



# MALANKARA ORTHODOX SYRIAN CHURCH

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Blessings to the beloved Vicars of the Parishes, Priests of the locality, Cor-Episcopoi, Deacons, Kaisthanees, members of MMVS, and faithful of all parishes in our Diocese of South-West America.

Dearly beloved,

We are very much delighted to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the members of the MMVS in our diocese for their systematic functioning as an influential spiritual organization, especially among our women. As a spiritual organization, MMVS stands at the forefront of all the other organizations in terms of their ministerial setup and systematic functional style from a parish level to the diocesan level. We would like to congratulate all the leaders of MMVS who have dedicated themselves for the better cause of this organization. Especially, we take this opportunity to acknowledge the charismatic leadership of Diocesan Vice President Rev. Fr. P.C. George, General Secretary Ms. Rupa Anna John and, Ms. Liz Philips the Treasure who have successfully completed their tenure in their respective office. We express our love and gratitude to them for their devotion and commitment towards the organization.

Dearly beloved,

We here by appoint the under mentioned as the new diocesan level office bearers effective from January 1, 2022 until further order:

**Rev. Fr. Issac B. Prakash (Houston) - Vice President,**  
**Ms. Sunu Joy (St. Thomas Cathedral, Houston) - General Secretary**  
**Ms. Lini Sankarathil (St. Mary's Orthodox Church, Detroit) Treasurer.**

We exhort all our beloved members of MMVS of our diocese to cooperate with the new office bearers for their successful ministry. We wish all success to the newly appointed office bearers and pray that the Spirit of God will empower them to discharge their duties and responsibilities in good faith and hope.

May the intercessions of St. Mary, the Mother of God, be a stronghold for all of us. May the love of God the Father, grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the fellowship and communion of the Holy Spirit be with us forever and ever.

Camp: Sreyas Aramana, Adoor  
December 29<sup>th</sup> 2021.

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