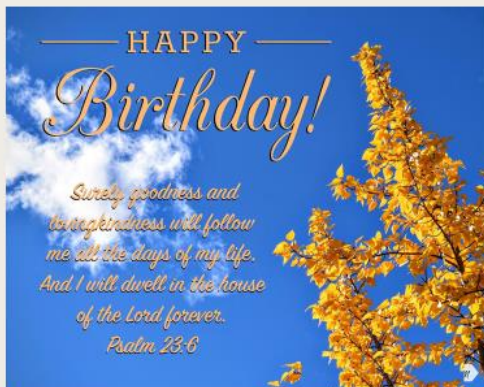
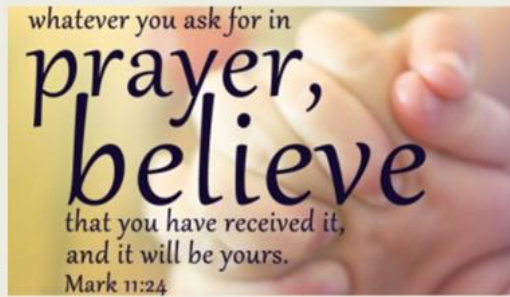
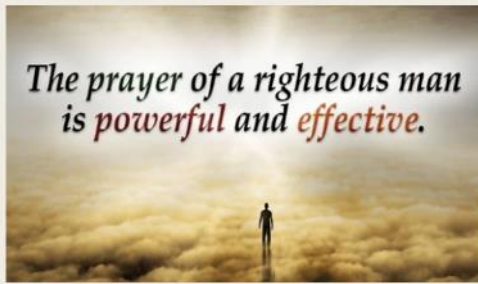
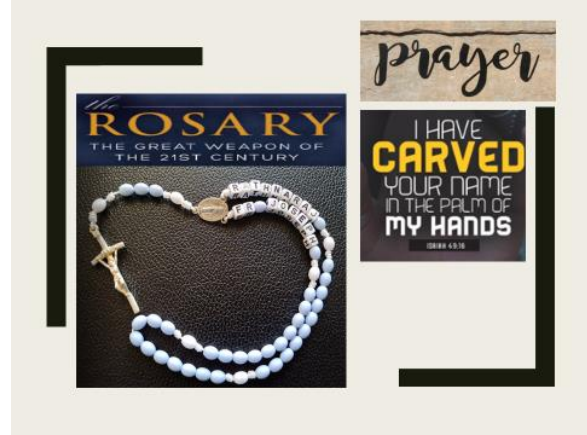
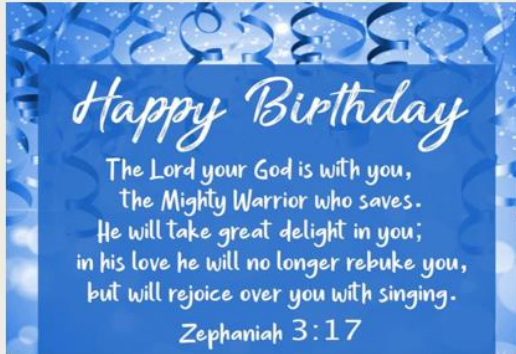
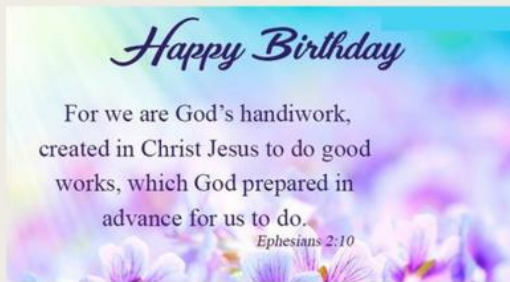
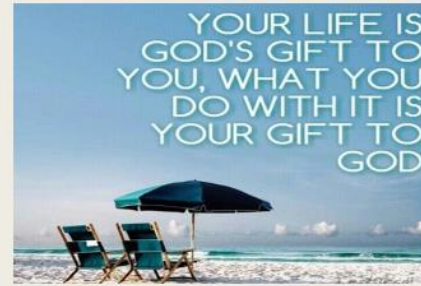
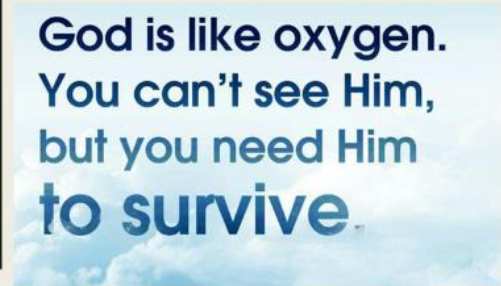
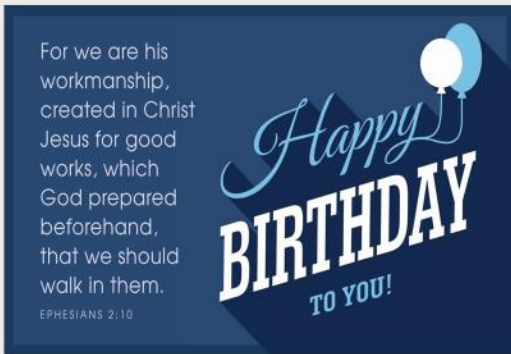


Fr Joseph's 75th Birthday

Symbolic Gifts

A POWERPOINT PRESENTATION





**O Jesus, our great High Priest,
Hear our humble prayers
on behalf of our parish priest,
Father Joseph Rathnaraj.
Give him a deep faith,
a bright and firm hope
and a burning love
which will ever increase
in the course of his priestly life.**

In his loneliness, comfort him
In his sorrows, strengthen him
In his frustrations, point out to
him that it is through suffering
that the soul is purified,
and show him
that he is needed by the Church,
he is needed by souls,
he is needed
for the work of redemption.

O loving Mother Mary,
Mother of Priests, take to your
heart your son

Fr Joseph Rathnaraj

who is close to you because of
his priestly ordination,
and because of the power which
he has received to carry on the
work of Christ in a world which
needs him so much.

Be his comfort,
be his joy,
be his strength,
and especially help him
to live and to defend the
ideals of consecrated celibacy.

Amen.

*May the Almighty go on to add
more years of happiness and
good health to your life.*

*Happy
Birthday*