

Dear Friends,

During this most Holy Season, we offer ceaseless praise to God for sending his only Son, Jesus Christ, into the world to die for us.

The Cherry Lane Church community cordially invites you to attend the prayers and retreats conducted during the course of the Holy Week. We have invited Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip, the Principal of St. Thomas Orthodox Seminary, Nagpur, to lead us during the retreats.

Yours in our Lord,

Very Rev. Dr. P. S. Samuel, Cor-Episcopos
Vicar & President

Rev. Fr Gregory Varghese
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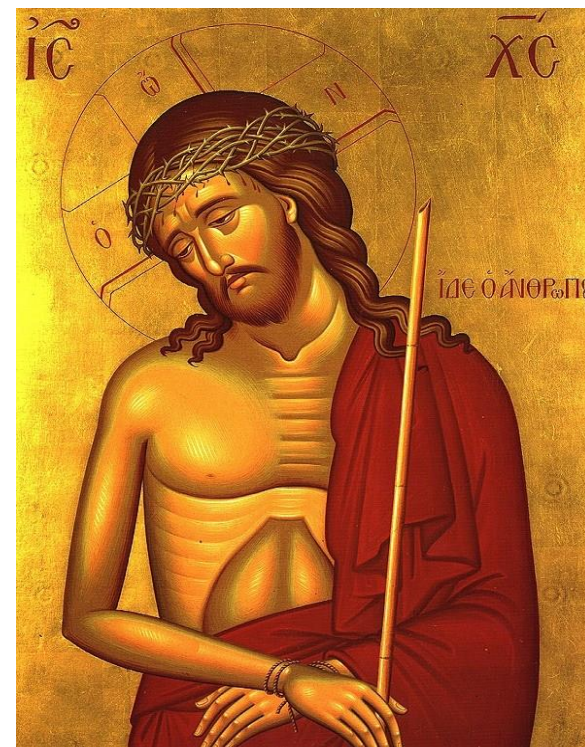
Featured Speaker



Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip is the Principal of the St. Thomas Orthodox Theological Seminary in Nagpur, India and teaches within the Department of Theology. As principal, Fr. Bijesh is responsible for training future priests who will conduct ministry in various parts of India and around the globe. He also serves as the Secretary and Director of the Prerana Special School, a non-profit organization formed and run by the Seminary with the purpose of serving the needy and suffering near the villages in and around Nagpur.

Fr. Bijesh is a graduate of Old Seminary in Kottayam and St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary in Yonkers, NY. He received his doctorate from Dharmaram Vidya Kshetram, Bangalore, India. His doctoral thesis topic was 'Christian Commitment to Global Peace in Hans Kung and Paulos Mar Gregorios: A Comparative Study.' Fr. Bijesh is a member of Mar Gregorios Orthodox Church, Njaliakuzhy, Kerala, India.

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**Holy Week
Schedule
2014**

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2014

March 29 Saturday

9:00 AM Retreat

Rev. Fr. George Cherian
(Vicar, St. Gregorios, Yonkers, NY)

12:00 PM Noon Prayer
12:30 PM Lunch
1 PM – 5PM Confession
6:30 PM Evening Prayer

April 13 Sunday

PALM SUNDAY

7:30 AM Morning Prayer
8:30 AM Holy Qurbana
Hosanna Services

5:00 PM Evening Prayer

Chief Celebrant:

Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip

April 14 Monday

6:30 PM Evening Prayer
7:15 PM Devotional Address

Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip

April 15 Tuesday

6:30 PM Evening Prayer
7:15 PM Devotional Address

Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip

April 16 Wednesday

HOLY THURSDAY (PESAHA)

6.30 PM Evening Prayer
7.15 PM Holy Qurbana

Chief Celebrant:

Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip

April 17 Thursday

6.30 PM Evening Prayer
7.15 PM Devotional Address

Rev. Fr. Dr. Bijesh Philip

April 18 Friday

GREAT & HOLY FRIDAY

8:00AM Morning Prayer
12:00 PM Noon Prayer
2:00 PM Veneration of Cross
3.30 PM Lunch

7PM – 10PM Evening Prayer & Vigil

Celebrants:

Very Rev Dr. P. S. Samuel Cor Episcopa
Rev. Fr. Gregory Varghese

April 19 Saturday

HOLY SATURDAY

10.30 AM Morning Prayer
11.30 AM Holy Qurbana
1.00 PM Lunch

Celebrants:

Very Rev Dr. P. S. Samuel Cor-Episcopa
Rev. Fr Gregory Varghese

April 20 Sunday

FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION

7:30 AM Morning Prayer
8:30 AM Holy Qurbana
10:30 AM Easter Services
12:00 PM Lunch

Celebrants:

Very Rev Dr. P. S. Samuel Cor Episcopa
Rev. Fr. Gregory Varghese