

## Plan for the Year 2017

### DIOCESE OF KOHIMA-NAGALAND

#### JANUARY

- 01 Sun Mary, Mother of God / New Year Day  
04 Wed Priestly Ordination of Deacon Peter Solo (Christ King Church, Kohima)  
08 Sun Epiphany of the Lord: Chakhesang Catholic Youth Convention: Zhavame  
10 Tue Priestly Ordination of Deacon Marius: Akuk (Lakhuti Parish)  
12 Thu 31st anniversary of the Priestly Ordination of Bishop James Thoppil  
13 Fri Priestly Ordination of Deacon Salas  
15 Sun Angami and Pouchury Catholic Women Association Convention  
22 Sun Silver Jubilee of Guwahati Archdiocese  
31 Tue (Collection of Membership fee of Rs. 10/- per Catholic is to be completed)

#### FEBRUARY

- 02 Thu Presentation of the Lord  
12 Sun Holy Childhood Day (Collection to help the poor children of the world)  
18 Sat Priestly Ordination of Deacon Obed Yimchunger (Pungro)  
23 Thu Senate meeting (9.00 am, BH, Kohima)  
Meeting of the Heads of Diocesan Commission cum Presidents & Secretaries of CAN. NCWA, NCYM (2.00 pm, Mt.Tabor, Kohima)  
Recollection for Members of the DPC (5.30 pm, Mt.Tabor, Kohima)  
24 Fri Diocesan Pastoral Council meeting (9.30 am Mt.Tabor, Kohima)  
Diocesan Consulters' meeting (5.30 pm, Mt.Tabor, Kohima)  
Last date for Submission of Budget for 2017-2018

#### MARCH

- 01 Wed Ash Wednesday: Holiday for catholic schools; Lenten campaign begins  
Regional meeting to be held as per convenience in the region  
15 Wed Meeting of Provincials & Parish Priests (9.30, BH, Dimapur)  
Regional Animators meeting (2.00 pm, BH, Dimapur)  
18 Sat Formal inauguration of St.Joseph University, Nagaland  
19 Sun Feast of St.Joseph; Sunday Collection for NERCO  
25 Sat Finance Committee meeting for passing the Budgets (9.00 am, BH, Kohima)  
29 Wed Death Anniversary of Fr. George N.A.

#### APRIL

- 09 Sun Palm Sunday  
10 Mon Consulters' Meeting (10.30 am, BH, Kohima)  
Priests' meeting (2.00 pm, Mt.Tabor) DF Meeting (5.00 pm, Mt.Tabor)  
11 Tue Recollection (9.00 - 12.30 noon) Chrism Mass & Priesthood Day (3.00 pm, Cathedral)  
13 Thu Holy Thursday: (Collection for the maintenance of the Holy See)  
14 Fri Good Friday: (Collection for the Holy Land)  
15 Sat Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil  
16 Sun Easter Sunday  
19 Wed UFC Profession  
22 Sat Golden Jubilee: St.John School, Tuensang

#### MAY

- 06 Sat Vestition at GSS  
07 Sun Vocation Sunday (Collection: St Peter the Apostle)  
24 Wed Feast of Mary Help of Christians; SDB Profession

#### JUNE

- 04 Sun Feast of Pentecost

11 Sun Feast of the Most Holy Trinity  
 14 Wed Consulters meeting (9.30 am, BH, Kohima)  
 18 Sun Corpus Christi  
 20-23 Catechists' Retreat  
 23 Fri Sacred Heart of Jesus  
 23-26 First Vocation Camp (Meluri)  
 24 Sat Finance Committee meeting (2.30 pm BH, Kohima)  
 26-30 Retreat for the Sisters  
 29 Thu Sts. Peter and Paul

### **JULY**

02 Sun Collection: Peter's pence  
 03 Mon Feast of St. Thomas  
 02-08 Retreat for Priests  
 25 Tue Feast of St James (Name Feast of Bishop James Thoppil)  
 28 Fri Feast of St. Alphonsa

### **AUGUST**

03 Thu Senate (10.30 am, BH, Kohima), Consulters' meeting (2.00 pm, BH, Kohima)  
 Vianney day celebrations at Jakhama: DF meetings  
 04 Fri Feast of St. John Mary Vianney:  
 05 Sat FMA Profession;  
 06 Sun 17th Sunday of the Year (Collection for Priests' Retirement Fund)  
 15 Tue Assumption of Our Lady / Independence Day

### **SEPTEMBER**

03 Sun 22nd Sunday (Collection to support Seminaries)  
 08 Fri Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary,  
 Episcopal Ordination Day of Bishop James Thoppil,  
 08-10 Regional Pastoral Conference, Guwahati  
 11-13 Regional Bishops' Council  
 23 Sat Finance Committee meeting (2.30 pm, BH, Kohima)

### **OCTOBER**

02 Mon Gandhi Jayanthi  
 12 Thu General Body meeting of CEDOK (9.00 am, Holy Cross)  
 Meeting of the Commission Chairmen & Regional Animators (2.00 am, BHD), Priests'  
 Recollection: 5.30 pm (Holy Cross, Dimapur)  
 13 Fri Meeting of the Consulters (9.00 pm, BH, Dimapur)  
 15 Sun Mission Sunday (Collection to support the missions) Second  
 Vocation Camp (St. Joseph Parish, Chumukedima)

### **NOVEMBER**

01 Wed All Saints' Day  
 02 Thu All Souls' Day (Holiday for Catholic Schools)  
 18 Sat Death Anniversary of Bishop Abraham  
 25 Sat Finance Committee meeting (2.30 pm, BH, Dimapur)  
 26 Sun Christ the King, Catechists' Day (Collection to support Catechists)

### **DECEMBER**

03 Sun First Sunday of Advent,  
 08 Fri Feast of Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 11 Mon Senate meeting (5.30 pm, BH, Dimapur)  
 12 Tue Priests' meeting (9.00 am) Recollection for priests (5.30 pm, Holy Cross, Dimapur)  
 13 Wed Consulters' meeting (9.00 am, BH, Dimapur)  
 24 Sun 4th Sunday of Advent (Collection, Pro-Afris)  
 25 Mon Christmas