

THE DIOCESE OF NORTH AMERICA & EUROPE

The Mar Thoma Church

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BLESSINGS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE DIOCESE OF NORTH AMERICA AND EUROPE.

Dearly Beloved in Christ,

A meeting of the Diocesan Assembly of the Diocese of North America and Europe was held on June 2nd and 3rd, 2023, at the Carmel Mar Thoma Center, 6015 Old Stone Mountain Road, Stone Mountain, Georgia 30087. The Episcopal Synod, which met on June 12, 2023, has approved the minutes of the Diocesan Assembly.

The following are the main decisions of the Diocesan Assembly, and the decisions are informed to all members of the Diocese.

1. The Annual Report and Annual Accounts of the Diocese for the year 2022 and Budget for the year 2023, including the Mar Thoma Mission Board, were passed.
2. Resolved to authorize the Diocesan Council to pay the expenses of the first six months of the year 2024, not exceeding 6/12 of the expenses for the year 2023.
3. Resolved to appoint Mr. Babu Mukalel CPA as the external auditor for the year 2023.
4. The Risk Management Policy was accepted.
5. The following members were elected as Office Bearers and Diocesan Council Members for the term 2023 – 2026:

Diocesan Secretary: Rev. George Abraham

Diocesan Treasurer: Mr. George P. Babu

Diocesan Council Members:

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| 1. Mr. Koruthu Mathew | 10. Mr. George Samuel |
| 2. Mr. Roy C. Thomas | 11. Rev. Ajith K. Thomas |
| 3. Rev. Christopher Phil Daniel | 12. Mr. Shaji S. Ramapuram |
| 4. Mrs. Sherly Thomas | 13. Rev. Dennis Abraham |
| 5. Mrs. Thankam Vinu George | 14. Mrs. Libby Skariah |
| 6. Mr. Byju Varghese | 15. Mr. Easow Oommen |
| 7. Mr. Bincy John | 16. Dr. Varghese Manaloor |
| 8. Mrs. Valsamma Mathew | 17. Mr. Arun Thomas Alex |
| 9. Mr. Elias Abraham | |

Let us praise God for the continued guidance and blessings we receive as a Diocese. All the members, clergy, parishes, and congregations are hereby informed to be prayerfully involved in the ministry of the church and to cooperate with the Diocese to implement these decisions.

May the blessings of God be with us all.

Dated June 20, 2023 from the Sinai Mar Thoma Center, New York.

Yours in Christ's Service,

Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos
Diocesan Episcopa

