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APPOINTMENTS BY FR PROVINCIAL

Fr Francis Paracka: St Xavier's High School, Bombay (MSW, Nirmala Niketan)

Fr Mathew Elanjipuram: Superior, Lumen-Jyothis, Kochi (approved by Fr General) and Director of LIPI (Loyola Institute of Peace and International Relations), Lumen-Jyothis, Kochi

Fr Mathew Pampackal: Superior, Jesuit House, Kailashahar, Tripura (approved by Fr General)

Sch. Eby Shajan Parankimalil: Post graduate studies in Mathematics at the University of Kerala, Kariavattom Campus, resides at St Xavier's, Thumba

Sch. Poly Martin Narikuzha: Post graduate studies in History at School of Social Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, resides at Santhinilayam, Kumaranalloor

NEW EDITORIAL TEAM FOR KERALA JESUIT

Fr Adhul Thomas Ulloppillil (Editor), **Fr Ivin Tomy Thottappallil** (Associate Editor), **Fr Jaison Joseph Cheruvuparampil** (Associate Editor), **Sch. Sebastian Chiriyankandath** (Associate Editor), and **Fr Jacob Kumminiyil** (Advisor)

PROVINCIAL'S PROGRAMME

August

- 8 : First anniversary of the elevation of Fr Beschi as 'Servant of God', Sambalur
- 9 : AICUF, Animators' Camp, Santhinilayam, Kumaranalloor
- 11 : Graduation Ceremony, Loyola College, Sreekariyam
- 21-22 : Consult, Christ Hall, Calicut
- 29 : Ordination of Dn Sooraj Sebastian Kuzhumullil, Christ Hall, Calicut

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

DEACON SOORAJ SEBASTIAN KUZHIMULLIL TO PRIESTHOOD

Deacon Sooraj Sebastian Kuzhimullil will be ordained to the ministerial priesthood on **Saturday, August 29, 2026, at 9.30 a.m.** The ordination will be officiated by **Mar Remigiose Inchananiyil, Bishop of Thamarassery, at Christ the King Church, Christ Hall, Malaparamba.** Dn Sooraj Sebastian humbly requests your prayers and extends a warm invitation to all to join him on this sacred occasion. For those planning to attend and requiring accommodation, arrangements have been made at Christ Hall, Calicut. Kindly contact **Fr Wilson Puthussery** or **Dn Sooraj Sebastian** to confirm your stay. We look forward to your presence on this joyous day.



Contact numbers: Fr Wilson Puthussery: 96050-98979; Dn Sooraj Sebastian – 89213-91867.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to **Fr Adhul Thomas Ulloppillil** for his outstanding portrayal of St Ignatius of Loyola in the short film *The Two Standards*, produced by the JCSA-SZ Media Team. Released on the eve of the Feast of St Ignatius, the film offers a creative presentation of one of the central themes of the Spiritual Exercises and is a fine example of how digital media can communicate the richness of Ignatian spirituality to contemporary audiences. Please encourage all our collaborators and friends to watch *The Two Standards* and share it widely.

FROM OUR INSTITUTIONS

CHRIST HALL, KOZHIKODE

The Christ Hall community experienced a grace-filled and vibrant month of July, centred on the celebration of the Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola. As part of the spiritual preparation for the feast, the community observed a nine-day novena, culminating in a recollection preached by **Fr C. J. Joseph** on 29 July. The recollection offered the community a meaningful opportunity for prayer, reflection, and renewal in the Ignatian spirit. On 30 July, the community celebrated the Feast of St Ignatius together with priests, religious, and collaborators from the Kozhikode Zone. The celebration began with a prayer service at 6.30 p.m. in the presence of **Most Rev. Varghese Chakkalakkal**, Archbishop of Calicut. **Fr Henry Pattarumadathil** delivered an inspiring message, followed by a festive dinner that fostered joyful fraternity among all present. On 31 July, the Feast of St Ignatius was celebrated with the parishioners of Christuraja Church. The Eucharistic celebration was presided over by **Fr Henry**, who also delivered the homily. Students and teachers from Christuraja L. P. School joined the celebration to extend their heartfelt greetings, adding to the festive joy of the occasion.

Fr Jobin was actively engaged in retreat ministry during the month. He preached a retreat for the Sisters in Bengaluru and later travelled to Gorakhpur to conduct a programme on Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP). The SRC also hosted a programme by Lok Manch, bringing together participants for a meaningful and enriching experience. The community was delighted to welcome back **Fr Xavier Veliyakam** following a brief period of hospitalisation due to ill health. We thank God for his recovery and continue to pray for his good health. On 14 July, the fathers enjoyed their monthly outing to the beach. The community also joyfully celebrated the birthday of **Fr Jose Pittappillil** during the month. On 1 August, **Bishop James Anaparambil** joined the community to celebrate a Memorial Mass in loving remembrance of the late **Fr Abraham Pallivathukal**. Around 200 Jesus Youth members from North Kerala gathered for a Mass and prayer service at Christ Hall in remembrance of Fr Abraham Pallivathukal to celebrate his enduring legacy, and give thanks for his dedicated service to the Church.

Tomson Tom

ST JOSEPH'S, KOZHIKODE

Fr Henry Pattarumadathil, Provincial of the Kerala Province, was the chief guest at the St Ignatius Day celebration at St Joseph's School, Kozhikode. Addressing the students, Fr Henry presented St Ignatius of Loyola

as a model of courage and perseverance, encouraging them to face challenges with confidence and strive for excellence in life. The celebration featured vibrant cultural programmes by the students, and the staff honoured the Jesuit Fathers with a token of love and gratitude. Fr Henry also celebrated the Holy Eucharist for the Catholic students at St Joseph's Cathedral, Kozhikode, making the feast day a spiritually enriching and memorable occasion.

The month of July was marked by vibrant celebrations and meaningful events at Loyola School, Kozhikode. The school hosted *Loy Fiesta 2026*, its annual cultural festival, on 23 and 24 July. The festival was inaugurated



by renowned musician and **Padma Shri awardee Kaithapram Damodaran Namboothiri**, who lit the ceremonial lamp. He was accorded a warm musical welcome by the students. In his inspiring address, Kaithapram urged the students to stay away from drugs, sharing that, despite composing more than 4,000 songs, he had never relied on drugs for creativity. Instead, he remarked that love and passion for life are the only inspirations one truly needs, leaving a lasting impression on the young audience. The school also celebrated the Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola with great devotion. A special assembly was held on 30 July, with **Fr Deepak George** as the chief guest. The celebration was graced by the presence of the Jesuit Fathers from the community, and the students presented meaningful cultural programmes reflecting the Ignatian spirit of *Magis* and service. On 31 July, the staff of Loyola School came together for a special St Ignatius Day Staff Gathering. The programme began with a prayer service, followed by vibrant cultural performances that strengthened the bonds of fellowship among the staff. The celebrations concluded with a sumptuous fellowship lunch, making it a joyful and memorable occasion for the entire Loyola family.

Roy Alex

S. M. FARM/SAMSKRITI/NIRMALA ITI/IRC, PARIYARAM

Fr Prince Clarence has returned from Ireland after his retreat ministry. The Ignatian Feast was celebrated at the IRC on 30 July 2026. Priests and religious from the Pilathara, Thaliparamba, Thavam Foranes and the neighbouring communities of the Diocese of Tellichery, attended the prayer service, which was followed by a sumptuous lunch. **Sch. Affin J. L.** and **Dn Christy J. Peter** led the devotional prayer service. Dn Christy, a member of our community, is presently doing his diaconate ministry at Manadukkom Parish in the Diocese of Tellichery. “ഇന്റൈഗ്രൽ ധ്യാന വിചാരങ്ങൾ-അനുഭവ ധ്യാനം”, the first book translated by **Fr Prince Clarence**, was released on the occasion of the feast day celebration by **Fr Martin Rayappan**, Forane Vicar of Thaliparamba Forane. The first copies were presented to **Fr Joy Painadath**, Forane Vicar of Thavam



Forane, and Sr Grace FCC. The book is a translation of *An Ignatian Adventure* by Kevin O'Brien.

The examinations are over for the trainees of Nirmala ITI, and all the trainees who successfully completed their courses have been placed in various companies across the country. Students from Vocational HSS, Kalliassery, visited Samskriti Sahajeevana Kendram. Sch. Affin accompanied them and introduced them to art using clay and charcoal. Samskriti has regularised its training programmes in Non Violent Communication (NVC) and Spoken English for the volunteers of the Nanma Palliative Unit, Pattuvam, as well as for the students and teachers of Assisi English Medium School, Neruvambram. Jeevika-Samskriti MOS organised a Holy Mass in Hindi at Mariapuram Parish. More than 50 guest workers from Odisha, Assam and Jharkhand participated. Sch. Affin is giving a facelift to Samskriti Sahajeevana Kendram by taking the lead in cleaning the campus and landscaping the surroundings. Samskriti has launched an Instagram page. We invite you to follow it and share it with your contacts.

Work at the S.M. Farm is progressing well. The planting of new saplings of arecanut, banana, dragon fruit, cashew and other crops has been completed. The return of the rains has brought fresh greenery to the

farm. **Fr Jose Pulinthanath** has regained good health and is now actively involved in the work at the farm. **Fr George Sebastian** stayed with us at the S.M. Farm Jesuit House for around ten days. We greatly enjoyed our evenings with him, especially as he shared his fond memories of our elderly Jesuits.

Joe Mathew

ST MICHAEL'S AIHSS, KANNUR

The school celebrated the outstanding performance of its Plus One students in the Plus One Examinations 2026, with 38 students securing full A+ grades in the Biology, Computer Science, and Commerce streams. The school also achieved an overall pass percentage of 98%. A new Computer Lab was inaugurated by Mr Vishnuraj P., IAS, District Collector of Kannur, to enhance the school's digital learning facilities. To welcome the new Plus One students, the school conducted a two-day Transformation Programme featuring inspiring sessions led by eminent resource persons and Jesuit educators. The programme was well organised by **Fr Raju Vattaparambil** and was highly appreciated by both students and parents. The school also celebrated the achievements of Naja Fathima, who won first prize in the Kannur District Under-17 Girls' Chess Championship, and Shravan Sreekanth, who was selected as the Best JRC Cadet of Kannur District.

Steevenson Paul

LOYOLA NOVITIATE, ALUVA

The month of July marked a fresh and enthusiastic beginning with the official entry of the first-year novices into the novitiate. On 6 July, we had a Group Sharing session, which helped us to get to know one another better and begin our journey together as a community. We were fortunate to have **Fr Stephen Chundanthadam** conduct a Yoga course, **Fr Wilson Mulackal** lead a Self-Esteem course, and **Mr Francis Xavier** provide basketball coaching. All these courses were enriching, energising, and highly beneficial to us. We express our heartfelt gratitude to Fr Stephen, Fr Wilson, and Mr Francis Xavier for generously sharing their time and expertise. This



month was also filled with joyful celebrations. We celebrated the birthdays of **Jeevan Joy** on 9 July, **Joy Khalkho** on 20 July, and **Sch. Albin Paul** on 25 July. These celebrations brought great joy and strengthened the spirit of fraternity within our community.

We were also blessed by the visits of our Provincials, whose presence brought great encouragement and joy to our community. We gratefully acknowledge **Fr Stephen K. C.**, Provincial of Dumka, **Fr Vincent Hansdak**, Provincial of Hazaribagh, and **Fr Henry Pattarumadathil**, Provincial of Kerala. We express our sincere respect and gratitude to them for their visit and encouragement. **Frs Anto Joseph (PAT)** and **Thomas K.A.** also visited our community. We greatly appreciated their presence.

We celebrated the feast of our Founder in a meaningful and prayerful manner. The celebration began with a novena and culminated in a solemn Eucharistic celebration on 31 July, presided over by **Fr John Francis**. Jesuits from the Central Zone joined our community for the celebration. The prayer service was followed by a cultural programme presented by the novices and a sumptuous dinner. The entire celebration deepened our Jesuit identity and strengthened our sense of fraternity. On 1 August, neighbouring priests, religious, benefactors, and Jesuit families gathered in our community to continue the feast celebrations. We conducted a half-hour prayer service, followed by a fellowship meal. The gathering fostered stronger bonds of friendship and communion, and it was a joyful occasion of gratitude and shared celebration.

Ranjan Korwa

SAMEEKSHA/ATMAMITRA, KALADY

Sameeksha has initiated a new venture by bringing together senior citizens in our neighbourhood under the leadership of **Fr Stephen Chudanthadam**. At the first meeting, held on the first Saturday of July 2026, 12 persons participated. They were very enthusiastic about coming together. Sameeksha has given our senior citizens new hope. The Certificate Distribution Ceremony for the Jnanasameeksha participants was



held on 29 July. Eleven participants qualified for the JD Certificate. In the Dharmasameeksha Series, **Fr Sebastian Painadath** presented the *Samadarsana* of the *Gita*. **Fr Manesh Gerald** participated in the 27th CBCI Bishops-Theologians' Colloquium 2026, held at Nava Jyothi Pastoral Centre, Agra. This year's theme was *A Rereading of the Theological Journey of Pope Benedict XVI (Joseph Ratzinger)*. The Ignatian Feast was celebrated with our immediate neighbours and the religious of the locality.

Manesh Gerald

LUMEN-JYOTHIS, KOCHI

The Feast of St Ignatius was celebrated on Saturday, 1st August at noon and an impressive gathering of neighbouring priests and sisters, friends and collaborators gathered for prayer followed by a sumptuous Lunch. **Fr Anil Kochumethikalam** is giving one month of Ignatian Spirituality Course for the four Pre-novices of Preshitaram Congregation in Ernakulam. He has given a one-day Spiritual Orientation Programme for 36 Sacred Heart Sisters of Kothamangalam Province. **Fr M. J. Thomas** is away in Kenya accompanying Sr Joan Chunkapura MMS for helping in the retreats and related programmes. He is facing the cold weather pretty well and has visited **Sch. Tomy** at Hekima Jesuit Community. He is expected back on 18 August.

E.P. Mathew

SANTHINILAYAM, KUMARANALLOOR

Thanmaya recently served as a hub of creative exchange, hosting a three-day Art Camp organised by the Kerala Chithrakala Parishath from 25 to 27 July. We also joyfully welcomed **Sch. Poly Martin** to our community as he begins his studies at the School of Social Sciences. We wish him a fruitful journey ahead!

Fr Jaison Joseph, Vocation Coordinator for the Kerala Jesuit Province, recently completed a busy schedule of regional and academic engagements. In mid-July, he attended the DDI Project's *Democratic Charter Preparation for South Indian Universities* at LES, Thiruvananthapuram, as well as Prof. Nat's *Becoming LES* programme. Following these events, Fr Jaison Joseph led a successful vocation promotion drive, visiting six churches, four schools, and four convents in the Diocese of Kanjirapally, as well as eight churches, two schools, and two convents in the Diocese of Idukki.

Poly Martin

LOYOLA SCHOOL, SREEKARIYAM

July was a month of vibrant activity and remarkable accomplishments at Loyola School, Sreekariyam. Our students brought laurels to the school by excelling in the CBSE South Zone Sahodaya and CISCE Zone A

Swimming Championships, as well as the CISCE Zone A Basketball, Football, and Handball Championships. The school successfully hosted *L'Talentum*, the cultural festival for both the Junior and Senior School, providing students with a vibrant platform to showcase their artistic talents. Other highlights of the month included KG Colours and Fruits Day and the CBSE Sahodaya Award Day, at which **Mr K. Muraleedharan**, Minister for Health, Government of Kerala, was the Chief Guest.

The newly renovated Arrupe Block, which houses the Loyola Skill Development Centre, was blessed by **Fr Henry Pattarumadathil**. Another major milestone was the successful hosting of the State-level inauguration



of Project Zero, an anti-corruption initiative of the Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Bureau. The programme was inaugurated by **Mr Ramesh Chennithala**, Home Minister, Government of Kerala, in the presence of **Mr V. Muralidharan**, MLA (Kazhakkootam Constituency), **Mr Manoj Abraham**, DGP (Intelligence),



Dr K. Vasuki, IAS, Secretary to the Governor of Kerala, and noted actor **Mr Nivin Pauly**, among other distinguished guests. The school received special appreciation from the dignitaries for the excellent organisation of this prestigious event.

The month concluded with a special assembly in honour of the Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola. **Fr I. Raj, SJ**, Superior of the Vidyaniketan Jesuit Community, was the Chief Guest and delivered an inspiring message on the life and vision of St Ignatius. As a mark of solidarity and prayer for **Fr Ranjit George**, who is recovering in the intensive care unit (ICU), all other celebrations connected with the feast were respectfully cancelled.

Salvin Augustine

XAVIER TRAINING CENTRE, PACHILAKAD

July was a vibrant and activity-filled month at Xavier Training Centre. Alongside the regular academic routine, the prenovices enthusiastically participated in Malayalam classes, vocal music sessions, instrumental music training, drama rehearsals, and singing practice. Adding a refreshing dimension to the formation programme, **Fr Stephen Chundanthadam** offered a course on Yoga and Meditation, helping the pre-novices cultivate both physical well-being and inner calm.

The spiritual highlight of the month was the Novena in preparation for the Feast of St Ignatius, which began on 21 July. As 31 July was not convenient for many, the feast was celebrated on 30 July. During the prayer service, an inspiring message was delivered by Fr Vincent,



Archpriest and Forane Vicar of Nadavayal. Despite the persistent rain, around 110 guests gathered to join us in prayer and fellowship, making the celebration both prayerful and joyous. The cultural programme that followed added colour to the celebration. The hymns and drama presented by the prenovices and candidates received warm appreciation from everyone present. As the curtain fell on July, the Xavier Training Centre family looked back with gratitude on a month filled with learning, celebration, fellowship, and accomplishment.

Gabriel & Justin

LOYOLA ICSE SCHOOL, MUKUNDARA

The month was marked by a vibrant blend of faith, learning, service, and celebration. Major events included the celebration of Doctors' Day with Dr Vishnu M. L., General Surgeon, as the chief guest, and the Feast of St Thomas the Apostle with a solemn Holy Mass and staff gathering.

Loyola Day was celebrated in the true Ignatian spirit with the gracious presence of **Fr Ivin Tomy**. Throughout the month, daily assembly reflections on Ignatian themes enriched the students' spiritual formation. A special highlight was the energetic performance by the Loyola Music Band from Loyola College of Social Sciences, Sreekaryam, for which the school gratefully acknowledges **Fr Sanil Mathew** and the College. House-wise competitions held in preparation for the Feast of St Ignatius showcased the talents and teamwork of the students.

PTA meetings strengthened collaboration between parents and the school in promoting the holistic development of students.

As part of its social outreach, the Grade 9 students visited Karuna Bhavan Psychiatric Rehabilitation Centre, distributing essential items contributed by the school community and presenting a cultural programme. The enthusiastic response to this initiative enabled similar support to be extended to three other care centres.

Academically, Grade 10 students successfully completed their First Semester Examinations. They later enjoyed a recreation day at the Loyola Sreekaryam campus with a movie screening and a friendly football match. The school gratefully acknowledges the hospitality of Fr Salvin and Fr Sanil.

The school also celebrates the outstanding achievement of Vaishnavi A. S. (Grade 8), who emerged as the Champion in the CISCE Kerala Region Zone A Championship. Students also brought laurels to the school by winning prizes in various CISCE athletic and sports competitions.

Cecil Shaji

BERCHMANS ILLAM, CHENNAI

The community began the academic year with a two-day Community Orientation Programme on 4 and 5 July. **Fr Emmanuel Arockiam** (MDU) addressed the scholastics on integrated formation, while the second day focused on the community way of life, the CAP, and other community-related orientations led by the Superior. On 8 July, the community celebrated the Holy Spirit Mass to welcome the new members of Berchmans Illam. The community was also visited by **Fr Baby Chalil**. On 13 July, **Fr Martin Puthussery**, Director of the Migrant Assistance and Information Network (MAIN), Delhi, addressed the scholastics on "The Jesuit Migrant Ministry in the Conference". As part of the preparations for the Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola, the scholastics conducted the Novena prayers at the College Chapel on 22 July. On 25 July, **Fr Jerry Rosario** organised the Annual Jesuit Blood Donation Camp in honour of St Ignatius, with Berchmans Illam serving as the host community for this year's event.

Babatto Baby

VIDYAJYOTI, DELHI

The new academic year 2026-27 at Vidyajyoti began with a meaningful Orientation Programme titled *Divine Voice 'n Digital Noise*, held from 2-4 July. The programme offered Jesuit scholastics a rich experience of prayer, reflection, community building and intellectual engagement, preparing them for the year ahead. A major highlight of the orientation was the session by Dr Sr Patricia Michelle Mathias on *Discernment in the Age of Artificial Intelligence: A Spiritual, Ethical and Emotional Approach*. She encouraged the scholastics to develop healthy and mature relationships with women religious and reminded them that Artificial Intelligence should be used responsibly as a tool to support learning rather than replace personal reflection, critical thinking, creativity and original research.

The new academic year was officially inaugurated on 6 July with a solemn Eucharistic Celebration presided over by His Grace **Most Rev. Anil J. T. Couto** (Metropolitan Archbishop of Delhi). This was followed by the inaugural lecture delivered by **Prof. Manoj Kumar Jha**, Member of Parliament. Reflecting on the present social and political climate, he spoke about the decline of meaningful parliamentary deliberation and called upon everyone to raise their voices courageously against injustice. A special highlight of the inauguration was the release of the book *God-Fearing Abraham: Based on Abraham's Eight Encounters with YHWH in Genesis*, authored by **Rev. Dr James B. Dabhi SJ**.

The month of July also brought welcome monsoon showers to Delhi, providing much-needed relief from

the scorching summer heat and creating a refreshing atmosphere. The community concluded the month by celebrating the Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola on 31 July. The Eucharistic Celebration was presided over by **Fr Vincent D'Souza**, Vicar General of Delhi, and was followed by a festive community lunch. The celebrations brought together the Vidyajyoti family in gratitude and joy, marking the beginning of the academic year with renewed hope and commitment to the Jesuit mission.

Steve J. Thomas

"I'M ONLY HUMAN": A MUSICAL TRIBUTE TO FR STAN SWAMY RELEASED AT JCSA MEET

During the recent Annual Meet of DOW's of the Jesuit Conference for South Asia (JCSA), held on 28 April 2026 at De Nobili College, Pune, **Fr Stansilaus D'Souza SJ** (POSA) officially released a powerful new musical tribute on YouTube titled *"I'm Only Human."*

Dedicated to the enduring legacy of Fr Stan Swamy SJ, the song centers on the theme of *"Resistance for Justice to Prevail."* It beautifully explores the intersection of human vulnerability and moral courage, drawing inspiration from Fr Stan's own transition from personal struggle to systemic advocacy. Through its poignant rap and choral verses, the production reminds us that while we are *"only human,"* we possess the agency, empowered by God's grace, to make life-altering choices and stand firm in our conviction, morality, and justice. The moving tribute was highly appreciated by all conference members in attendance.

A heartfelt word of appreciation goes out to our very own **Sch. Cicil V. Shaji**, who brilliantly directed this inspiring project, alongside his dedicated production team of **Schs. Mark, Melvyn, and Ronald**. Sch. Cicil's creative vision successfully translated a profound spiritual and social message into a compelling modern medium.

OURS IN MEDIA

Fr Midhun J. Francis Kochukallan : "എല്ലാ ദൈവത്തിന്റെ ഉപരിമഹത്വത്തിനായി: ഇശോക്രസ് ലയോളയുടെ പ്രേഷിതദർശനം - ഒരു ധ്യാനാത്മക വായന". Sathydeepam, August 5, 2026, pp. 2, 6-7

Fr Thomas Karimundackal :

1. "Covenant as a Foundational Response to Yhwh's Grace: The Concept of Covenant in Deuteronomy," in *Seeking Joyfully, Living Gracefully: A Festschrift in Honour of Prof. Dr. Kuruvilla Pandikattu, SJ, Clement J Santhanam, SJ and Chacko Nadakkeveliyil* (eds.) (Christian World Imprints, Delhi: 2026), 129-147

2. "Blessed are You When People Hate You" (Lk 6:22)
3. "nAUC: Asian Journal of Religious Studies, Vol 71/1 (Jan-March 2026), 107-111
4. "Mater Populi Fidelis: Marian Devotion in a Christocentric Frame," in *Jnanadeepa: Pune Journal of Religious Studies*, 30/1 (January-April 2026), 5-22

Fr Xavier Tharamel:

- "Encountering Alternatives: Mapping Theology of Religions Through Indian Jesuit Theologians" in *Revisioning Theology for Today: Revisiting Jesuit Theological Legacy* (eds. Rajkumar Joseph SJ and Xavier Tharamel, SJ) (ISPCK: Delhi, 2026): 115-127.
- "Raimon Panikkar's Perspective on Religion" in *The Living Word: Journal of Philosophy and Theology* (Pontifical Institute, Aluva), Vol. 132, No. 3 (2026): 177-194

GONE FOR THEIR REWARD

Fr Henry D' Cruz (BOM), 91/72
on 12.07.2026 at Mumbai

Fr Sebastian Kanekatil (PAT), 89/71
on 16.07.2026 at Patna

Fr Robert Athickal (PAT), 73/52
on 19.07.2026 at Patna

Fr Henry Barla (RAN), 80/60
on 25.07.2026 in Jharkhand

Mr Philip Joseph (98), the paternal grandfather of Sch. Thomas Philip (*currently in Japan*), on 28.07.2026



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August

01 Mathew Kaniyamparambil

03 Joseph Thakadiyel

06 Savy George Thazhathuveettill

07 Saji Kandassamkunneel

07 Affin J. L.

08 Joel Abraham Manoj

09 Rephin Kamal

11 Jobin Kaniyarakathu (GUJ)

15 Tinu Francis Pondichery

16 Thomas Karimundackal

16 Bijoy Judit

18 Nikhil George Joseph



- 19 Devassy Paul Ponthempilly
- 26 Sooraj Sebastian Kuzhimullil
- 27 Steev J. Thomas Palackal
- 27 Mani Manimala
- 31 Abbey Jose Arukulasseril

September

- 06 Sunny Kunnappallil

IN CHRIST WITH GLORY

August

- 01 (2013) Varkey Chalissary
- 06 (2020) Sesbastian Valiamattam
- 07 (1983) Thomas Nadar
- 08 (1962) John Sequeira
- 09 (2005) Sebastian Inchody
- 15 (2006) Francis Kannikal
- 20 (2015) Thomas Mulanjanani
- 26 (2015) Joseph Thekkekara
- 29 (2011) Mathew Moozhiiyl
- 30 (2024) Joseph Podimattam



Pope's Intention Aug 2026

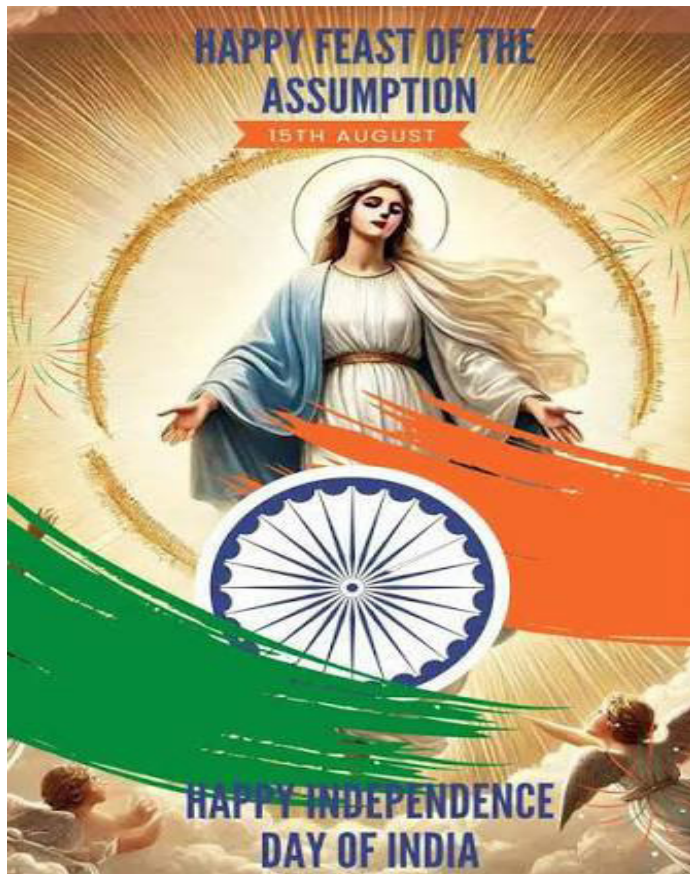


For evangelization in the city.

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network
INDIA



KINDLY PRAY FOR MANY GOOD VOCATIONS!

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