## 2011 Annual Convention & Family Conference Kickoff

**NEW JERSEY:** In a special meeting held at the St. Mary's Syrian Orthodox Church in Bergenfield, New Jersey His Grace Mor Gregorios Joseph, Metropolitan of Cochin Diocese and Secretary of the Malankara Episcopal Synod officially inaugurated the registration kickoff of Annual Convention & Family Conference of the Malankara Archdiocese of Syrian Orthodox Church in North America, by accepting the first family registration and Sponsorship from Chevalier Abraham Mathew, New Jersey. Archbishop Mor Titus Yeldho, V. Rev. Abraham O Kadavil Cor Episcopos (Archdiocesan Secretary), and Shri Saju Paulose, CPA (Archdiocesan Treasurer) explained the convention programs and details. Fr. Paul Thotackat (Archdiocesan Joint Secretary) moved on to the vote of thanks.

Many Clergy and faithful including V. Rev. Varkey Mundackal Cor Episcopos, V. Rev. Geevarghese Puthoorkudilil Cor Episcopos, Fr. Mathews Edathara (Archdiocesan Clergy Secretary), Fr. Dr. A. P.George, Fr. Dileesh Alias (Vice President Sunday School Association), Fr. Jose Daniel (Vice President, Association for the protection of Antiochean True Faith), Fr. Geevarghese Jacob Chalissery, Dn. Dr. Jerry Jacob, Dn. Joseph Varghese, Dn. Dr. Joel Jacob, Dn. Ani Skaria Thelappilly, Dn. Shiryl Mathai (General Secretary, MGSOSA), Council members Shri Jijo Joseph, Shri Babu Vadakkedath Houston, Shri Kurian George CPA (General Secretary, St. Paul's Fellowship), Shri Saju Paulose Maroth (Joint Treasurer), Shri Shaji Peter, Former Council members Shri. George Padiyedath, Shri. Cherian Venkadath Chicago, Dr. T. V. John (Director, Sunday School Association), Shri Biju Cherian (Treasurer, Assn for the Protection of Antiochean True Faith), Shri. Manoj John (Chief Editor, Malankara Deepam), Shri. Babu Jacob Nadayil, Spiritual organization officials Shri. E. V. Paulose (St. Pauls Fellowship Coordinator), Shri. Paul Pathrose (Antiochean True Faith), Shri. Raju Abraham (St. Pauls Fellowship Regional Secretary), Shri. Vivek Alex (St. Pauls Regional Secretary) and Smt. Susan Varkey (Treasurer, St. Mary's Women's League) and hundreds of faithful attended.

