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Blessings to the Vicars, office bearers, and all the members of the Martha Mariam Vanitha Samajam of our Diocese.

Dearly beloved,

We praise God Almighty for the abundance of blessings showered upon the Martha Mariam Vanitha Samajam and for all the activities and events that took place at parish, area, regional and Diocesan levels in our Diocese. We take this opportunity to acknowledge the leadership and efforts of the MMVS Vice President Rev. Fr. Binny Kuruvilla, the General Secretary Santhamma Mathew, and Treasurer Gigi K. Simon along with the Regional Secretaries and all other office bearers. We express our sincere thanks to the outgoing Regional secretaries Beena Poozhikunnel, Sara Johnson, Susie Kuruvilla, Laly Vadakedam, Jessy Shibu and Santhamma Pothen for their effort and dedication toward the growth of MMVS in their respective positions during the previous year.

The following individuals have been appointed to serve as the new regional secretaries for 2016. Midwest-Detroit Region: Lini Sankarathil, from St. Mary's Church, Detroit, MI; Midwest-Chicago Region: Reena Abraham, from St. Gregorios Cathedral, Bellwood, IL; Northwest Region: Shini Bobby, from St. Gregorios Orthodox Church, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada; South-Houston Region: Pushpa Thomas, from St. Gregorios Orthodox Church, Houston, TX; South-Dallas Region: Anna Koshy, from St. Thomas Orthodox Church, Dallas, TX; Southeast Region: Susan Thomas, from St. Thomas Orthodox Church, Atlanta, GA and from the West Region: Mary Kaithakkal, from St. Thomas Orthodox Church, Phoenix, AZ . In addition, Jolly Thomas, from St. Gregorios Church, Dallas, is appointed to continue as the Auditor.

We continually pray for the growth of the Martha Mariam Vanitha Samajam of our Diocese and for the new and the continuing office bearers for their responsibilities entrusted to them. They must consider this as a divine plan and God given opportunity to work for the Glory of God and partake in the building up of this church. May the intercessions of St. Mary, the Mother of God, be a stronghold for us all.

Your shepherd in Christ,

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