



ST. THOMAS CHURCH

CHURCH NOTICES

7th Ordinary Sunday - 19th February 2023

1. **22nd of February is observed as Ash Wednesday.** It's a day of fasting and Penance. On this day, we will have bilingual mass at **6.30 a.m. and 6.00 p.m.** During the Lent on every **Wednesdays** we shall have the Mass in English at **6.30pm** and the way of the cross at **7.10pm** and on **Fridays in Hindi at 6.30pm Mass and at 7.15pm way of the cross.** During the lent whatever amount you save through fasting and abstinence you can contribute that for a better cause during the Holy week, envelopes will be available to you. A complete Lenten program will be given to you by next week.
2. On 16th of April we have the pastoral visit by our Auxiliary Bishop Deepak Tauro. There will be a combined mass on that day at 8.30am. After the Mass he will meet all the associations of our parish.
3. Next Sunday onwards, we are going to start classes for adult baptism. Kindly give your name to me or to Fr. Remjius and attend the class regularly at 7.40am at the Church Basement. Sr. Shimi will be taking the classes.
4. 1st Holy Communion for our children will be on 29th of April at 9am. Vicar General will be the main Celebrant on this occasion. Confirmation will be on 13th of May.
5. All those who are not paying the C.S.F. regularly kindly do so. Whenever you come for any letter to the parish kindly inform your Fund collector or animator of your SCC unit and come along with the membership fund collection card.
6. All the new families who have come to our parish, we welcome you all but kindly do register your family and get the membership card too.
7. On 26th February (next Sunday) there will be youth meeting at 10.40 at the basement.
8. The Entrance Exam for St. Mary's Boys Hostel will be conducted at Yusuf Sadan on 26th February, 5th March and 12th March at 2.00pm. For detail information kindly see the notice board.
9. Altar servers meeting is on coming Saturday at 4.30pm.
10. Last Sunday's mass collection is Rs.19,211/- Holy childhood collection is Rs.10,921/- We thank you for your generosity.

Fr. Vijay Baretto
Parish Priest

Fr. Remjius Tirkey
Asst. Parish Priest

Msgr. Vincent D'Souza