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"And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. (2 Cor. 9:8)"

BLESSINGS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE MAR THOMA CHURCH IN NORTH AMERICA AND EUROPE

Dearly beloved in Christ,

The grace of God enabled me along with our Bishops Mar Athanasius and Mar Coorilos to complete 25th year of Episcopal ministry in the Mar Thoma Church. We were ordained as Rambans on November 4 and consecrated as Bishops of the Mar Thoma Church on December 9 in the year 1989. We praise God for His blessings and guidance all these years. The prayer - support and co-operation of both the clergy and the lay-members of the Church are commendable. It is through the Mar Thoma Church that I have grown and is known to the outside world.

Jubilee of the Episcopal Consecration is a significant event in the Church and a very important one in the life of a Bishop. This is a time to thank God for His call, guidance and blessings. This is a time to be grateful to the Church, the people of God, for their prayers, support and co-operation. This Jubilee year is a time for me to recommit myself in the hands of God for His call and mission He has given me and to carry out His purpose through the very life God has gifted me with. I dedicate myself so that my life will bring refreshing experience to so many, a life giving comfort to the suffering, a source of light to those in darkness and ultimately the establishment of the Kingdom of God.

Thank you very much for remembering me in the Jubilee year. I need your continued prayers and support. Your love and friendship is a precious gift from God. Our Heavenly Father's love is the source and the binding force that makes every earthly friendship enduring and meaningful.

Please remember all the three of us in your prayers. There will be a thanksgiving Holy Communion Service on Tuesday December 9, 2014 at 9.00 am, at the Epiphany Mar Thoma Church in New York. All of you are invited to participate in the Holy Qurbana and fellowship.

I thank you for your continued support for the Diocesan activities and request you to pray for God's blessings on the upcoming events and for God's guidance in all our endeavors.

May God's blessings be with you all.

Prayers and blessings

Dr. Geevarghese Mar Theodosius
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