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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

◆ **7:30 AM MALAYALAM
QURBANA**

◆ **9:30 AM ENGLISH
QURBANA**

◆ **11:30 AM MALAYALAM
SOLEMN QURBANA**

🔍 Readings ×

Sunday April 6, 2025

Sixth Sunday of Lent

- **Gen 19:15-26** God saves Lot from Sodom
- **Josh 21:43 - 22:5** The Lord gave all the land to Israel
- **Rom 14:13-23** Do not be a scandal to your brother
- **Jn 10:11-18** Shepherd lays down his life for the sheep

VICAR'S MESSAGE

ANNUAL LENTEN RETREAT

As we continue our journey through this sacred season of Lent, I warmly invite each of you to our Annual Lenten Retreat, scheduled for this weekend. For adults, the retreat will begin this Friday and conclude on Sunday. Our children and youth are invited to join the retreat sessions designed especially for them on Saturday and Sunday in English.

This year, we are blessed to welcome once again the Missionaries of Apostolic Grace from the UK, under the inspiring guidance of Rev. Dr. John Palathinkal and Bro. Prince Vithayathil. Many of you will fondly remember the spiritual renewal and powerful insights they brought to our parish last year.

Parents, I encourage you to motivate and support your children to participate in this retreat. It is an invaluable opportunity for them to deepen their faith, experience God's grace, and connect more profoundly with our Catholic teachings and Knanaya traditions.

Attending a retreat brings numerous spiritual advantages: it provides us time away from our daily routines to encounter God more intimately, renews our spiritual fervor, fosters meaningful fellowship, and guides us toward greater personal transformation during this holy season.

Let us seize this opportunity together to strengthen our families, inspire our youth, and grow as a united, vibrant parish family.

Looking forward to seeing each of you at this spiritually enriching retreat.

With prayers and blessings,
Fr. Abraham Mutholath
Pastor





SNAPSHOTS

SENIOR'S OUTING





SNAPSHOTS

INSTALLATION OF NEW ALTER SERVERS





UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- [Homily on Matthew 21:33-44, tenants, by Fr. Abraham Mutholath in Houston on March 23, 2025.](#)
- **The annual Lenten Retreat of our parish will be held for adults from this Friday April 4 to Sunday April 6 and for youth and children on Saturday and Sunday. Confession day will be on Saturday. No registration fee. Collections for the expense will be taken. It will be led by Missionaries of Apostolic Grace from UK under the leadership of Rev. Dr. John Palathinkal and Bro. Prince Vithayathil. The same team will be leading the children and youth from 5th grade and up in different groups. Make sure all attend this. Lunch will be served. Need volunteers to bring curry and baby sitting. Please sign up at reception desk.**
- **We have stations of the Cross on every Friday during the season of Lent after Holy Qurbana. Please encourage our children and youth to attend. We will have it separate in English for them in the chapel on Fridays after 7:00 P.M. Qurbana.**
- **Pre-marriage course will be held at our church from May 9-11. No need to wait for fixing marriage to attend that. Please register.**
- **Dei Verbum 2025 Diocesan Bible Quiz final will be on Saturday, April 12th. Adults and children who qualified for the final round, please prepare for the quiz. The guidelines were posted in the WhatsApp group.**
- **Collection for the Youth Thirunal of this year has started from 10 the graders and up to 35 years old. Please give the money in person at the counter or by zelle. \$100 for the unemployed and \$200 for the employed. Parents please encourage your children and support them for this.**
- **We are planning to have a pothuyogam on Sunday April 27 after the 7:30 AM Qurbana to discuss the proposed building for additional class rooms behind the church. I hope that will bring more unity to our parish. I am announcing this early because that is not a weekend and upcoming weekends are occupied with retreat, Easter, and CCD Fest.**



UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **As part of our efforts to instill the spirit of charity in our catechism students, we invite all catechism classes to participate in a voluntary collection during this Lenten season. Students may contribute through good deed money, personal gifts, or donations from their parents. The funds raised will support differently-abled children under the care of the Kottayam Social Service Society, providing them with much-needed medical assistance. Teachers will explain the initiative and facilitate the collection. We kindly ask parents to support this cause with a generous heart and a spirit of goodwill.**



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY (April 13, 2025)

7:30 AM – Malayalam Palm Sunday Liturgy.

10:00 AM – English Qurbana with distribution of Palm Leaves.

11:30 AM – Malayalam Qurbana with distribution of Palm Leaves.

HOLY THURSDAY (April 17, 2025)

5:00 pm- English Qurbana with Holy Thursday Liturgy.

7:00 pm- Malayalam Qurbana with Holy Thursday liturgy.

PASSIONFRIDAY (April 18, 2025)

9:30 am- Passion Friday Liturgy (English)

5:45 pm- Stations of the Cross (Malayalam)

7:00 pm- Passion Friday Liturgy (Malayalam)

HOLY SATURDAY (April 19, 2025)

**9:30 am Malayalam Qurbana with Holy Saturday Liturgy
Candles and Holy Water bottles by CML for purchase**

EASTER VIGIL (Saturday, April 19, 2025)

5 :00 pm English Qurbana with Easter Vigil Liturgy.

7:00 pm Malayalam Qurbana with Easter Vigil liturgy

EASTER SUNDAY (April 20, 2025)

**9:00 am Holy Qurbana in Malayalam
(No 9:30 and 11:30 Qurbana)**



WEDDING BANNS

- **Rohan Kurian s/o Jose and Deepa Enchenattil from this parish with Varsha Shaji, D/o Shaji and Gisha Thycattu from S.H. Mount Parish will be held on June 8, 2025. (Second Bann)**





7pm English
Mass

**ST. MARY'S KNANAYA CATHOLIC
FORANE CHURCH, HOUSTON**

Teen Zone

ADORATION

GAMES

4/18 @ 6pm

Fun, Games, Activities & Food

Every Third Friday

6:00 - 6:50 TEEN ZONE (8TH-12TH GRADERS ONLY)

7:00-8:00 ENGLISH QURBANA (OPEN TO EVERYONE)

8:00-8:45 ADORATION (OPEN TO EVERYONE)





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ഏപ്രിൽ 4, വെള്ളിയാഴ്ച:

- വിശുദ്ധ കുർബാന രാവിലെ 9:00ന്, തുടർന്ന്:
- മുതിർന്നവർക്കായുള്ള ധ്യാനം വൈകുന്നേരം 5:00 വരെ
- വിശുദ്ധ കുർബാന രാത്രി 7:00ന്

ഏപ്രിൽ 5, ശനിയാഴ്ച:

- വിശുദ്ധ കുർബാന രാവിലെ 9:30ന്, തുടർന്ന്:
- മുതിർന്നവർക്കായുള്ള ധ്യാനവും കുന്ദസാരവും വൈകുന്നേരം 5:00 വരെ
- യുവജനങ്ങളും കുട്ടികളുമുള്ള ധ്യാനവും കുന്ദസാരവും വൈകുന്നേരം 5:00 വരെ
- പ്രഥമ കുർബാന സ്വീകരിക്കുന്ന കുട്ടികളുടെ മാതാപിതാക്കൾക്കായുള്ള പ്രത്യേക ധ്യാനം 5:00 മുതൽ 6:30 വരെ

ഏപ്രിൽ 6, ഞായറാഴ്ച:

- വിശുദ്ധ കുർബാന (മലയാളം), രാവിലെ 7:30ന്
- വിശുദ്ധ കുർബാന (ഇംഗ്ലീഷ്), രാവിലെ 9:00ന്, തുടർന്ന്:
- മുതിർന്നവർക്കായുള്ള ധ്യാനം വൈകുന്നേരം 4:30 വരെ
- യുവജനങ്ങളും കുട്ടികളുമുള്ള ധ്യാനം വൈകുന്നേരം 4:30 വരെ
- ആഘോഷമായ കുർബാന (മലയാളം), വൈകുന്നേരം 4:30ന്



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Schedule



April 4, Friday:

- Holy Qurbana at 9:00am followed by:
 - Adult's Retreat until 5:00pm
- Holy Qurbana at 7:00pm

April 5, Saturday:

- Qurbana at 9:30am followed by:
 - Adult's Retreat & Confession until 5:00pm
 - Youth and Children's Retreat & Confession until 5:00pm
 - Special Retreat for parents of First Holy Communicants from 5:00 to 6:30pm

April 6, Sunday:

- Malayalam Qurbana at 7:30am
- English Qurbana at 9:00am followed by:
 - Adult's Retreat until 4:30pm
 - Youth and Children's Retreat until 4:30pm
- Malayalam Solemn Qurbana at 4:30pm



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IMPORTANT DATES

APRIL 2025

APR 13 SUN: PALM SUNDAY

APR 17 THU: PESAHA THURSDAY

APR 18 FRI: PASSION FRIDAY

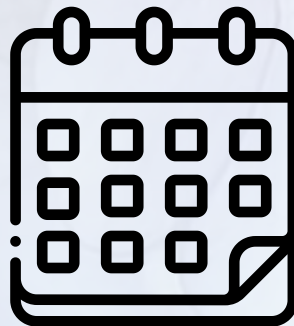
APR 19 SAT: GREAT SATURDAY

APR 20 SUN: EASTER SUNDAY (RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD)

APR 24 THU: FEAST OF SAINT GEORGE

**APR 25 FRI: THE FEAST OF MARTYRS (FEAST OF ALL SAINTS)
AND FEAST OF SAINT MARK, THE EVANGELIST**

APR 29 TUE: FEAST OF SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENNA





CATECHISM CORNER

UPDATES

SAINT OF THE WEEK

ST. VINCENT FERRER
FEAST DAY:
APRIL 5

PATRONAGE:
PRISONERS,
CONSTRUCTION
WORKERS, FISHERMEN



BIBLE PASSAGE

VERSE OF THE WEEK

JOSHUA 21:43-THUS THE LORD GAVE TO ISRAEL ALL THE LAND WHICH HE SWORE TO GIVE TO THEIR FATHERS; AND HAVING TAKEN POSSESSION OF IT, THEY SETTLED THERE.

- **GENESIS 19:15-26**
- **JOSHUA 21:43-22:5**
- **ROMANS 14:13-23**
- **JOHN 10:11-18**

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

QURBANA SCHEDULE

MON - FRI: 9:00 AM (MAL)
7:00 PM (MAL)

SATURDAY: 9:30 AM (MAL)

SUNDAY: 7:30 AM (MAL)
9:30 AM (ENG)
11:30 AM (MAL - SOLEMN)

CATECHISM

SUNDAY: 10:30 AM

CONFESSION

MON - FRI: 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM
(ALSO ANYTIME UPON REQUEST)

NOVENA (AFTER QURBANA)

TUESDAY: ST. ANTONY
THURSDAY: ST. JUDE
FIRST FRIDAY: SACRED HEART
SATURDAY: B.V. MARY

ADORATION

MON - FRI: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
SATURDAY: 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM
FIRST FRIDAY: 8 PM TO 9 PM (MAL)
THRID FRIDAY: 8 PM TO 9 PM (ENG)

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