ST. GREGORIOS ORTHODOX CHURCH, Elmhurst, IL

Sunday, April 28, 2013

Birthdays:

Princy Poulose Justin George Beena Vaidyan Arun Varghese

Anniversaries:

Ashok & Lillykutty Mathew

Announcements:

The Ordination of Arun on Monday, May 27th

As the 2013 Managing Committee decided not to permit any kind of outside collections in our church, we request that each member cooperate with this decision.

New Members Annie and George - Welcome to our church.

<u>Departed:</u> Mr. C.K. Varghese (author of the Living Sacrifice book) passed away last week. Please pray for him.

Youth Meeting: There will be a youth meeting after the Holy Qurbana in the fireplace room. We will begin the meeting with intercessory prayer, for all affected by the tragedies around the country and the world in recent weeks.

<u>Divyabodhanam POCE</u> class will be today at 1:30pm. Registration forms are available for future classes; these will be held via teleconference. If you have any questions, please contact Ninan Achen or Sally Korah.

Regional Teachers Training and OVBS Planning session will be held next Sunday, May 5th, from 3pm to 6pm at our church. The training will be led by Chris Achen. All teachers are requested to attend.

MMVS: There will be a committee meeting immediately after the Holy Qurbana. There will be an area level competition on Saturday, May 4th at St. Thomas Church; All first and second prize winners from our church should participate.

<u>Midwest Regional Family and Youth Conference</u> is scheduled to be held from Wednesday, July 10th through Saturday, July 13th, 2013 in Shipshewana, Indiana. Registration has already started; please contact Betty Gladstone, Thommen, or Beena Poozhikunnel for details.

Nuhro: Nuhro will be held from Thursday, June 27th through Sunday, June 30th for students from 2nd through 8th grade at Conference Point Center. Thank you to the parents who have already registered your children. Anyone registering now must pay the full registration price. Please contact Roshen Samuel or Chris Mathew for more information or if you have questions.

Ecumenical: Ecumenical Family Night will be on Saturday, June 1st. at Syro Malabar Cathedral, Bellwood. Please contact Jijo Varghese or Lisha Johny to purchase tickets.

MGSF: There will be a Mar Gregorios Senior Fellowship today after Holy Qurbana. All seniors are invited to attend the same.

Feast of St George: We will be celebrating St George Perunnal next Sunday.