



Bible Verse for the Week

Those who trust in the LORD are like Mount Zion, which cannot be shaken but endures forever.

As the mountains surround Jerusalem so the LORD surrounds his people both now and forevermore.

The scepter of the wicked will not remain over the land allotted to the righteous, for then the righteous might use their hands to do evil.

LORD, do good to those who are good, to those who are upright in heart.

But those who turn to crooked ways the LORD will banish with the evildoers.

Peace be on Israel.

Psalm 125

Special Prayers for Finance

Mr. Manoharan Johnson G
Mr. Irudayaraj G
Mr. Charles J
Mrs. Saira Banu
Mr. Saravanan C
Mrs. Saritha
Mrs. Vimala
Mrs. Priya
Mrs. Girija
Mr. Ravi M R

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A weekly News Bulletin

Schieffelin Institute of Health-Research & Leprosy Centre
10th to 16th Nov 2019

Theme for the Week : Community for Peace and Justice

Prayer Partner : The Leprosy Mission, Switzerland

Department : Finance

Chapel Services : 9:00 am Tamil Service
6:00 pm English Service

Directorate :-

Director Dr. Jerry Joshua participated as trainer in a workshop for District Leprosy Officers of High Priority Districts under NLEP, in Lucknow from 30th Oct to 1st November 2019.

Harvest Festival 2019 :-

To the glory of God St. Luke's Chapel's Harvest Festival 2019 was celebrated on 2nd November 2019. The day long activities commenced with the Thanks Giving service at the Chapel.

Rt. Rev. H. Sharma Nithiyanandam, Bishop, CSI Diocese of Vellore graced the celebrations as the Chief Guest and brought God's word during the Thanks Giving service. In his sermon, he dwelt on the Bible passage Deuteronomy 26 : 1-16, and briefed the congregation on the three important festivals the Israelites observed / celebrated. The first one being "The Passover" which the Israelites observed remembering the freedom and deliverance God provided them from the hands of the Egyptians. Observing this every year they dedicated themselves to be God's people in all the generations to come.

The second important festival the Israelites observed was "The

50th Day” which reminded them of the receiving of Ten Commandments from God. Through this the Israelites declared themselves to be God's people who follow God's commandments.

The last festival briefed was about the **“Tabernacle Day”** which was observed to give thanks for the providence God provided them during their journey in the wilderness. Citing these three festivals the Bishop urged the staff and the students of Schieffelin Institute of Health Research and Leprosy Centre to celebrate their harvest festival by dedicating themselves towards God's work, by declaring the goodness we have received from God and by distributing / sharing ourselves with the marginalized and the poor.

Prior to the Sermon, as our Chaplain Rev. Devadoss lead the service staff and the students of Schieffelin Institute sang a special song for the Occasion after which Dr. Jerry Joshua, Director lead the congregation in the Thanks Giving prayer. The Scripture portion for the occasion was read by Mrs. Salomi. The service concluded with the closing prayer and benediction by the Bishop Rt. Rev. H Sharma Nithyanandam.

The Thanks Giving service was followed by the Food and Games carnival which was declared open by the Bishop. The staff and students had a fun filled gala day as the four groups, The Kitchen Killaadis, The Food Samaritans, The Funraisers and The Goli Soda locked horns with each other in the pursuit of achieving their targets. Variety of food stalls, Jumble Sale and Games hosted by the groups decorated the entire parking area as students and staff enjoyed the day giving a shot at every single thing that was available for sale. A special mention about the Bullock cart ride and the Jail game which brought lots of cheer to the people who had gathered for a very noble cause.

On Behalf of the and the Chapel committee, we congratulate all the group leaders and members for exhibiting their strength of unity. A special thanks to Mrs. Valsa Augustine, for engineering and instilling the competitive, fun filled fundraising spirit among the groups and also for steering this whole concept and event in a very special way. The word of God Says in 2 Cor 9:7 that “God loves a cheerful giver” and hence we can be assured of God's love as we (Staff and Students) as one community gave for His ministry cheerfully.

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10th Nov	Mrs. A. Jayanthi	
	Mrs. J.L. Abraham	
11th Nov	Mr. Price and Mrs. Asha Rani	Wedding Anniversary
12th Nov	Blairs & Group	
13th Nov	Ms. Katherine Hall	
	Dr.Chowangthasiami	Mr.B.Vanlalsiama, Death Anniversary
15th Nov	Mr. V. K. Vijayaragavan	Mr. V. Krishnan
16th Nov	Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Kumar	Wedding Anniversary