

**ST. THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS PARISH, SALMIYA – KUWAIT  
PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS 06<sup>th</sup> February to 08<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

1. We are in the **05<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**. As Christians we are called to be salt and light in the world, helping people to live more meaningful lives and attain salvation.
2. Let us invoke the blessings of Almighty God on our dear **Fr. Derrick** as he celebrates his birthday on Sunday **08<sup>th</sup> February**. Fr. Derrick is a pioneer of the Salesian presence in Kuwait and has always been available to serve our parish. We are grateful to him for celebrating the Eucharist and for breaking the Word for us every weekend. May the Lord bless him and his family.
3. **The Pre-Baptismal Seminar** will be held on **Monday, 09<sup>th</sup> February** from **7:00pm to 9:00pm** in **Room No. 14**. This course is obligatory for Parents and Godparents. The Seminar can also be attended before the birth of your child. Kindly contact the parish office for further details.
4. The Syro Malabar Community begins the **season of Lent on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February** with the Holy Mass at 7:30 pm.
5. We begin the **Holy Season of Lent on Ash Wednesday** which falls on **18<sup>th</sup> February**. It is a day of Fast and Abstinence. The Mass schedule for Ash Wednesday is displayed on the Notice board. Kindly note that there will be no Mass intentions read on that day.
6. In preparation for Ash Wednesday, please drop last year's Blessed Palms into the box kept in the courtyard, so that they can be burnt and used as ashes for Ash Wednesday.
7. The **Adult Catechesis Session** will be held on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February from 7:15 pm to 8:30 pm. All are invited to deepen our understanding of our Christian Faith.

**To be read on Friday ONLY:**

8. Today, **Friday 06<sup>th</sup> February** is the **First Friday** of the month. The **Holy Hour** will begin at 6:00 pm followed by the Holy Mass at 7:05 pm.
9. After the winter break the **Saturday Oratory** will recommence on **Saturday 07<sup>th</sup> February**. All children from class 2 till class 9 are invited for a fun filled morning "To come closer to God".

**For more details on the announcements, kindly check the Parish App and the Church Notice Board.**

Yours affectionately,

**Fr. Savio D'Souza sdb  
Parish Priest**

