

# OVBS IN RAS AL KHAIMAH ST MARY'S ORTHODOX CHURCH



Ras Al Khaimah St Mary's Orthodox Church has geared up for a great time or Sunday school Children in OVBS- 2013. The theme shall be "We are one in Christ" Gal 3; 28.

This year the OVBS shall be conducted in the newly consecrated Church Complex in Jazeera for the first time .A parish which moved from house churches to porta-cabins and rented places this starting is a great testimony. There was a time in Ras Al Kaimah where there was no Qurbana for few years after the establishment of the parish. Sunday school was the main activity among the faithful in that period.All the parishioners are thrilled for this first OVBS in the new Church. We thanks the magnanimity of RAK ruler H E Sheik Saud Bin Saqr Al Quasmi for donating the land free of cost and permitting us to worship here.

This year the OVBS is functioning under the leadership of Rev Fr. Manoj N Rajan the Vicar of the church and Rev Fr. Joe Mathew (Hydrabad) shall be the OVBS Resource Person.

Mr Sunny Varghese shall be the Superintendent, Mr Dejoy Paulose the Convener and Mrs Kunjumol Raju secretary. Sunday School U A E Zonal Secretary Mr Saji Varghese shall lead the Music training for children. Mr Kunjoomen Mathew shall serve as the Finance Convener and Ajith Abraham Jacob and Koshy Varghese shall be in charge of refreshments for children. This year the OVBS is planned with new and interesting events for children like Talents show, Treasure hunt, and a student team under the guidance of Activity coordinators shall make a short film along with thrilling outdoor activities.