



ORTHODOX VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2014

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27th March - 3rd April 2014

St. Thomas Orthodox Cathedral-Dubai

THEME
“HUMBLE YOURSELF AND BE EXALTED”

St. Matthew 23:12

PROGRAMME - AS OF 8 MARCH 2014 (Subject to change)

Sunday : 30 March 2014 -No OVBS

Thursday:
27 March 2014
 (Transportation Provided)

05:00 PM
 Registration - Outside Pandal
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

05:45 PM
 Flag Hoisting

06:00 PM
 Opening Ceremony
 (Parish Hall)

07:00 PM
 Regular Class

08:00 PM
 Dispersal

Friday:
28 March 2014
 (No Transportation)

Sub-theme
 Abraham-A Man of Humility

07:30 AM
 Holy Qurbana

10:00 AM
 Breakfast

10:30 AM
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

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 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

10:30 AM
“Growing influence of Social Media in our life”- A Survey by Sr. Secondary Students among Church Members

11:15 AM
Parental Workshop by Mr. Johnson Thomas, Zayed University, Abu Dhabi
“Expression, Suppression, Depression; The Art & Science of Christian Parenting”
Venue: Church

11:15 AM
 Thematic Common Class
 (A) Primary & Juniors
 “Abraham: A Ballet (Musical Skit & Dance)”
 By Sunday School Teachers & Children
 Venue: Parish Hall

(B) Intermediates, Seniors & Sr Secondary
 by MGOCSM, Dubai
 Venue: Outside Pandal / Stage

Orthodox Worship- Part 1:
Rev. Fr. Lany Chacko, Asst. Vicar
 Separate Sessions for (A) & (B)

12:00 PM
 Regular Class

14:00 PM
 Dispersal

Saturday:
29 March 2014
 (Transportation Provided)

Sub-theme
 Moses- The meekest Man on the Face of the Earth.

05:00 PM
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

Orthodox Worship-Part 2:
 Rev. Fr. Lany Chacko, Asst. Vicar
 Common Session for (A) & (B)

05:45 PM
 Regular Class

06:30 PM
Special Common Class (only for Seniors and Sr. Secondary. Parents are also invited)
“Future Career Opportunities” by Mr. John Lincoln, Senior Vice President-Marketing, Etisalat

07:15 PM
 Short Film / Skit by OCYM, Dubai
 (A + B) Primary, Juniors, Intermediates, Seniors & Sr. Secondary

Venue:
 Parish Hall

08:00 PM
 Dispersal

Monday:
31 March 2014
 (Transportation Provided)

Sub-theme
 David-The Mightiest King and the Most Humble Servant

05:00 PM
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

05:45 PM
 Thematic Common Class

(A) Primary & Juniors-Parish Hall,
 King David-Puppet Show / Action Song/ Video Show
 by Basel Jacob & Crew

(B) Intermediates, Seniors & Sr. Secondary- Outside Pandal/
 Stage “My Friend; My Role Model”
Mr. Alex Abraham, Editor,
 Gulf News

Orthodox Worship-Part 3:
Rev. Fr. Lany Chacko, Asst. Vicar
 Separate Sessions for (A) & (B)

06:30 PM
 Regular Class

08:00 PM
 Dispersal

Tuesday: 1
April 2014
 (Transportation Provided)

Sub-theme
 St. Mary-I am the Lord's Servant

06:30 PM
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

07:05 PM
 Thematic Common Class

(A) Primary & Juniors-Parish Hall
 Mother Mary-A Video Show & Quiz
 By Sunday School Teachers & Children

(B) Intermediates, Seniors & Sr. Secondary - Outside Pandal / Stage
 “Facing Challenges in Life”
 (TBC)

Orthodox Worship-Part 4:
Rev. Fr. Lany Chacko, Asst. Vicar
 Separate Sessions for (A) & (B)

07:45 PM
 Regular Class

08:45 PM
 Dispersal

Wednesday:
2 April 2014
 (Transportation Provided)

Sub-theme
 Jesus Christ- Not My Will, but Thine, be Done

06:30 PM
 Common Song Session
 (Parish Hall)

07:05 PM
 Thematic Common Class

(A) Primary & Juniors-Parish Hall
 Jesus Christ-A Skit
 By Sunday School Teachers & Children

(B) Intermediates, Seniors & Sr Secondary - Outside Pandal / Stage
 “Seeing God in People Around Us” **Mr C. P. Mathew**, Valley of Love

Orthodox Worship- Part 5:
Rev. Fr. Lany Chacko, Asst. Vicar
 Separate Sessions for (A) & (B)

07:45 PM
 Regular Class & LOVE FEAST
 (Group-wise)

08:45 PM
 Dispersal

Thursday:
3 April 2014
 (Transportation Provided
 ONE WAY - ONLY PICK UP)

06:30 PM
 Common Song Session
 OVBS Rally
 (Outside Pandal and around the Church)

07:00 PM
 Closing Ceremony
 Parish Hall

07:30 PM
 Cultural Fiesta
 (Group-wise/ Parish Hall)

09:30 PM
 Dinner

NOTE: Beginners will not be a part of any common classes. They will have dedicated area for all their song sessions/classes/ activities-Ground Floor, Parish Hall.