaker
Rev. Dr. Eappen Varghese
(Vicar, Immanuel Mar Thoma Church, Houston)

FRIDAY	October 27, 2023 at 7.00 PM St. John's Mar Thoma Church, 90-37 213th St, Queens, NY 11428
SATURDAY	October 28, 2023, at 7:00 PM St. Thomas Mar Thoma Church, 34, Morris Steet, Yonkers, NY 10705
SUNDAY	October 29, 2023, at 10:00 AM (Holy Communion and Farewell Meeting) Queensborough Community College, 222-05 56th Ave, Oakland Gardens, NY 11364

First Communicant/Alter Boys & Covenant Girls

We have received a tentative date for the second week of December

Those who are interested please inform the Vicar or the Secretary ASAP, so we can start the classes



Voters List

The Voters list is posted on the Notice Board, Please review and verify if your information is correct. Please inform the Vicar or the Secretary if there are any corrections before your leave today





Family Talent Night

We would like to express our gratitude to everyone who contributed to the success of our Family Talent Night held yesterday. It was an evening filled with remarkable talents and a wonderful sense of togetherness

A special thanks goes to Reji Mathew and Sarah Jacob, who played an instrumental role in coordinating and organizing this fantastic event

We also extend our thanks to all the participants who showcased their incredible talents and to the LIMTC members for being part of this memorable evening





Guests & Visitors

Welcome!

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Social Hour

*Coffee and Refreshments are served in
the auditorium
Please join us for the social hour*



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Closing

- Quote:
- “Every single young person has a chance to be successful but the most significant success one can achieve is helping others”
- **Thank you, and have a blessed week!**

