

St.Mary's Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Houston 6400 W.Fuqua Rd, Missouri City, TX 77489

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



The Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation (commonly called Penance, Reconciliation, or Confession) is one of the seven sacraments of the Catholic Church , in which the faithful obtain absolution for the sins committed against God and neighbour and are reconciled with the

community of the Church.[a] By this sacrament Christians believe they are freed from sins committed after Baptism. [1] The sacrament of Penance is considered the normal way to be absolved from mortal sin, by which one would otherwise possibly condemn oneself to Hell.

21 Reasons To Go To Confession!

1. God commanded we confess our sins to one another in the Bible. (James 5:16)

2. It is the ordinary way to have our sins forgiven.

3. We receive grace to resist sin through the Sacrament, as well as forgiveness.

- 4. We learn humility by having to confess to another person.
- 5. There is built-in accountability.
- 6. Our relationship with the rest of the Church is healed.
- 7. We receive counsel from the priest.

8. We can be comforted hearing the words of absolution.

9. All are sins are wiped away.

- 10. Helps give you the strength to forgive others.
- 11. It doesn't cost anything.

12. We may not be positive that we have "perfect" contrition without it.

13. Helps us go deep within and think about how we can improve.

14. It feels good emotionally.

15. When we realize (again) we are sinners, it is easier to be patient with others.

16. Always confidential – what is said in the confessional stays in the confessional.

17. No more guilt.

18. We are better prepared to receive the Eucharist.

19. Forgiveness is a necessary part of growing in holiness.

20. Our consciences can be better formed.

21. If we have mortally sinned, then Confession brings us back into the family of God – The Church as well as restores sanctifying grace in our soul.

May God Bless You All Fr.Suni Padinjarekkara

HOLY MASS, NIGHT VIGIL & NOVENA TIMINGS

Holy Mass:

Monday – Friday | 7 PM. Saturday | 9:30 AM. Sunday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM (English), 11:30 AM

Night Vigil:

First <u>Off Weekend Friday</u> of the Month 8 PM. to Midnight

Adoration Every Friday | 8 AM -7 PM.

Monday – Friday | 6-7 PM. Saturday | 8:30 - 9:30 AM.

Novenas :

St. Antony Tuesday | After 7 PM. Mass St. Jude Thursday | After 7 PM. Mass Our Lady of Perpetual Succor Saturday | After 9:30 AM. Mass

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| July 8 | SUNDA | AY READINGS | | |
| READING | 7:30 AM | 9:00 AM | 11:30AM | |
| Acts 5:12-20 | | Jeffrey Erumelikkara 💙 | Elsy Manthuruthiyil | |
| 1Cor 1:9-16 | | Ebin Valiyaputhenpurackal | Priya Nedumthuruthiyil | |
| Lk 14:7-14 | | | | |
| July 15 | | | | |
| Is 4:2-6 | | | | |
| 2Cor 3:4-12 | | | | |
| Lk 15:11-32 | | | | |
| KOODARAYOGAM ANNOUNCEMENTS | | | | |
| ALTER DECORATION / JULY 2018 | | St.Joseph koodarayogam at the residence of | | |
| ST.CHRISTOPHER KOODARAYOGAM | | arichen and Ans Chennat on | 8th July 2018 at 5 pm. | |
| St. CHRISTOPHER KOODARAYOGAM FAMILY MEMBERS Chazhikat Peter & Lucy Cherukattuparambil James & Valsa | | St.Stephens Koodarayogam at the residence of Regi Perumanathettu on 8th July 2018 at 7 pm. | | |
| | | | | Cherukattuparambil Sandeep & Ar Chethalil Jojoe & Cini Ellankil Zenith & Sha Illikatil Lenin & Niny Kaithamattathil Thomas & Al Kalathil Punnose & K Kaniamparambil Korah & Mar Kannachanparambil Shiju & Soni Koduvathara Mathew & Er Makkora Johnny & Ce Manthuruthil Sabu & Elsy Nedumcheril Vijayan & Lu Nedumthuruthil SAlexander & Nedumthuruthil Joseph & Priy Paramel Mathew & Re Parassery Tomy & Anni Parayamkalayil Jose & Geetha Pathyil Johnny & Bet Plathottathil Stephen & A Thayil Thomas & Le Ulladappillil George & Val Vallimattathil Jose & Josy Varakukalachirayil Mathew & Jol |
| Vattadikunnel Jose & Ancy ST. CHRISTOHER KOODARAYOGAM OF Coordinator Parish Joseph Nedumthuruthil Jose Va Taba 222, 222, 1171 | Council Member 10:00-1and en | Sunday in the Summer, the Ch 1:15 AM for the high school to joy. | <i>e.</i> , <i>i</i> | |



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WEDDING BANNS

The marriage between **Jesfin**, daughter of Joseph Mathew and Sherly Joseph from Nedumthottiyil family of St. Mary's Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Houston with **Albin**, son of Kunjumon Abraham and Jessy Kunjumon from Kalapurayil family of Olessa parish, is scheduled on August 06, 2018.

The marriage between **Manu Jose**, son of Late Jose Stephen and Elsy Mathew from Olikunnel family of St. Mary's Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Houston with **Jisna Joseph**, daughter of Joseph Mathew and Ancy Joseph from Ettuparayil family of Neendoor parish, is scheduled on August 02, 2018.

The marriage between Jaisy Simon, daughter of P.P.Simon and Daisy Simon from Analyparayil family of St. Mary's Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Houston with Akhil Simon, son of Simon and Chinnamma Simon from Pandiyalayil family of Uzhavoor parish, is scheduled on 30th July , 2018.

PAST CHURCH EVENTS



St.Xavier's Koodarayogam was held on July 1st at the residence of Abraham and Josy Parayamkalayil

Dhukrana Thirunal Sponsors





Orchestra For All Events CHANDAM CHARTHU, MYLANCHI IDEEL & BIRTHDAY PROGRAMS

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CONTRIBUTIONS & OFFERINGS

June 24

| Annual contributions | \$ 1,500.00 |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Building Fund | \$ 2,000.00 |
| Sunday collections | \$ 1,380.00 |
| July 1 | |
| Annual contributions | \$ 1,750.00 |
| Building Fund | \$ 100.00 |
| Sunday collections | \$ 1,244.00 |
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UPCOMING EVENTS

07/08/18 - Kaitha Kalam Begins

07/29/18 Feast celebration of St.Alphonsa



CHURCH OFFICIALS

| VICAR | | | | |
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| Fr. Suni Padinjarekkara(Office) | 281-957-5264 | | | |
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