



# Kerala Tidings

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## From the Provincial

### FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY

In a recent letter from the General Procurator it is rightly pointed out that 'for many it seems obvious that we be transparent about our finances. However there are moments when we wonder how widespread our financial information should be public. It can be a delicate process of educating others gradually about our finances over a period of time'.

The letter highlights the need to educate ourselves and to be prudent in handling misinformation and rumours about province, house and institutional finances. Unfortunately, we have our bit of rumours and wrong information. I see this letter as a timely reminder both for prudence and education.

Fortunately, we have structures and procedures like the preparation of budget in consultation, submission of monthly statements, and scrutiny of the accounts by the Superior, house revisors and annual review by the Province Revisor. We also have the annual audits by professional auditors to help us. The million dollar question remains, how serious are we about these structures and procedures?

One attitude that can help us in this is Gandhiji's trusteeship. He said, "... I must know that all that wealth does not belong to me; what belongs to me is the right to an honourable livelihood, no better than that enjoyed by millions of others. The rest of my wealth belongs to the community and must be used for the welfare of the community."

The moment we realize we are only trustees, we become transparent and accountable. Prudence will guide our steps.

*M.K. George SJ*



### PROVINCIAL'S PROGRAMME

#### December 2018

- 01-05 : Vidyajyothi, Delhi
- 07-08 : Visitation-St Joseph's HSS, Kozhikode
- 14-15 : Visitation – Sameeksha, Kalady
- 16-17 : Vembally – Home
- 21 : Consult – Kanjirappally
- 22 : Trivandrum
- 26 : Kanjirappally

### APPOINTMENTS / TRANSFERS BY FR PROVINCIAL

- Fr Syriac Panjikaran** : Tripura Mission
- Fr Jose Valuvettickal** : Acting Director, IRC, Pariyaram

### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

**Father General Arturo Sosa** has been elected president of the Union of Superiors General (USG). This group represents religious orders and congregations of brothers and priests around the world in almost all countries. The USG exists since 1955 and brings

together General Superiors of the male religious orders and congregations. Let us pray for him as he starts this service to consecrated life.

**Novice Tomy Issac Baby** pronounced his first vows in the Society on Nov 26 at Vidyaniketan, Thumba.

**Scholastics Sharath Nellinilkumthadathil** and **Adhul Ulloppillil** have applied to be admitted to Sacred Orders. If you have any useful information to help **Fr Provincial** in taking a decision, kindly inform him before December 15, 2018.

**Dn Bastin Vattanky** was ordained by **Mar Remigiose Inchananiyil**, Bishop of Thamarassery, on November 24, 2018 at Christuraja Church, Malaparamba.



**Kerala Province Catalogue 2019** has already been dispatched to all communities and individuals. If it hasn't reached anybody, kindly contact the **Socius**. Credit for its beautiful cover design goes to **Fr Sheise Porunnakottu**. Thank you, Sheise.

## CELEBRATING IGNATIAN YEAR

**Father General Arturo Sosa** has announced that between 2021 and 2022 the Ignatian Year will be celebrated to commemorate two important events in the history of the Society of Jesus. The first is the 500th anniversary of the conversion of **Saint Ignatius** of Loyola after he was wounded at the Battle of Pamplona (1521-2021). The second is the 400th anniversary of the canonization of its founder, together with St Francis Xavier (1622-2022). This jubilee year, Father General mentioned, will be the right occasion to discuss certain fundamental themes of the life and mission of the Society of Jesus, such as Ignatian discernment and spirituality.

## MEDICAL BULLETIN

**Fr Samuel Rayan** continues his stay in Nirmala Hospital, Calicut as he is still weak, and needs our prayers.

**Fr Raju Vattaparambil** who had been admitted to the

Jubilee Hospital, Trichur, has been discharged. He will be staying for a while at Prasanthi, Pachilakad for rest.

## JIVAN

**Fr Vinayak Jadhav**, Editor of JIVAN, reminds: "It has been brought to our notice by a number of Jesuits that they are not aware of the Online Edition of JIVAN available free for Jesuits only. We request you to kindly share the Username and Password with the members of your province which we had sent you earlier. This special privilege is exclusively for Jesuits and not to be shared outside." Website: [www.jivanmagazine.com](http://www.jivanmagazine.com); Username: Jesuits; Password: Jivan@Jesuits

## FROM OUR INSTITUTIONS

### CHRIST HALL, CALICUT

The long awaited moment in the life of **Fr John Vattanky** came true on 24th of this month as his grand nephew, **Dn Bastian Vattanky**, got ordained in his presence at Christ the King Church. **Bishop Remigius Inchananiyil**, Bishop of Thamarassery ordained Dn Bastian a Priest. Fr John Vattanky, though in the wheel chair in pains, sat prayerfully through the whole ceremony. **Frs P.T Augustine** and **Joe Kunnumpuram (PAT)** have come to Christ Hall community for treatment. The Feast of Christ the King was celebrated in our parish in a modest way with a view to support the flood victims from the savings. **Fr Anto**, the parish priest, mesmerized the parishioners with his singing during the cultural programme on the feast day.

*Jethin*

### ST MICHAEL'S, KANNUR

**Fr Provincial** was with us this month for the annual visitation. He inaugurated an art gallery, digital library and renovated reading room in the school. He also inaugurated *Igniting Minds* which is a new venture to prepare students for civil service exams and top level medical and engineering entrance tests. St Michael's hosted the 'State Work Experience Fare', Nov. 24-25, in which nearly 2000 students participated. In the Science Fare, five items from St Michael's got state level prizes. In Sports and Games, five students got state level prizes and got selected for National Level Competitions. In the District Youth Festival, 4 group items and 4 individual items were selected for state level competitions. St Michaels HSS team won third prize in the state level quiz programme conducted by the Hindu News Paper.

**Fr Wilson Mulackal** was the resource person for a one-day programme on 'Effective Parenting' for the pre-

primary parents. **Fr Biju George** was a member of the interview board to select a teacher in the HS section. **Fr Dominic Madathaniyil** participated in the Assistency Level Celebration of the Jubilee of St Alphonsus Rodriguez held at Hyderabad.

*John Francis*

## LOYOLA, ALUVA

We had a special Mass on All Saints' Day presided by **Fr T M Joseph**, one of the Jubilarians of the year, who came all the way from Kannur for this event. Thank you very much, Father! From 9th to 17th the second years had their Personal Growth Workshop at Shantigram, Kalamassery, under the able guidance of **Fr Ephrem Thomas**. This Workshop was really an occasion of self-discovery and enlightenment. We are very grateful to you Fr. Ephrem! Thanks to the patronage of **Fr Sheise**, we the novices were privileged to watch a couple of dramas at POC, Palarivattom. The feast of our patron saint, **St Stanislaus Kostka**, was celebrated on 13th with much joy & devotion. The presence of **Frs Binoy & Ranjit** added special joy to the celebration of the birthday of Fr Master. **Fr Madukkakuzhy** is away at Green Gardens, Cherthala, directing a month-long Ignatian Retreat. After a brief visit to Goa **Fr Linto** resumed with renewed vigour the remaining part of the post-flood repair works. The Second year Novices from Belagavi, who were in Kerala for their Work Experiment, spent an evening with us.

*Augustine & Eby*

## SAMEEKSHA/ ATMAMITRA, KALADY

The Dharmasameeksha seminar was on the Peace Message of Sree Narayana Guru. A feature on Sameeksha was transmitted on Kairali TV. **Fr Sebastian Painadath** gave a week-long course on the Spirituality of Inter-religious Harmony in Asia at EAPI, Manila. He also offered an Indian Contemplative retreat at NBCLC, Bangalore, on the Divinisation of the Human (Theosis). He gave a talk on the Peace Message of Religions at the evening seminar organized by Arnos Padiri Academy at Sahitya Academy Hall, Trichur.

**Fr Xavier Tharamel** presented a paper on "Raimon Panikkar: Cross-cultural Being" at the National Research Conference on 'The Other in My Religion' held at Udasin Karshini Ashram in Mathura, Uttar Pradesh. He was invited to deliver the keynote address at Satya Nilayam, Department of Philosophy at Loyola College, Chennai, on "Relevance of Raimon Panikkar for the Twenty First Century." He also gave a talk on Raimundo Panikkar's

Advaitic Trinitarianism and Indian Spirituality to the ashramites who had assembled at Sameeksha for the annual satsamg of Ashram Aikya.

The Professors and 20 Post Graduate students from the Department of Counseling Psychology, Sacred Heart College, Thiruppathoor joined 35 others for Atmamitra's first ever NLP programme in English. The Atmamitra Team gave its Teen Programme at St. George's High School, Kattappana (760 students), Universal College of Engineering, Mala (180), St. Mary's School, Kozhikode (190), Bharath Matha College, Choondi (400) and Govt. HSS, Paravoor (720), all in the month of November. Atmamitra is supporting the Snehavedu project in Wayanad. One house is already built for the homeless, and one will be completed soon. Sameeksha, Atmamitra and Jeevika staff joined the community on a picnic to Mahogany Thottam at Illithode.

*Toby*

## AKJM, KANJIRAPALLY

The school celebrated the formation day of Kerala with programmes depicting Kerala culture. The Principal administered the pledge to the students. On November 3 we had a get together of the managers and the staff of three Jesuit schools – AKJM, Loyola TVM and Loyola Mukumthara. The Grand-children's Day was celebrated with a colourful cultural rally attended by the Local MLA and members of the local body. A drama staged by the staff was the main attraction of the day. It was followed by the Grand-parents' Day of the LP section on Nov 15. The tiny tots entertained their grandparents with dances and songs while the octogenarians and septuagenarians give expression to their childhood pranks. The Laurel Day for the KG students on Nov 23 was graced by two MLAs, Mr. Rogi M. John (Angamaly) and Dr. N. Jayaraj (Kanjirapally).



Our students performed creditably in the school Kalotsavam at the sub-district and district levels with a first in both High school and Higher Secondary sections in the sub-district, and a first in the High School section in the district. They got qualified to take part in the state level competitions. AKJM also got the overall championship in the Balajanasakhyam kalotsavam held at Erumeli, and in the Atal Twinkering Lab innovative competition held at Little Flower School, Chemmamattom. The School got championship in the district Table Tennis competition too.

**Fr Antu Xavier** accompanied the Plus Two students on their excursion to Mysore.

*Joseph Edassery*

### LUMEN/LIPI/SNEHASENA, KOCHI

Lumen witnessed the usual activities of LIPI, Ezhuth and Snehasena apostolates. Lumen community was privileged to have **Fr Wilson Puthussery** for quite some time during his convalescent period. Under the able guidance of **Fr Pallivathukkal**, Jesus Youth has adopted twelve villages across Kerala for making them better equipped to handle crisis situations. **Frs Roy** and **Sheise** attended the South Asian Jesuit Artists (visual and performing) Forum(SAJAF), a new initiative by the Assistency, held at Kalahrudaya, Kolkatta. **Fr George Pattery**, the POSA, addressed the forum which was attended by 13 Jesuit artists from various parts of India. The meeting was warm, colourful and charming as all the Jesuits shared their heart and art.

*Sheise*

### VIDYANIKETAN, TRIVANDRUM

November was a memorable month for all the juniors. We celebrated the feast of St John Bechmans, our patron saint. Three juniors including **Sch Tomy Issac Baby** pronounced their first vows on the same day. Congratulations Tomy. All the South Indian Provincials

including **Fr M. K George** visited Vidyaniketan and spent quality time with us. **Br George** was hospitalized and had a minor surgery on his foot. He is back in the community and in the badminton court. **Fr Roy Thottathil** gave us a course on art appreciation. Thank you acha for awakening our art instincts.

*Jaison Joseph*

### XAVIER TRAINING CENTRE, PACHILAKKAD

November brought us a lot of happy tidings. The novices from Belagavi who were with us from the end of October completed their experiment and went back in the first week. We were privileged to have some special guests this month, **Frs P.T. Mathew, Joe Pulickal** and **Sunny Padinjarevarikkattu**. Dr. Sreemon who had stayed with us during the floods to organize medical camps in various tribal colonies came back for a few days of follow-up work. **Fr Deepak** with the financial assistance of some good hearts helped a physically challenged person to put up a petty-shop. **Fr Saji** was away at Trivandrum to attend a trainer's training programme. **Fr E J Thomas**, our superior gave us a two-day course on vows and religious life. **Fr Baby Chalil** and **Sch Nikhil** with the help of some pre-novices gave a session on media awareness at Cherukattor parish on Mission Sunday. Fostering Jesuit vocations was one of our aims. Fr Deepak went to Gujarat to attend the meeting of pre-novitiate Directors. We were privileged to attend the Ordination of **Fr Bastin** at Calicut. We had the pleasure of hosting **Fr K J Thomas** and the batch of final year B.Com students during their study tour. Our vegetable garden has started yielding in response to our hard work. Presently we are engaged in the preparation for the Feast of St Francis Xavier.

*George Nikhil*

### PIUS X ITI, EDATHUA

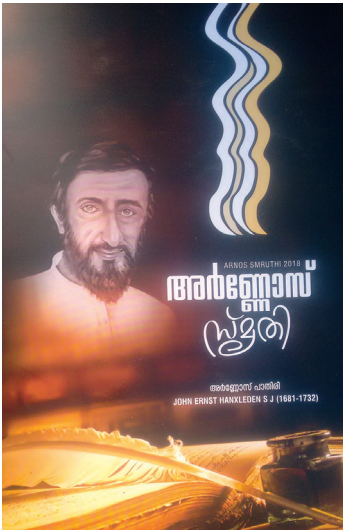
The renewal work of the Jesuit residence is nearing completion. The newly constructed three rooms on the first floor were blessed and we have occupied these. The painting and minor repairs of the ITI building is progressing. We hope to finish the repair of the damaged machines and instruments before the inspection for grading. The Province has promised scholarships to the students from flood affected families. The ITI held its convocation ceremony on November 25 in the presence of Fr John Mannakunnel (Parish priest), **Fr Sony** and the ASI of Edathua. We inaugurated 'Haritha Campus' project to initiate the students to organic farming. **Fr KP Mathew** attended the All India Jesuit Tec meeting at Bangalore. We help the neighbouring parishes with



Mass and sacraments since many parish priests are sick and away. **Sch Savy** is actively involved in youth ministries in and around Edathua.

*Mathew Pullattu*

## ARNOS PADIRI ACADEMY, VELUR



Arnos Padiri Academy, in collaboration with Sameeksha, Kalady, organised a twin programme at Sahithya Academy Thrissur on November 16. One was the release of ARNOS SMRUTHI 2018, and the second, a Symposium on "Religions for Human harmony". **Fr S. Painadath** and Dr. V.K. Vijayan were the speakers. Novelist Lissy inaugurated the function, Dr. P.V. Krishnan Nair released the souvenir with Prof. V.G. Thambi receiving the first

copy. Writers, teachers, lawyers, social workers, media workers and artists from various fields attended.

SAMADARSANA VEDHI is having its 3rd anniversary on December 9, 2018 at Arnos Padiri Academy, Velur. Smt. Shirley Dileepkumar, President of Velur Panchayath, will inaugurate the function. Dr. Renji O. Raphel, the chief guest, will speak on 'Sustainable health practices'.

*George Thenadikulam*

## LOYOLA, MUKUNDARA

The school successfully conducted its second science exhibition named "SCIENTIA 2018". Mr Thomas John SE from VSSC, Valiyamala, was the chief guest. He encouraged our students to become scientists and to contribute to the development and growth of our Nation. **Fr Mani Manimala** felicitated the exhibition and asked the students to develop skills such as observation, inference and reflection as necessary for scientific research. All sections from KG to HS participated actively in the exhibition. Fr George Mathew Karoor, Secretary ASISC Kerala Region, addressed the parents' meeting. He explained to the parents the history of the ICSE BOARD OF EXAMINATION. They were happy to know the relevance of ICSE syllabus in this competitive world. The high school students, accompanied by **Frs Tinu** and **Manesh**, went on a one-day tour to Silverstorm and Athirapally. **Fr Manesh** got his two articles named "Abhayamakuka" and "Brahmachari" published in Ezhuthu Magazine.

*Manesh*

## AICUF CENTRE, TRIVANDRUM

Trivandrum zonal freshers' camp was held in Aicuf centre under the guidance of **Fr Varkeychan**, the zonal advisor. **Fr Prince** visited a few colleges and oriented the students. The Aicuf executive members and the advisor participated in the youth commission meeting convened by the KCBC. Aicuf animators' meeting was held in Lumen, Kochi and **Fr Binoy** animated the gathering. The state Aicufers are gearing up to reach out to the victims of Gaja cyclone. **Fr George Sebastian** preached a retreat to the Jesuits of Delhi Province followed by some media reflection programmes for the young priests of Delhi province. He also conducted another weekend media and values programme at Chandigarh for seminarians of Simla, Jalandar, Delhi and Chandigarh Dioceses.

*Prince Clarence*

## SATYA NILAYAM, CHENNAI

After finishing our first and third Semesters successfully we organized the community days during the semester break. We also have the tradition of having a course on Ignatian Spirituality during the break followed by the Triduum. **Fr R.C. Chacko**, a well-known expert in our spiritual traditions guided us in the study of the Constitution of the Society and directed the Triduum. It was indeed a wonderful spiritual experience. One joyful experience for us was the visit of **Fr Salvin**, our PCF. **Frs Baby Mulluparambil** and **Reji** stayed with us sharing our fellowship dinner as they were on their way back from Sri Lanka.

The new semester began with an opening lecture by **Fr Xavier Tharamel**. This was organized to remember Raimon Panikkar on his birth centenary. Fr Xavier gave a much appreciated talk on the relevance of Panikkar to the 21st Century. **Fr E.P. Mathew** gave classes to the Philosophy students of the Regional Inter-diocesan Seminary in Bhopal during the semester break.

At Present we are engaged in the preparation of our Annual Drama, "The Perils of a Prophet", which will be staged on 8 December. The much awaited completion certificate for the building in SN has finally been received. It is a great achievement, thanks to **Fr Albert**, the Rector

*Jenophine*

## DE NOBILI COLLEGE, PUNE

We were privileged to take part in the 125th Jubilee celebration of Papal Seminary on November 7-8. The mega event brought together many archbishops, bishops, priests, religious and lay people.

**Fr Stephen Chundanthadam** presented a paper titled “**Rediscovering the Spirituality of Indian Christians in the Pluri-religious Context of India**” during the seminar organized by Papal Seminary for its anniversary. We celebrated JDV Day on 23rd with solemn Holy Eucharist and exciting cultural performances. **Fr Emmanuel, Schs Dijin, Jomon and Sinesh** added one more grade each to their Karate belts under the guidance of Shihan Dr. Gunashekar, President of WADO-RYO Karate in India, Sensei Dr. Stephen Chundanthadam, Founder of WADO- RYO Karate in JDV, and Sensei Fr Alphonse, Instructor of Karate in JDV. **Fr Binoy Pichalakkattu** was with us giving special courses in Philosophy as well as in Theology. We are now eagerly waiting for our Community Days from November 30 to December 2.

*Sineesh*

### **DIWALI CELEBRATION AND MEDICAL CAMP FOR MIGRANT WORKERS**

The Malayala Manorama news paper November 7, 2018 carried a photo of the Diwali Celebration of the migrant workers at SRC. Workers from Kozhikode and different parts of the district came together for an evening of light and colour. **Fr Jose Thachil** welcomed the gathering, and many shared their thoughts on Diwali celebration. Some of the migrants spoke and sang in Orya and Santali. Srs Harita DSS and Preeti DSS anchored the gathering. At Sr. Gracy’s invitation they came forward to dance to the rhythm of Diwali songs, and concluded with fireworks and some refreshments.

Earlier, on October 19 the team organized a medical camp at SRC in which around 120 migrant workers participated. Ms. Shobhita, Ward Councillor, Kozhikode Corporation, inaugurated camp with the District Labour Officer presiding. Two doctors and other medical personnel from the Beach Hospital were available for medical checkup. Blood test malaria was done for everyone. Medicines were distributed free of charge. Some cases were referred to the medical college hospital for further treatment. Sr. Gracy conducted health awareness class for the workers and explained about the Aawaz Health Insurance card. Sixty four of them received the Aawaz card. The camp ended with a common lunch for all the participants.

*Sr. Gracy SCM*

### **GREETINGS FROM SRI LANKA!!!**

The political crisis in this Country came as a big surprise to all of us and it is persisting. Your prayers are requested. Early in November I was requested to help while our

Juniors were having 1-week Block Courses in Drama & Street Play and Moulding Images with Clay. I helped the S.C.J.M. Sisters (Sisters of Charity of Jesus & Mary) in their Province Assembly in COLOMBO. I also directed the Annual Retreat of the Contemplative Benedictine Sisters in WENNAPUWA. I was very happy to be with our **Frs Peter Mulluparambil, Reji Kunnatheth and Jose Pulinthanath** for the REGAE WORKSHOP in Manresa, BATTICALAO, on the east coast. It was in Manresa that our late **Br Chacko Vandakam** worked generously for 5 years. It was in the Technical School in BATTICALAO that our late **Br Philip Panjikanan** first worked before moving to the Technical School in GALLE. Both are gratefully remembered. Here we celebrated the Feast of ST JOHN BERCHMANS in style. The highlights of the day were the morning Feastday MASS and the very enjoyable Variety Entertainment Programme in the evening. The theme was: CALL TO HOLINESS, and there were constant reminders with: “If I do not become a Saint when I am young, I shall never become one” and “I will do ordinary things extraordinarily well”. I wish you all a grace-filled Season of Advent.

*John FJ Manipadam*

### **TRIPURA MISSION**

The month of November brought us two enriching experiences: **Fr Provincial’s** visit to Tripura and our visit to the missions in Nagaland along with Fr Provincial. The provincial spent almost a week with us listening to us and studying the mission. We felt empowered and encouraged to move forward trusting in the Almighty. The visit to the Nagaland missions gave us better clarity as we could meet many missionaries who were pioneers to the North East. On our return from Nagaland we both attended the clergy meeting of the diocese held at the Bishop’s house, Agarthala





where we could meet all the clergy of the diocese. **Fr James** has spread his karate class to one more school of the Holy Cross fathers and now he is having four sessions a week. On 21st **Fr Babu Paul** gave a one-day recollection to the Charity Sisters at Panisager and on 23rd gave a half-day class to the children at Santhipally leprosy colony looked after by the MC Sisters. On 11th Fr James attended the Eucharistic procession organized by the diocese at Agarthala. Fr Babu Paul attended an international Seminar on North East, Changing Context organized by the Holy Cross College, Agarthala. We have begun saying Sunday Mass in the other nearby Mission Centers also. We are still in the process of purchasing a plot while having our regular activities in the village. We are awaiting the new person and making arrangements to accommodate him in our rented house. As the new person arrives we may be able to enlarge our involvement in the neighbouring villages as well.

*Babu Paul*

## GOOD BYE TIMOR LESTE!

As I was at home with the marvellous Tetun language of this little, wonderful island nation I made myself effectively available for pastoral and educational services. The people possess a uniquely charming nature, being open and cordial with everyone they meet, with pleasant greetings, no matter who or where. Inter personal relationships among the people especially among the teenagers are extraordinarily cordial, incomparably mature and open, with an immense measure of mutual respect.

Music being in their blood, the Timorians spend long hours, practising for the lively liturgy with polyphonic singing. They are always enthusiastic, active and generous in rendering any service to the church. Being

the only catholic country in Asia with purely European culture, life style, dress and clothing and food habits, the East Timoreans are proud of their rich and unique heritage.

Teaching English, Portuguese, Sociology and music in the Jesuit-run Higher Secondary school, I could get involved in the life of about 400 young people and I cherish it as a deeply enriching experience. My pastoral experience too has been unforgettable having the golden opportunity to assist the people of 12 parishes on a regular basis during my mission in this noble nation of spontaneously loving and believing people.

I am grateful to everyone who made it possible for me to have this wonderful and unforgettable experience. My Jesuit companions with the leadership of Fr. Joachim Sarmiento, our Superior, have been the main source of acceptance, support and encouragement throughout my mission here.

*Syriac Panjikaran*

## FATHER PEDRO ARRUPE: INTRODUCTION OF THE CAUSE OF BEATIFICATION

In his letter, Father General emphasizes how, through the insistent prayer in which Father Arrupe asked God to understand the meaning of Ignatian intuitions for today, Jesuit life has been renewed in its different dimensions. Thanks to him, the Society of Jesus, the Church and society at large have been nourished and can still be nourished by the richness of the Ignatian tradition. From everywhere, the testimonies show Father Arrupe's exceptional qualities: his desire to fulfil in everything the will of God the Father, his rootedness in Jesus Christ, his trust in the Holy Spirit as the guide of the Church, his unfailing loyalty to the Holy Father, his missionary disposition, his personal fidelity to our way of proceeding, his sensitivity to dramatic social situations, and his love for and closeness to the poor.

Fr. Sosa emphasizes that the process towards the beatification of Fr. Arrupe is still at an early stage, with the steps taken in the diocese of Rome, where he died. In fact, it is at the Basilica of the Lateran, on February 5, 2019, that the opening session about the beatification will take place. Evidence from more than 100 witnesses will then be gathered and documents relevant to the case will be analyzed. So many characteristics of the former General have been and remain significant. He encouraged inculturation in his missionary service of transmitting the Good News; he responded to the call of refugees; he led the Society -- as a requirement of the service of faith -- to struggle against all injustice

and unbelief. He also promoted interreligious dialogue and he invited our students to be “men and women for others”.

The Superior General concludes by saying that he is confident that we are entering a time of grace that will bring about a fruitful spiritual renewal, animated by the Holy Spirit, among Jesuits and those close to us.

A new website on Fr. Arrupe has just been launched; access it at [arrupe.jesuitgeneral.org/en](http://arrupe.jesuitgeneral.org/en)

## SEMINARS/COURSES

**Fr. Joseph (Jossie) A. D’Mello SJ**, Secretary for JIGSA, announces:

“Roots & Wings 2019: Colloquium On Ignatian Spirituality”

Venue: Sacred Heart College, Shembaganur

Dates: April 3 even - May 9 even, 2019

Total Course Fee: Rs 24,000/- (including Board / Lodge)

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Last date to register: February 15, 2019.

## OURS IN MEDIA

**Fr Sebastian Painadath SJ** & Sr. Rose Pudukadan: *Christ-Consciousness, Contemplation with Jesus Prayer*, ISPC, Delhi, 2018, pp. 146.

**Fr Sebastian Painadath SJ** : Geistige Begegnung zwischen West und Ost, Meister Eckhart und die Upanshaden, in: *Kontemplation und Mystik*, Via Nova Publ. Germany, 2/2018, pp 5-24

----- Das Jenseits im Diesseits – das Sein und das Nichts, in: J. Röser, (ed), *Gott? – die religiöse Frage heute*, Herder, Freiburg, 2018, pp. 166-168.

----- Swami Vivekānandante Viśwamathādarśam. in: *Prabudhakeralam*, Oct. 2018, pp- 93-95.

## GONE FOR THEIR REWARD

**Fr Packiaraj Gnanarethinam** (MDU), 75/57, on 31.10.2018 at Dindigul.

**Fr Manuel Alphonse** (MDU), 69/53, on 17.11.2018 at Chennai.

**Fr S. Bento Fernandes** (GUJ), 77/53, on 27.11.2018 at Vadodara.



Mrs Kuttiyamma (Annamma) Joseph (77), mother of Fr Rajesh Panchathalackal, on 23.11.2018.

Mr Justin Senkuttuvan (64), eldest brother of Fr P.S. Antony on 01.12.2018.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### DECEMBER

- 03 Linto Kanichai
- 05 Xavier Veliyakam
- 09 Sanil Mayilkunnel
- 11 Abraham Pallivathukal
- 16 Immanuel Koyan
- 16 Mathew Kannadan
- 21 George Nedungatt
- 21 Cical Shaji Valiyakarottu
- 22 Philip Thayil
- 24 Jose Thachil
- 25 Kuriakose Puthanapra
- 27 Sebastian Chiriyān Kandath



### JANUARY

- 01 John Elamkunnappuzha
- 01 Ramlat Mekkulathil
- 02 Peter Mulluparambil
- 03 Tomson Vadakkeputhenpura
- 04 Varkeychan Mecheril

## IN CHRIST WITH GLORY

### DECEMBER

- 01 (1958) Aloysius Silva
- 02 (1991) George Murickan
- 04 (2007) Mathew Parackal
- 16 (2011) George Keerankeri
- 17 (1954) Milbank F Barboza
- 17 (2012) Joseph Maliekal
- 18 (2000) Joseph Vattakunnel
- 19 (1991) Varkey Pullan
- 29 (1988) Joseph Puthenkalam
- 31 (2010) Thomas Thayil



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