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Sunday Announcement 2/18/2018

1) Welcome

2) Yacharam Collection for Leper Sunday- Clipboards have been passed out; Please donate generously

3) Diocesan Council Members Here today to announce the 25th Episcopal Jubilee Celebrations-

Saji Pothen

Sajan Mathew

Santosh Mathai

Dr. Philip George- Convener

George Thumpayil- Sabha Managing Committee

4) Sunday School-

1. There will be regular Sunday school classes including the general sessions, today. All students are requested to proceed to their respective general sessions after getting their refreshments.

2. The Dance workout will begin at 1.15 pm. All those who are interested to join please stop by the Sunday School hall.

5) MMVS- Today there will be a MMVS meeting.

6) Men's Forum- Meeting will be held today immediately following refreshments

7) MGOCSM- Campus Ministry Fellowship to be held at Drexel University on February 28th

WinterDrive- Our Church is in charge of collecting blankets; Please donate to MGOCSM by February 25th

8) Bake Sale- Last week we successfully had our MGOCSM Bake Sale to support Hadootho. Over \$2000 were raised

9) Charity Initiative- We are continuing our Parish Charity initiative to sponsor 5 houses in India; As of today, we have roughly \$5000 raised. Please continue to donate

10) Church Retreat- Our parish Lent Retreat will be on March 17th beginning at 9:30 am; Chief speaker will be Rev Fr. Eby Paulose, vicar of St. Thomas Orthodox Church of Syracuse

11) MOCF- Lenten Retreat was held yesterday; Many member from here attended; MOCF continues to sponsor a food drive; collection bin is in back of Church

12) Voter Registration- Regi Mathai has voter forms for Mid-Term Elections 2018

13) Prayer Meetings- Prayer Meeting will be next Saturday, February 17th in our Church chapel at 7 pm.

14) Refreshments- The sign up list for Achen's refreshments is posted on the bulletin board as well. Please sign up at your convenience.

Guests:

If any other guests, please introduce yourself. We welcome to our congregation.

Thank you all

Steven Kurian, Parish Secretary.