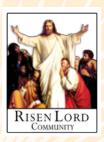
### THE RISEN LORD COMMUNITY WELCOMES YOU TO A LIFE TRANSFORMING SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE.





# REMEMBERING THANKSGIVING MOVING FORWARD WINPRAISE

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BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS, FOR I, THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL GO FORTH WITH YOU JOSHUA 1: 9

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### **CRL IN RETROSPECT AND PROSPECT** Celebrating a 40-year journey of service and faith

### **God's power is made perfect in our weakness** (2 Corinthians 12:9)

A hymn or a song has an uncanny ability to take us into the past and make memories alive. The words of a popular hymn are linked with the origins of the Risen Lord Community

Come and worship Royal Priesthood Come and praise Him, Holy Nation, Worship Jesus, our Redeemer, He is precious King of Glory

Since 1971, the Catholic Charismatic Renewal in Sri Lanka had inspired many lay people to offer their lives in discipleship and surrender to the Lordship of Jesus Christ. Rev. Fr. Oscar Abayaratna the founder of the Kithu Dana Pubuduwa, a strong advocate of the directions of the Second Vatican Council, invited lay Catholics to live and serve as committed disciples in community life.

It is in response to this Baptismal call of the people of God, to share in the Priestly, Prophetic and Kingly ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ, that the Risen Lord Community was born. Initially identified as the 'Community of the Risen Lord' under the acronym of CRL it is now known as the 'Risen Lord Community'. Headed by Lalith and Mercia Perera, 17 people signed a covenant and formed the Community of the Risen Lord in 1984. Thirteen of them have gone to the Lord and would surely be looking at us with joy today.

The Community operations moved to Rheinland Place in Colombo 3 as the numbers increased with a team of elders guiding it. The late Frank Perera, Rosario Gomez and Eric Joseph were among those elders. In the late 1980's, as the numbers grew, the Community meetings moved to St. Paul's Church Hall in Milagiriya, Colombo. The Community met monthly as a large group and weekly in small groups. These meetings continue to-date. The CRL received the blessings of the then Archbishop of Colombo Most Rev. Dr. Nicholas Marcus Fernando in 1996, to continue its mission within the Archdiocese and it soon spread to the other Dioceses.

Entering into the new millennium, the Community was unsure as to which path it should take. Greater emphasis had been given to supporting and nurturing the lives of the members. This had led to a weakening of mission activities. A decision was made to focus more on the mission of the CRL which was to renew the experience of the Holy Spirit received at Baptism and Confirmation through the Baptism in the Holy Spirit.

In 2000, at the Divine Retreat Centre in Chalakkudy, India, Lalith and Mercia Perera experienced a life transforming renewal in the Spirit. The mighty wind of the Spirit opened the gates to a new move of God that swept across the country and other nations as well. The presence of the Holy Spirit was experienced at prayer meetings and many participants' lives were transformed in amazing ways. Due to the witnessing of such people, the number of attendees increased to thousands. Prayer meetings sprang up in many places and invitations to conduct retreats came from various parts of the country. The Community which was small in number, struggled to adapt and had to seek the mind of God to handle the new season.

Inspired by the Holy Spirit, the CRL conducted a two-day Retreat popularly known as the Four Step Retreat which brought this experience that touched and transformed the lives of many. People were offered the Good News of God's unconditional love and led to repentance where many made deep and sincere Confessions. Some returned to the Sacrament of Reconciliation after ten or twenty years. Then the participants were encouraged to surrender their lives to the Lord and to experience the power of God's love in Eucharistic Adoration and forgive and reconcile with those who had hurt them in the past. Later they were prayed with, to renew their experience of Baptism and Confirmation and be renewed in the Holy Spirit.

It was the Four Step Retreat that led people to the experience of the Baptism in the Spirit which has been described in the following manner.

"The Baptism in the Holy Spirit is a life-transforming experience of the love of God, the Father poured into one's heart by the Holy Spirit, received through a surrender to the Lordship of Jesus Christ" (Doctrinal Commission of the International Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services, 2010).

His Holiness, Pope Francis said: "share (the) Baptism in the Holy Spirit with everyone in the Church. It is the Grace you have received. Share it! Don't keep it to yourselves!"

(Address of Pope Francis to the participants in the International Conference of Leaders of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal International Service – CHARIS, 8 June 2019).

Over the years, we have witnessed an effortless outpouring of this Current of Grace - the blowing of the winds of the Holy Spirit in the ministry of the CRL which has brought about personal renewal for multitudes, liberation from addictions, changing the direction of countless lives, healing of brokenness, and restoration of many families.

"Indeed, the Lord has done this, and it is Marvellous in our Eyes! (*Psalm 118:23*)"

The CRL was involved in ministering in the Dioceses of Jaffna and Mannar during the latter years of the civil war in Sri Lanka. In 2015, a Reconciliation Prayer Vigil under the banner of 'Father, Make Us One' at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Madhu with more than 30,000 Tamil and Sinhalese people who came together in prayerful and tearful reconciliation on behalf of the entire nation. This initiative was possible because of the leadership of the then Bishop of Mannar, His Lordship Rayappu Joseph and the Bishop of Galle His Lordship Raymond Wickremasinghe gave to this endeavour.

In 2017, the CRL was accepted by the Catholic National Commission for Laity as a member and the Catholic Bishops Conference of Sri Lanka appointed two Bishops: Rt Rev. Dr Raymond Wickremasinghe of Galle and Rt.Rev.Dr.Emmanuel Fernando of Mannar as Patrons of the Community, to oversee and accompany CRL on its journey of faith and mission. Their unstinted support and guidance has kept the Community on an even keel.

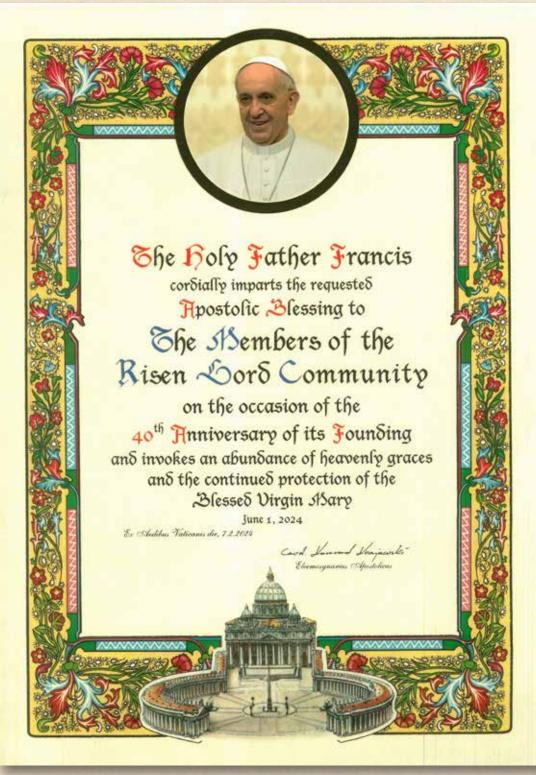
In 2020.,CRL Sri Lanka together with CRL Australia held a Day of Prayer on the theme of "Strength in Weakness" to support the Australian Church going through many challenges at that time. The event conducted in Melbourne brought together more than 3000 people, several priests and 3 Bishops. The keynote speakers included Most Rev.Dr Christopher Prowse, the Archbishop of Canberra and Rev. Fr. Augustine Vallooran VC of the Divine Retreat Centre, Chalakkudy, India.

It is the deep commitment of many lay people working hand in hand together with the Bishops, Priests and Religious Sisters that has made this possible. Today the Community is spearheaded by a team of Full Time Servers and other equally committed Servers who continue to work in the world and yet offer their lives and time to bring this Current of Grace to others.

As we look to the future, we pray that God would raise up many committed lay disciples who love the Lord and are moved by the Spirit to take the baton over to run the race for the next 40 years and beyond!



Message from His Holiness Pope Francis





Message from His Excellency **Most Rev. Dr. Brian Udaigwe** Apostolic Nuncio to Sri Lanka



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Herewith I convey my heartiest congratulations and prayerful best wishes on the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the Risen Lord Community. As you continue to count the blessings over these years of faithful commitment, may you be accompanied by the Spirit of the Lord to breath in new life and energy to every dormant cranny of the Church and the world. May the glee of this *Quadragenary* spark within your community an ardent desire for God, a burning love for the Church and an enduring zeal for the mission.

Holy Spirit being the living memory and the guiding force of the Church points and directs her where it should flow and grow. In this dynamic movement of the Spirit, the Church discovers and integrates all what is good and true discerning the new horizons and accommodating them within her life and mission. Harkening to the blowing breeze of the Spirit these 40 years the Risen Lord Community charismatically responded to this call with a unique mission of praise and worship culminating in the Holy Eucharist. It is also edifying to observe that with the passage of time, you creatively discerned the blowing of the Spirit operative within your community to reach out to those out there. This is, no doubt the needed evangelization that the Holy Father Pope Francis was commenting on when he received members of the National Council of Renewal in the Holy Spirit in an audience on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2024. As he underlined, evangelization belongs, so to speak, to the "DNA of the charismatic movement" because it is the Holy Spirit who encourages the faithful to go out and communicate the Gospel, coupling with the testimony of life.

I am indeed happy to learn that the Risen Lord Community is intimately grafted to the vision and mission of the local Church in this country. The blessings that it has received from the Church leadership proved beyond doubt that its mission coincides and synchronizes with the vision of the Church. It is an integral part, not an autonomous entity, of the Church. You are the living witnesses as to how the Church could harness the lay energy indispensable to the mission of the Church.

As the Risen Lord Community clears this historic juncture of grace with ups and downs, joys and dreams inherent to its birth and growth, I wish and congratulate its leadership and all the members for the committed service that you render. Being open to the promptings of the Spirit, may you explore ways and means, more effective and creative, to realize your vision of taking the Holy Spirit Experience into the heart of the Church.

20th February 2024

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Archbishop Brian Udargwe Apostolic Nuncio



Message from His Eminence **Most Rev. Dr. Malcolm** Cardinal Ranjith Archbishop of Colombo



Malcolm Cardinal Ranjith

#### Message of Congratulations from His Eminence Malcolm Cardinal Ranjith

I am happy to address this brief message to the Risen Lord Community in the Archdiocese of Colombo, as they celebrate their 40th Anniversary.

This Community, which was started through an initiative of Bro. Lalith Perera, has continued to animate a lot of Catholics in deepening their spirituality and love for the Lord. By now the Risen Lord Community has become an integral part of the Archdiocesan Church and is rendering yeoman service in reaching the pastoral goals of our Church. The members of this movement gather together to pray and to invoke the blessings of the Holy Spirit on their lives and seek to experience His transforming grace, whereby they become more and more committed to their Chrisitan discipleship.

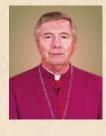
These are difficult times for people who wish to live a life committed to religious values because there is too much of secularism present in our society. One cannot consider religion as unimportant in the life of human beings because religion is that which transforms a person in his interior being. Hence, movements like the Risen Lord Community stand for a valuable purpose in the spiritual animation of our flock. I thank God for this Community and I wish to assure that my prayers are with them for even a greater commitment for the formation of our Catholics in the Archdiocese of Colombo.

May God bless each and every one of you to be a true blessing to the Church and to the World.

Ad Multos Annos!

+ Chiefful Culff \*Malcolm Cardinal Ranjith Archbishop of Colombo. 1st June 2024

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Message from His Grace **Most Rev. Dr. Christopher Prowse** Archbishop of Canberra



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#### Dear Friends in the Risen Lord,

"The Community of the Risen Lord" (CRL) began in Sri Lanka 40 years ago. It is one of the new ecclesial movements alive in the Catholic Church. These wonderful movements are founded and led largely by the Lay Faithful. Pope Francis describes the Charismatic Renewal Movement like a Current of Grace of the Holy Spirit for us all.

Over these years the CRL have promoted the "Four Steps Retreat". It is an evangelising methodology used to assist Catholics to reinvigorate the Sacrament of Baptism in their lives. Thousands throughout the world have found this retreat foundational to the enlivening of their life in the Risen Lord and His Church.

I can give personal witness to the fact that the CRL has offered an inspiring testimony of Faith to the Catholic Church in Australia. These prayer communities, largely led by the Sri Lankan diaspora, attract searching people from all backgrounds. The centrality of Jesus' love and mercy, along with the exercise of gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit (especially Healing) are prominent in these charismatic prayer gatherings.

In our times of Synodality, the CRL gives prophetic prominence to the Holy Spirit, as the protagonist within the Church.

May the CRL continue to grow in spiritual depth and numbers in the years ahead!

Happy anniversary!

Archbishop Christopher Prowse

Catholic Archbishop of the Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn,

Apostolic Administrator of the Military Ordinariate of Australia

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Message from His Lordship **Rt. Rev. Dr. Raymond** Wickremasinghe Bishop of Galle

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ශ, බයිබලයට අනුව වසර 40 ක් හෝ දින 40 ක් සඳහන්වීම යන්න දේව ජනතාව මුහුණදුන් ඉතා වැදගත් සන්ධිස්ථානයක් බැව් අපට පෙන්වනු ලබයි. චබැවින් උත්ථාණවූ සම්පුන්ගේ සංකයට ද චළඹී ඇත්තේ නවමු උදාවකි. අගුත් ඇරඹුමකි.

මෙම සංඝයට එක්වී සිටින ජනතාව ද මෙම අත්දැකීම තම පිවිතයට පාදක කරගෙන, වදා කිස්තුස් වහන්සේ අපගෙන් බලාපොරොත්තු වූ, නැතිවූ අත් සියලු බැටළුවන් වෙත ගොස්, ඔවුන්ගේ පිවිත වෙනස අත්දකින සෙසු පිරිසගේ සමාජ අත්දැකීමක් බවට පරිවර්ථනය කරන්නට ද, වැටුණු හැළුණු ජීවිත ඔසවා, ඒවා තුළින් තම පිවිතයම පුශංසාවේ අල්තාරයක් බවට පත් කරලීමට ද හැකියාව ලැබේවායි මාගේ ඒකායන පුාර්ථනයයි.

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Message from **Cyril John** CHARIS International & Coordinator, CHARIS Intercession Commission



I am extremely happy to learn that the Risen Lord Community in Sri Lanka is celebrating its 40th Anniversary on 25th May, 2024. It is indeed an occasion to thank and praise the Lord for the wonderful gift of the Risen Lord Community to the Church and the Renewal and for the innumerable blessings that many people have received through the community in the past 40 years.

I know that the Community has its powerful presence in a number of countries like Australia, UK, Singapore, USA and Canada. The Community is dedicated to the mission of carrying the experience of the Holy Spirit into the heart of the Church through sharing the grace of Baptism in the Holy Spirit. "Thanks be to God for this incredible gift!" (2 Cor 9:15).

I take this opportunity to congratulate Bro Lalith Perera and team for the services they have rendered to the community, the Catholic Charismatic Renewal and the Church.

I wish and pray that this may be a time of extraordinary grace, renewal and consolidation of the Community and its mission. As you celebrate the 40th Anniversary may all of you grow "to the measure of the full stature of Christ" (Eph 4:13).



Message from Lalith Perera Risen Lord Community

Not to us, LORD, but to your name belongs the glory, because of your love and faithfulness (Psalm 115:1)

It is with deep gratitude and humble worship that I turn to the Lord to thank Him for what He has done in and through the Risen Lord Community in the last 40 years. The Risen Lord Community also known as the Community of the Risen Lord (CRL), is a result

of the current of grace poured out upon the Church by the Holy Spirit in the 1970's and '80s.

The CRL had its birth in the Kithu Dana Pubuduwa in 1984. Under the direction of Rev. Fr. Oscar Abayaratne, I was assigned the task of forming a Covenant Community for English speaking people attending prayer meetings. After many meetings and many discussions 17 brothers and Sisters, (9 widows and 4 couples) signed a Covenant and the Community of the Risen Lord was born. The main reason for a small number was that the Covenant required radical lifestyle changes.

The Community met regularly in small groups and monthly general assemblies throughout the years with more people joining in. A leadership team of elders and a servers' team guided the Community with changes taking place from time to time. In 1996 when the concept of Covenant Communities was no longer in operation in the Pubuduwa, the CRL together with some other Communities continued to meet and function as Communities.

In the late '90s and in early 2000, the CRL shifted towards a greater emphasis on the mission of taking the Baptism of the Holy Spirit into the heart of the Church with the blessings and approval of the Archbishop of Colombo, His Grace Nicholas Marcus Fernando. Here, I must make special mention of His Lordship Vianney Fernando, Bishop of Kandy and the then President of the Catholic Bishop's Conference of Sri Lanka, who guided and nurtured the CRL as a true shepherd and father.

The ministry and mission of the CRL was blessed and led by the Holy Spirit in the first 20 years of the new millennium with branches emerging in Australia, Canada, England, Singapore, USA and Italy.

I would like to remember and honour the brothers and sisters who have been and continue to be the life blood of the Community. Only 4 members of the original group remain alive today, together with me and my wife Mercia. Many have served faithfully and returned to the Lord, while many others continue to serve. All what has happened in and through the Community would not have been possible without my wife and life partner Mercia whom I would call the 'wind beneath my wings'; equally committed to the vision and mission of the CRL and standing strong when I was weak.

Today we are blessed with a team of 23 full time servers and more than 200 volunteer servers in Sri Lanka and so many others abroad.

We accept as our own, all the weaknesses and failures and give God all the glory for whatever life transforming experiences that have emerged from the CRL.

### **REMINISCING 40 YEARS OF CRL IN PICTURES**



Capturing hundreds of memories collected over four decades of CRL's existence is no easy task. Though different in time and nature, they have one thing in common: the community feeling and fellowship inherent to the CRL. Here is a snapshot of events highlighting our journey, including several ministries of CRL Sri Lanka:

















### **REMINISCING 40 YEARS OF** CRL IN PICTURES

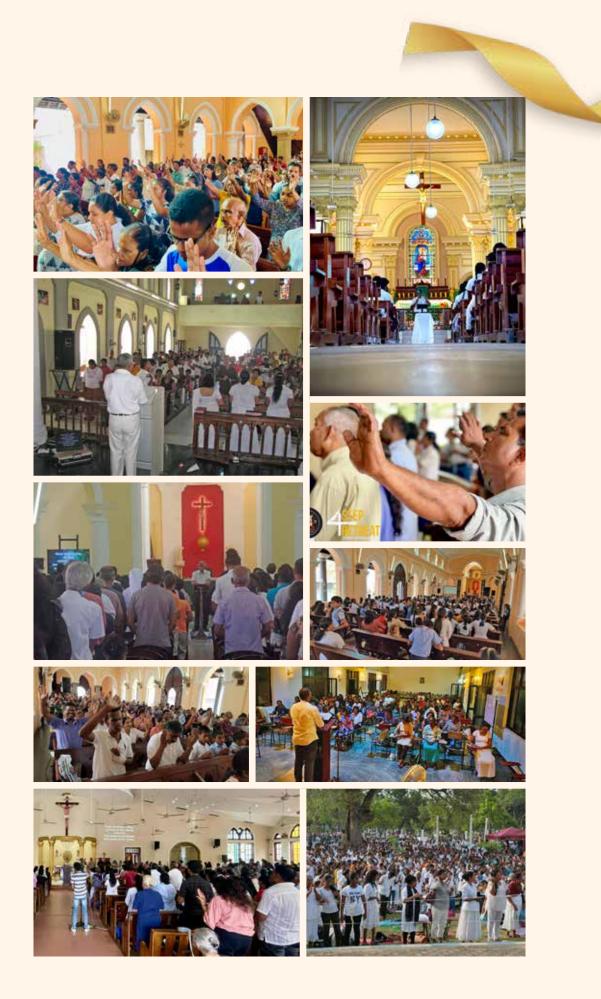












### **REMINISCING 40 YEARS OF** CRL IN PICTURES





# **CRL OUTREACH PROGRAMS - ENGLISH**

# Taking the Baptism of the Holy Spirit to the heart of the Church.

The Risen Lord Community has an active and extensive outreach arm, conducting more than 90 outreach programs across Sri Lanka every week. Several teams are sent out each week to different parishes to conduct outreach programs, which include retreats and prayer meetings. It is beautiful to witness how the Lord is reaching out to people and touching lives in communities which have experienced the turmoils of war and economic hardship by granting them true joy and peace.

#### Weekly Meetings

Meeting	Place	Day and Time
Rajagiriya English	Sacred Heart Church Hall,	Tuesday 10.00am to 12
meeting	Rajagiriya	noon
Wednesday English	St. Anthony's Church Hall,	Wednesday 6.00pm to
Prayer meeting	Colpetty	8.00pm

### **CRL OUTREACH PROGRAMS - SINHALA**

### උත්ථාන වූ කිතු සමිඳුන්ගේ සංඝය විසින් සිදු කරනු ලබන වැඩසටහන්

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#### සතිපතා යාච්ඤා මෙතෙයන්

#### මසකට දෙවරක් පවත්වන යාච්ඤා මෙහෙයන්

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### මසකට වරක් පවත්වන යාව්ඤා මෙහෙයන්

යාචිඤා මෙහෙය	ස්ථානය	දවස සහ වේලාව
ගෝනමොටාව සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත ජෝශප් දේවස්ථානය, ගෝනමොටාව	පළමුවන සිකුරාදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට පස්වරු 8.30 දක්වා
දෙමෝදර සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි දේවස්ථානය, දෙමෝදර	පළමුවන සිකුරාදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට පස්වරු 8.30 දක්වා
බදුල්ල සිංහල යාව්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි ආසන දෙව්මැදුර,  බදුල්ල	පළමුවන සෙනසුරාදා පෙරවරු 9.30 සිට පෙරවරු 11.00 දක්වා
බණ්ඩාරවෙල සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි දේවස්ථානය, බණ්ඩාරවෙල	පළමුවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 2.30 සිට පස්වරු 4.30 දක්වා
කහගොල්ල සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත ලෝරන්ස් දේවස්ථානය, කහගොල්ල	පළමුවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට පස්වරු 8.30 දක්වා
තන්ගමලේ සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ලූර්දු දේවමාතාවන්ගේ දේවස්ථානය, තන්ගමලේ	පළමුවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට පස්වරු 8.30 දක්වා
පස්සර සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත ජූඩ් සිද්ධස්ථානය, පස්සර	පළමුවන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු10.30 සිට පෙරවරු 12.30 දක්වා
නායබැද්ද සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	වේලක්කන්නි දේවමාතාවන්ගේ දේවස්ථානය, නායබැද්ද	පළමුවන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු10.30 සිට පස්වරු 12.30 දක්වා
මාතර සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	මාතර දේව මාතාවන්ගේ දේවස්ථාන, ශාලාව	පළමුවන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු 10.00 සිට පෙරවරු 12.00 දක්වා
ගාල්ල සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත මරිය තුමියගේ ආසන, දෙව්මැදුර	පළමුවන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු 10.30 සිට පෙරවරු 12.30 දක්වා
වවුනියා පම්මයි මඩු දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	දේව දයාවේ සිද්ධස්ථානය	දෙවන සිකුරාදා පස්වරු 4.00 සිට 6.00 දක්වා
මාතලේ සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත තෝමස් දේවස්ථානය, මාතලේ	තුන්වන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 2.30 සිට පස්වරු 4.30 දක්වා
කළවිළිය සිංහලයාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත ජෝකීම් දේවස්ථානය, කළවළිය	තුන්වන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 6.00 සිට පස්වරු 8.00 දක්වා
නුවරචිළිය සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත පුැන්සිස් ක්ෂේව්යර් දේවස්ථානය, නුවරඑළිය	තුන්වන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 2.00 සිට පස්වරු 5.00 දක්වා
වැලිමඩ සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි දේවස්ථානය, වැලිමඩ	තුන්වන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු 10.00 සිට පස්වරු 12.00 දක්වා
පැණිදෙනිය සිංහල සහ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත තෝමස් දේවස්ථානය, පැණිදෙනිය, පේරාදෙණිය	තුන්වන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු 9.00 සිට පෙරවරු 11.00 දක්වා
චිගොඩඋයන සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	70/1, කටුකුරුන්ද මොරටුව	තුන්වන ඉරිදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට පස්වරු 8.30 දක්වා
හිගුරක්ගොඩ සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	කිස්තුරාජ දේවස්ථානය, හිගුරක්ගොඩ	හතරවන සිකුරාදා පස්වරු 6.30 සිට 8.30 දක්වා
දිය බෙදුම සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි දේවස්ථානය, දිය බෙදුම	තතරවන සෙනසුරාදා පෙරවරු 9.00 සිට පෙරවරු 11.00 දක්වා
මින්නේරිය සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ස්වර්ගාරෝණ දේවමාතාවන්ගේ දේවස්ථානය, මින්නේරිය	තතරවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 3.00 සිට පස්වරු 5.00 දක්වා
අලිගම්බේ දමිළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත පුැන්සිස් ක්ෂේවියර් දේවස්ථානයල අලිග ම්බේ	හතරවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 4.00 සිට පස්වරු 6.00 දක්වා
හලාවත සිංහල යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	විඩ්මන්ඩ් පීරිස් පිරිමි පාසල, තලාවත	තතරවන සෙනසුරාදා පස්වරු 6.00 සිට පස්වරු 8.00 දක්වා
රක්වාන සිංහල සහ දම්ළ යාච්ඤා මෙහෙය	ශාන්ත අන්තෝනි දේවස්ථානය, රක්වාන	තතරවන ඉරිදා පෙරවරු 10.00 සිට පෙරවරු 12.00 දක්වා

### **CRL OUTREACH PROGRAMS - TAMIL**

#### உயிர்த்த ஆண்டவர் சமூகம் - பரிசுத்த ஆவியின் அபிஷேகத்தை திருச்சபையின் இதயத்திற்கு எடுத்துச் செல்கிறது.

உயிர்த்த ஆண்டவர் சமூகம், ஒவ்வொரு வாரமும் இலங்கை முழுவதும் 90க்கும் மேற்பட்ட நிகழ்ச்சிகளை அர்ப்பணிப்புடன் நடாத்தும் விரிவான களப்பணி பிரிவைக் கொண்டுள்ளது.

இலங்கையின் 09 மாகாணங்களையும் உள்ளடக்கி பல்வேறு பங்குகளில் ஓவ்வொரு வாரமும் பல தியானங்கள், செப வழிபாடுகள் நடாத்தப்படுகின்றன. அத்துடன் ஒலி ஒளி வடிவிலும், அச்சு ஊடக வடிவிலும் பல்வேறு தியானங்கள் மற்றும் உரைகள் நேரடியாகவும் இலத்திரனியல் ஊடக வழியாகவும் விநியோகிக்கப்படுகின்றன.

உயிர்த்த ஆண்டவர் சமூகத்தின் களப்பணி திட்டங்களின் வெற்றிக்கு, இறைவன் மக்களைச் சென்றடையும் விதமும், போர் மற்றும் பொருளாதாரக் கஷ்டங்களை அனுபவித்த சமூகங்களில் ஏற்பட்ட உண்மையான மகிழ்ச்சியும் அமைதியும் சாட்சியாக உள்ளது.

MEETING	PLACE	DATE AND TIME
Rajagiriya Sinhala/Tamil meeting ராஜகிரிய தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை்	Sacred Heart Church Hall, Rajagiriya திரு இருதய ஆலய மண்டபம், ராஜகிரிய	Monday – 6.00p.m to 8.00p.m திங்கட்கிழமை மாலை 6 மணி தொடக்கம் மாலை 8 வரை
Wellawatta Sinhala/Tamil Prayer meeting வெள்ளவத்தை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Lawrence Church Hall, Wellawatte புனித லோரன்சியார் ஆலய மண்டபம், வெள்ளவத்தை	Friday 6.30pm to 8.30pm வெள்ளிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 8.30 வரை
Gonamatawa Sinhala/Tamil Prayer meeting கோனமுட்டாவ தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Joseph's Church, Gonamatawa Estate புனித சூசையப்பர் ஆலயம், கோனமுட்டாவ தோட்டம்	1st Friday 6:30 to 8:30 pm மாதத்தின் முதல் வெள்ளிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 8.30 மணி வரை
Demodera Sinhala/Tamil Prayer Meeting தெமோதர தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Anthony's Church, Demodera Estate புனித அந்தோனியார் ஆலயம், தெமோதர தோட்டம்	1st Saturday 6.30 pm to 8:.30 pm மாதத்தின் முதல் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 தொடக்கம் 8.30 வரை
Kahagalle Sinhala/Tamil Prayer meeting கஹகல்ல தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Lawrence Church, Kahagalle Estate புனித லோரன்சியார் ஆலயம், கஹகல்ல தோட்டம்	1st Saturday 6.30pm to 8.30 pm மாதத்தின் முதல் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 8.30 மணி வரை
Thangamalle Sinhala/Tamil prayer meeting தங்கமலை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	Our Lady of Lourdes, Thangamalle புனித லூர்து அன்னை ஆலயம், தங்கமலைத் தோட்டம்	1st Saturday 6.30pm to 8.30pm மாதத்தின் முதல் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 8.30 மணி வரை
Passara Sinhala/Tamil Prayer meeting பசறை தமிழ்/சிங்கள	St.Jude's Shrine, Passara புனித யூதாததேயு திருத்தலம், பசறை	1st Sunday 10.30am to 12.30pm மாதத்தின் முதல் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை காலை 10.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 12.30 மணி வரை
Nayabedda Sinhala/Tamil Prayer meeting நாயப்பெத்தை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	Our Lady of Velankanni, Nayabedda Estate புனித வேளாண்கண்ணி மாதா ஆலயம், நாயப்பெத்தை தோட்டம்	1st Sunday 10.30am to 12.30pm மாதத்தின் முதல் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை காலை 10.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 12.30 மணி வரை
Vauniya - PambaiMadhu Tamil prayer meeting வவுனியா பம்பை மடு தமிழ் ஆராதனை	Divine Mercy Shrine இறை இரக்கத் திருத்தலம், பம்பைமடு	2nd Friday 4.00pm to 6.00pm மாதத்தின் 2ம் வெள்ளிக்கிழமை மாலை 4 மணி தொடக்கம் 6 மணி வரை
Mathale Sinhala/Tamil prayer meeting மாத்தளை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Thomas Church, Mathale புனித தோமையார் ஆலயம், மாத்தளை	3rd Saturday 2.30 p.m to 4.30 p.m மாதத்தின் 3ம் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 2.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 4.30 மணி வரை
Nuwaraeliya Sinhala/Tamil Meeting நுவரேலியா தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Francis Xavier Church, Nuwaraeliya புனித பிரான்சிஸ் சேவியர் ஆலயம், நுவரெலியா	3rd Saturday 2.00pm to 5.00pm மாதத்தின் 3ம் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 2 மணி தொடக்கம் 5 மணி வரை
Welimada Sinhala/Tamil Meeting வெலிமடை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Anthony's Church, Welimada புனித அந்தோனியார் ஆலயம், வெலிமடை	3rd Sunday 10.00am to 12.00noon மாதத்தின் 3ம் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை காலை 10 மணி தொடக்கம் 12 மணி வரை
Penideniya Sinhala/Tamil meeting பெனிதெனிய தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Thomas Church, Penideniya, Peradeniya புனித தோமையார் ஆலயம், பெனிதெனிய	3rd Sunday 9.00am to 11.00am மாதத்தின் 3ம் வது ஞாயிறு காலல 9.00 மணி முதல் 11.00 மணி வலர
Aligambai Tamil Prayer meeting அலிகம்பை தமிழ் ஆராதனை	St. Francis Xavier Church, Aligambay புனித பிரான்சிஸ் சவேரியார் ஆலயம், அலிகம்பை	4th Saturday 6.30pm to 8.30pm மாதத்தின் 4ம் சனிக்கிழமை மாலை 6.30 மணி தொடக்கம் 8.30 மணி வரை
Rakwana Sinhala/Tamil prayer meeting இறக்குவானை தமிழ்/சிங்கள ஆராதனை	St. Anthony's Church, Rakwana புனித அந்தோனியார் ஆலயம், இறக்குவானை	4th Sunday 10.00am to 12.00noon மாதத்தின் 4ம் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை காலை 10 மணி தொடக்கம் 12 வரை

### **CRL HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE**

# "Truly I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me" (*Matthew 25:40*)

His Holiness Pope Francis has called upon the renewal movements to carry a heart towards serving the poor and those in greatest need, both physical and spiritual, so that we would be better witnesses of the Gospel (Address to the participants in the International Conference of Leaders of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal International Service – CHARIS, 8 June 2019).

Over the years, the Current of Grace of the Holy Spirit has led the Risen Lord Community to do small things with great love as we witnessed Jesus himself, hidden under the distressing disguise of the poorest of the poor, as described by St. Teresa of Calcutta.

• Kilinochchi School bags & stationery project - In the year 2002, a landmark ceasefire agreement had been entered into between the Government of Sri Lanka and the LTTE. During the wake of this ceasefire the Lord had challenged us to reach out to our Tamil brethren living in the Northern region of Kilinochchi and share the love and solidarity of the Lord Jesus with them by visiting these people and providing their children with school bags and stationary items required for one school calendar year. This project was indeed a step of faith in our journey, and the Lord had led us to completely surrender and rely on Him as a Community during that crucial time.

Rev. Fr. Xavier Karunaratnam, affectionately known as 'Father Kili' had come forward to spearhead this project at that stage from Kilinochchi and we had the joy of sharing these school bags and stationary items with the children of these villages. The more we shared and gave away that day, we were overwhelmed with the realization that we were the ones who were actually receiving a fresh outpouring of love, joy and peace in the Holy Spirit. This experience was a pivotal juncture and a turning point in our journey of Faith together as a Community.

- Tsunami Project In 2005, in the aftermath of the Tsunami disaster which struck many coastal areas of Sri Lanka, the Community received the opportunity of providing trauma counselling to survivors for a period of one year in the areas of Pereliya and Matara, with the guidance and support of the then Parish Priest of the Shrine of Our Lady of Matara Rev. Fr. Charles Hewawasam. The Community also sponsored scholarships for the education of orphaned children, many up to their Advanced Levels. CRL also funded the renovation of houses and the purchasing of fishing boats for several fishermen who were affected by the disaster. Our prayers, efforts and support extended to the people during this time culminated with the Lord opening the doors for us to hold a 4 Step Retreat at St. Mary's Convent Matara. It brought an experience of renewal, healing and transformation in their hearts and lives.
- **Childrens' State Detention Centre Project -** From 2005 onwards, the Lord opened the doors for our Youth to connect with a State Detention Centre located in the South of Sri Lanka, holding juvenile offenders, orphans and those who are under various Court orders. The Youth were led to conduct an Annual Christmas Project of collecting their pocket money, raising funds and organizing a day to celebrate with these children by spending a day sharing love, joy, gifts and the presence of Jesus with them. This annual Christmas Project takes place to-date, and over the years we have seen the hand of God move at this Centre. These encounters have impacted the lives of these children who are fearfully and wonderfully made by God their Abba Father Himself.
- LTTE Child Soldier Rehabilitation Camp Project In 2009, after the civil war conflict in Sri Lanka had ended, our Youth had the opportunity to spend a day with a group of child soldiers who had been used by the LTTE. They were undergoing a rehabilitation program under the supervision and custody of the Sri Lanka Army. During each of these interactions we came face to face with the tremendous horrors and

undeniable traumas that these children had suffered during the war. However, we received the grace of God to share the love of Jesus with them and to overcome fear, pain and doubt.

- Emergency Medical Fund Project Since 2012, the CRL has been operating an Emergency Medical Fund which has been instrumental in providing funds for various medical surgeries, kidney dialysis and the sponsoring of essential medications for several patients who are in a financially destitute state. We have witnessed that the favour of the Lord has been upon them.
- **Hospital Ministry** From 2003 onwards the Hospital Ministry has responded to the loving call of the Lord to be close to the broken hearted and save those who are crushed in spirit, by visiting and praying for the sick. This ministry also conducts an Annual Christmas Project by visiting the wards of the Apeksha Hospital, Maharagama, providing medications, essential items and spending time with them to share the love, joy and peace of Jesus.
- **Prison Ministry** Since 2003, the Prison Ministry has received the grace to visit the male and female inmates of the Welikada Prison every week to conduct a Spirit filled and energetic session of Praise & Worship, sharing of a message and fellowship. Many who have been touched during their prison terms, have continued to journey with the CRL even after being released. A person who took leadership at these sessions from within the prison, now serves as a Full Time Server in the Community. This ministry conducts an Annual Christmas Fellowship with the inmates, where time is spent with them to spiritually uplift and nourish them, and share gifts with them. In 2022, the Lord opened the doors for a 4 Step Retreat to be held for these inmates of the Welikada Prison. We are in awe to witness the hand of God moving in and through these inmates over the years, transforming them into their true identities of being children of the Abba Father.
- **Ministry for Differently-abled Persons** This Ministry was launched in 2007 to minister to those with special needs and for their dedicated caregivers. We witness the presence of the Lord radiating and uplifting all those who attend this ministry through the years, which conducts sessions of Praise & Worship, sharing of the Word and times of fellowship for the participants. Through this ministry, many of the caregivers have received the grace to accept these family members with special needs from the hands of God, rather than seeing them as a burden. It is inspiring to witness how the talented members of the Blind School lead the others in singing praises to God at these sessions.
- **Mulankavil "Lighting a Home" Project** In 2013, the CRL engaged in a project to provide solar powered lamps to 300 homes of the rural village of Mulankavil, situated in the Kilinochchi District which did not have electricity. Together, we saw God move a mountain and enlighten an entire village!
- Support for the victims of the Easter Sunday attacks In 2019, in the aftermath of the Easter Sunday attacks in Sri Lanka, teams from our Community began to work together with the Archdiocese of Colombo and accompanied several families of the victims from Kochchikade and Katuwapitiya to provide prayer, counselling, support and assistance. Programs were also conducted for the children who were affected. It was an opportunity to encounter Christ in them, and to witness Christ living and walking among His people.
- **"Upcountry Livelihood Project"** In 2020, in the face of the pandemic and an unprecedented economic crisis of our nation, the Community received the opportunity to work together with the priests in the areas of Ohiya, Thangamale and Idalgashinna to supply essential raw materials for farmers to restart their livelihoods. We also received the opportunity of distributing school books for the years 2020 2022.

# CRL GLOBAL MINISTRY

'But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth' (Acts 1:8)

### The Move of the Spirit in the World

Around 2005, CRL began a presence on the Internet. Wednesday meetings were webcast over a live-streaming platform known as Ustream. People who lived abroad, whose lives had been touched by the Lord, found a way of reconnecting with CRL. They interacted with each other using a newsgroup that came to be known as the Virtual CRL. In some countries, people started gathering in each other's homes to listen to the Wednesday message. Little pockets of CRL were born in different parts of the world.

From 2006 up to date, the Risen Lord Community has been blessed to be invited to collaborate and minister at the Divine Retreat Centre, Chalakkudy, India under the guidance of Rev. Fr. Augustine Vallooran VC.

In 2008, a few families in Singapore and Melbourne pooled the little savings they had and invited CRL to conduct the Four Steps Retreat in their localities. This began another chapter in CRL international ministry's story as the house gatherings evolved into full-blown ministries that would find homes in local parishes.

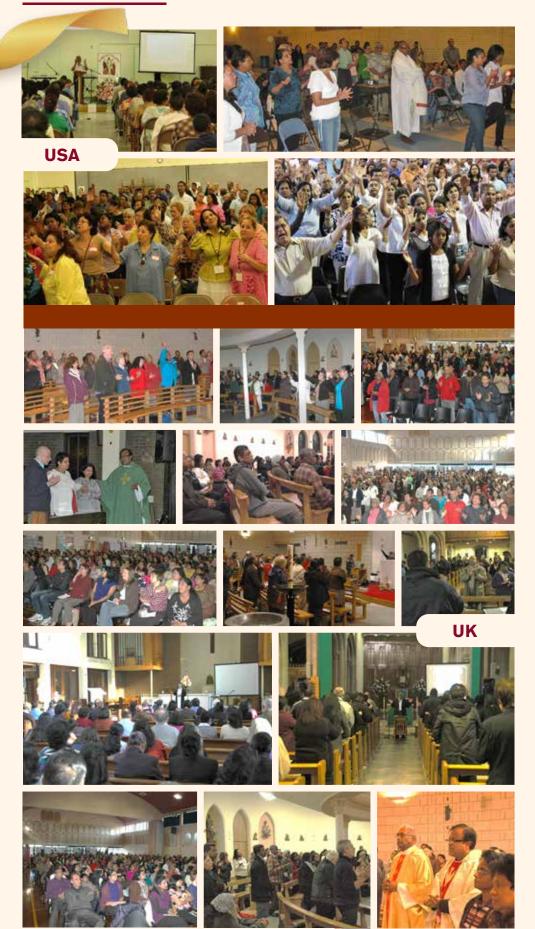
Soon after that, the Lord started adding a new dimension to the international ministry. People who had no prior connection with CRL watched the Wednesday Message on YouTube and found breakthroughs in situations that seemingly had no human answers. They were the next group to start inviting CRL to minister in their locality. Some who were touched were willing to even mortgage their homes to cover the cost of bringing CRL to their local churches. This opened the doors to cities like Sydney, Canberra, Adelaide, Brisbane, Waga Waga, Cairnes, Hobart Tasmania, London, Toronto, Vancouver, New York, Los Angeles, Ohio and Italy. Today CRL has teams of servers who conduct meetings to share the weekly messages and organize retreats. These teams of servers would pursue opportunities for CRL to minister to the church in their localities.

From 2009 onwards, CRL conducted an annual conference in Australia together with His Grace Archbishop Christopher Prowse. In 2011, CRL was invited to conduct a session at the Vancouver Catholic Charismatic Conference. In 2015, CRL ministered at the New Dawn Catholic Charismatic Conference in Walsingham, England. In 2016, the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of Toronto invited CRL to conduct a rally. In 2017, the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of Sydney invited CRL to minister at the Holy Spirit Mission Weekend. In 2019, the Catholic Spirituality Centre of Singapore invited CRL to conduct a Lenten Program named "When Heaven Goes Silent". CRL also got the opportunity to conduct programs and minister in Dubai, UAE, and Karachi, Pakistan. These are but a few of the many opportunities that the Lord opened to inspire and serve the Bride of Christ.

The "Strength in Weakness" Conference in Melbourne, Australia marked the end of a season. Soon after this event, the pandemic changed many things. During this time, it didn't matter whether one lived in Sri Lanka or another country, all used online platforms to interact with each other. For some events, the praise was led by one country, the message was given by another, and worship was led by a third country. We were one people in the Lord irrespective of where we lived. It also saw the emergence of a new program named "Growing in Christ" for CRL Australia, which was a bi-weekly program conducted on Zoom over a six-month period. This program culminated in a weekend in-person event. Amazing healings, youth on fire, and an increased exercise of the charisms were some of the fruits of this program.

As we look to the future, we look to the expansion of the Small Group Discipleship programs over the pockets of CRL worldwide. It is our desire to see these pockets become portals of heaven, where the supernatural intervenes in our circles of influence, and we become partners in the fulfillment of the prophecy of Habakkuk 2:14 "For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

## CRL GLOBAL MINISTRY PICTORIAL



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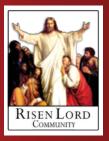


### PROGRAM SCHEDULE OF THE 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

### 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Risen Lord Community Theme: **"Remembering with THANKSGIVING;** Moving Forward with PRAISE"

Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at St. Joseph's College Auditorium, Colombo, Sri Lanka

Agenda	
8.45am	Welcome guests
9.00am	Lighting of Oil lamp – Apostolic Nuncio, Bishops and other Dignitaries
	Address by His Excellency Most Rev. <b>Dr Brian</b> <b>Udaigwe,</b> Apostolic Nuncio
	Address by His Lordship Rt. Rev. <b>Dr Devsritha</b> <b>Valence Mendis,</b> Bishop of Kandy
	Prayer, Praise & Worship (all 3 languages)
10 - 10.15am	Welcome and Introduction - <b>Bro. Lalith Perera,</b> Director Risen Lord Community
10.15am - 11.15am	Keynote Address, By His Grace <b>Most Rev.</b> <b>Dr Christopher Prowse,</b> Archbishop of Canberra
11.45am	Prayer & Praise
12 noon	Address by Bro. Lalith Perera
1pm	Eucharistic Adoration
1.30pm - 2.20pm	Lunch break
2.20pm - 2.30pm	Prayer & Praise.
2.30pm	Gathering of Bishops and Priests in preparation for Holy Mass
3pm - 5.00 pm	Celebration of Holy Mass - Main Celebrant – Most Rev. Dr Christopher Prowse Homily – Rt Rev Dr. Emmanuel Fernando, Bishop of Mannar
5pm	Praying together for the renewal of the Holy Spirit experience



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