

Pr./Chaplain Chandradass Ephraim

(Bio)

Pr. Chandradass Ephraim is a third generation Seventh-day Adventist from the Pioneer SDA Church at Prakasapuram, Tamil Nadu, India. His parental guidance, the baptismal covenant, the academic choice of religion, and the passion for the gospel ministry prepared and transformed him to be a graduate of Spicer Memorial College, the University of Pune, India, and Andrews University/Seminary in the USA. Being a licensed minister in India, his call was highlighted by his evangelistic association with Dr. John Willmott during 1970's.

Also, he is blessed with the grand pastoral ordination, officiated by the Potomac Conference of the SDA Church at the Takoma Park SDA church in 2007, with the sacred acknowledgement of his consecration for the specialized ministry of chaplaincy. Additionally, he is a Board Certified chaplain with the Ecclesiastical Endorsement credential issued by the Adventist Chaplaincy Ministry at the General Conference level. On this ministerial path, he has been touching the lives of patients and family members of inter-faith traditions in the local area hospitals. Not only has he committed the deceased believers to dust who died in Christ with the hope of resurrection, but also he has led believers for the spiritual burial and resurrection in the baptistery of Spencerville SDA church, Takoma Park SDA Church, and SASDAC. He is married to Lilly from Kerala, India, and blessed with two lovely daughters: Sheba and Virginia are graduates of the University of Maryland. He loves the Lord and desires to walk humbly for His glory.