



# C.S.I. St. Matthias' Church

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## Weekly Bulletin

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**Worship Timings: Daily 7.00 am Holy Eucharist**

**Sundays:** 6.00 am Said Eucharist & 7.30am Sung Eucharist; 6.00 pm Evensong

**Sunday School:** 8.00 a.m. **Youth Fellowship:** Sundays 10.00 a.m.

**Hospital Visit:** Every 4th Sunday Evening

## FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

18<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Introit Hymn: 394

**Collect for the Day:** O GOD, the strength of all them that put their trust in thee, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without thee, grant us the help of thy grace, that in keeping of thy commandments we may please thee, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Epistle: I St. John 4:7-21

Gradual Hymn: 488

The Gospel: St. Luke 16:19-31

The Creed, Sermon and Announcements

Offertory Hymn: 587

Holy Communion Hymn: 312 & 315

Closing Hymn: He leadeth me!

**SAID EVEN SONG – 6.00 p.m.**  
**BIBLE STUDY AT 6.30 p.m.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Welcome:** *“Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. Let them do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.”* (1 Timothy 6:17-19).

We welcome all the Parishioners and visitors who have joined us this morning.

2. **Women & Men Fellowships:** Women & Men Fellowships will meet today at 10.am after the worship service. Members are cordially invited.
3. **Bible Study:** will be conducted on the Book of **Genesis**, Chapters 1-11, this evening from 6.30 to 7.30 pm after the said Even Song. All Parishioners are welcome.
4. **Fete 2017:** Pastorate Committee has nominated Mr. Weston Saint, Mr. Paul Victor Samuel as Conveners for the Fete & Carnival 2017. The 1<sup>st</sup> **Planning Meeting** will be held on **20<sup>th</sup> June 2017** at 6.30 pm in the Multi-Purpose Hall. We look forward to your active participation, your valuable suggestions and to join in the Planning meetings regularly.

5. **Hospital Visit:** The Hospital Ministry at the CSI Rainy Hospital will be held on 25.06.2017 (Sunday) between 3.30pm to 5.30 pm. For further details, contact Mr. Solomon Rajkumar (Ph.9444168574), and Mr. Adolph D' Mello (Ph.9677081159). The Van leaves at 3:30pm.
6. **St. Matthias' Church Education Fund:** As earlier, this year too we propose to financially assist poor and disadvantaged children towards their academic needs. We request our Parishioners to join in contributing towards this noble cause. Red covers may be used for contributions/donations in cash or Cheques/DDs may be drawn in the name of "**St. Matthias' Church Education Fund**". Those who need financial assistance may collect the application form from the Pastor; final decision strictly rests with the Selection Committee and the Church leadership based on need, merit and the available funds.
7. **Diocesan Youth Rally 2017:** will be held on Saturday the 24<sup>th</sup> of June 2017 from 9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. at LITE auditorium, Kilpauk, Chennai -600 010. Every Pastorate is expected to send 10 boys and 10 girls to this. The youth Sunday will be held on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 2017 in all the Churches.
8. **Diocesan Mission Festival 2017-** will be inaugurated by our Bishop the **Rt. Rev. Dr. J. George Stephen** on Saturday the **8<sup>th</sup> of July 2017** at **7.15 am** in the CSI St. Georges Cathedral, Chennai 600 086. All the Pastorates in the Diocese will be having Sales in their respective Churches in the month of July 2017 to raise funds for the ministries of the Diocesan Board for Mission & Evangelism in our Diocese.
9. **Prayers Solicited:** For the speedy recovery of Mrs. Mary Buckland who underwent a major surgery on the 12<sup>th</sup> June. Kindly continue to uphold her in your prayers.



*"The Lord will be your everlasting light" Isaiah 60:20*

Jun. 18	Kezia Sylvester	Jun. 22	Daisy Fernandez
Jun. 20	Brandon Brooks	Jun. 23	Audin D'Netto
	Sean Caster		June Carron
	Andrew Kenneth Carron		Michelle Thompson
Jun. 21	Manoah Samson	Jun. 24	Renuka Williams
	Mary Belinda		Anitha Angeline
Jun. 22	Sudhin Samuel		

### **Offertory Receivers:**

#### **18.06.2017 – 7.30 am Service**

Mr. Felix Aaron  
Mr. D. Prabakar  
Mr. Henry Wheeler  
Mr. Paul Brooks

#### **25.06.2017 – 7.30 am Service**

Mr. Edward Ratnakaran  
Mr. Peter Moses  
Mr. Kenneth Caron  
Mr. Steve Borthwick

## **Offertory during last week:**

**From 11.06.2017 to 17.6.2017**

1. Service Offertory	-	Rs. 12,293.00
2. Church Subs	-	Rs. 21,720.00
3. Charity	-	Rs. 4,960.00
4. Renovation	-	Rs. 5,710.00
5. Mission	-	Rs. 2,760.00
6. Sanctuary & Guild	-	Rs. 1,410.00
7. Women's Fellowship	-	Rs. 460.00
8. Men's Fellowship	-	Rs. 360.00
9. Sunday School	-	Rs. 710.00
10. Youth Fellowship	-	Rs. 410.00
11. Rural Church	-	Rs. 3,560.00
12. PCMME	-	Rs. 2,960.00
13. Education	-	Rs. <u>1,760.00</u>
Total	-	Rs. <b><u>59,073.00</u></b>