

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

1. Dr. Leny & Dr. Mrs. Ekta Matthew
3. Ralson & Elizabeth Sughashini Divine
6. Meshach & Preeti Thangaduari, Ashley & Gloria Samuel
7. Ladlie & Sadhna Matthew, Abhay & Luvy Sathe, Veeresh & Harshala Rathod, Mr. & Mrs. Priyanka Lyall
9. Mr. Sanket & Mrs. Sarita Charles
12. Tony & Erica Taylor
14. Ridley Ashley & Meera Munzey
26. Dr. Winsun & Mee Hwa Chen
30. Glenn & Phyllis Langan

We wish the Couple Happy Long Married Life with God's Choicest Blessing

PARISH NEWS

FOUNDERS DAY: The 1st of November 2021, we had the 151st Founder's day commemoration service of Christ Church Boys' Senior Secondary School and Christ Church Girls' Senior Secondary School. On this occasion the Chief Guest The Revd. S. Dennis Lall the General Secretary CNI, Synod New Delhi.

ALL SOULS DAY: On 2nd of November we commemorated the "All Souls Day" as we remembered and prayed for all the beloved loved ones who have fallen asleep in the Lord.

OUR DAILY BREAD: We will be ordering Our Daily Bread for 2022 if anyone wants to buy Our Daily Bread, please place your order to Rev Subha.

SUBSCRIPTION: Dear Parishioners, all those who wish to pay their Subscription / Thanksgiving / Church offerings can pay through online.

The detail of our Church account is as follows.

Name of the A/c : Christ Church Cathedral
Account No : 164701000000436
IFSC Code : IOBA0001647
Branch : North Civil Lines, Jabalpur Branch

Please write your name in remarks column while transferring the funds.

For any queries please contact

Mr. Joseph Lazarus (Treasurer)
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CHURCH FETE 2021: We will be having our Church Fete on the 7th of November, 2021 from 10:30 am. We will request all our Parishioners to kindly help in organising this Church Fete.

OBITUARY: Mr. Vilas Kumar Rathod father of Ms. Vidya Rathod and Mr. Viresh Rathod fell asleep in Christ on the 4th of November 2021. May his soul rest in peace.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, (C.N.I), JABALPUR



(Est. 1844)

Church Service- 8:30 am

Sunday School 8:30 am

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CHURCH CALENDER FOR NOVEMBER - 2021

1ST NOVEMBER	2021	ALL SAINTS' DAY
2ND NOVEMBER	2021	ALL SOULS' DAY
7TH NOVEMBER	2021	TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
14TH NOVEMBER	2021	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUNDAY
21ST NOVEMBER	2021	LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
28TH NOVEMBER	2021	ADVENT SUNDAY
29TH NOVEMBER	2021	CHURCH OF NORTH INDIA (C.N.I.) DAY

Presbyter's Message

Greetings to you in the precious name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

From one end of the Bible to the other, we are commanded to be thankful. In fact, thankfulness is the natural out flowing of a heart that is attuned to God. The psalmist declared, "Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving" (Psalm 147:7, NIV). Paul wrote, "Be thankful" (Colossians 3:15, NIV). A spirit of thanksgiving is always the mark of a joyous Christian. Why should we be thankful? Because God has blessed us, and we should be thankful for each blessing.

Thank God for the Material Blessings That He Gives You

We seem never to be satisfied with what we have—rich or poor, healthy or sick. But what a difference it makes when we realize that everything we have has been given to us by God! King David prayed, "Wealth and honor come from you ... We give you thanks, and praise your glorious name ... Everything comes from you" (1 Chronicles 29:12-14, NIV).

Paul declared, "I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want" (Philippians 4:12, NIV). A spirit of thankfulness makes all the difference.

Are you constantly preoccupied with what you do not have? Or have you learned to thank God for what you do have?

Thank God for the People in Your Life

It is so easy to take people for granted, or even to complain and become angry because they do not meet our every wish. But we need to give thanks for those around us—our spouses, our children, our relatives, our friends and others who help us in some way.

Do you let others know that you appreciate them and are thankful for them? The Christians in Corinth were far from perfect, but Paul began his first letter to them by saying, “I always thank God for you” (1 Corinthians 1:4, NIV). When a group of believers (whom Paul had never met) came out to greet him as he approached Rome, we read that “at the sight of these men Paul thanked God and was encouraged” (Acts 28:15, NIV). Thank God for those who touch your life.

Thank God in the Midst of Trials and Even Persecution

We draw back from difficulties, yet not one of us is exempt from some kind of trouble. In many parts of the world it is dangerous even to be a Christian because of persecution.

And yet in the midst of those trials we can thank God, because we know that He has promised to be with us and that He will help us. We know that He can use times of suffering to draw us closer to Himself: “Consider it pure joy, my brothers, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith develops perseverance” (James 1:2-3, NIV).

When the prophet Daniel learned that evil men were plotting against him to destroy him, “he got down on his knees and prayed, giving thanks to his God, just as he had done before” (Daniel 6:10, NIV). The Bible commands, “Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus” (1 Thessalonians 5:18, NIV). Paul declared, “You will even be able to thank God in the midst of pain and distress because you are privileged to share the lot of those who are living in the light” (Colossians 1:12, Phillips).

I don’t know what trials you may be facing right now, but God does, and He loves you and is with you by His Holy Spirit. Cultivate a spirit of thankfulness even in the midst of trials and heartaches.

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Thank God Especially for His Salvation in Jesus Christ

God has given us the greatest Gift of all—His Son, who died on the cross and rose again so that we can know Him personally and spend eternity with Him in heaven: “Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!” (2 Corinthians 9:15, NIV).

The Bible tells us that we are separated from God because we have sinned. But God loves us—He loves you, He loves me—and He wants us to be part of His family forever. He loves us so much that He sent His only Son into the world to die as a perfect sacrifice for our sins. All we need to do is reach out in faith and accept Christ as our Savior and Lord: “For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life” (John 3:16, NIV).

[Have you opened your heart to Jesus Christ?](#) If not, turn to Him with a simple prayer of repentance and faith, and thank Him for what He has done for you. And if you do know Christ, how long has it been since you thanked God for your salvation? We should not let a day go by without thanking God for His mercy and His grace to us in Jesus Christ.

Thank God for His Continued Presence and Power in Your Life

When we come to Christ, it is not the end but the beginning of a whole new life! He is with us, and He wants to help us follow Him and His Word.

In ourselves we do not have the strength that we need to live the way God wants us to live. But when we turn to Him, we discover that “it is God who works in [us] to will and to act according to his good purpose” (Philippians 2:13, NIV). Jesus promised His disciples, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age” (Matthew 28:18, 20, NIV). [Do you know the joy of a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ?](#) **If you’ll turn to God, He can take away your bitterness and give you the spirit of true thankfulness.**

BIRTHDAYS – NOVEMBER

1. Tajinder Thomas, Malcolm Ramsay Melville, S. Uddhar S. Samuel
2. Deborah Simran Patrick, Anna Elizabeth Barley, Ebenezer, Terence Fedrick Jones
3. Naveen Cak, Jacob Raphael Thangaduari, Leah Edbrooke
4. Deepika Thangadurai
5. Swara Jude Shinde
7. Adrin Divine, Pankaj Daniel Sharma, Cynthia Jean Daniel
8. Ann Kankane, Preeti Russell, David Paul, Isaac Ezra Samuel
10. Vandana Lal
14. Jane Mee Hwa Chen
15. Shayana Lal
16. Sameer Tiwari
20. Shiley Maryann Kane
21. Ladlie Matthew
23. Bernice Langan
24. Dwayne Jayden Langan
25. Selvi Ruth Tiwari, Andria Samuel
26. Dr. Pradeep Joel, Hina Lazarus
27. Naomi Li Chen Liao, Ruby Jones, Samantha D’ Rose Rushton
28. Bryan Jairus Thangadurai, Mrs. Gladys Samuel
29. Cyrus John Thangadurai, Celina Ruth Thangadurai, Leslie Clemants, Samatha D’Rose Rushton
30. Meera Munzey

Wish you all a very Happy Birthday with God’s Blessings.