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SYRIAN CHURCHES OF INDIA
Organizer: Zacharias P. Thundy
Northern Michigan University

VIII. CRISIS IN THE SYRIAN CHURCHES OF INDIA
Chair: Victor Z. Nareyek, Jacksonville, Fl.

9 am  “Conflicts in the Indian Syrian Church: A Historical Overview”
      Cyriac Pullapilly
      Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN

9:30 am  “Chaldeanize or Dechaldeanize? Current Liturgical Controversies in the Indian Syrian Church”
          Jose Kuriedeth, Toronto, Canada

10 am  “Mar Thoma Sliva or Manichean Cross?”
       Jose Kuriedeth, Toronto, Canada

IX. MUSICAL TRADITION OF THE SYRIAN CHRISTIANS OF INDIA
Chair: Kurikose Athapilly
Western Michigan University

1 pm  “Melodies of the Indian Syriac Liturgy and the Divine Office”
      Victor Z. Nareyek, Jacksonville, Fl.; and
      Zacharias P. Thundy, Northern Michigan University

1:30 pm  “Problems and Issues in the Study of Syriac Chants in India”
          Joseph J. Palackal, New York University

2 pm  “Melodies of St. Ephrem and Other Syrian Masters in the Syrian Church of India”

X. EXEGESIS
Chair: Gregory Sterling, University of Notre Dame

9 am  “Ode 19 and the Textual History of John 1:13”
      Basil S. Davis, University of Notre Dame

9:30 am  “The Pledge of the Spirit in the Liber Graduum”
          Amy Donaldson, University of Notre Dame

10 am  Break

10:15 am  “Exegetical Techniques in Ephrem’s Homily on Our Lord”
           Angela Kim, University of Notre Dame

10:45 am  “Jewish Exegetical Themes in Two Memre Attributed to Mar Ephrem”
          Walter Ray, University of Notre Dame