

THE INDIAN (MALANKARA) ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Blessings to the Vicars, Managing Committee Members and all the faithful Members of the UK-Europe and Africa Diocese:

Dearly beloved in the name of Holy Triune God,

The tenure of the present Diocesan Assembly will be completed by 30 April 2017. Forthcoming Diocesan Assemblies tenure would be corresponding with the period of the Malankara Syrian Cristian Association Assembly.

We hereby urge all the Parishes of the diocese to elect new Diocesan Assembly representatives for the period 2017-22 and send their particulars to Diocesan office on or before 31 March 2017. The number of representatives to be elected from each Parish shall be equal to the number representatives for Malankara Syrian Christian Association 2017 plus one. For example, a Parish have one Malankara Association representative, should elect and send two and a Parish have three Malankara Association representatives, should elect and send four Diocesan Assembly representatives. You may prayerfully elect those persons as the Diocesan representatives who has a true Christian witness and could sincerely devote their time energy and talents to the development of our growing diocese.

The meeting of the newly elected representatives would be held on Saturday 29 April 2017. At that meeting new Diocesan Council will be elected. Further details and guidelines would be informed from the Diocesan office in due course.

God Bless

Your Spiritual Father in Lord


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