



**MALANKARA ORTHODOX
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Blessings to all the Vicars and General Body Members of the Diocese of UK-Europe and Africa in the name of the Blessed Holy Trinity:

Dear Fathers and Respected Members,

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING (AGM)

Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labour in vain. (Psalm 127:1)

Notice is hereby given to the elected General body members that Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) of the Diocese of UK–Europe and Africa of the Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church will be convened to prayerfully deliberate and decide on matters of the life and mission of the Diocese.

Date : Saturday, 30 May 2026

Time : 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Venue : Erdington URC Church, Holly Lane, Erdington, Birmingham B249JS
United Kingdom. (Hosted by St. Stephen's IOC, Birmingham)

Agenda

1. Opening Prayer
2. Minutes of the Previous General Body Meeting and Matters Arising
3. Annual Report 2025 - 2026
4. Financial Statements 2025 - 2026
5. Budget 2026 - 2027
6. Diocesan Property Updates and Financial Campaign
7. Any other Business approved by the Chair
8. Concluding Prayer and Benediction

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To facilitate a smooth and fruitful discussion, members are encouraged to submit any queries or suggestions pertaining to the agenda in advance, by emailing them no later than 23 May 2026 to: diocesansecretary@indianorthodoxuk.org

Registration and Attendance:

While we urge the full participation of all clergy and elected General Body members, a Google Form will be circulated shortly to confirm attendance and assist in logistical preparations. Kindly ensure the form is completed by 23 May 2026.

Members of the General Body are earnestly requested to participate prayerfully, seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, so that the decisions taken may serve the glory of God and the strengthening of the Diocese's pastoral and missional witness.

God bless,

+ Metropolitan Abraham Stephanos