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Lot of thanks... Best wishes



The Province expresses its heartfelt gratitude for all that you have been to each member of the Province. Your efforts to empower our men, institutions and missions of the Province are well recognized and appreciated by one and all. The Province wishes you good health, energy and enthusiasm to continue the mission entrusted to you. Our best wishes and prayers for you.

GENERAL CONGREGATION 36

In a letter, dated 20 May 2014, to the whole Society, Father General announced that at the end of this year he will convoke the General Congregation 36. It will be held towards the end of 2016.

Final Vows

Congratulations.....

Fr Devassy Paul Ponthempilly will be making his last profession in the Society on 05 July 2014 in Loyola Jesuit Residence, Sreekariyam, Trivandrum at 11.15 a.m. All of ours are welcome to join Fr Devassy to share our joy as he is being fully incorporated into the Society of Jesus.



APPOINTMENTS & TRANSFERS BY FR PROVINCIAL

- Fr Joseph Kallepallil – Prasanthi, Pachilakad
- Fr Devadoss Mudiappasamy (MDU) – Superior, Vidyaniketan, Trivandrum
- Fr Dominic Madathaniyil – Superior, St Michaels, Kannur
- Fr Joseph Edassery – Superior, S.M. Farm, Pariyaram
- Fr Rabin. C. – Tertianship, Goa
- Fr Shin Kallungal – Assistant Parish Priest, Lourdu Matha Church, Pallikunnu
- Fr Jose Kadankavil – Ayurnikethan Church, Kottakkal
- Fr Dominic Palakeel – St Xavier's, Trivandrum

Fr Linto Kanichai – Loyola, Sreekariyam
 Fr C.T. Jose – Loyola Sadan, Poozhanad
 Fr Devassy Paul – Principal, Loyola, Trivandrum
 Fr Sunny Padinjarevarikattu, Principal, Pius X ITI, Edathua
 Fr Ramlat Mekulathil – Principal, AKJM Hr. Sec. School, Kanjirapally
 Fr John Elamkunnappuzha – Principal, St Michael's Hr Sec. School, Kannur
 Fr Gracious Stephen – Head Master, St Michael's High School, Kannur

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

FIRST VOWS OF OUR 2ND YEAR NOVICES

Our Second Year Novices, **Alappat Palathingal Anjo Thomas, Chelatt Deslin Paulson, Joy Cruz Abraham, Puthukadath Libin Mathew and Vellamaruthumkal Sebin Joseph**, will pronounce their First Vows in the Society on **Saturday, 21st June, feast of St Aloysius Gonzaga** in Loyola, Aluva. The Eucharistic Celebration will begin at **11.00 AM**. All the members of the Province are cordially invited to join this sacred event. Those intending to join the celebration are requested to inform Fr Minister sufficiently early (Mob.8547286093 or 9495031523). Kindly keep these young men in your prayers.

MEMORIES LIVE

The Province Heritage Commission published a book, "Memories Live", and Fr Provincial released it during the Province Assembly. This book contains short living memories of 171 deceased Jesuits who lived and worked in Kerala. This book is meant for the Jesuits, Relatives and Friends and so anyone desires to get a copy could approach the Socius, Christ Hall, Calicut.

The soft copy of the paper presented by Fr J. Kottukapally during the Province Assembly is available and any of ours who cares to receive a copy could just send an e-mail to: jkottu@gmail.com

ECO SPRITUALITY RETREAT

God created the Earth. *Adam* (human) was created from *Adamah*(topsoil), and so is permanently linked to God and the Earth. The human beings and the rest of Creation are 'so closely united that a person cannot find God unless s/he finds Him through Creation and, conversely, that her/his relationship

to creation will be out of balance unless s/he also relates to God.'

St. Ignatius affirms a "three-fold relationship of subjects" between God, humans and the rest of Creation. This relationship is particularly evident in the ***Principle and Foundation*** and the ***Contemplation to attain Love***, the beginning and the culmination of the Spiritual Exercises. In the *Contemplation* it is clear that Creation is both a source of God as well as a pathway to God. The activity of God and the mystery of God are in Creation. God dwells in all creation. God labours in Creation. Father Kolvenbach, the last Jesuit General, states, "In the environment, the human person finds the Creator 'in all things'. We experience the goodness of God through the creatures around us. When we experience this goodness, we spontaneously want 'to praise, reverence and serve God'."

A Retreat is planned for Priests and Religious (women & men) to experience and relish the presence of the Lord in His creation. Robert Athickal S.J who has been animating Eco Spirituality Retreats for more than two decades has agreed to guide our retreat.

ECO SPIRITUALITY RETREAT

Retreat Guide:

Fr.Robert Athickal, S.J., Taru Mitra, Patna.

Dates: Sept. 14 PM to 21 AM, 2014 (six days)

Place: FMM Centre, Mulli.

Jesuits may register by 25th June. Others will be invited after that date.

Enquiries and Registration by email or letter to:

Fr, James Morais, S.J.

Email: morais@jesuits.net Mob. 09495209360

(Address: AADI, Mattathukad, Attapadi)

SEMINAR FOR BROTHERS

An Assistancy level seminar is organized for brothers of South Asian Assistancy on "**Human Relation in Jesuit Administration**". **Resource persons:** XLRI staff team, **Date:** 11-15 September 2014, **Venue:** XLRI, Jamshedpur. **Charges** per person - Board & Lodge and course fee: Rs. 2,500 plus 1,000. All the brothers are welcome to participate in the seminar. Those who like to attend the seminar, kindly inform your Brothers' Coordinator as well as **Contact person: Br A. Thomas, SJ**, Assistancy Co-ordinator, Satya Nilayam, 201, Kalki Krishnamurthy Road, PB No. 8665, Thiruvanmiyur, Chennai-600041. Email: athomassj@gmail.com, Mobile: 9444939444.

OUR SCHOOL RESULTS – 2013-2014

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SCHOOL MEN S.S.L.C/ ICSE/CBSE RESULTS

SCHOOL	APPEARED	PASSED	Full A+	%PASS
Sarvodaya, Eachome	114	101	-	90%
AKJM Kanjirapally	134	134	8	100%
St Joseph's, Calicut	290	290	56	100%
St Michael's Kannur	157	157	35	100%
Loyola, Trivandrum (CBSE)	81	81	65 (Distinction)	100%
Loyola, Trivandrum(ICSE)	50	50	49(Distinction)	100%
Loyola, Trivandrum(HSE)	43	43	30 (Distinction)	100%
PLUS TWO RESULTS				
SCHOOL	SUBJECT	APPEARED	PASSED	% PASS
Sarvodaya, Eachome	Science	37	35	94%
	Humanities	53	44	84%
AKJM Kanjirapally	Science	82	71	86%
St Joseph's, Calicut	Science	111	108	97%
	Commerce	50	50	100%
	Humanities	49	46	93%
St Michael's Kannur	Biology	157	157	100%
	Comp. Science	56	55	98%
	Commerce	56	55	98%
Loyola, Trivandrum (CBSE)	Science	80	80	100%
Loyola, Trivandrum (ISC)	Science	43	43	100%

FROM OUR INSTITUTIONS

CHRIST HALL, CALICUT

We, the Christ Hall community, experienced the lovable presence and generous support of many of our province members in the month of May during the various functions held in Christ Hall. Fr Provincial's visitation from 9-11 May was a blessing and an inspiration for all of us. Another graceful occasion was the celebration of the final vows of **Fr Immanuel Koyan** and **Fr Reji Kunnathethe** on 12 May. The positive energy of the Christ Hall community was doubled when the

province members gathered together as a family for our Province Meet held on 13 and 14 May. We had Requiem Mass for **Br Abraham Madathiparambil** on 20 May. Fr Thomas Madathiparambil, nephew of Br Abraham Madathiparambil, was the main celebrant and Fr James Morais preached the homily. **Rev. Dr. Alex Vadakumthala**, the Bishop of Kannur, made a surprise visit to our community. His simplicity and unassuming way of relating to people impressed all of us.

LOYOLA, ALUVA

The month of May has gifted us, the novices, with many rich experiences and pleasant memories. The novitiate community became full once again

with the return of the 1st Year novices after their month-long *Mission Experiment*. All three of them – **Amardeep, Henok and Nibin** – in unison assert that this experiment was a marvelous experience for them. On the feast of St. Joseph the worker, we celebrated the 40th anniversary of the Ordination of our dear **Jack Achan**. On the same day two of our second year novices, **Sebin and Joy Cruz** guided a one day retreat to the first holy communicants of Neericode parish. The retreatants as well as the directors found this retreat highly enriching.

We had our community picnic to Kumarakam on 4 May. Fr Wilson Mulackal, too, was with us, regaling us with jokes and anecdotes. First we made pilgrimages to Mannanam and Kudamaloor; then we went to **Santhinilayam** where we were treated to a sumptuous lunch. In the afternoon we had a very pleasant boat ride in the backwaters. At Santhinilayam **Fr Sony** went out of his way to accord us a warm welcome. We are very grateful to Fr Sony and the other members of the Community.

Fr P.T. Mathew gave us a three-day course on Social Awareness. This Course enabled us to look at society from new and different perspectives and to become critically aware of the present state of affairs. Thank you very much, Mathew Achan! On 8 May we had a special get together with the parish priests who guided the 2nd Year novices in their Sunday ministry this year. We gratefully acknowledged the significant contribution they made in our formation.

The Highlight of the month was, from our point of view, of course, our holidays at Sarvodaya, Eachome. It was a thrilling experience to all of us. **Frs Wison, Baby, Salvin and Biju George** made everything possible to make our stay at Eachome really enjoyable. Special Thanks to Fr Baby Chalil for arranging a folk performance of the TUDI team for us. **Fr K.J. Thomas** invited us to Prasanthi, Pachilakkad, and gave us a delicious dinner. We are deeply grateful to Fr Salvin who accompanied us during these days as the 'Acting Novice Master', and to all those who helped us in various ways to rejuvenate our spirit during these days. On our way back we spent a day at Christ Hall. **Fr Joseph Kallepalil**, Provincial offered Mass for us and then met each one of us & gave us his blessings and best wishes. We also made a short visit to St. Joseph's. Meeting the Fathers and Brothers at Christ Hall and St. Joseph's was for us a joyful and encouraging experience.

We were privileged to have a few distinguished guests this month. Early in the month **Fr Immanuel**

Koyan was here to make his Eight-day retreat in preparation for the Last Vows. **Fr Sujeewa** who is the new Novice Master in the Sri Lankan Province spent almost two memorable weeks with us. Then **Fr John Manipadam** visited us, offered Mass for us & shared with us his experiences as a missionary in China. **Fr Martin Puthussery**, along with **Fr Sabu Malayil**, too, offered Mass for us & spent an evening with us. **Fr E. J. Thomas** too stayed with us one day, and offered Mass for us. Scholastics Sharath and Steven too were among the distinguished guests of the month. We are very grateful to all these Fathers & Brothers.

Now holidays are over; celebrations are over. We are seriously getting ready for our Annual Retreat. The 2nd Years are zealously preparing themselves for the Vows. Please keep us in your prayers in a special way these days.

Joy Cruz

SARVODAYA, EACHOME

The month of May was very eventful for us. Our novices were with us for a week for their annual holidays. They blessed us with their holy presence. Two of our pre-novices spent a month with us for an exposure programme. They conducted various programmes in TUDI and School as well. Our scholastics **Shibin, Emmanuel and Amal** gave orientation programmes to the SSLC and plus two students. Their programmes were highly appreciated. The result of the plus two section was very encouraging. Our candidates bagged top scores in both Science and Humanities. TUDI annual day was celebrated in a grand manner. This year the participation was record. Congratulations to **Fr Baby** and his staff members

Salvin

SAMEEKSHA/ ATMAMITRA, KALADY

Sameeksha, Atmamitra and Jeevika became a hub of activities, seminars and camps in the month of April. 206 teens took part in the four summer camps conducted by the KJSF and Atmamitra teams at Atmamitra, Kalady. **Fr K.J. Thomas** has graduated as a seasoned Retreat Director with a variety of retreats and groups undertaken by him at Sameeksha. The Atmamitra team conducted camps and seminars at Mariapuram in Thrissur Arch Diocese, De Paul School at Kalpetta, Bethany Ashram High School, Cherukulanji and Macfast College, Tiruvalla. **Sch. Tinu, Fr Xavier and Fr Toby** assisted the services at Kurisumudy, Malayattoor. Jeevika, in association with the

concerned government organizations, provided facility for migrant labourers to register on our campus. There was also a get together of the migrant labourers at Jeevika here. **Fr Chacko** was given a brotherly farewell in the community. Sameeksha community and the Migrant Ministry are thankful for his short but relevant and meaningful interventions with the issues of the migrants in Kerala. **Fr Martin** initiated **Fr Sabu Malayil** to various activities of the Migrant Ministry. Various groups and individuals used the serene atmosphere of Sameeksha for their annual retreat. Fr Martin Puthussery was given a homely farewell in Sameeksha, his home for the last three years from where he got into the lives of the migrants, their problems and issues. Atmamitra Summer camps came to an end on 12 June. This year saw the participation of 230 students in five camps. Thanks to the team of Scholastics which helped us run the camps, and Fr Roy and Sch. Kamal, the Jesuit artists who conducted the Art Camp. The Jesuit Vocation camp at Atmamitra - Sameeksha was attended by 27 potential candidates and pre-novices. Thanks to the efforts of ours in various communities and the journeys undertaken by Sch. Tinu, we will have a good number of candidates and pre-novices this year. We can also be happy about having contributed a few to other provinces.

Toby

AKJM, KANJIRAPALLY

May was a month of travels, meetings, retreats, preparations for the next year as well as maintenance and beautification of the campus. Many of ours were on and off in the house since they were engaged in various activities around. The school reopened on June 2nd with enthusiastic young smiling faces in the pre KG sections, High School and Higher Secondary. The Plus Two admissions are almost completed for the existing science batch and admissions for the new commerce course is still going on.

Ramlal

ST MICHAEL'S, KANNUR

Fr Mathew Kaniyamparambil joined the community on 10 May. Four of our scholastics **Adhul**, **Ajeesh**, **Anil** and **Jithin** gave a week long SALT camp for the High School students of St Michael's. The camp was well attended and appreciated. On 29 May our community was blessed with the presence of **Fr George Nedungattu** when he visited the Ursuline convent Payyambalam in

relation to the canonization process of Sr Celine Kannanaikal.

Gracious Stephen

S.M.FARM, PARIYARAM

Fr Joseph Edassery took over as Superior of S.M. Farm from **Fr Jacob Kumminiyil** on 7 May 2014 during a Eucharistic Celebration followed by a sumptuous dinner. The members thanked the outgoing Superior for his care and concern for the community and warmly welcomed the new Superior. Fr Jacob will continue as Manager of the Farm. Two pre-novices, Christi and Anto, were here for a month for their community experience. Fr Edassery attended the bi-annual Governing Council meeting of the Jesuit Alumni Association of India on 1st June in Ranchi.

St Mary's Parish of **Fr P.T. Augustine** was hyper-active with psycho-spiritual and educational programmes during the months of April and May- three days of 'Vachana Jothi' for catechism children from 1 to 12 classes, one-day awareness programme for parents and a study-aid package for the youth. The Forane Unit of KCYM organized a 3-day residential camp for which 40 members from the Parish participated, and the Parish conducted a 2-day retreat for 60 youth, both at IRC, Pariyaram. The catechism children had their annual celebration with cultural programme. All these programmes were well attended and appreciated, thanks to the active presence and cooperation of **Frs K.J. Mathew** and **James Morais**, both former Parish Priests, and of the members of the Jesuit community. During these busy activities, the Vicar managed to complete the official blessings of 190 families of the parish. Br Henok, our novice, who came for his parish experience was very helpful to prepare children for first Communion, combined with house visits.

Mathew Aertthayil.

LOYOLA, TRIVANDRUM

Loyola campus has become more vibrant at the outset of the new academic year. A new grotto in front of the school office brings in serene and prayerful ambience. An orientation programme held on 01 June, for the teaching and non-teaching staff of the school was enriching. Once again, *Loyolites* have struck the headlines with an excellent result in their board exams. Polson is appointed the new principal of Loyola School. Mr Paul G. has retired from Loyola College. The admission procedures for the courses –MSW and

MRHM, are in progress. Fr Arul (Regional Superior, Kohima) was with us for a month for an *ayurvedic* medical treatment. Fr Joye James attended a ten-day programme in Sweden on the topic Global session on Social Work.

Linto Kanichai

FROM THE CHINESE PROVINCE

GREETINGS from THE CHINESE PROVINCE!!! I was happy to be with my brothers, sisters & their families, with a large number of you (my fellow-Jesuits), with St Michael's and Loyola Old Boys and with old friends during my sojourn in Kerala from April 24 to May 28. One of the high points was certainly my stay in Christ Hall during which we thanked God and felicitated our duo taking their Final Vows, our Jubilarians, our New Priests, our Provincial and our Provincial-to-be. Our Province Assembly was a graced event of Jesuit Companionship. In keeping with my way of proceeding, I also made it a point to meet such old friends as Cardinal Cleemis, Archbishop Soosapackiam, Retired Bishop Maxwell Noronha, Archbishop Francis Kallarackal and Cardinal George Alencherry -- each one of them gave me his Blessing. Bishop Varghese Chakkalackal of Calicut was out of station; so too the two Auxiliary Bishops of Ernakulam. I made time for our former Companions P.J. Joseph (Pallath), K.M. Joseph (Koikaramparambil), K.V. Thomas (Kochukarippa), M.V. Cyriac (Manickanamparambil) and Abraham Thannipara, the first giving me a warm hug, telling me that he knew for certain that I had had nothing personal against him and adding that it was the first time he was returning to Christ Hall after 2000! We had tea together and then I introduced him to oldtimers Thomas Anthraper and Chacko Vandakam. Both of us also went down to the cemetery to remember our departed Companions. Every Sunday I celebrated the morning MASS in Infant Jesus Church, Ernakulam, and on one Sunday also the evening MASS in St Anne's Church, Pettah, Trivandrum. Since my time was limited, I could not visit some of our Communities. On the day before my departure, I again visited our Novices and their Formators. On the 29th morning in Singapore, Santhosh Joseph, a Jesus Youth Leader who recruits, trains and sends young Laymen and Laywomen individually into Mainland China, welcomed me to his home. That very afternoon I arrived for the third time here in Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam), in our Scholasticate of

Juniors, Philosophers, Theologians and relatively young Fathers, most of whom I already know. At the MASS of the Visitation of the B.V.M. at 6.00 a.m., 10 young Jesuits (who will be my students from June 2) took their First Vows. Present were about 800 persons (mostly family, relatives, fellow-Jesuits and close friends) who joined in for a grand breakfast that was arranged in the hall and on the lawn. Those who have gone into the 2nd year are 20 and those who have entered the Novitiate are 24! Let us pray to the Lord of the Harvest to send young, cheerful and generous labourers into His harvest in the Kerala and Chinese Provinces.

John FJ Manipadam

FROM BERKELEY, U.S.A.

As the semester comes to an end here, I have the good news of the successful defense of my doctoral thesis on Science and Religion. It was indeed an enriching experience to be guided by noble scholars like Prof. Dr. Thomas Cattoi of Santa Clara University, Prof. Dr. Robert John Russell and Prof. Dr. Ted Peters of the Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences (CTNS), Berkeley. This note is also to thank all those who helped and encouraged me one way or other, during these years of my research.

Being a member of the Clavius Group of mathematicians in the U.S., I will be presenting a paper in Notre-Dame University in the month of July, and will help in organizing the event. In connection with this I am invited to be part of a research program directed by Dr Olga Louchakova, of Santa Fe Institute, New Mexico, U.S.A. Meanwhile the doctoral committee has recommended me to publish my doctoral thesis at the earliest. As I am entrusted with the peace project of our province, I shall also visit various universities, institutions, and agencies in the U.S. to seek possible ways of cooperation and collaboration before I return. Kindly keep this mission in your prayers.

A SHORT NOTE FROM E.P. MATHEW (U.S.A.)

I was at the Jesuit School of Theology (JST), Berkeley, USA, from the first week of May and will reach Satya Nialayam on 5 June. This short stay was fruitful as it gave me the opportunity to make use of the excellent libraries of the University of California and the Graduate Theological Union. I also had the privilege of witnessing the Graduation Ceremony of JST. John Sobrino, the famous Latin American Liberation Theologian from El Salvador gave the Commencement Address. It was a matter

of Joy for me to see **Fr Binoy** being honoured with a Doctoral Degree. Earlier Binoy successfully defended his thesis and a large group of his friends and the staff and students of JST was present. A special congratulation to Fr Binoy as he succeeded in completing the Doctoral work in a record time of less than three years.

Binoy and E.P. Mathew

PROVINCE MEET, 2014

The welcome speech of **Fr Joseph Kallepallil**, the outgoing Provincial, to the pulsating audience of over 110 Jesuits, marked the beginning of Province Meet 2014. **Dr Alphonse Manickam** (MDU) presented an intriguing research paper on *The Suppression and the Restoration of the Society of Jesus: Causes and Consequences*. An excellent talk by **Fr Joseph Kottukapally** on *Jesuits in Kerala during suppression* seized the hearts of the listeners. A meaningful prayer service was conducted in the loving memory of the deceased members of the Province at Christ Hall cemetery. Fr Kallepallil joyfully welcomed **Fr M. K. George**, the new provincial designate by introducing him as "...a well-equipped man to become the provincial." On behalf of the Province, Fr M.K George expressed deep gratitude to Fr Kallepallil for all his initiatives for the development of the Province. Thereon Fr George requested the congregation to give a standing ovation to our outgoing provincial. Two commendable works namely, *Vision and Mission* and *Memories Live* were released on this special occasion. It was an overwhelming experience to witness the accurate steps and graceful *mudras* of **Sch. Emmanuel** and **Fr Salvin** right through their stunning dance performances. The Eucharistic Celebrations with the New Priests and the Jubilarians of the Province added freshness to our companionship in the Lord. With immense gratitude, the Kerala Province wished all the best to **Fr Martin Puthuserry** as he returns to his province after establishing a far-reaching ministry among the migrant workers in Kerala. The Assembly expressed their gratitude to **Fr Sunny Kunnappallil**, the Socius, and his team for their meticulous planning and execution of the two-day event.

(Ramlat, Xavier and Nikhil, Secretaries of the Province Assembly)

TRAINING IN DIRECTED RETREAT FOR THE YOUNG PRIESTS

Kerala Province organized a Training Programme in Ignatian Retreat Direction for the Young

Priests of the Province. The training was held at Santhinilayam, Kottayam from 21-27 May 2014. There were eleven young priests to participate in the training programme. **Frs Varghese Malpan** and **Jacob Madukakuzhy** guided the workshop effectively. The first phase of the training focused on the theoretical foundation of the directed retreat and the content of the directed retreat. Sharing of the firsthand experience by the Resource Persons on directed retreat during the second phase motivated us to learn more and to become skilled in the ministry of Retreat Direction. The third phase of the training focused on the practical dimension of the directed retreat. The participants were given umpteen numbers of mock drills on spiritual direction taking the role of a client, spiritual director and observer. The fourth and the final phase gave opportunity to the participants to prepare and present a tentative draft of the retreat for eleven separate target groups. The mock drills and draft presentation provided us opportunities to experience the heart of the directed retreat. The overall timing of the training was pretty relaxed. Santhinilayam community paved a loving, caring and hospitable ambiance for the training with all its facilities. The superior, **Fr Sony**, arranged an excellent and comfortable stay for the participants. **Fr Sunny Kunnappallil**, the socius and young priests in-charge, made a visit and took stock of the progress of the training. The young priests were really grateful to Frs Varghese Malpan and Jacob Madukakuzhy for their inspiring presence, skilful guidance and in-depth knowledge on spiritual direction. At the end of the training Fr T.M. Joseph gifted the young priests with a copy of Fr Varghese Malpan's book on spiritual direction called "*Sahayaathra*", a hand book on Spiritual Direction. We are really indebted to Fr T.M. Joseph for this valuable gift. **Fr Dominic Palakeel** graciously accepted to be the leader of the young priests. The group thanked **Fr Biju George** for his able and dynamic leadership to the group for the last two years as the leader of the young priests. A tentative date for the Triduum for the young priests is scheduled for 2-5 October 2014 to be held in Trivandrum.

Saji Joseph

SCHOLASTICS' FORUM

By the grace of God the summer programmes of the scholastics became a series of successful events. We began the summer programmes on the 1st of April. Twenty four scholastics have actively involved in the programmes and all of them exhibited their talents and potentiality to make the

programmes relevant, creative and successful. There were twenty two camps conducted by KJSF (Kerala Jesuit Scholastics' Forum). We received very positive and encouraging feedbacks from the participants and the organizers of the camps. Towards the end of the first phase of the summer program the scholastics had their paper presentations on Ignatian Spirituality on 26 and 27 April at Christ hall. On behalf of all the scholastics we congratulate **Sch. Emmanuel** for his exuberant classical dance performance on the eve of 13 May before many of our province men. We had seven days of holidays at Santhinilayam, Kottayam and many of our elder brothers joined us to make these days cheerful and memorable. We specially thank **Fr Sony Thazhathel** for all his efforts to make our stay more convenient and enjoyable. We gave a grand farewell to our beloved Provincial **Fr Joseph Kallepallil** on 20 May. We thank Fr Kallepallil for his relentless service as Provincial to the whole province and specially to the Scholastics body. We also welcomed **Fr M K George**, our new Provincial, on the same day. Fr M K George inspired us with his encouraging words and friendly approach. We had our annual retreat from 21- 29 May under the guidance of **Fr Rachans**. Thank you Fr Rachans for guiding us through the spiritual ways of our Father Ignatius. We express our heartfelt gratitude to **Fr Anto Muringathery**, our PCF, for his great support, encouragement and feedbacks which helped us immensely to make the summer programme effective and fruitful. We thank all the Jesuits and non Jesuits who extended their direct and indirect support which contributed significantly to the success of Summer program 2014.

Augustine and Sija

GONE FOR THEIR REWARD

Fr. Francis Pereira, (BOM, 82/60) on 10 May 2014 in Mumbai

Br. S. Paul Chinnappan (MDU86/62) on 14 May 2014 in Dindigul.

Fr. Gerald Kerketta, (JAM, 63 / 41) expired on 17 May 2014 in Gomoh.

Fr Koshy K. Mathew (HAZ, 69/49) on 27 May 2014 in Ranchi.

Fr Dhavamony Mariasusai (MDU, 87/66) on 31 May 2014 in Chennai.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JUNE

- 11 Joye James Karimathil
- 14 Dominic Madathaniyil
Joseph Kottukapally
Mathew Kuzhickattumyalil
- 15 Jesno Francis Kadamkeril
- 16 Anjo Alappat Palathingal
- 18 Wilson Puthussery
- 19 Mathew Elanjipuram
- 22 Anil Thomas Pathikkal
- 24 Vibin Padayadan
- 25 John Manipadam
- 26 Ranjit *George Irattil*
- 27 George Thenadikulam
- 28 Amardeep Pittappillil
- 30 Paul Vadakel

JULY

- 03 John Vattanky
- 04 Manesh Thottathuvilakom
- 07 Sunny Jose Puthenpurayil
- 08 Kurien Kunnumpuram
- 09 Thomas Vattakunnel



IN CHRIST WITH GLORY

JUNE

- 12 (1961) George Ayathaparambil
- 12 (2008) Joseph Vathaloor
- 13 (1993) Charles Studerus
- 13 (2012) Jacob Pulikodan
- 14 (1999) Joseph Parakkan
- 15 (1996) George Kuzhivelylly
- 18 (2000) Paul Lenthaparambil
- 20 (1976) Benjamin Biscia
- 29 (1973) John Chettupuzha

KINDLY PRAY FOR MANY GOOD VOCATIONS

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