

Malankara Archdiocese of the Syrian Orthodox Church in North America

THE 2006 ANNUAL FAMILY CONFERENCE & CONVENTION JULY 6 - 9, 2006 HELD AT THE HUDSON VALLEY RESORT & SPA, AT KERHONKSON, NEW YORK

The 2006 Annual Family Conference & Convention was a great success. Over 600 faithful of the Syrian Orthodox Church attended this year's Annual Convention making this year's turn out the best we've ever had. The Archdiocesan Family Conference commenced on the 6th of July and concluded on the 9th with the Concelebration of the Holy Eucharist. The Malankara Archdiocese of the Syrian Orthodox Church in North America is directly under the spiritual and administrative supervision and control of **His Holiness Moran Mor Ignatius Zakka I Iwas, Patriarch of Antioch and all the East and Supreme Head of the of the Universal Syrian Orthodox Church** and is lead by **Archbishop His Eminence Mor Titus Yeldho, Metropolitan / Patriarchal Vicar**.

The esteemed presence and blessings of Metropolitans Their Eminences Mor Severios Abraham, Mor Coorilos Aphrem Karim, Mor Dioscoros Kuriakose and our Archbishop Mor Titus Yeldho enhanced the atmosphere of the conference. The impressive key note address of Rev. Fr. Jacob Joseph, a renowned speaker, on various sessions and the eminent discourses of Commander Dr. Roy Thomas and Very Reverend Raban Stephanos Issa, along with the notable sessions led by various Clergy and lay leaders were greatly beneficial to the attendees. Very Rev. Raban Joseph from Sweden was also present. Special sessions were held for Sunday School students and teachers. St. Mary's Women's League & St. Paul's Men's Fellowship had their group sessions led by clergy and lay leaders. The Youth wing of the Archdiocese (MGSOSA) had special sessions during the conference consisting of general sessions, seminars, group discussions, worship songs, testimonials and panel discussions. It has been decided at the Annual Delegates' meeting to hold the 2007 Family Conference in Dallas and that the St. Mary's Syrian Orthodox Church, Carrolton, Texas will facilitate and assist the Archdiocesan Council to make necessary planning for the event, with the leadership of our Archbishop His Eminence Mor Titus Yeldho.



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Mor Gregorios Syrian Orthodox Student Association (MGSOSA)

From the Holy Eucharistic Concelebration on July 9, 2006





MALANKARA ARCHDIOCESAN COUNCIL
2006 – 2008

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Mor Gregorios Syrian Orthodox
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Committee members for each of the spiritual organizations were also elected at their own sessions.

Congratulations to all the new office bearers! We request prayers from all our Clergy and Faithful, so that the Heavenly Father would shower blessings and endow them with divine directions for His glory and the progress and prosperity of the Malankara Archdiocese and the Holy Church in general.

The Newly elected Malankara Archdiocesan Council Members with H.E. Archbishop Mor Titus Yeldho

