



# COIMBATORE NEWS LETTER

DECEMBER 2024



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வேலூர் மறைமாவட்டத்தின்  
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## Highlights of previous Month



State Level Legal Cell Meeting - Property  
Software Launching, Bishop's House



Holy Mass, St. Michael's  
Cathedral, Coimbatore



All Souls Day Mass, St. Michael's Cathedral



All Souls Day Mass, Sungam Cemetery



Mass for Deceased to Benefactors,  
St. Michael's Cathedral



Mass for Deceased to Bishops and Priests,  
St. Michael's Cathedral



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## Pope's Message

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
Merry Christmas!



The eyes and the hearts of Christians throughout the world turn to Bethlehem; in these days, it is a place of sorrow and silence, yet it was there that the long-awaited message was first proclaimed: "To you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord" (Lk 2:11). Those words spoken by the angel in the heavens above Bethlehem are also spoken to us. We are full of hope and trust as we realize that the Lord has been born for us; that the eternal Word of the Father, the infinite God, has made his home among us. He became flesh; he came "to dwell among us" (Jn 1:14). This is the good news that changed the course of history!

The message of Bethlehem is indeed "good news of great joy" (Lk 2:10). What kind of joy? Not the passing happiness of this world, not the glee of entertainment but a joy that is "great" because it makes us great. For today, all of us, with all our shortcomings, embrace the sure promise of an unprecedented gift: the hope of being born for heaven. Yes, Jesus our brother has come to make his Father our Father; a small child, he reveals to us the tender love of God, and much more. He, the Only-Begotten Son of the Father, gives us "power to become children of God" (Jn 1:12). This is the joy that consoles hearts,

renews hope and bestows peace. It is the joy of the Holy Spirit: the joy born of being God's beloved sons and daughters.

Brothers and sisters, today in Bethlehem, amid the deep shadows covering the land, an undying flame has been lighted. Today the world's darkness has been overcome by the light of God, which "enlightens every man and woman" (Jn 1:9). Brothers and sisters, let us exult in this gift of grace! Rejoice, you who have lost confidence in your certitudes, for you are not alone: Christ is born for you! Rejoice, you who have abandoned all hope, for God offers you his outstretched hand; he does not point a finger at you, but offers you his little baby hand, in order to set you free from your fears, to relieve you of your burdens and to show you that, in his eyes, you are more valuable than anything else. Rejoice, you who find no peace of heart, for the ancient prophecy of Isaiah has been fulfilled for your sake: "a child has been born for us, a son given to us, and he is named... Prince of Peace" (9:6). Scripture reveals that his peace, his kingdom, "will have no end" (9:7).

In the Scriptures, the Prince of Peace is opposed by the "Prince of this world" (Jn 12:31), who, by sowing the seeds of death, plots against the Lord, "the lover of life" (cf. Wis 11:26). We see this played out in Bethlehem, where the birth of the Saviour is followed by the slaughter of the innocents. How many innocents are being slaughtered in our world! In their mothers' wombs, in odysseys undertaken in desperation and in search of hope, in the lives of all those little ones whose childhood has been devastated by war. They are the little Jesuses of today, these little ones whose childhood has been devastated by war.

To say "yes" to the Prince of Peace, then, means saying "no" to war, to every war and to do so with courage, to the very mindset of war, an aimless voyage, a defeat without victors, an inexcusable folly. This is what war is: an aimless voyage, a defeat without victors, an inexcusable folly. To say "no" to war means saying "no" to weaponry. The human heart is weak and impulsive; if we find instruments of death in our hands, sooner



or later we will use them. And how can we even speak of peace, when arms production, sales and trade are on the rise? Today, as at the time of Herod, the evil that opposes God's light hatches its plots in the shadows of hypocrisy and concealment. How much violence and killing takes place amid deafening silence, unbeknownst to many! People, who desire not weapons but bread, who struggle to make ends meet and desire only peace, have no idea how many public funds are being spent on arms. Yet that is something they ought to know! It should be talked about and written about, so as to bring to light the interests and the profits that move the puppet-strings of war.

Isaiah, who prophesied the Prince of Peace, looked forward to a day when "nation shall not lift up sword against nation", a day when men "will not learn war any more", but instead "beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruning hooks" (2:4). With God's help, let us make every effort to work for the coming of that day!

May it come in Israel and Palestine, where war is devastating the lives of those peoples. I embrace them all, particularly the Christian communities of Gaza, the parish of Gaza, and the entire Holy Land. My heart grieves for the victims of the abominable attack of 7 October last, and I reiterate my urgent appeal for the liberation of those still being held hostage. I plead for an end to the military operations with their appalling harvest of innocent civilian victims, and call for a solution to the desperate humanitarian situation by an opening to the provision of humanitarian aid. May there be an end to the fueling of violence and hatred. And may the Palestinian question come to be resolved through sincere and persevering dialogue between the parties, sustained by strong political will and the support of the international community. Brothers and sisters, let us pray for peace in Palestine and in Israel.

My thoughts turn likewise to the people of war-torn Syria, and to those of long-suffering Yemen. I think too of the beloved Lebanese people, and I pray that political and social stability will soon be attained.

Contemplating the Baby Jesus, I implore peace for Ukraine. Let us renew our spiritual and human closeness to its embattled people, so that through the support of each of us, they may feel the concrete reality of God's love.

May the day of definitive peace between Armenia and Azerbaijan draw near. May it be advanced by the pursuit of humanitarian initiatives, by the return of refugees to their homes in legality and security, and by reciprocal respect for religious traditions and the places of worship of each community.

Let us not forget the tensions and conflicts that trouble the region of the Sahel, the Horn of Africa and Sudan, as well as Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and South Sudan.

May the day draw near when fraternal bonds will be consolidated on the Korean peninsula by undertaking processes of dialogue and reconciliation capable of creating the conditions for lasting peace.

May the Son of God, who became a lowly Child, inspire political authorities and all persons of good will in the Americas to devise suitable ways to resolve social and political conflicts, to combat forms of poverty that offend the dignity of persons, to reduce inequality and to address the troubling phenomenon of migration movements.

From the manger, the Child Jesus asks us to be the voice of those who have no voice. The voice of the innocent children who have died for lack of bread and water; the voice of those who cannot find work or who have lost their jobs; the voice of those forced to flee their lands in search of a better future, risking their lives in grueling journeys and prey to unscrupulous traffickers.

Brothers and sisters, we are approaching the season of grace and hope that is the Jubilee, due to begin a year from now. May this time of preparation for the Holy Year be an opportunity for the conversion of hearts, for the rejection of war and the embrace of peace, and for joyfully responding to the Lord's call, in the words of Isaiah's prophecy, "to bring good news to the oppressed, to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to



the captives, and release to the prisoners” (61:1).

Those words were fulfilled in Jesus (cf. Lk 4:18), who is born today in Bethlehem. Let us welcome him! Let us open our hearts to him, who is the Saviour, the Prince of Peace!

## **Bishop's Message**

Dear Rev. Fathers, Religious and People of God,

I take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry and Joyous Christmas and a Grace-filled New Year. May Baby Jesus bless you all throughout the year 2025. Christmas is the birth day of the Lord Jesus, the greatest of all birthdays. It is the birthday of the Son of God who has come to be with us. His birthday is also our birthday because we become children of God in the Son of God. To all those who receive him and believe in his name, he gives power to become children of God. This is the news of great joy. Let us give a joyful and hearty welcome to the Lord who comes to us, to our hearts and minds. He is Emmanuel, God with us. In him God's love and grace has been revealed. His coming has made salvation possible. He being Emmanuel, let us see the face of Christ in all our fellowmen, particularly in the poor, the abandoned, the waifs and strays etc.,

The new year has dawned and the old year has already passed into the past. As the new year has just stepped in, let us welcome this year with joy, hope and expectation. It is a precious gift from the hands of our loving Father in Heaven. We learn lessons from our past experiences. We grasp the present and step into the future with trust in God and self-confidence. With blessings of God, the new year be one of joy and peace.

Today we honour Mary as the Mother of God. Mary gave birth to Jesus and so undoubtedly is the mother of Jesus. As Elizabeth said, Mary is "the mother of my Lord (luke 1/43)". Jesus clearly says from the cross, "She is your mother (Jn 19/27)". God wants the mother to be honoured. So today, we are

celebrating the Mother of God and our Mother. As her children, we should learn from Mary the lessons of authentic Christian living. Mary teaches us both by example and word. Our love and admiration for Mary should lead us imitate her. Her unwavering faith, surrender to God's will, obedience etc., are all shining examples for us to imitate. Through her intercession, let the new year be filled with God's manifold blessings.

Wishing you again a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year

Yours devotedly in Christ  
**+L. Thomas Aquinas**  
 Bishop of Coimbatore

### Bishop's Engagements

Date/Time	Programme	Place
01.12.2024 Sun / Mor	Feast, Holy Communion and Confirmation	St. Francis Xavier's Church, Sowripalayam.
05.12.2024 Thu / Mor	Commissions Secretaries Christmas Celebration	Pastoral Centre, Bishop's House.
07.12.2024 Sat / Mor	Christmas Celebration	St. Antony's Matric. Hr. Sec. School, Ganaeshapuram
08.12.2024 Sun / Mor	Feast Mass	St. Mary's Church, Erode Town.
Eve	Christmas – Sharing Day	St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore
09.12.2024 Mon/ Eve	Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Elect Msgr. Ambrose Pitchaimuthu	Vellore
10.12.2024 Tue / Eve	Christmas Celebration	St. Michael's Hr. Sec. School, Coimbatore.



Date/Time	Programme	Place
14.12.2024 Sat / Mor	CRI Christmas Celebration	Jeeva Jothi, Bishop's House.
	Madha TV Agents Meeting and Christmas Celebration	Bishop's House
15.12.2024 Sun / Eve	Meeting with Lawyers	K.G. Chavadi, Coimbatore
	Sing O' Bethlehem	St. Sebastin's Church, SITRA.
16.12.2024 Mon / Mor	Monthly Recollection & Blessing of Renovated Chapel	Jeeva Jothi Ashram, Bishop's House.
17.12.2024 Tue	Meeting with the Auditor	Bishop's House.
19.12.2024 Thu / Eve	Christmas Celebration	Bishop's House.
21.12.2024 Sat / Mor	Blessing of New Shops	TASSOS, Tiruchirappalli.
24.12.2024 Tue/Midnight	Christmas Mass	St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore.
27.12.2024 Fri / Eve	Centenary Celebration Mass, Holy Communion and Confirmation	Sacred Heart Church, Valparai.
29.12.2024 Sun / Eve	Solemn Inauguration of Jubilee year 2025	St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore
31.12.2024 Tue/Midnight	New Year Mass	St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore

## From Vicar General's Desk

Christmas wishes to you.

In December, the monthly recollection will be on **16th December, 2024, Monday**. Please come without fail.

10.00 AM – Coffee

10.30 AM – Talk followed by Adoration and Confession

12.30 PM – Lunch

### MEDICAL FUND PAID FROM 26.10.2024 to 20.11.2024

S.No	PARISH	AMOUNT
1	RATHINAPURI PARISH	10,000.00
2	GROTTO PARISH	10,000.00
3	ERODE TOWN PARISH	10,000.00
	TOTAL	30,000.00

## COIMBATORE FIDES EDUCATION TRUST

Dear Rev. Fathers,

This year (2024) "Coimbatore Fides Education Trust" has disbursed a sum of Rs. 10,98,000/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Ninety Eight Thousand Only) as scholarship. Out of 355 applications received, after careful verification and checking, 262 applications were approved and 93 were rejected. Majority of rejections were due to, not attaching the necessary documents and not securing 50 % of marks in each subject. Very few over the income of the parents. The awardees consist of 84 boys and 178 girls from 46 parishes.



The cadre wise split-up details of the awardees are given below:

**I. Ph.D & Research Scholars:**

Ph.D : 1

Total : 1 x Rs. 10,000 = Rs. 10,000

**II. M.Phil & P.G. in Professional Course:**

M.Phil. M.E., 2

Total : 2 x Rs. 7,000 = Rs. 14,000

**III. PG & Professional Courses:**

M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., MCA.,

MBA, MSW. : 29

B.E., B.Tech.,

B.Sc.(Agri), B.D.S,

M.B.B.S : 66

Total : 95 x Rs. 5,000 = Rs. 4,75,000

**IV. PARAMEDICALS:**

BPT., B.Sc.(OT & AT),

B(Pharm), B.Sc (Cardio)

B.Sc.(Nur).,

B.Sc.(Lab Asst)., : 25

Total 25 x Rs. 4,500 = Rs. 1,12,500

**V. UG & Diploma Courses:**

B.A., B.Sc., B.Com., B.C.A.,

BBA., B.Ed. : 134

General Nursing

(DGNM) 5

Total : 139 x Rs. 3,500 = Rs. 4,86,000

**GRAND TOTAL = Rs. 10,98,000**

The Parish Priests are requested to send back the duly signed in Vouchers of the students along with the acknowledgment receipts on or before 31st, January 2025.

## THE FIDES EDUCATION TRUST PARISH ALLOTMENT DETAILS - 2024

S. NO	PARISH PRIEST & PARISH	No of Students	Amount
1	Rev.Fr. Alex Antony Lawrence SITRA	4	15,500.00
2	Rev. Fr. Mathew Judepaul AKKARAIKODIVERY	3	13,500.00
3	Rev. Fr. Maria Joseph. A AVINASHI	5	18,500.00
4	Rev. Fr. Ignasimuthu Premkumar BHAVANISAGAR	5	18,500.00
5	Rev. Fr. Arokiaraj Stephen CATHEDRAL	5	21,500.00
6	Rev. Fr. I. Andrew CHERAN MA NAGAR	2	7,000.00
7	Rev. Fr. Victor Antonyraj, CHINNA DHARAPURAM	6	25,000.00
8	Rev. Fr. Lazar Sundarraj ERODE RLY COLONY	2	9,500.00
9	Rev. Fr. Rayappan , ERODE TOWN	7	29,000.00
10	Rev. Fr. Maria Antony Paul GOBI	2	8,500.00
11	Rev.Fr. Jeraldin IYERPADI	2	9,000.00
12	Rev.Fr. Victor Paulraj JOTHIPURAM	5	22,500.00
13	Rev. Fr. Arul Oubagaram KANNAMPALAYAM	6	22,500.00
14	Rev. Fr. K.M.C. Arun, KARUMATHAMPATTI	8	29,500.00
15	Rev. Fr. A.T.S. Kennedy GOUNDAMPALAYAM	7	30,000.00
16	Rev. Fr. A.M.A. Lawrence KARUR	19	77,500.00
17	Rev. Fr. Irudayaraj Xavier, KANGAYAM	5	22,500.00



18	Rev. Fr. Xavier Claudius KOMARAPALAYAM	3	13,000.00
19	Rev. Fr. David Alaxander KOLAPPALUR	3	14,000.00
20	Rev. Fr. Lourdu Alexis Xavier KUNIAMUTHUR	8	31,000.00
21	Rev. Fr. Antony Lawrence MADATHUKULAM	6	23,500.00
22	Rev.Fr. Hyacinth MADUKKARAI	3	12,000.00
23	Rev.Fr.Hendry Lawrence, METTUPALAYAM Antony's	8	31,500.00
24	Rev. Fr. Francis Gerard, METTUPALAYAM Grotto	15	65,000.00
25	Rev.Fr. Paul Sagayaraj, MUDIS	3	15,000.00
26	Rev.Fr. Patrick Irudayaraj ONDIPUDUR	8	32,500.00
27	Rev. Fr. Joy Jayaseelen O.K. MANDAPAM	3	18,500.00
28	Rev. Fr. P.Antony Gnpragasam PALLADAM	12	47,500.00
29	Rev. Fr. Kulandaisamy, PALLAPALAYAM	8	31,000.00
30	Rev. Fr. Justin Xavier PERUNTHURAI	3	13,500.00
31	Rev. Fr. Sebastian Durai SIDCO	1	7,000.00
32	Rev. Fr. Gerlin PORULUR	1	5,000.00
33	Rev. Fr. Arokia YudhaThatheus, PUGALUR	2	10,000.00
34	Rev. Fr. Pitchaimuthu PASUPATHIPALAYAM	7	32,000.00
35	Rev. Fr. Joseph Dhanraj RATHINAPURI	14	57,500.00
36	Rev. Fr. Thadaeus Paulraj R.S.PURAM	7	28,500.00
37	Rev. Fr. George Sagayaraj SHOLAYARDAM	3	12,000.00

38	Rev. Fr. Maria Joseph SOWRIPALAYAM CBE	13	54,500.00
39	Rev. Fr. Joseph Suthakar SULUR	2	7,000.00
40	Rev. Fr. Philip TIRUPUR - JOSEPHS	9	37,500.00
41	Rev. Fr. Arul Jabamalai Raj, TIRUPUR - St. CATHRINE	8	32,500.00
42	Rev. Fr. Sebastin Maria Sundaram TIRUPUR - NALLUR	8	37,000.00
43	Rev. Fr. Valsas Edward Vimal VADAVALLI	3	15,000.00
44	Rev. Fr. Antony Felix VALIPALAYAM	1	3,500.00
45	Rev. Fr. Jegan Antony VALPARAI	5	21,000.00
46	Rev. Fr. Joseph David, VISUVASAPURAM	2	10000.00

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1098000.00

### CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR MINISTRY 2024 – 2025

S.no.	Name Of The Priest	Place Of Ministry
1.	Rev. Fr. Rosario Vinoth	Komarapalayam
2.	Rev. Fr. Edward Gnanasekar	Somanur
3.	Rev. Fr. Christopher Roach	Railway Colony, Erode
4.	Rev. Fr. Vincent Pushparaj	Vedar Colony, Mettupalayam
5.	Rev. Fr. C. Lawrence	Gobi
6.	Rev. Fr. Arokia Thadayus	Mother Theresa Convent
7.	Rev. Fr. Antony Vinodh	Pooluvapatti, Selvapuram
8.	Rev. Fr. Antony Jesuraj	IC Convent
9.	Rev. Fr. Arokia Pradeep	Vedapatty, Vadavalli
10.	Rev. Fr. Alex Antony Samy	Marianallur
11.	Rev. Fr. Pichai Robert	Venkatapuram
12.	Rev. Fr. R.D.E. Jerome	Nerur, Karur
13.	Rev. Fr. Gnanapragasam	Pongalur, Palladam
14.	Rev. Fr. Maria Benito	Ganapathy
15.	Rev. Fr. Kirubakaranathan	Thayagam, Ondipudur.



16. Rev. Fr. Rayappadass
17. Rev. Fr. Antony Yesuraj
18. Rev. Fr. Immanuvel

Francis Convent  
Avinashi  
Valparai

Yours fraternally,  
**V. Rev. Fr John Joseph Stanis,**  
*Vicar General & Secretary to the Trust*

### **Bible Commission**

On Sunday morning, 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2024, Bible Sunday was celebrated grandly at the Church of St. John De Britto, R. S. Puram. The procession began from the Sacristy with the kids who were dressed up in different Biblical characters, carrying the Holy Bible. Fr. C. Lawrence presided the Holy Mass. In his homily, he spoke about six-fold characteristics of the Word of God, that is, Word of God as Creative, Word of God as Life-Giving, Word of God as Healing, Word of God as Comfort and Consolation, Word of God as Forgiving Sins and Word of God offering Eternal Life. After the Holy Mass, the Mega Bible Museum was opened to the faithful. Besides Our Lady of Lourdes and Our Lady of Fatima, Four mysteries of Faith, namely the Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful and Glorious Mysteries were vividly presented by the Catechism Students. The Bible Museum was fabulous, creative, inspiring and informative. Congratulations to Rev. Fr. A. Thadeus Paulraj, Bro. Praveen Fernando, Catechism Teachers, Students, and the Parishioners.

On Sunday evening, 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2024, Bible Sunday was celebrated grandly at the Church of St. Thomas, Avinashi. The procession began with the kids dressed up in different Biblical characters, carrying the Holy Bible. Fr. C. Lawrence presided the Holy Mass and, in his homily, he enumerated the importance and significance of the Word of God. He also exhorted the faithful to read, reflect and live the Word of God. After the Holy Mass, Mega Bible Cultural Fest was conducted.

12 Anbiamas presented the Biblical themes and Biblical Characters through Songs, Villupattu, Drama and Dance. They vividly presented the story of Prophets Elijah, Samuel and John the Baptist, Miracles of Jesus, and Seven Sacraments. The Bible Mega Cultural Fest ended with the distribution of Prizes to the Participants and Winners. One could see the zeal and enthusiasm of the faithful of this parish. Congratulations to Rev. Fr. Maria Joseph, FMM Sisters, Catechism Teachers, Students, Members of Anbiamas, and the Parishioners.

Bible Commission is pleased to inform that the Sixth Class of the Sixth Cycle of Certificate course was conducted on 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2024 at Jeeva Jyothi Ashram, Bishop's House, Coimbatore. There were more than 100 participants. Fr. C. Lawrence conducted all four sessions. He initiated the first session with questions to raise curiosity in the mind of the participants. He gave a detailed introduction on the Book of Revelation, mentioning, Apocalyptic Literary Genre, Roman Empire and Emperor Worship, and the Seven Churches in Asia Minor (Modern Turkey). He also explained the Book of Revelation as a Drama, having Director as the Heavenly Father, Jesus as the Hero, the Story as Life of Suffering Christian, John as the Script Writer, Angels as the Companions of Hero, The Suffering Church as Heroine, Satan as Villain and Roman Emperor and Officials as Companions of Villain. He also explained the use of Symbols and their significance in the Book of Revelation. He explained the first five chapter of the Book of Revelation word by word and sentence by sentence. He clarified the following phrases and concepts: "things that must soon take place" "The Seven Spirits" "The Seven Churches in Asia" "Behold, He is coming with the clouds" "Scroll" "Seven Golden Lamp Stands" "Seven Stars" "Nicolaitans" "Throne of Satan" "Key of David" "I am coming soon" "Throne" "Seven Seals" "they sang a new song" etc. One could see the zeal, enthusiasm and thirst of the participants. Finally, Fr. C. Lawrence responded to the participants' queries.

I extend my sincere thanks to the Most Rev. Dr. L. Thomas Aquinas, Bishop of Coimbatore for his continuous prayer and



support. My heartfelt thanks to Very Rev. Msgr. John Joseph Stanis, Vicar General, Fr. Antony Jesuraj, Director of Pastoral Centre, and Rev. Fr. J. Antony Selvaraj, the procurator. I offer my appreciation to Mr. Alphonse, Mr. Ruben Jeyaraj, Miss. Prabha and Mr. Leo for their meticulous arrangements. I express my gratitude to Mrs. Rani, Mrs. Julie, Daisy and all the volunteers for their service. Glory be to God.

**Rev. Fr. C. Lawrence**  
Secretary, Bible Commission



### ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மையச் செய்திகள்

மறைக்கல்வி பணிக்குழு:

பள்ளிச் சந்திப்பு:

திருப்பூர், சோமனூர், கோவை, வால்பாறை, K.G.வலக, கள்ளியம்புதூர், சவேரியார் பாளையம், சின்னதாராபுரம், அரவக்குறிச்சி, பொள்ளாச்சி ஆகிய இடங்களில் உள்ள பள்ளிகளுக்கு இயக்குநர் தந்தை மற்றும் பள்ளிச் சந்திப்பு குழுவினர் பள்ளிகளுக்கு சென்று குழந்தைகளுக்கு மறைக்கல்வி மற்றும் நன்னெறிக்கல்வி பற்றிய முக்கியத்துவத்தை அறிவுறுத்தி மாணவ, மாணவியர்களை உற்சாகப்படுத்தினர். பள்ளிச் சந்திப்பின் போது ஒத்துழைப்பு கொடுத்து சிறந்த முறையில் ஏற்பாடுகள் செய்த தாளாளர், தலைமை ஆசிரியர்கள் மற்றும் ஆசிரியர்கள் அனைவருக்கும் நன்றிகளும், பாராட்டுகளும்.

மறைக்கல்வி பயிற்சி பாசறை:

கடந்த மாதம் திண்டிவனம் முப்பணி நிலையத்தில் மறைக்கல்வி பணிக்குழு சார்பாக பயிற்சி பாசறை நடைபெற்றது. நமது மறைமாவட்டத்திலிருந்து 2 பேர் பங்கேற்று பயனடைந்தனர்.

பொதுநிலையினர் பணிக்குழு:

திருச்சி பிராட்டியூரில் நடைபெற்ற பொது நிலையினருக்கான பயிற்சி பாசறையில் நமது மறைமாவட்டத்திலிருந்து 4 பேர் கலந்துகொண்டு பயனடைந்தனர்.

வத்திக்கான் சங்க ஏடுகளின் விளக்க உரை

கடந்த நவம்பர் மாதம் 3-ம் தேதியன்று ஈரோடு மறை வட்டத்தைச் சார்ந்த பங்குகளிலிருந்து புனித அமல அன்னை ஆலயத்தில் வத்திக்கான் சங்க ஏடுகள் பற்றிய புத்தாக்க பயிற்சி நடைபெற்றது. இதில் ஏறக்குறைய 76 பேர் பங்கேற்று பயனடைந்தனர். இந்தப்



பயிற்சியை நல்லாயன் குருகுல பேராசிரியர் அருட்தந்தை கிறிஸ்டோபர் ரோச் வழிநடத்தினார். பங்குத்தந்தை அருட்பணி இராயப்பன் அவர்கள் தேவையான எல்லா ஏற்பாடுகளையும் செய்து நல்ல முறையில் நடைபெற உதவினார். அருட்தந்தை ரோச், பங்குத்தந்தையர், களப்பணி அருட்சகோதரர் அவர்களுக்கு நன்றி. சிறப்பாக மக்களை அனுப்பி வைத்த ஈரோடு மறைவட்ட பங்குத்தந்தையர்களுக்கும் மனமார்ந்த நன்றிகள்.

தமிழக கத்தோலிக்க மக்களின் கணக்கெடுப்பு:

கடந்த மாதம் 14-ம் தேதி சனிக்கிழமை அன்று நமது மறைமாவட்டத்தில் கத்தோலிக்க மக்களின் கணக்கெடுப்பு பணியை எவ்வாறு செய்வது பற்றி பயிற்சி தருவதற்காக சென்னையிலிருந்து (Lysstar) அமைப்பிலிருந்து வருகை தந்திருந்தார்கள், காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 1.00 மணிவரை கோவை, மேட்டுப்பாளையம் மற்றும் பொள்ளாச்சி மறைவட்டத்திலிருந்து 60 பேர் பயிற்சி பெற்றார்கள். மதியம் 3.30 மணிமுதல் மாலை 6.00 மணிவரை கருமத்தம்பட்டி, ஈரோடு, தாராபுரம் மறைவட்டத்திலிருந்து 58 பேர் பயிற்சி பெற்றார்கள். இதைத் தவிர அவர்கள் ஒவ்வொரு பங்கிலும் குடும்பங்களின் அளவிற்கேற்ப பயிற்சியாளர்களை உருவாக்கி கணக்கெடுப்புப் பணியை நல்ல முறையில் செய்வதற்கு பங்குத்தந்தையார்கள் ஏற்பாடு செய்யும்படியாக அன்போடு கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறோம். மேலும் இது தொடர்பாக ஏதாவது விளக்கமோ, சந்தேகமோ இருந்தால் மேய்ப்புப் பணி இயக்குநரை தொடர்பு கொள்ள அன்போடு கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறோம்.

தொடர்புக்கு: அருட்தந்தை. D.ஆன்டனி ஜேகராஜ்

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குடும்ப நலப்பணிக்குழு:

கடந்த மாதம் கோவாவில் தேசிய அளவில் நடைபெற்ற குடும்ப நலப்பணிக்குழு ஆண்டுக்கூட்டத்தில் செயலர் தந்தை பங்கேற்றார். இந்த ஆண்டுக்கூட்டத்தில் Pastoral Plan 2033 – பற்றி குழு ஆய்வு நடைபெற்றது. ஒவ்வொரு மறைமாவட்டம் செய்ய வேண்டிய பணிகளை பற்றி அறிவுறுத்தப்பட்டது.

கடந்த நவம்பர் மாதம் இரண்டாம் சனி மற்றும் ஞாயிறு (09.11.2024 & 10.11.2024) அன்று திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு கருத்தரங்கு வகுப்பானது ஜீவஜோதி ஆசிரமத்தில் நடைபெற்றது. இதில் 65 பேர் கலந்து கொண்டு பயனடைந்தனர். மேலும் இரண்டாவது ஞாயிறு பெற்றோருக்கான கருத்தரங்கு நடைபெற்றது. இதில் 95 பேர் கலந்து கொண்டு பயனடைந்தனர்.

டிசம்பர் மாதம் திருமண கருத்தரங்கு வகுப்பானது இரண்டாம் சனிக்கிழமை மற்றும் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை (14.12.24 & 15.12.24) அன்று ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மையத்தில் நடைபெறும். ஞாயிறு (15.12.24)

பெற்றோருக்கான கருத்தரங்கு நடைபெறும்.

அடுத்த மாதங்கள் நடைபெறும் நாட்கள்:

ஜனவரி	11.01.2025 & 12.01.2025
பிப்ரவரி	08.02.2025 & 09.02.2025
மார்ச்	08.03.2025 & 09.03.2025

இடம்: ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மையம்

நேரம்: காலை 9.00 மணிமுதல் மாலை 4.30 மணிவரை

கட்டணம்: ரூ.800/-

பங்குத்தந்தையின் கனிவான கவனத்திற்கு:

♦ திருமண கருத்தரங்கு காலை 9.30 மணிக்கு ஆரம்பமாகிறது. எனவே பங்கேற்பாளர்கள் சரியாக 9.00 மணிக்கு இங்கு இருக்கும்படி வலியுறுத்தவும். ஒருசிலர் காலதாமதமாக 10.00 (அ) 10.30 மணிக்கு வருகை தருகின்றார்கள்.

♦ எனவே நீங்கள் அறிவிக்கும் போது நேரத்தையும் அறிவிக்கவும்.

♦ பெற்றோர் கருத்தமர்வு ஞாயிறு நடைபெறுகிறது. அதற்கும் நீங்கள் வலியுறுத்தும்படி கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறோம். அவர்களுக்கும் நாங்கள் சான்றிதழ் வழங்குகிறோம். எனவே அதை கொண்டு வரச்சொல்லி சரிபார்க்கவும்.

தொடர் நற்கருணை ஆராதனை:

அன்பு தந்தையர்களே! இறைவேண்டல் ஆண்டில் நாம் பயணித்துக் கொண்டிருக்கிறோம். எனவே இம்மாதத்திற்குரிய பங்குகள் கீழ்க்காணும் அட்டவணையில் கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளது. தயைசூர்ந்து உங்களுக்குரிய நாளில் ஆராதனையை ஏற்பாடு செய்ய அன்போடு கேட்டுக் கொள்கிறோம்.

உங்கள் கவனத்திற்கு:

இது ஒரு தொடர் ஆராதனை:

♦ ஒரு நாளில் குறிப்பிட்ட பங்கில் 1 மணி நேர ஆராதனை நடைபெறும்.

♦ ஆராதனையை வழிநடத்துகிற முறையை நீங்களே உங்கள் குழுவுக்கேற்ப அமைத்துக் கொள்ளவும்.

♦ 1 மணி நேர ஆராதனை நேரத்தை உங்களுடைய பங்கின் வசதிக்கேற்ப நேரத்தை(காலை/மாலை) தெரிவு செய்து கொள்ளவும்.

♦ அனைவரையும் பங்கேற்கச் செய்யவும்.

மையக்கருத்து:

♦ மறைமாவட்ட ஆயர், குருக்கள் மற்றும் இருபால் துறவியருக்காக,

♦ பங்கிலுள்ள குடும்பங்களின் நலனுக்காக,

♦ நல்ல மழை பெய்திடவும்.

இன்னும் உங்கள் கருத்துக்களை இணைத்துக் கொள்ளவும்.

எண்	பங்கு	தேதி	எண்	பங்கு	தேதி
1	ஆணைமலை	01.12.2024	11	பொருளூர்	11.12.2024
2	ஒத்தக்கால் மண்டபம்	02.12.2024	12	புலியூர்	12.12.2024
3	முடிஸ்	03.12.2024	13	சின்னதாராபுரம்	13.12.2024
4	சோலையார் நகர்	04.12.2024	14	வெள்ளகோவில்	14.12.2024
5	மடத்துக்குளம்	05.12.2024	15	ஆசீர்புரம்	15.12.2024
6	வால்பாறை	06.12.2024	16	கடூர்	16.12.2024
7	உடுமலைப்பேட்டை	07.12.2024	17	பசுபதிபாளையம்	17.12.2024
8	ஐயர்பாடி	08.12.2024	18	தாராபுரம்	18.12.2024
9	பொள்ளாச்சி	09.12.2024	19	காங்கயம்	19.12.2024
10	வேலாயுதபாளையம்	10.12.2024	20	அரவக்குறிச்சி	20.12.2024

கடந்த ஒரு வருடமாக தொடர் நற்கருணை ஆராதனை நடத்தி ஒத்துழைப்பு கொடுத்த அனைத்து அருட்தந்தையர்களுக்கும் நன்றிகள்.

உங்களின் ஒத்துழைப்புக்கு நன்றி

அருட்பணி D.ஆண்டனிஜேசுராஜ்.

அருட்பணிமைய இயக்குநர்

### செபமாலை தியான மைய அருட்செய்திகள்

➤ நவம்பர் 9 ஆம் தேதி சனிக்கிழமை மரியாளின் வாழ்க்கை மற்றும் பாடுகளின் குறித்த ஒலி, ஒளி நாடகமானது தியான மைய வளாகத்தில் நடைபெற்றது.

➤ நவம்பர் 9 ஆம் தேதி மாதத்தின் இரண்டாவது சனிக்கிழமை முழு இரவு ஜெபம் நடைபெற்றது. இதில் சுமார் 120 பேர் கலந்துகொண்டனர்.

➤ நவம்பர் 15 ஆம் தேதி வெள்ளிக்கிழமை ஒரு நாள் உபவாசக் கூட்டம் நடைபெற்றது. அதில் சுமார் 140 பேர் கலந்துகொண்டு இறையாசீர் பெற்றுச்சென்றனர்.

➤ நவம்பர் 17 ஆம் தேதி ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை ஜெபமாலை தியான மையம் மற்றும் கொய்னோனியா ஜான் தி பாப்டிஸ்ட் இணைந்து விவிலியப் புத்தையல் என்ற குழந்தைகளுக்கான போட்டிகள் நடைபெற்றன. இதில் சுமார் 1200 குழந்தைகளும், மறைக்கல்வி ஆசிரியர்களும் கலந்து கொண்டனர்.

➤ நவம்பர் 22 ஆம் தேதி வெள்ளிக்கிழமை ஒரு நாள் உபவாசக் கூட்டம் நடைபெற்றது. அதில் சுமார் 170 பேர் கலந்துகொண்டு இறையாசீர் பெற்றுச்சென்றனர்.



தியான மையத்தில் நடைபெறும் இறை நிகழ்வுகள்

❖ ஒவ்வொரு வெள்ளிக்கிழமைகளில் காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை உபவாசக் கூட்டம் நடைபெறும். மதியம் நேர்ச்சை உணவு வழங்கப்படும்.

❖ மாதத்தின் இரண்டாவது சனிக்கிழமை இரவு 10.00 மணிமுதல் காலை 5.00 வரை முழுஇரவு ஜெபமானது திருப்பலியுடன் முடிவடையும்.

❖ டிசம்பர் மாதம் 21, 22 (சனி, ஞாயிறு) தேதிகளில் கிறிஸ்துமஸ் கொண்டாட்டம் நடைபெறும்.

❖ டிசம்பர் மாதம் திருக்குடும்பவிழாவை முன்னிட்டு குடும்பங்களுக்கான உள்ளிருப்பு தியானமானது டிசம்பர் 26 ஆம் தேதி வியாழன் மாலை முதல் 29 ஆம் தேதி ஞாயிறு மதியம் வரை நடைபெற்றுள்ளது.

ஒவ்வொரு மாதத்தின் முதல் நாள் இரவு 8.00 மணிமுதல் 10.00 மணிவரை அன்னையின் வழியில் திருச்ஜெபமாலையும், இயேசுவை நோக்கிய நற்கருணை ஆராதனையும் நடைபெறும்.

அருட்பணி அலெக்ஸ் ஆண்டனிசாமி,  
தியானமைய இயக்குநர்

## News from CRI

**"The elderly are the torchbearers of tradition; let us celebrate and honour them."**

It was a day of great joy for all the religious of Erode CRI vicariate who gathered for the meeting at Maria Nivas old age home, Erode. The sisters from various convents gathered on 2nd October. The superior of the community Sr. Fatima welcomed the gathering with the shawl and honoured the chosen ones.

Since it was a day of the celebration of world elders' day the sisters gathered joyfully and joined for conducting games for the inmates and also were judges for the same. The program renewed their enthusiasm and sisters were like little children playing with the elders. The elders too were very happy to see the sisters from different congregations and enthusiastically participated in all the games. We could see the happiness and interest on their faces. We provided refreshment for the inmates after the refreshment the sisters gathered for the meeting.

Sr. Thenmozhi, Erode CRI vicariate president conducted the meeting at 11.30am. She gave some information from main CRI meeting held regarding Christmas celebrations, prompt communications. The importance of CRI and our responsibilities and to build good relationship among us



to carry out God's service for his people together in a meaningful way. We also discussed about helping a widow who knows to stitch and it should be a deserving person to provide stitching machine from main CRI for Christmas celebration. Also to collect data from each religious congregation present in our vicariate. Everyone was attentive and co-operated well. We had the joy of gathering together and enriched moments of sharing. Above all the day with the elders



was inspiring, an unforgettable experience. Then we had delicious meal for the inmates and for the sisters we enjoyed the agape and togetherness. With the richness of experience of the day we all parted to our respective communities, renewed and enthusiastic in spirit. The inmates and sisters were grateful for the such a wonderful celebration arranged, and for their precious time was spent with elderly people of our old age home. It was

a day of great remembrance for the inmates also for the sisters who happily participated.



*Sr. Thenmozhi SCCG*

## இந்திய சிறைப்பணி- கோயமுத்தூர் மறைமாவட்டம்

இந்தியசிறைப்பணி கோவை அமைப்பின் வாழ்த்துக்கள். நமது மறைமாவட்டத்தில் சிறைப்பணி சிறப்பான விதத்தில் நடைப்பெற்று வருகின்றது. கடந்த செப்டம்பர் மாதம் சிறையில் இருந்து விடுதலையான 6 நபர்களுக்கு தையல் இயந்திரங்களும், ஒரு நபருக்கு விவசாயத்துக்கு மருந்து தெளிக்கும் கருவிகளும் வழங்கப்பட்டது. மேலும் அக்டோபர் மாதம் 3 விடுதலையான இல்ல வாசிகளுக்கு வியாபாரம் செய்ய பயன்படும் விதமாக 3 தள்ளுவண்டி வழங்கப்பட்டது. மேலும் சிறை இல்லத்திலே இருப்பவர்களுக்கும் தேவைக்கு ஏற்ப சில உதவிகளும் தொடர்ந்து செய்து கொண்டு வருகின்றோம்.



டிசம்பர் மாதம் என்றாலே இல்லவாசிகளின் எண்ணங்கள் எல்லாம் கிறிஸ்துமஸ் விழா தான் காரணம் அன்று நாம் வழங்கும் சிறப்பு உணவுதான். நம்முடைய ஆயர் அவர்களும் எப்பொழுதும் உற்சாகமும், ஊக்கமும் அளித்து வருகின்றார். சிறைப்பணியினை திறம்பட செய்ய எங்களுக்கு எப்பொழுதும் உறுதுணையாக இருந்து உதவிசெய்துகொண்டு வருவது ஒவ்வொரு அருட்தந்தையர்கள் தான். எப்பொழுதும் தாராள உள்ளத்தோடு உதவிசெய்து கொண்டு வருகிறீர்கள். எங்கள் குழு உறுப்பினர்கள் சார்பாக எல்லோருக்கும் நன்றியினை தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கிறேன். மேலும் இந்த ஆண்டும் சிறைப்பணி ஞாயிறு காணிக்கையினை கொடுத்து எங்கள் பணிகளை தொடர்ந்து செய்திட உதவிடுமாறு கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறேன்.

அனைவருக்கும் கிறிஸ்து பிறப்பு நல்வாழ்த்துக்கள்

அருட்தந்தை. வல்சஸ் எடவர்ட் விமல்



## News from CMSSS

Dear Fathers and Sisters,

### **GREETINGS FROM CMSSS**

#### **ASER**

For this year, the ASER education survey was taken over by the CMSSS. The purpose of the survey is to learn more about Indian children's educational standing. It is a nationwide poll conducted across the nation. To determine if Indian children receive a quality education, the survey will assess the school and the children's surroundings. This poll will be used to determine the challenges faced by the kids. In and around Coimbatore district; the survey was successfully finished. It took around a month to complete this work. The ASER has received the completed copy. Twenty members of our society volunteered to conduct the survey, which was conducted in thirty villages. The volunteers worked really hard to accomplish this enormous task. I would like to thank all of the CMSSS volunteers, field coordinators, and partner organizations for making this effort possible.

We conducted a session with St. Michael's Cathedral catechism students ranging in grade ninth to twelfth. The event was held in the morning of November 10th. There were about forty students who took part, and the catechism professors were also there. The duration of the lesson was approximately one hour. 'Learning techniques' and exam preparation are the topics of the session. They were introduced to about eight different learning strategies and given instructions on how to realistically incorporate them into their academic lives. The director conducted the session. The learning materials were demonstrated using PowerPoint and a few IEC publications. The pupils voiced their concerns and they were answered. I express my gratitude to the Cathedral parish priests and the catechism coordinators for organizing the event.

#### **MOTIVATIONAL AND FINANCIAL INPUTS TO WSHGS**

On November 20, 2024, we met with the three WSHGs in the Pollachi region. The purpose of the gathering was to increase women's power in their respective lives. The women were inspired to understand and confront the difficulties they encounter at home or at work. The session lasted for one hour. They learned about the contemporary issues and how they affect people and relationships.

They also received numerous recommendations on how to solve their issues. They had time to discuss their issues and were provided some strategies for comprehending and addressing them. They were given the concepts and methods for solving problems so they could deal with the circumstances on their own. I express my gratitude to Mrs. Jayanthi, the coordinator, for arranging the women for the program.

Likewise, we had another session with the Kinathukadavu region's WSHGs on the same day. There were about fifty participants in the program. The duration of the session was one hour. The impact of contemporary difficulties in their homes was emphasized during the workshop. How do the difficulties impact relationships and family life? What strategic planning techniques might they employ to meet these contemporary challenges? After talking about their financial issues, they were told to keep the interest rates in the



account separate. The group will be at risk of not understanding the financial statement at the end of each year if interest rates and internal loans are combined. They were instructed to use the real-world examples to address the problem in their groups right away. I applaud the participants and the coordinator for putting the program together. They engaged and asked many questions to get their questions answered. The director took the session. I express my gratitude to Mrs. Elizabeth Victoria, the coordinator, for arranging the women for the program.



## **UDHAYAM WOMEN FEDERATION TRUST FUND ASSISTANCE– November -2024**



### **UDHAYAM WOMEN FEDERATION TRUST Governing Body Meeting.**

- Governing body meeting held on the regions at Kinathukadavu, Pollachi and Coimbatore regions.
- UWFT loan applications were collected in the region at Pollachi and Kinathukadavu.
- After a long break it was planned to issue NABFINS LTD from the current month to the regions only at Kinathukadavu, Pollachi and Coimbatore.
- ASER survey project was successfully completed with the support of Federation members and some of the group members. Appreciation was conveyed to them in the meeting.



### **NABFINS LTD – GRADING COMPLETED WAITING FOR DISBURSEMENT COIMBATORE REGION**

Poondi Madha SHG - 10 Members -Rs. 7,80,000/-



WIN KOLPING – SHG – 8 Members - Rs. 5,00,000/-





## POLLACHI REGION

LILLY JLG – 4 Members -Rs. 2,50,000/-



KRISHNA JLG – 5 Members -Rs. 3,60,000/-



MURUGAN JLG – 5 Members -Rs. 3,60,000/-



## NEWS FROM KOLPING

We celebrated Kolping Family Day. At St. Michael's Cathedral, we celebrated the eucharist. Most Rev. Bp. Thomas Aquinas presided over the celebration with the bishop's house priests. Approximately 350 members attended the family event. The members of the Kolping family created and performed the eucharistic celebration liturgy. Approximately forty Kolping families attended the festivities. We held an event at the Mother Teresa Animation Center following the liturgy. The show lasted for one hour. We held cultural events, and cheques were distributed. The Kolping family gave a lot of materials to the less fortunate as a new year's gift, and it was agreed to give them out over the Christmas season. His Excellency and the vicar general inspired the Kolping families to expand their numbers and generate fresh concepts. Furthermore, a large number of stalls had been set up by the Kolping members. The Kolping families' new business owners unveiled their new food items, oils, carpets, and supplies for the home and décor. The materials were on exhibit for purchase at the bishop's residence. Through the Kolping Fair, they were able to make some money. Lunch marked the end of the event. Everybody had a memento of the Kolping Family Day when they departed CMSSS. I wish to thank the coordinator, DLKF members, and all of the participants for making the day an unforgettable day.



We gave out the beneficiary cheques the same day after the Kolping Day family party. The cheques were given to them for their schooling, employment, or family well-being. The list of people who profited from kolping this year is provided below.

### **Individual Income Generation Project (IIGP) Beneficiaries 2024**

S.No	Name of the Member	Amount
1	MARIYACHELVAM	10,000
2	JHONSIRANI. M	10,000
3	AROCKIAANTHONY NITHYA. R	10,000
4	KALAMARIAAMALRAJ	10,000
5	SHARMILA. A	10,000
6	POWLINMARGRET. S	10,000
7	IMMACULATE JANCY. R	10,000
8	SHIYAMALA. A	10,000
9	AKILA. B	10,000
10	ARPUDHAMANI. R	10,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,00,000</b>

### **Housing Support Project (HSP) Beneficiaries 2024**

S.No	Name of the Member	Amount
1	REETA AROKIA MARY P	50,000
2	MARY	50,000
3	JULI. S	50,000
4	VIMALA. A	50,000
5	MARGARET. M	50,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,50,000</b>

### Milch Animal Project (MAP) Beneficiaries 2024

S.No	Name of the Member	Total Amount	Grant Amount	Repayable Amount
1	MUMTHAJBEGAM. S	15,000	-	15,000
2	AROKIA JENIFER. J	15,000	-	15,000
3	ANITHA. A	15,000	-	15,000
4	A. VICTORIYA ANTONY	15,000	-	15,000
5	S. PANGAJAM	15,000	-	15,000
6	DEVI SELVARAMASAMY	15,000	-	15,000
7	JAYANTHI. M	15,000	-	15,000
8	RANGANAYAGI. G	15,000	-	15,000
9	RADHIKA	15,000	-	15,000
10	MASILAMANI. P	15,000	-	15,000
11	KRISHNAVENI. P	15,000	-	15,000
12	ROSANABEGAM. K	15,000	-	15,000
13	SAGAYAMARY	15,000	-	15,000
14	DEVID. P	15,000	-	15,000
15	PATHIMANATHAN. A	15,000	-	15,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,25,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,25,000</b>

### Sanitation Assistance Project (SAP) Beneficiaries 2024

S.No	Name of the Member	Total Amount	Grant Amount	Repayable Amount
1	DULCIA N	15,000	5,000	10,000
2	JABAMALAI MARY R	15,000	5,000	10,000
3	JULIET V	15,000	5,000	10,000
4	R A PUSHPA RANI	15,000	5,000	10,000
5	A CLARA	15,000	5,000	10,000
6	JULIAN. N	15,000	5,000	10,000
7	BABY. M	15,000	5,000	10,000
8	MATHARASI GLORIA A	15,000	5,000	10,000
9	SELVI	15,000	5,000	10,000
10	ANITHA LAKSHMI	15,000	5,000	10,000
11	SUSAN CHARLES	15,000	5,000	10,000
12	ELIZABATH RANI	15,000	5,000	10,000
13	LEEMA AROKIA MARY. L	15,000	5,000	10,000
14	CECELIA SUGANTHA. A	15,000	5,000	10,000
15	ISABELGOMEZ	15,000	5,000	10,000
16	SAGAYAMARY. A	15,000	5,000	10,000
17	SHANTHI. G	15,000	5,000	10,000
18	F. BABYSAKITHA	15,000	5,000	10,000
19	MARY FATHIMA. R	15,000	5,000	10,000
20	VALLINAYAGAM. G	15,000	5,000	10,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,00,000</b>	<b>1,00,000</b>	<b>2,00,000</b>



### Vocational Training Project (VTP) Beneficiaries 2024

S.No	Name of the Member	Amount
1	RUBI STELLA. C	15,000
2	C. REVATHI	15,000
3	JESINTHA MARY. P	15,000
4	ARUL SELVI. M	15,000
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60,000</b>

### ECOLOGICAL APPROACH SESSION

A meeting was held with the parents and pupils of St. John Bosco School. The topic of the discussion was environmental changes and their negative impacts. Parents and students were given information on how we can protect the environment. It was emphasized that everyone in society has a duty to protect the environment. They were informed about the various forms of pollution and its impact on human health. They were also given information on how to prevent illness. An hour was spent in the meeting. The pupils were consulted, and any questions they had were answered. Participants were given flyers at the conclusion of the workshop. I express my gratitude to Fr. Pitchai Robert and his team for organizing the event.

A meeting was scheduled with the Win Kolping and Peter Kolping families at Rathinapuri on November 19. The coordinator and the director met with the group. The group received training on gender equality and how to apply it to their everyday lives. An hour

was spent in the meeting. The director conducted the discussion, followed by a group discussion to learn about the differences and



how to deal with them in our personal or professional lives. During the session, the challenges were discussed. They were provided some strategies and recommendations on how to deal with the challenges

they face in life. The representatives' session proceeded smoothly. I would like to express my gratitude to everyone who attended the meeting.



### **MOTIVATIONAL TRAININGS ON SOCIAL FORESTRY**

\ We gave two lectures on ecological approaches to the Kolping households in the Kinathukadavu and Pollachi regions, as well as social forestry. The program's focus was on the preservation and expansion of the environment. Various sub-themes pertaining to the advantages and disadvantages of the environment were presented to them. Emphasis was placed on each person's duty to comprehend the importance of the ecological system. There were between fifty to sixty participants in this session. Flyers about environmental awareness were given to them. They distributed some flyers to the local population. I would like to express my gratitude to all of the attendees as well as the coordinators that organized the event.



### **COMMISSION FOR SC/ST**

We commemorated Dalit Liberation Sunday at the Cathedral on November 10. The Dalit Christians' social acceptability and empowerment were the main themes of the day's liturgy. In addition to intercession for the unique needs of the Dalit Christians, there was a special liturgy. To mark the liturgy for the day, a flex was put on display for the parishioners to see. All of the diocese's parishes received the posters and the liturgy. In their Sunday liturgies, a few parishes observed the liturgy. I express my gratitude to the parish priests who made the effort to celebrate that day's special liturgy.

## COIMBATORE DIOCESE HEALTH COMMISSION (CDHC)

We held a drug awareness program at St. John Bosco School in Goundampalayam on November 9th, with approximately 150 students from 10th to 12th grade. The program lasted an hour, and the principal and teachers enthusiastically participated as well. The session was led by the director and focused on the importance of education and how drugs affect a person's educational journey. Students answered questions, the negative effects of drugs were explained to them, the PPT was used to understand the scenario of drug use among the youth, and the after effects of the drugs were shown to them through pictures and the video. The students were also motivated to dream high and to achieve their ambitions amidst the hurdles. I thank the school Principal Fr. Pitchai Robert who took initiative to hold this program at the school and the staff for coordinating the program.

### MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM:

Another mental health event for the parents and teachers of St. John Bosco School in Goundampalyam was held on the same day. Assisted by two staff members, the director oversaw the program. The program emphasized the influence of childhood and its ramifications for later life. The entire life stages of a person will be explained in the program. Through this program, parents and educators will gain a better understanding of their children's behavioral patterns. However, understanding oneself will also be

beneficial. In the morning, the session lasted for an hour. They had time to voice any questions they had about the session at



the end, and those questions were answered. I express my gratitude to the principal, Fr. Pitchai Robert, who took part in the presentation as well, for organizing this beneficial event for the teachers and parents.

We held drug awareness events in Kinathukadavu and Pollachi. There were about fifty persons in each area. The topic of drug use in society was discussed for an hour. They were concerned about what was going on among the schoolchildren. Examples and explanations



of the different effects of drug usage at a young age were provided to them. They learned how to track down pupils or their kids who are abusing narcotics.

They were offered a lot more ideas as parents to help them comprehend their kids' issues on this matter. They were



shown by the contemporary issues of drugs and their ability to alter a person's character. They received a lot more ideas to help them think about their own lives. They were getting their questions about these matters answered. Their questions were addressed. We ran a campaign to draw attention to drug misuse by displaying placards. They enthusiastically took part and swore to raise awareness and regulate their children in their communities.



*Rev. Fr. Tellis Roch*  
*Director, CMSSS*

**May God grant them eternal rest**

02nd Dec	Rev.Fr. S. Maria Soosai
04-12-1998	Rev.Fr. S.M. John Xavier
05-12-1896	Rev.Fr.J.B.Barrot
06-12-1948	Rev.Fr. A.Francis
07.12.2016	Rev. Fr. Antony Lawrence
08th Dec	Rt. Rev. Msgr. C.M.Depommier
08th Dec	Rev. Fr. Napleon Louis Richard
09th Dec	Rev.Fr. Tour J.M.'
11-12-1989	Rev.Fr. M. Regis
14-12-1900	Rev.Fr. L.J.Berthon
15.12.2023	Rev. Fr. Oubagara Maria Xavier
19th Dec	Rev.Fr. Kholer
21st Dec	Rt. Rev. Msgr. Augustine A.Roy
22-12-2020	Rev. Fr. Alexander Selvanayagam
22nd Dec	Rev.Fr. Foubert
23.12.2023	Rev. Fr. A. Pius Savarimuthu
25th Dec	Rev. Fr. S.S. Mariadass
27th Dec	Rt. Rev.Fr. S.Sabot
28th Dec	Rev.Fr.Mark Antony Manthara

**For pilgrims of hope**

We pray that this Jubilee Year strengthen our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in our daily lives, and that it may transform us into pilgrims of Christian hope.

## Highlights of previous Month



Feast mass, Christ the King Church, Kattoor



Church Renovation Blessing, St. Theresa of Child Jesus' Church, Othakalmandapam



Residential Retreat Concluding Mass,  
Rosary Retreat Centre,  
Karumathampatti

## Wish You a Long Life and Good Health on Your Birth Day



on 10th

Rev. Fr. K. Antony Yesuraj



on 12th

Rev. Fr. Louis Kanagaraj



on 20th

Rev. Fr. Thaddeus Paul Raj



on 22nd

Rev. Fr. Pichai Robert



on 25th

Rev. Fr. Christopher

## May God Bless You on Your Feast Day



on 3rd

Rev. Fr. John Xavier  
Kulandai



on 3rd

Rev. Fr. Xavier Claudius



on 8th

Rev. Fr. Amalraj



on 17th

Rev. Fr. Lazar Sundarraj



on 25th

Rev. Fr. Immanuel



on 26th

Rev. Fr. Jeraldin



on 27th

Rev. Fr. Arulmuthu



on 27th

Rev. Fr. John Yesu Shiju



On 27th

Rev. Fr. Arul Irudayaraj



On 27th

Rev. Fr. Arul Santhosh



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தோர்த்திருவிழா அழைப்பிதழ்

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திருவிழா திருவிழா 2024 நிகழ்வுகள்

கொடியேற்றம்

01.12.2024

ஞாயிறு  
காலை - 8.00 மணிக்கு

கூட்டுப்பாடல் திருப்பலி - மறைபுர - கொடியேற்றம்  
தலைமை : பேரருத்ரு ஜான் ஜோசப் ஸ்தன்ஸ் VC  
(கோவை மறைமாவட்ட முதன்மை குரு)



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