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# **BISHOP'S PROGRAMME, DECEMBER-2018**

1	02.30	p.m	Conclusion of the Year of Rosary
	06.00	p.m	Priests' Meeting - Puttur Deanery
2	04.00	p.m	Renovated Hall Inauguration at Derebail
	05.30	p.m	Christmas Sauharda Meeting at Milagres
3	05.00	p.m	Golden Jubilee of Katipalla Parish
4	09.30	a.m	Lay Leaders' Meeting at Bendur Hall
5	03.30	p.m	Inauguration of Gonzaga School - Kodialbail
6	09.30	a.m	Senate Meeting at Bishop's House
	05.00	p.m	Seminary Day - Jeppu
7	10.00	a.m	St Zuze Vaz Shrine Feast - Mudipu
8	10.30	a.m	Final Vows A.C. Sisters, Mary Hill
9	08.30	a.m	Confirmation - Bela Church
	05.30	p.m	Pompei Shrine Feast - Urwa
10	10.00	a.m	Jubilee Mass, SRA Sisters - Vamanjoor
11	10.00	a.m	Governing Body Meeting, Concetta Hospital
12	04.00	p.m	Inauguration of Chapel, Convent and Old
			Age Home, Helpers of Mount Rosary,
			Bendur
14	11.00	a.m	Conclusion of Retreat - Seminary
15	03.30	p.m	CRI Meeting, Bishop's House
16	09.30	a.m	Thanksgiving Mass - Salesian Sisters -
			Madanthyar
	04.15	p.m	Inauguration of the Renovated Church -
			Vamanjoor

17	06.00	p.m	Priests' Meeting- Moodbidri Deanery
18	05.00	p.m	Catechetical Commission Meeting, Bajjodi
20	05.30	p.m	Alva's Foundation, Christmas Programme
22-2	23	-	Pastoral Visit – Arva Church
24	08.00	p.m	Christmas Mass – Cathedral

- 08.00 a.m. Christmas Mass Permannur Church 25
- 27 10.00 a.m. - Priestly Ordination of Deacon Shaun Rodrigues - Urwa Church
- 28 10.00 a.m. - Priestly Ordination of Deacon Merwin, SDB- Mulki
  - 07.00 p.m. Bandhutva Christmas Get-together at Bishop's House
- 04.00 p.m. Platinum Jubilee Conclusion Ceremony -29 Bajal

#### **Bishop Meets Till Noon:**

Lay People - 13 ; Diocesan Clergy - 17 Religious Priests and Sisters - 20

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# **Clerical Appointments**

Rev. Praveen Leo Lasrado - Resident Professor of Moral Theology, St Joseph's Seminary w.e.f. 1.10.2018.

Rev. Nelson Dheeraj Pais - Asst. Administrator, Father Muller Medical College Hospital, Kanakandy w.e.f. 1.11.2018.

Rev. Victor George D'Souza - Chancellor of the Diocese of Mangalore w.e.f. 21.11.2018.

# **Happy Birthday**

Rev. James D'Souza - 10.12.1958 (60)

Ad Multos Annos.

+ Peter Paul Saldanha Bishop of Mangalore

# **BISHOP'S MESSAGE FOR DECEMBER 2018**

Maranatha! Come Lord Jesus is the acclamation that rings in our hearts in this season on Advent. It's a grace-filled season calling us to look forward for our Lord's coming into us. It's a joy filled season because we recall the birth of the Savior 2018 years back in the simple manger of Bethlehem. Secondly it's a hope-fulled season because we are waiting for the triumphant second coming of Christ. Thirdly, this season fills us with grace when Jesus is born in every person and situation around us. Let this great event give us the three fold experience of joy, hope and grace. Let us open our hearts to the Lord to be born there.

December is a month filled with various events. The second batch of retreat will be there in the seminary from 9 to 14. Those who have not made the annual retreat in the 1<sup>st</sup> batch, please do it now. Two of the diocesan shrines celebrate the annual feasts. St Joseph Vaz at Mudipu on 6, 7 and 8<sup>th</sup> and Our Lady of Pompei at Urwa on 9<sup>th</sup> of this month. Promote these annual celebrations through your presence and services required at the shrines and encourage the faithful to participate in them. Popular devotions are moments of evangelization. The festal occasions could be used to make Christ known and loved.

A brain-storming programme for our lay leaders is to be held on 4 December from 9.30 am till 1.00 pm at Bendur hall. All the vice presidents of the Parish Pastoral Parishad, members of the Diocesan Pastoral Parishad and a few prominent leaders of our community are invited for this programme. If any member of the Diocesan Pastoral Parishad and vice presidents of the Parish Pastoral Parishad has not received the invitation, please consider this as the official invitation. This programme is held in view of evolving a pastoral plan for the diocese.

After taking over the office by me, the first meeting of Council of priests will be held on the fore-noon of 6 December. The agenda is already posted to the members. I am also happy to form the new college of consultors, whose list is published in this Internos separately. This college of consultors will come to existence from 6 December 2018 for a period of five years. I wish them well. Soon the Finance Committee of the Diocese will be formed after consulting the college of consultors.

Christmas is a very meaningful event. God Incarnate is coming to meet humans. Let this message be reflected in us especially in our ministry. Fathers, a number of people are complaining that priests are not available for their needs. Availability is part of our ministry. Let us be priests of the people and for the people. Let us reflect the tenderness and mercy of God in our dealings with them. Please do not lay down too many rules to the people in meeting their pastor. Our people are happy to have their priests with them. Indeed some priests have become the pride of their flock. Do continue to imitate the Master who desired to live with the people. Christmas is the feast of God meeting His people. Please encourage the faithful to organize "Bandutva Christmas" in every ward together with the people of other faith traditions. Soon I will send my message which could be read out during the "Bandutva Christmas." It is another way we participate in the incarnation of Christ, our Lord.

Pope Francis has constituted on 10 April 2018 "Pope's World-wide Prayer Network" (PWPN) which is a new name for the "Apostleship of Prayer." We have received the statutes which will be published soon. We have to act in this direction.

I thank you sincerely for participating in the *Laudato Si* "Green Sunday" programme. Do continue to encourage our people, especially youth, to protect and nurture plants and give them special incentive for caring for our common home.

We are thinking of dedicating the year 2019 to Youth in our diocese. Recently the Synod was held in Rome in the month of October. It is the need of the hour to keep our youth close to God, close to the Church; besides we need to address the challenges that our youth face today. We will take a resolution to this effect in the Council of priests meeting on 6 December. This will be formally inaugurated during the Diocesan Eucharistic procession on 6 January, 2019. I request all the priests in the parish and institution to encourage our youth to participate in the Eucharistic procession in good number.

I wish you all a very happy Christmas.

God Bless us all.

#### + Bishop Peter Paul Saldanha

# **PRIESTLY ORDINATION**

Dear Rev. Fathers,

Rev. Deacon Shaun Manohar Antony Rodrigues will be ordained a priest on Thursday, 27 December 2018 at 10 am in Immaculate Conception Church, Urwa. I cordially invite you all to participate in the ceremony and pray for him.

Deacon Shaun had his Philosophy studies in St Joseph's Seminary, Jeppu; regency at St Philomena College, Puttur and Theology studies in Rome. He obtained a licentiate degree with Summa cum laude grade in Dogmatic Theology at the Pontifical Urban University, Rome. He was ordained a Deacon on 13.05.2017 in Rome.

+ Peter Paul Saldanha

Bishop of Mangalore

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# **CODIALBAIL PRESS**

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- Rev. Ronald D'Souza Codialbail Press

### NEW COLLEGE OF CONSULTORS

I am pleased to constitute the new College of Consultors with the following members:

- 1. Msgr L. Maxim Noronha Vicar General
- 2. V. Rev. Victor George D'Souza Chancellor
- 3. V. Rev. Joseph Martis Rector, Seminary
- 4. V. Rev. Peter D'Souza Director, Pastoral Institute
- 5. V. Rev. J. B. Saldanha Parish Priest / Dean Permannur
- 6. V. Rev. J. B. Crasta Rector / Dean, Cathedral
- 7. V. Rev. Antony M. Shera Secretary, CBE
- 8. V. Rev. Richard A. Coelho Director, Father Mullers
- 9. V. Rev. Alfred J. Pinto Parish Priest / Dean, Puttur
- 10. V. Rev. Joachim Fernandes Director, SCC, Bajjody
- 11. V. Rev. Alwyn Serrao Principal, Padua, Bendur

The above members will take the oath of office in my presence on 6.12.2018 and assume the office. They will assist me in the administration of the Diocese. They will have a term of 5 years.

I express my deep sense of gratitude to the outgoing College of Consultors, who served for more than 6 years with much dedication and commitment. I am grateful to them.

> + Peter Paul Saldanha Bishop of Mangalore

# **MISSION SUNDAY 2018**

Dear Rev. Fathers,

As I thank you wholeheartedly for the collection made towards Mission Sunday, I request you to kindly submit the same to the Procurator of the Diocese, latest by the 10th of December 2018. Thank you.

> - Rev. Gratian Alvares Director Pontifical Mission Aid Societies

# MANGALA JYOTHI

# I. PROGRAMMES:

- 01-02, Dec 18: Liturgy Seminar Fajir Parish.
- 04, Dec 18 : Diocesan pastoral plan meeting Bendur.
- 05, Dec 18 : Mass, Madanthyar Parish.
- 06-8 Dec 18 : Liturgy Animation St. Joseph Vaz Shrine Feast, Mudipu.
- 16, Dec 18 : Liturgy Animation Blessing of the renovated church, Vamanjoor.
- 18, Dec 18 : Diocesan Catechetical Commission Meeting Bajjodi.

#### **II. INFORMATION:**

- 1. Kindly remind your parishioners to subscribe/renew the subscription of Jesuchi Suvartha.
- 2. Mangala Jyothi Office remains closed from 24 December 2018 to 1 January 2019.
- 3. Diocesan Level Annual Public Examination for VII and X standard students (Catechism and Value Edn) will be held on 5th January 2019 from 10 am to 12.30 pm. Dear correspondents please motivate the students to study well and on examination day kindly visit the school. In some schools these things are not taken seriously. We have come across promting by teachers during the examination. This time if we come across any kind of malpractice we will withheld the results. Also see that school seal, students name, etc. are not allowed in the answer sheets. All students need to write the register numbers generated by online. The results will be published online. We have given all these informations to Heads of the Schools.
- 4. We will be sending you Mangala Jyothi Bulletin in December first week. It is not just a magazene but it includes all the information regarding catechetics, liturgy and bible. Every parish priest, HM, Principal and catechism coordinators will get this copy. After reading this bulltetin please circulate among the teachers. Many teachers have told me that the bulletin is not circulated. Please ask your coordinator to do that.
- 5. For further information please visit our website: www.mangalajyothi.com
- 6. Thank you for your kind cooperation. We are available to help you throughout the year.
- 7. We wish you Merry Christmas and Blessed New Year 2019.

#### - Director, Mangala Jyothi

# PASTORAL INSTITUTE INTER-DEANERY PROGRAMME 2018-2019

Topic: "Recent Challenges and Solutions to the Problems in the Management of Our Institutions"

**Resource Person: Auditor Sunil Gonsalves** 

For Batch I: Date : 17 January 2019 Time : 8.45 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.

Batch I Participants: Episcopal City, Moodbidri, Bantwal, Pezar, Bela and Mogarnad Varado.

For Batch II: Date : 18 January 2019 Time : 8.45 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.

Batch II Participants: *Mangalore City, Kinnigoli, Permannur, Puttur, Belthangady and Surathkal Varado.* 

> - Rev. Peter D'Souza Director

# Mangalore Diocese Priests' Badminton Tournament (Shuttlecock) 2019

The Pastoral Institute of Mangalore Diocese organizes Badminton tournament for Priests on 3 and 7 January 2019 at Pastoral Institute grounds.

#### **Categories:**

**Singles:** Above and below 45 years of age on 03.01.2019, from 5 p.m. onwards.

**Mixed Doubles:** On **07-01-2019 from 5 p.m. onwards.** *Please* note in the mixed doubles team, one player must be below 40 and other player is above 40 years of age as per 7th January 2019.

Please register your names and your team for mixed doubles by SMS, call or Whatapp with Fr Antony Shera or Fr Peter D'Souza or Pastoral Institute office.

#### Last date to submit your entries: 31-12-2018.

Contact Numbers: Rev. Anthony Shera : 9448239919 Rev. Peter D'Souza : 9480573393 Pastoral Institute Office: 0824 - 2223877

**Rev. Anthony Shera** *Tournament in charge*  Rev. Peter D'Souza Director/Convenor

# **PROGRAMMES OF CODP-ISD**

02.12.2018	Awareness on Government Schemes to Construction Workers at Permannur
-	Youth Empowerment Training to students of $8^{th}$ to $10^{th}$ in CODP-ISD
15.12.2018	Jeevan Raksha Okkoota meet in CODP-ISD
16.12.2018	Awareness on Government Schemes to Construction Workers at Pakshikere
17.12.2018	Awareness on Gender based violence at St Agnes College, Bendur
20.12.2018	Christmas celebration by Adarsha Okkoota at Bannur
22.12.2018	Christmas get-together for Sahajeevana Okkoota members and Staff at CODP-ISD
27.12.2018	Christmas get-together for children under CSP (Child Sponsorship Project) at Puttur
28.12.2018	Christmas get-together for children under CSP at CODP-ISD
-	$ChristmascelebrationbySHGs(SelfHelpGroups)\\atPakshikere$
29.12.2018	Christmas get-together for children under CSP at CODP-ISD
-	$ChristmascelebrationbySHGs(SelfHelpGroups)\\ atModankap$
30.12.2018	Christmas get-together for children under CSP at Kumbla

#### Programmes planned for the month of December 2018

1) 25<sup>th</sup> Nov. to 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2018: 16 Days of Activism on Gender based Violence in Schools and Colleges.

# NOTE: CODP-ISD will remain closed from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2018 on account of Christmas.

- Director, CODP



ಸಂದೇಶ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಟಾನ್ ಆನಿ ರಾಕ್ಲೊ ಆನಿ ಉಜ್ವಾಡ್ ಪತ್ರಾಚ್ಯಾ ಪುಡಾರ್ವಣಾರ್ ಕೊಂಕ್ಷಿ ಪತ್ರಾಂಚ್ಯಾ ಸಂಪಾದಕಾಂಕ್ ವಿಚಾರ್ ಸಾತೆಂ ವಿಷಯ್: ಛಾಪ್ಯಾ ಮಾಧ್ಯಮಾಚಿ ಆಯ್ಕಿ ಪರಿಗತ್ ಆನಿ ಪವಿತ್ರ್ ಸಭೆಚಿ ದಿಶಾ ಉಲೊವಿ: ಮಾ ಬಾ ಚೇತನ್ ಲೋಬೊ (ಕಾಪುಚಿನ್) ದೀಸ್: 9 ದಶೆಂಬರ್, 2018 (ಆಯಾರ್) ವೇಳ್: ಸಾಂಜೆರ್ 3.30 ಥಾವ್ಸ್ 5.30 ಜಾಗೊ: ಸಂದೇಶ ಕಲಾ ಸಂಸ್ಥ್ಯಾಚೆಂ ಸಭಾ ಸಾಲ್. ಭಾಗ್ ಫೆವಿ: ಮಂಗುರ್ ಆನಿ ಉಡುಪಿ ದಿಯೆಸೆಜಿಂಚ್ಯಾ ಸಕ್ತಡ್ ಫಿರ್ಗಜಾಂಚ್ಯಾ ಆನಿ ಹೆರ್ ಪತ್ರಾಂಚೆ ಸಂಪಾದಕ್ ಆನಿ ಉಮೆದ್ ಆಸ್ಪೆ ಹೆರ್. (ತುಮಿ ಭಾಗ್ ಘತಾತ್ ಮ್ಲಣ್ ದಶೆಂಬರ್ 05 ತಾರಿಕೆ ಆದಿಂ ಹ್ಯಾ ನಂಬ್ರಾಕ್ ಕಳಯಾ: 0824-2213278/9845589904) ಸಂದೇಶ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕ್ ಉಜ್ವಾಡ್ ಸಂಪಾದಕ್ ರಾಕ್ಲೊ ಸಂಪಾದಕ್ ಮಂಗ್ಯುರ್ ಮಂಗ್ದುರ್ ಉಡುಪಿ

# **Small Christian Communities**

Dear Rev. Fathers and Rev. Sisters,

Rev Fr Vijay Thomas SAC, the Secretary National Service Team For SCC'S (CBCI) will be in Mangaluru on December 18th. There will be an interactive session with him on 'Facilitating the Jesus community in mission'/Deeper understanding of SCC'S. It will be at Pastoral Institute Bajjody from 9 am to 12 noon. Those who are interested please let me know by 15th December.

- Rev. Joachim Fernandes

Director, SCC

#### RIP

- Mr Marcel Saldanha (74) F/o Fr Lancy Saldanha P.P., Delanthabettu, on 6.11.2018 at Belthangady.
- Mr Jacob Crasta F/o Rev. Albert Crasta, P.P. Gangolli, on 14.11.2018 at Arva.
- Monthi Mary D'Souza (77) Sr/o Rev. Apolinaris Crasta, P.P. Belvai on 26.11.2018 at Shamboor Church.
- Mr Charles Rodrigues (85) B/o of Rev. Frank Rodrigues, St Zuze Vaz Home, on 26.11.2018 at Bondel Church.

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#### **VOCATION SERVICE CENTRE**

One day Vocation Camp is organised on Saturday, December 29, 2018 at GLADSOM HOME between 9.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. for boys studying in 10<sup>th</sup> and above who are aspiring to become priests for the Diocese of Mangalore. Please encourage boys to attend this camp.

Wish you all a happy Christmas and a blessed new year 2018.

- Rev. Anil Fernandes Vocation Director

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