

**In the blessed name of the Tri-une God, Self-existent,
Beginningless and Endless, Perfect in Being, (Glory be to Him)
Moran Mar Baselios Marthoma Mathews III Catholicos of the East and
Malankara Metropolitan enthroned on the Apostolic Throne of St. Thomas**



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Blessings to our beloved Vicars of the churches, Priests of the locality, *Kaisthanees* and faithful of all the Parishes!

Our dearly beloved in the Lord,

The 93rd commemorative feast of His Holiness Baselios Geevarghese I, the second Catholicos of Malankara who is entombed at Vallikkattu Dayara, Vakathanam will be observed on 16th and 17th December 2021. The holy Father who lead the Church with perfect devotion to God was a true ascetic too. The intercession of this holy Father who stands as an icon of holiness and simplicity and who was instrumental in the establishment of various monasteries, churches and educational institutions, be a source of abundant blessings. We and our brother metropolitans shall be celebrants for the Perunnal services. All programmes associated with the Perunnal shall be conducted strictly following Covid – 19 protocol. For the benefit of those who cannot physically participate in the Perunnal services, necessary technical arrangements are done for the online live telecast. May the prayer of the holy father be a fortress for us.

May the Grace and Blessings of God Almighty abide with you forever. And may the prayers of the Mother of our God the Holy Virgin Mary, St. Thomas the Apostle of India, our Holy Fathers Yeldo Mar Baselios, Mar Gregorios, Mar Dionysius and all the Holy Saints be a stronghold for us. Amen.

Our Father who art in Heaven.....


Baselios Marthoma Mathews III

From Catholicate Aramana
Devalokam, Kottayam, Kerala, India
On November 10, 2021