



Christian Conference of Asia

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To

CCA Member Churches and Councils

Sub: CCA Asia Sunday – 2017: 15 October 2017

Dear Ecumenical Colleagues,

Greetings from CCA.

Every year CCA celebrates the Asia Sunday on Sunday before the Pentecost Special liturgy and publicity materials have been produced and shared with CCA member churches and councils for years. However, in recent years CCA has not been receiving encouraging reports of the observance of Asia Sunday by churches and councils. In this context, CCA Secretariat has been trying to find ways in making a qualitative difference to observe the Asia Sunday every year.

As CCA will complete 60 years of its founding in 2017 in conjunction with the Asia Mission Conference (AMC), the Executive Committee of CCA decided to focus the theme of the Asia Sunday-2017 on the same theme of the Asia Mission Conference. You might recall that we have already informed the member churches and councils about the Asia Mission Conference and the commemorative celebration of the Diamond Jubilee of CCA in conjunction with the AMC to be held from 11 to 17 October 2017 in Yangon, Myanmar. The Officers of CCA decided to propose and encourage CCA member churches and councils to observe the **Asia Sunday-2017 on 15 October**, which coincides with the regional commemorative celebration of the Diamond Jubilee of CCA. The theme of the **Asia Sunday** is '**Journeying Together: Prophetic Witness to the Truth and Light, in Asia**'.

The Officers of CCA would request all member churches and councils of CCA to observe the Asia Sunday-2017 on 15 October and organise special services / prayers for CCA and its witness. We look forward to your continued support and encouragement as CCA enters into a new era of celebrating its mission and witness in Asia.

With all good wishes and prayers,

Yours along the journey

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