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The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India (CCBI)

1. Introduction

The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India (CCBI) is a canonically established National Episcopal Body that enables the Latin Catholic Bishops of the country to exchange ideas and information, deliberate on the Church's broad concerns and take care of the pastoral needs of the faithful. It is one of the four largest Bishops' Conferences in the world. It has 132 dioceses and 207 active and retired Bishop members. The Conference is to assist the Bishops both in pastoral care and in evangelization, the twin duties of a Bishop. One of the main purposes of the CCBI, according to its statutes, is "to promote that greater good which the Church offers humankind especially through forms and programmes of the apostolate which are adequately adapted to the circumstances of time and place" (Statutes, art. 3:1).

2. Historical Background

The first Conference of Indian Bishops was established in 1944 and given the name of "Catholic Bishops' Conference of India" (CBCI). When the Second Vatican Council bestowed juridical status and recognition to NECs, the CBCI began to reorganize itself by creating infrastructures such as National Commissions, Regional Councils of Bishops and National Organizations, working under its guidance and directives. The promulgation of the Latin Code of Canon Law in 1983 contributed to the debate about establishing a Conference exclusively for the Latin Catholic Bishops. The Holy Father,

after his visit to India in 1986, wrote an Apostolic Letter to the Indian Bishops on 28 May 1987, an important text of which reads thus: “The Bishops of each of the three Rites have the right to establish their own Episcopal Bodies in accordance with their own ecclesiastical legislation. The CBCI which is an Assembly of the bishops of India of the three rites is to continue for matters of common concern and of national and supra-ritual character. These areas are to be determined in the new statutes of the CBCI.”

Hence, in compliance with the above directive of the Holy Father, the CBCI, in its General Body meeting of April 1988, decided that all the three ritual Churches could have their own Episcopal Bodies. Accordingly, the Bishops of the Latin Church resolved, in that same meeting, to establish their own Episcopal Conference in the same meeting and named it “Conference of Catholic Bishops of India – Latin Rite” (CCBI-LR). In January 1994, the Holy See approved its statutes. The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India is therefore an organization having its legal foundation in the Canon Law. According to Canons 447-459, the CCBI is the National Episcopal Conference of the Bishops in India and its purpose is to deliberate on matters of concern for the whole Latin Church in India and encourage activities in accordance with the needs of the times. The members of the CCBI are: 1) The diocesan Bishops, their Coadjutors and Auxiliaries, 2) The administrators of the dioceses when the Episcopal See is vacant, 3) The retired Bishops and 4) those honorary Bishops appointed by the Holy See or the Bishops’ Conference for particular tasks.

The Bishops’ Conference is headed by a President, who is the overall in-charge and represents the Conference, with a Vice President and a Secretary General to assist him for a term of two years. The Office Bearers are assisted by the Deputy Secretary General and the Associate Deputy Secretary General. The Bishops’ Conference, in addition to Plenary Assemblies, has an Executive Committee to handle ordinary

matters, besides Commissions, Departments, Apostolates and the Secretariats. Currently, the CCBI comprises 132 dioceses and 207 Bishop members.

3. Number of CCBI Members

Dioceses	:	132
Cardinals	:	03
Archbishops	:	22
Bishops	:	102
Co-adjutor Bishop	:	2
Auxiliary Bishops	:	13
Apostolic Administrators	:	6
Administrators	:	2
Bishops Emeriti	:	65
Total	:	207

4. CCBI as an Organization

At first, an ad hoc Office Bearers Body, consisting of a President and a Vice President, was elected and a small team of four Bishops formed the Executive Committee to assist it. At its Third Plenary Assembly in Goa (1991), a full team of Office Bearers was elected and a large Executive Committee was constituted, consisting of the Office Bearers, all the Metropolitans of the Latin Ecclesiastical Provinces and the Chairpersons of the CCBI Commissions. The Holy See approved its statutes on 13 January 1994. Five years later, in the light of the Apostolic Letter *Apostolos Suos*, on the theological and juridical nature of episcopal conferences, the statutes were revised and the Holy See permanently approved them on 3 December 2000 (Prot. 5242/2000). The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India was registered under the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860, Reg. No. S/19920 of 1 May 1989.

The CCBI has 16 Commissions, 7 Departments and 4 Apostolates. The Commission for Christian Life was established in 1988. It was trifurcated in 2003 into separate Commissions for Bible, Catechetics and Liturgy. The year 1988 also saw the birth of the Commissions for Boundary; for Family; for Vocations, Seminaries, Clergy and Religious; and for Canon Law and Legislative Texts. The remaining Commissions were created as follows: Theology and Doctrine in 1999, Proclamation in 2001, Ecumenism in 2002, Laity in 2003, Women in 2008, Youth in 2008, Migrants in 2017, Ecology in 2019 and Small Christian Communities in 2019.

In 2021 the CCBI set up a Public Relations Office in Delhi and a Bioethics Forum. The Apostolates for Education, Health, Social Service and Media were also established in 2021, with Coordinators appointed for each of them. Also in 2021 the CCBI gave its approval to YOUCAT India (YOUCAT is an international movement that stands for Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church) and appointed its National Director.

The Association of Rectors of the Major Seminaries (ARMS), which includes the rectors of all the major seminaries of the Latin Catholic Church in India and the Conference of Diocesan Priests of India (CDPI), which helps diocesan priests in the country to foster a deeper understanding and appreciation of their priestly ministry, function under the aegis of the CCBI Commission for Vocations, Seminaries, Clergy and Religious.

Pontifical Mission Organizations is the name given to a group of Catholic missionary societies that are under the canonical jurisdiction of the Bishop of Rome. These organizations include: (1) The Society for the Propagation of the Faith, (2) The Society of St. Peter the Apostle, (3) Holy Childhood Association and (4) Missionary Union of Priests and Religious.

In India these Pontifical Mission Organizations operate under the guidance of the CCBI Commission for Proclamation.

The CCBI General Secretariat has a Publication Department that publishes liturgical books, catechetical books, Papal documents, documents of the Episcopal Conference and other relevant matter which is significant to the Church in India.

The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India celebrated its Silver Jubilee in 2013. The Silver Jubilee Plenary Assembly, held at the Shrine of Our Lady in Vailankanni from 5 to 10 February 2013, unanimously approved the Pastoral Plan for the Church in India. This National Pastoral Plan is a historical landmark and it gave a clear orientation to the Episcopal Conference and its Commissions.

Communio is an initiative taken by the Conference of Catholic Bishops of India with the aim of reaching out to dioceses in need and religious congregations working in socio-economically backward areas across India, so as to promote evangelization and pastoral ministry. It was launched during the 29th Plenary Assembly held in Bhopal in 2017. *Communio* was registered in 2022 as two societies, Religious and Charitable.

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1. The Office Bearers of the Conference (President, Vice President and Secretary General).
2. The Metropolitans (Archbishops of Agra, Bangalore, Bhopal, Bombay, Calcutta, Cuttack-Bhubaneswar, Delhi,

Gandhinagar, Goa and Daman, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Imphal, Madras-Mylapore, Madurai, Nagpur, Patna, Pondicherry-Cuddalore, Raipur, Ranchi, Shillong, Trivandrum, Verapoly and Vizhakupattanam).

3. The Chairmen of the CCBI Commissions.

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35. Most Rev. Kishor Kumar Kujur, Rourkela, (Women)
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8. Plenary Assembly

The Bishops of the Latin Catholic Church in India are the members of the Plenary Assembly of the Conference. Ordinary Plenary Assembly of the Conference is held every year. Extraordinary Plenary Assemblies are held according to the need decided by at least a two-third of the members of the Executive Committee.

At the Plenary Assembly the Conference reviews the situation and assesses the progress of the Church in India, and in the light of its own purposes it decides on plans that may be necessary and actions that may be called for. At such meetings the Plenary Assembly reflects upon important issues affecting the Christian faithful and the society at large and reviews the situation and assesses the progress of the Church in India, and, in the light of its own purposes, decides on plans that may be necessary, and action that may be called for.

Every two year in the Plenary Assembly the Reports of the sixteen Commissions, Regional Bishops' Councils are

submitted. While the Report of the Secretary General is published along with the Report of the Annual General Body Meeting of the CCBI, the Biennial Reports of the CCBI Commissions and Regional Bishops' Councils are printed separately just before the Meeting. Whereas the Reports of the various proceedings of the annual Plenary Assembly and reports of the Secretary General are published every year. The reports of the Commissions normally find place in the agenda booklet of the Plenary Assembly or they are printed in a separate booklet.

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The first CCBI Secretariat was in Goa in 1988, it was then shifted to Delhi in 1992. In Delhi it operated from the CCBI Secretariat, Pitampura, from 1992-1995 and from Archbishop's House Delhi from 1995-1996. In the year 1997 the CCBI established its own first separate Secretariat in Delhi, at 9-10, Bhai Vir Singh Marg, New Delhi 110001.

The CCBI Centre Bangalore was inaugurated on 14 September, 2002 as the Secretariat for the CCBI Commissions for Bible, Catechetics and Liturgy. Later in the year 2003 the Deputy Secretary General shifted his office from Delhi to the Bangalore, Secretariat. The CCBI building at Delhi is currently used by Caritas India

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Suvarta Kendra, the secretariat for the CCBI's Commission for Proclamation, has moved from its original location in Pachmarhi (established 2011) to Seva Sadan, Bhopal. This relocation, effective July 2024, follows a period of prayer and discernment by the CCBI Executive Committee. The centre remains dedicated to promoting evangelization and providing ongoing missionary animation and formation for the Church in India.

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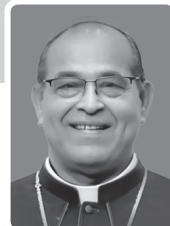
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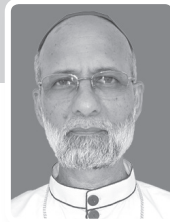
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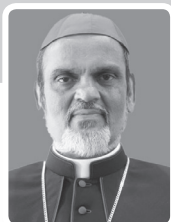
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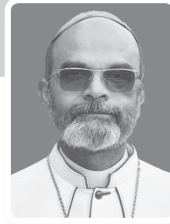
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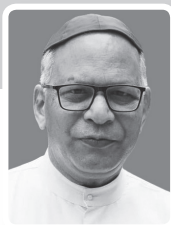
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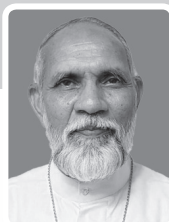
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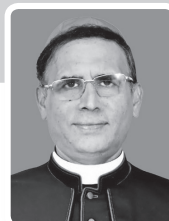
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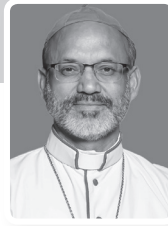
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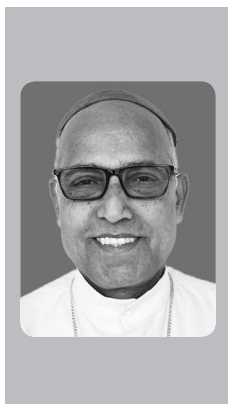


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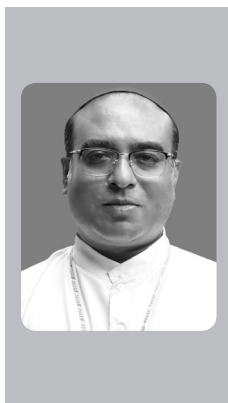
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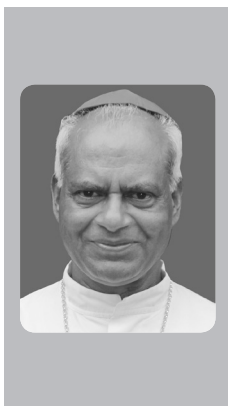
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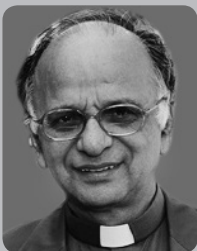
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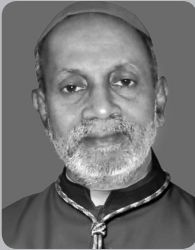
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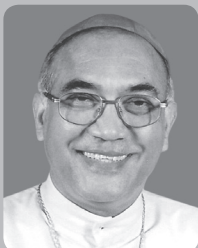
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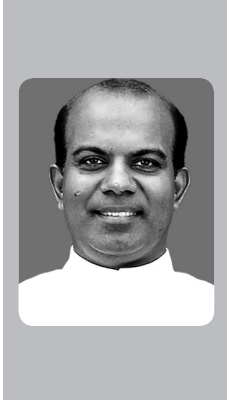
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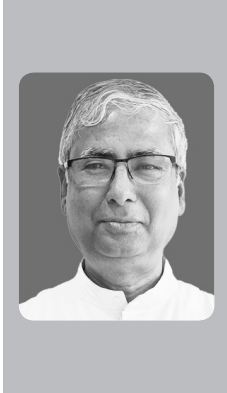
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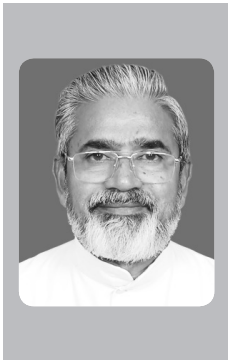


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The objectives of Communio: (1) To assist our dioceses and religious congregations working in the missions. (2) To build a culture of sharing among our own people in order to express solidarity with our needy brothers and sisters in the country. (3) To encourage our faithful to pray and help the missions and the missionaries and to promote missionary vocations. (4) To inspire our lay faithful to work in mission areas as lay missionaries. (5) To prepare all our faithful as missionary disciples envisaged by Pope Francis in *Evangelii Gaudium*.

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2. The BENGAL REGIONAL BISHOPS' COUNCIL (BRBC)

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|---------------------------------|----------------|
| (1) Calcutta Archdiocese | (5) Darjeeling |
| (2) Asansol | (6) Jalpaiguri |
| (3) Bagdogra | (7) Krishnagar |
| (4) Baruaipur | (8) Raiganj |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Thomas D'Souza** (Calcutta)

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3. The BIHAR REGIONAL BISHOPS' COUNCIL (BRBC)

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|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (1) Patna Archdiocese | (4) Buxar |
| (2) Bettiah | (5) Muzaffarpur |
| (3) Bhagalpur | (6) Purnea |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Cajetan Francis Osta** (Muzaffarpur)

Secretary : Most Rev. James Shekhar (Buxar)

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4. The COUNCIL OF BISHOPS OF CHHATTISGARH (CBCG)

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|------------------------|-------------|
| (1) Raipur Archdiocese | (3) Jashpur |
| (2) Ambikapur | (4) Raigarh |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Victor Henry Thakur** (Raipur)

Secretary : Most Rev. Paul Toppo (Raigarh)

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5. The JHARKHAND REGIONAL BISHOPS' COUNCIL (JRBC)

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|-------------------------------|----------------|
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| (2) Daltonganj | (7) Port-Blair |
| (3) Dumka | (8) Simdega |
| (4) Gumla | (9) Hazaribag |
| (5) Jamshedpur | |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Vincent Aind** (Ranchi)

Secretary : Most Rev. Theodore Mascarenhas, S.F.X. (Daltonganj)

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Rev. Fr. Valerian Lobo

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- | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
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| (2) Bellary | (5) Gulbarga | (8) Mysore |
| (3) Belgaum | (6) Karwar | (9) Shimoga |
| | | (10) Udupi |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Peter Machado** (Bangalore)

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) Verapoly Archdiocese | (1) Trivandrum Archdiocese |
| (2) Calicut | (2) Alleppey |
| (3) Cochin | (3) Neyyatinkara |
| (4) Kannur | (4) Punalur |
| (5) Kottapuram | (5) Quilon |
| (6) Sultanpet | |
| (7) Vijayapuram | |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Varghese Chakkalakal** (Calicut)

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8. The COUNCIL OF BISHOPS OF MADHYA PRADESH (CBMP)

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|-------------------------------|--------------|
| (1) Bhopal Archdiocese | (4) Jabalpur |
| (2) Gwalior | (5) Jhabua |
| (3) Indore | (6) Khandwa |

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|------------------------------|----------------------|
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| (2) Jammu-Srinagar | (4) Simla-Chandigarh |

Chairman : **Most Rev. Anil Joseph Thomas Couto** (Delhi)

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- | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) Shillong Archdiocese | (1) Guwahati Archdiocese |
| (2) Agartala | (2) Bongaigaon |
| (3) Aizawl | (3) Dibrugarh |
| (4) Jowai | (4) Diphu |
| (5) Nongstoin | (5) Itanagar |
| (6) Tura | (6) Miao |
| | (7) Tezpur |

(1) **Imphal Archdiocese**

- (2) Kohima

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11. The ODISHA CATHOLIC BISHOPS' COUNCIL (OCBC)

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|---|---------------|
| (1) Cuttack- Bhubaneswar Archdiocese | (3) Berhampur |
| (2) Balasore | (4) Rourkela |
| (5) Sambalpur | (6) Rayagada |

Chairman : **Most Rev. John Barwa, S.V.D.** (Cuttack-Bhubaneswar)

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- (2) Chingleput
- (3) Coimbatore
- (4) Ootacamund
- (5) Vellore

(1) **Pondicherry-Cuddalore Archdiocese**

- (2) Dharmapuri
- (3) Kumbakonam
- (4) Salem
- (5) Thanjavur

(1) **Madurai Archdiocese**

- (2) Dindigul
- (3) Kottar
- (4) Kuzhithurai
- (5) Palayamkottai
- (6) Sivagangai
- (7) Tiruchirappalli
- (8) Tuticorin

Chairman : **Most Rev. George Antonysamy** (Madras-Mylapore)

Secretary : Most Rev. Nazarene Soosai (Kottar)

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- (2) Cuddapah
- (3) Khammam
- (4) Kurnool
- (5) Nalgonda
- (6) Warangal

(1) Visakhapatnam Archdiocese

- (2) Eluru
- (3) Guntur
- (4) Nellore
- (5) Srikakulam
- (6) Vijayawada

Chairman : **His Eminence Anthony Cardinal Poola** (Hyderabad)

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(2) Nashik

(3) Poona

(4) Vasai

(1) Goa and Daman Archdiocese

(2) Sindhudurg

(1) Nagpur Archdiocese

(2) Amravati

(3) Aurangabad

(1) Gandhinagar Archdiocese

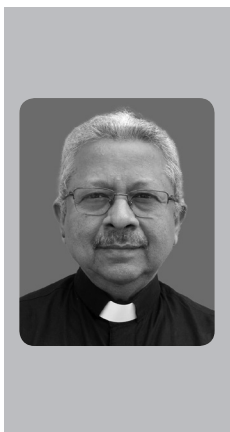
(2) Ahmedabad

(3) Baroda

Chairman : **Most Rev. Elias Gonsalves** (Nagpur)

Secretary : Most Rev. John Rodrigues (Bombay)

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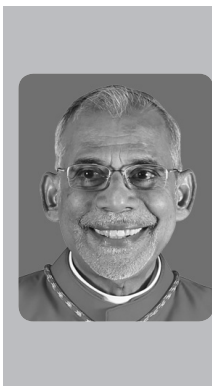


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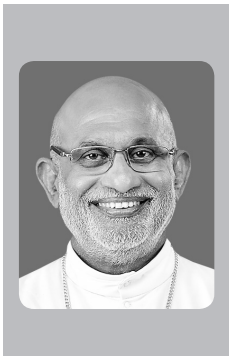
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19. Oriental Churches *Sui Iuris* in India

Syro-Malabar Catholic Church

Chaldean Tradition



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Syro-Malabar

Syro-Malabar Archeparchies / Eparchies

1. Adilabad (Eparchy)- 1999, Telangana
2. Belthangady (Eparchy)-1999, Karnataka
3. Bhadravathi (Eparchy)-2007, Karnataka
4. Bijnor (Eparchy)-1972, UP-Uttarakhand
5. Chanda (Eparchy)-1968, Maharashtra
6. Changanacherry (Archeparchy)-1887, Kerala
7. Chicago St. Thomas, the Apostle (Eparchy)-2001, USA
8. Ernakulam-Angamaly (Archeparchy)-1896, Kerala
9. Faridabad (Eparchy)-2012, Delhi-HP-Haryana-J&K-Punjab
10. Gorakhpur (Eparchy)-1984, HP-UP
11. Great Britain (Eparchy)- 2016, UK
12. Hosur (Eparchy)-2017, Tamil Nadu
13. Idukki (Eparchy)-2003, Kerala
14. Irinjalakuda (Eparchy)-1978, Kerala
15. Jagdalpur (Eparchy)-1972, Chhattisgarh
16. Kalyan (Eparchy)-1988, Maharashtra
17. Kanjirapally (Eparchy)-1977, Kerala
18. Kothamangalam (Eparchy)-1956, Kerala
19. Kottayam (Archeparchy)-1911, Kerala
20. Mananthavady (Eparchy)-1973, Kerala
21. Mandya (Eparchy)-2010, Karnataka
22. Melbourne St. Thomas the Apostle (Eparchy)-2013, Australia
23. Mississauga (Eparchy)-2015, Canada
24. Palai (Eparchy)-1950, Kerala
25. Palghat (Eparchy)-1974, Kerala
26. Rajkot (Eparchy)-1977, Gujarat
27. Ramanathapuram (Eparchy)-2010, Tamil Nadu
28. Sagar (Eparchy)-1968, Madhya Pradesh
29. Satna (Eparchy)-1968, Madhya Pradesh
30. Shamshabad (Eparchy)-2017, Telangana
31. Tellicherry (Archeparchy)-1953, Kerala
32. Thamarassery (Eparchy)-1986, Kerala
33. Thuckalay (Eparchy)-1996, Tamil Nadu
34. Trichur (Archeparchy)-1887, Kerala
35. Ujjain (Eparchy)-1968, Madhya Pradesh

Archeparchies/Eparchies: 35, Bishops: 65

Apostolic Visitations (1)

1. Apostolic Visitation in Europe

Syro-Malankara Catholic Church

Antiochian Tradition



His Beatitude

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2. Archieparchy of Thiruvalla -1932, Kerala
3. Eparchy of Bathery -1978, Kerala
4. Eparchy of Marthandom -1996, Tamil Nadu
5. Eparchy of Muvattupuzha -2003, Kerala
6. Eparchy of Mavelikara -2007, Kerala
7. Eparchy of Pathanamthitta -2010, Kerala
8. Eparchy of Puttur -2010, Karnataka
9. Eparchy of Gurgaon-Delhi, 2015
10. Eparchy of USA & Canada-2015
11. Eparchy of Parassala-2017, Kerala
12. Eparchy of Khadki – Pune 2019, Maharashtra

Major Archieparchy : 01

Archieparchy : 01

Eparchies : 10

Bishops : 16

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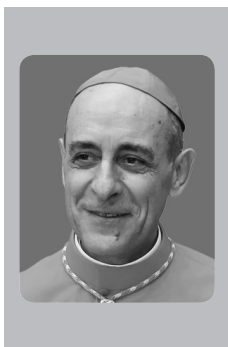
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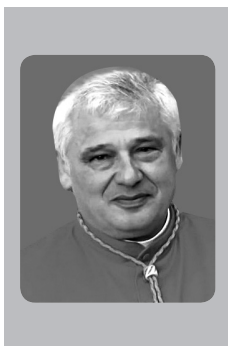
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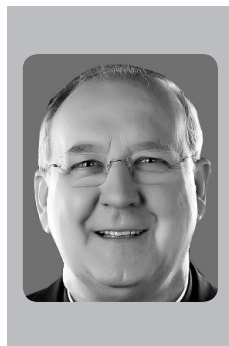


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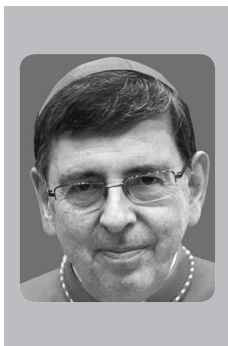


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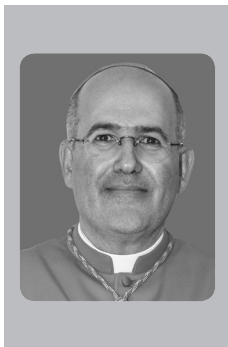


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