



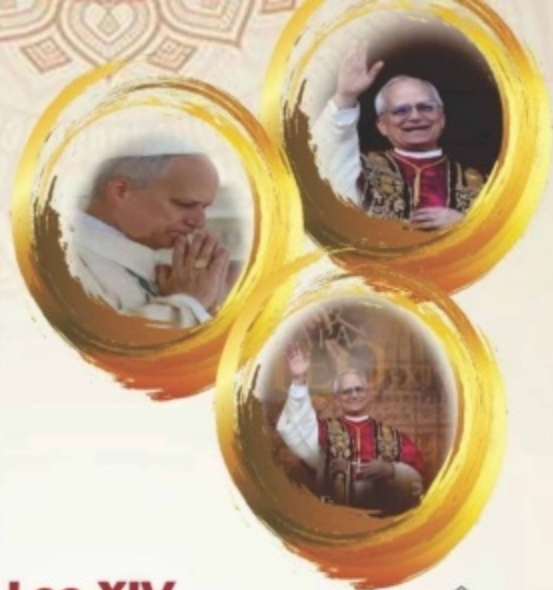
COIMBATORE NEWS LETTER

June 2025



"Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they shall see **G**od."

- Matthew 5:8



His Holiness Pope Leo XIV

Coat of arms of Pope Leo XIV



Helm



Bishop's mitre

Escutcheon

in the first, a fleur-de-lis argent,
in the second, a heart enflamed pierced by an arrow
bendwise sinister, all gules, upon a book proper.

Motto

IN ILLO UNO UNUM - Latin for 'In the One, [we are] one'

Keys of Peter

behind HH's shield and papal mantling

Fleur-de-lis

Associated with the Virgin Mary, symbolizing purity and
innocence.

Augustinian emblem

Emblem of the Order of Saint Augustine, in reference to
Leo XIV being a member of the Augustinian Order.
This charge displays a red heart pierced by an arrow and
resting on a closed book.

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Intention of the Pope

**That the world might grow in
compassion**

Let us pray that each one of us might find
consolation in a personal relationship with
Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have
compassion on the world.

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Pope's Message

Dear brothers and sisters,

I greet all of you with a heart full of gratitude at the beginning of the ministry that has been entrusted to me. Saint Augustine wrote: Lord, “you have made us for yourself, and our heart is restless until it rests in you” (Confessions, I: 1,1).

In these days, we have experienced intense emotions. The death of Pope Francis filled our hearts with sadness. In those difficult hours, we felt like the crowds that the Gospel says were “like sheep without a shepherd” (Mt 9:36). Then, on Easter Sunday, we received his final blessing and, in the light of the resurrection, we experienced the days that followed in the certainty that the Lord never abandons his people, but gathers them when they are scattered and guards them “as a shepherd guards his flock” (Jer 31:10).

In this spirit of faith, the College of Cardinals met for the conclave. Coming from different backgrounds and experiences, we placed in God's hands our desire to elect the new Successor of Peter, the Bishop of Rome, a shepherd capable of preserving the rich heritage of the Christian faith and, at the same time, looking to the future, in order to confront the questions, concerns and challenges of today's world. Accompanied by your prayers, we could feel the working of the Holy Spirit, who was able to bring us into harmony, like musical instruments, so that our heartstrings could vibrate in a single melody.

I was chosen, without any merit of my own, and now, with fear and trembling, I come to you as a brother, who desires to be the servant of your faith and your joy, walking with you on the path of God's love, for He wants us all to be united in one family.

Love and unity: these are the two dimensions of the mission entrusted to Peter by Jesus.

We see this in today's Gospel, which takes us to the Sea of Galilee, where Jesus began the mission he received from the Father: to be a “fisher” of humanity in order to draw it up from the

waters of evil and death. Walking along the shore, he had called Peter and the other first disciples to be, like him, "fishers of men". Now, after the resurrection, it is up to them to carry on this mission, to cast their nets again and again, to bring the hope of the Gospel into the "waters" of the world, to sail the seas of life so that all may experience God's embrace.

How can Peter carry out this task? The Gospel tells us that it is possible only because his own life was touched by the infinite and unconditional love of God, even in the hour of his failure and denial. For this reason, when Jesus addresses Peter, the Gospel uses the Greek verb *agapáo*, which refers to the love that God has for us, to the offering of himself without reserve and without calculation. Whereas the verb used in Peter's response describes the love of friendship that we have for one another.

Consequently, when Jesus asks Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" (Jn 21:16), he is referring to the love of the Father. It is as if Jesus said to him, "Only if you have known and experienced this love of God, which never fails, will you be able to feed my lambs. Only in the love of God the Father will you be able to love your brothers and sisters with that same 'more', that is, by offering your life for your brothers and sisters."

Peter is thus entrusted with the task of "loving more" and giving his life for the flock. The ministry of Peter is distinguished precisely by this self-sacrificing love, because the Church of Rome presides in charity and its true authority is the charity of Christ. It is never a question of capturing others by force, by religious propaganda or by means of power. Instead, it is always and only a question of loving as Jesus did.

The Apostle Peter himself tells us that Jesus "is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, and has become the cornerstone" (Acts 4:11). Moreover, if the rock is Christ, Peter must shepherd the flock without ever yielding to the temptation to be an autocrat, lording it over those entrusted to him (cf. 1 Pet 5:3). On the contrary, he is called to serve the faith of his brothers and sisters, and to walk alongside them, for all of us are "living stones" (1 Pet 2:5), called through our baptism to build God's house in fraternal communion, in the harmony of the Spirit, in the coexistence of diversity. In the words of Saint Augustine: "The

Church consists of all those who are in harmony with their brothers and sisters and who love their neighbour”

Brothers and sisters, I would like that our first great desire be for a united Church, a sign of unity and communion, which becomes a leaven for a reconciled world.

In this our time, we still see too much discord, too many wounds caused by hatred, violence, prejudice, the fear of difference, and an economic paradigm that exploits the Earth's resources and marginalises the poorest. For our part, we want to be a small leaven of unity, communion and fraternity within the world. We want to say to the world, with humility and joy: Look to Christ! Come closer to him! Welcome his word that enlightens and consoles! Listen to his offer of love and become his one family: in the one Christ, we are one. This is the path to follow together, among ourselves but also with our sister Christian churches, with those who follow other religious paths, with those who are searching for God, with all women and men of good will, in order to build a new world where peace reigns!

This is the missionary spirit that must animate us; not closing ourselves off in our small groups, nor feeling superior to the world. We are called to offer God's love to everyone, in order to achieve that unity which does not cancel out differences but values the personal history of each person and the social and religious culture of every people.

Brothers and sisters, this is the hour for love! The heart of the Gospel is the love of God that makes us brothers and sisters. With my predecessor Leo XIII, we can ask ourselves today: If this criterion “were to prevail in the world, would not every conflict cease and peace return?” (*Rerum Novarum*, 20).

With the light and the strength of the Holy Spirit, let us build a Church founded on God's love, a sign of unity, a missionary Church that opens its arms to the world, proclaims the word, allows itself to be made “restless” by history, and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity.

Together, as one people, as brothers and sisters, let us walk towards God and love one another.



Bishop's Message

Dear Rev. Fathers, Religious and People of God,

The month of June is the beginning of the school year. Please encourage our children to seek admission in our catholic schools where our children get the catechetical instructions. Please see to it that the catechism classes are given primary importance in our schools. Teaching catechism to our children is not optional but mandatory. For other non- catholic children, we have a bounden duty to teach moral instruction which will shape them in forming good citizens of our nation. At this juncture, I would like to place on record the results of our schools. Many of our schools have secured the results of hundred percentage and with centum in some subjects. On behalf of our diocese, I offer my congratulations to our correspondents, the principals and the teachers. We are proud of you all as you brought laurels to the institutions and the Diocese. Bravo! Keep it up.

In this month we celebrate the great feast of the Body and Blood of Christ. In all our parishes, we celebrate this feast on a grand scale and much more, we take procession of our Eucharistic Lord, venerating and adoring the Lord. It is good practice which will help our faithful to deepen their faith in the Eucharistic Lord. In this month, we celebrate the feast of St. Antony of Padua. He is a saint who is honored across the globe and he is a popular saint among non- Christians who flock to the churches dedicated to St. Antony. The contemporaries of St. Antony called him the "Hammer of the Heretics and Living arc of the Covenant." Numerous wonders and miracles are attributed to his intercessions. His love for the knowledge of Sacred Scriptures, his devotion to the Eucharistic Lord, his frequent visits to the Blessed Sacrament, his courageous commitment of truth, goodness and justice and his kindness and concern for the poor and the suffering demand our attention and admiration. Let us ask St. Antony to pray for the graces we need to follow Christ with love and loyalty as he did. The feast of St. Antony is celebrated in many of our parishes. In the parishes of Puliakulam and Poomalur, the feast is celebrated on a spectacular manner. Kindly encourage your faithful to attend the celebrations.

Invoking God's blessings and with assurance of my prayers and cordial blessings,

Yours devotedly in Risen Lord

+L. Thomas Aquinas
Bishop of Coimbatore



Bishop's Engagements

Date/Time	Programme	Place
01.06.2025 Sun / Mor	Sacraments of Holy Communion, Confirmation	Our Lady of Velankanni Church, Palladam.
05.06.2025 Thu / Mor	General Body Meeting	TASSOS, Trichy.
06.06.2025 Fri / Eve	Nuptial Mass	Our Lady of Fatima Church, Gandhipuram.
08.06.2025 Sun / Mor	Feast Mass and Sacraments of Holy Communion, Confirmation	St. Antony's Church, Vadavalli.
09.06.2025 Mon / Mor	Recollection	Bishop's House, Coimbatore.
10.06.2025 Tue / Mor	Inauguration of Family Commission General Body Meeting	Jeeva Jothi Ashram, Coimbatore.
11.06.2025 Wed / Mor	Holy Mass for Family Commission	Jeeva Jothi Ashram, Coimbatore.
12. 06.2025 Thu / Mor	Board Meeting	CEEMA, Thindal.
14. 06.2025 Sat / Mor Eve	Church Jubilee Mass, Church Blessing and Sacraments of Holy Communion, Confirmation	Holy Trinity Church, SIDCO.
	Feast Mass	St. Antony's Shrine, Poomalur.
15.06.2025 Sun / Mor	Feast Mass and Sacraments of Holy Communion, Confirmation	St. Antony's Shrine, Puliakulam.

Transfers & Appointments

Dear Rev. Fathers,

Greetings of joy and peace from Bishop Thomas Aquinas, Diocese of Coimbatore.

Considering the pastoral needs and welfare of the diocese, I am pleased to make the following transfers and appointments for the year 2025 after the discussion with the College of Consultors. I thank everyone of you most sincerely for the good work you have done in your parish/institution and I am confident that you will fulfil your new ministry with pastoral zeal and enthusiasm.

PARISH PRIESTS

S.NO.	PRIESTS	PARISH
1.	Rev. Fr. I. Jacob	Sulur
2.	Rev. Fr. Joseph David	Pasupathipalayam
3.	Rev. Fr. Paul Sagayaraj	Sirumugai
4.	Rev. Fr. John Paul Vincent	Akkaraikodiveri
5.	Rev. Fr. George Rosario	Sowripalayam
6.	Rev. Fr. C. Lawrence	Pollachi
7.	Rev. Fr. Victor Paulraj	Ganapathy, VF - Mettupalayam Vicariate
8.	Rev. Fr. Henry Antony	Jothipuram
9.	Rev. Fr. Joseph Suthakar	Podanur
10.	Rev. Fr. Jegan Antony	VF - Pollachi Vicariate
11.	Rev. Fr. Hendry Lawrence	Kumar Nagar
12.	Rev. Fr. Mathew Jude Paul	NGGO Colony
13.	Rev. Fr. Pichaimuthu	Bavanisagar
14.	Rev. Fr. Philip	Mettupalayam
15.	Rev. Fr. Arokia Pradeep	Kovaipudur
16.	Rev. Fr. Ignasimuthu Premkumar	Visuvasapuram
17.	Rev. Fr. Xavier Gnanasekaran SJ	Porulur
18.	Rev. Fr. Antony Pushparaj MMI,	Asirpuram

ASSISTANTS

S.NO.	PRIESTS	PARISH
1.	Rev. Fr. V. Arul Irudayaraj	Sowripalayam
2.	Rev. Fr. D. Arul Santhosh	Karur
3.	Rev. Fr. Rayappa Dass	Karumathampatti
4.	Rev. Fr. A. Nalla Jacob Dass	Tirupur Town
5.	Rev. Fr. Andrews Arokiaraj	Minor Seminary
6.	Rev. Fr. A. Naveen Antony	Kovaipudur
7.	Rev. Fr. Dinato Joseph	Cathedral
8.	Rev. Fr. Paulraj	Puliakulam
9.	Rev. Fr. Naveen Rozario	R.S. Puram
10.	Rev. Fr. I. Joseph Manicka Raj MSFS	Podanur
11.	Rev. Fr. Rapheal Sabastian JH	Rathinapuri
12.	Rev. Fr. Infant Raj OMI	Erode Town
13.	Rev. Fr. Sundar Michael Selvam SDM	Ondipudur

SCHOOL MINISTRIES

S.NO.	PRIESTS	NAME OF THE INSTITUTION
1.	Rev. Fr. P. Melchior	Correspondent, St. Michael's Hr. Sec. School, & Good Shepherd Primary School, Town Hall.
2.	Rev. Fr. Maria Antony Raj	Correspondent, Bp Ubagarasamy Hr. Sec. School, Kumar Nagar.
3.	Rev. Fr. Joseph David	Correspondent, St. Mary's Primary School & St. Mary's High School, Pasupathipalayam.
4.	Rev. Fr. John Paul Vincent	Correspondent, R.C. Primary School, Akkarikodiveri.
5.	Rev. Fr. David Alexander	Correspondent, St. Mary's Primary School, Kolappalur.
6.	Rev. Fr. Paul Sagayaraj	Correspondent, R.C. Primary School, Periya Kumarapalayam

SPECIAL MINISTRIES

S.NO.	PRIESTS	MINISTRY
1.	Rev. Fr. D. Arokiasamy	Spiritual Director, Puliakulam
2.	Rev. Fr. Lourdu Irudayaraj	Spiritual Director, Rosary Retreat Centre, Karumathampatti
3.	Rev. Fr. P. Maria Joseph	Spiritual Director, Good Shepherd Seminary
4.	Rev. Fr. A. Christopher	Rector, St. Joseph's Minor Seminary, Coimbatore.

Thanking you and with my most cordial blessings and assurance of prayers, I remain,

Yours devotedly in Our Lord,

+L. Thomas Aquinas
Bishop of Coimbatore

From Vicar General's Desk

Dear Rev. Fathers,

Greetings from Fr. Vicar General,

This month, the Diocesan level monthly recollection will be in 9th June, 2025, Monday at Bishop's House. 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 26.04.2025 TO 27.05.2025

S.No	PARISH	AMOUNT
1	JOTHIPURAM PARISH	10,000.00
2	VADAVALLI PARISH	10,000.00
3	KATTOOR PARISH	10,000.00
4	SAVARIARPALAYAM PARISH	7,000.00
5	R.S. PURAM PARISH	10,000.00
6	IYERPADI PARISH	10,000.00
7	RATHINAPURI PARISH	10,000.00
TOTAL		67,000.00

Yours fraternally,
V.Rev.Fr. John Joseph Stanis
Secretary to the Trust

News from Education Commission

10th, 11th and 12th Result of Diocesan Schools [2024-25]

Name of the School	10th Result	11th Result	12th Result	Total No. of Centum in 10 th Std	Total No. of Centum in 11 th Std	Total No. of Centum in 12 th Std
St. Michael's Hr. Sec. School, Coimbatore.	94%	92.37 %	97%	1	-	14
Bishop Ubagarasamy Hr. sec. School, Tirupur.	91%	86%	94%	1	-	3
Carmel Garden Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Coimbatore.	100%	100%	100%	10	4	16
St. Joseph's Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Ondipudur.	100%	100%	100%	29	11	15
Infant Jesus Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Tirupur.	100%	100%	100%	12	10	33
St. John Bosco Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Goundampalayam.	100%	100%	100%	2	-	-
St. Michael's Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Coimbatore.	97%	99%	97%	-	-	-
St. Antony's High School, Puliakulam.	96%	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
St. Mary's High School, Gandhipuram.	100%	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
St. Mary's High School, Karumathampatty.	97.5%	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
St. Mary's High School, Pasupathipalayam.	94%	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A
St. Mary's High School, Kolappalur.	100%	N/A	N/A	-	N/A	N/A

அருட்பணி. முனைவர். பி. ஆரோக்கிய ததேயுஸ்
கத்தோலிக்க பள்ளிகளின் கண்காணிப்பாளர்,
கோவை மறைமாவட்டம்.



ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மைய செய்திகள்

V.B.S. மாநிலப் பயிற்சி:

ஓசூர் சீயோன் தியான இல்லத்தில் திண்டிவனம் முப்பணி நிலையம் "மகிழ்வோம்....புகழ்வோம்...." V.B.S. 2025 மாநிலப் பயிற்சி பாசறையை வழிநடத்தினார்கள். இதில் நமது மறைமாவட்டத்தில் இருந்து 4 நபர்கள் கலந்து கொண்டு பயிற்சி பெற்றார்கள். இவர்களை ஊக்கப்படுத்தி அனுப்பி வைத்த பங்குத்தந்தையர்களுக்கு நன்றிகள்.

விடுமுறை விவிலிய வகுப்பு:

நமது மறைமாவட்டத்தை சார்ந்த 22 பங்குகளில் உள்ள குழந்தைகளுக்கு விடுமுறை விவிலிய வகுப்பு நடைபெற திண்டிவனம் முப்பணி நிலையத்திலிருந்து ஆசிரியர் கையேடு, மாணவர் கையேடு மற்றும் துணை கருவிகள் ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி நிலையம் பெற்று அதைப் பங்குகளில் உள்ள குழந்தைகளுக்கு கொடுத்து விடுமுறை விவிலிய வகுப்பு நடைபெற ஊக்கமளித்தது. மேலும் இயக்குனர் தந்தை அவர்கள் கோவைப்புதூர் அற்புத குழந்தை இயேசு பங்கிற்குச் சென்று விடுமுறை விவிலிய வகுப்பு நிறைவு விழாவில் பங்கேற்று குழந்தைகளுக்கு விவிலியத்தை பற்றி போதித்து குழந்தைகளை ஊக்கப்படுத்தினார். நிகழ்வின் இறுதியில் பங்கேற்ற எல்லா குழந்தைகளுக்கும் பரிசுகள் வழங்கி உற்சாகப்படுத்திய பங்குத்தந்தை, உதவி பங்குத்தந்தை அவர்களுக்கு நன்றிகளும், பாராட்டுகளும்.

ஞாயிறு மறைக்கல்வி ஆசிரியர்களுக்கான கருத்தமர்வு:

அன்புக்குரிய பங்குத்தந்தையர்களே ஞாயிறு மறைக்கல்வியை வழிநடத்துகின்ற ஆசிரியர்களுக்கான கருத்தமர்வு இந்த ஆண்டு ஒவ்வொரு மறைவட்டத்திலும் நடைபெற உள்ளது. ஆகவே உங்கள் மறைவட்டத்தில் நடைபெறுகின்ற தேதியை முன்கூட்டியே உங்களுக்கு தெரியப்படுத்துகின்றோம். அந்த நாட்களில் தவறாமல் இந்த ஆண்டு மறைக்கல்வி எடுக்கின்ற எல்லா ஆசிரியர்களையும் கருத்தமர்விற்கு அனுப்பி வைக்குமாறு கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறோம். மேலும் இந்த ஆண்டு மறைக்கல்வி பணிக்குழுவினருந்து பாடத்திட்டத்தை தயாரித்து இருக்கின்றோம். எனவே நீங்கள் அவற்றை பயன்படுத்தி இந்த ஆண்டு மறைக்கல்வி வகுப்பு நடைபெற உங்களுளுடைய ஒத்துழைப்பை தருமாறு அன்புடன் கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறோம்.

திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு வகுப்பு:

ஜீன் மாதம் திருமண கருத்தரங்கு வகுப்பானது இரண்டாம் சனிக்கிழமை மற்றும் ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை (14.06.25 & 15.06.25) அன்று

ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மையத்தில் நடைபெறும்.
ஞாயிறு (15.06.25) பெற்றோருக்கான கருத்தரங்கு நடைபெறும்.

அடுத்த மாதங்கள் நடைபெறும் நாட்கள்:

ஜூலை	12.07.2025 & 13.07.2025
ஆகஸ்டு	09.08.2025 & 10.08.2025
செப்டம்பர்	13.09.2025 & 14.09.2025

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.

உங்களின் ஒத்துழைப்புக்கு நன்றி

அருட்பணி D. ஆண்டனி ஜேகராஜ்,
அருட்பணி மைய இயக்குநர்

செபமாலை தியான மைய அருட்செய்திகள்

ஜெபமாலை தியான மையத்தில் மே மாதம் நடைபெற்ற இறை நிகழ்வுகள்

- ❖ மே 1 ஆம் தேதி மாத அர்ப்பணிப்பு செபவழிபாடனது இரவு 8.00 மணிமுதல் 10.00 வரை அன்னையின் வழியில் திருஜெபமாலையும், நற்கருணை ஆராதனையும் நடைபெற்றது.
- ❖ மே 2 ஆம் தேதி மாதத்தின் முதல் வெள்ளி அன்று காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை "உயிர்த்த இயேசுவின் தழும்புகளால் குணமடைகிறோம்" உபவாசக்கூட்டமானது நடைபெற்றது.
- ❖ மே 9 ஆம் தேதி வெள்ளி அன்று காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை "வாழ்வு தரும் உணவு நற்கருணை" 25 வது வார சிறப்பு உபவாசக்கூட்டம் நடைபெற்றது. இதனை அருட்பணி ஜான் யேசு சிஜீ, பங்குத்தந்தை, காரமடை அவர்கள் வழிநடத்தினார் .

- ❖ மே 10 ஆம் தேதி இரண்டாவது சனிக்கிழமை இரவு 10.00 மணிமுதல் காலை 5.00 வரை முழு இரவு செபமானது நடைபெற்றது.
- ❖ மே 12 முதல் 15 வரை முதல் முறையாக குழந்தைகளுக்கான "ANGELS RETREAT" நடைபெற்றது. ஏறக்குறைய 90 குழந்தைகள் கலந்துகொண்டு இறை அனுபவத்தை பெற்று உயிர்த்த ஆண்டவர் இயேசுவின் சாட்சிகளாய், அன்னையின் வழியில் நடந்து பிறரன்பிலும் தங்கள் வாழ்வாலும், அறிவிப்பாலும் இயேசுவின் அன்பை பகிர்ந்து வாழ கற்றுக்கொண்டார்கள்.
- ❖ மே 16 ஆம் தேதி வெள்ளி அன்று காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை "பாத்திமா அன்னையின் பரிந்துரையாளர்கள்" உபவாசக் கூட்டமானது நடைபெற்றது.
- ❖ மே 23 ஆம் தேதி வெள்ளி அன்று காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை உபவாசக் கூட்டமானது நடைபெற்றது.
- ❖ மே 25 முதல் 29 வரை குடும்பங்களுக்கான சிறப்பு உள்ளிருப்பு தியானமானது நடைபெற்றது. இதில் இறைச்செய்தி வழங்கிய அருட்பணி பிரான்சிஸ், ஊட்டி, அருட்பணி இராயப்பதாஸ் இவர்களுக்கு உளமாற நன்றிகள்.

ஜூன் மாத இறைநிகழ்வுகள்

- ❖ ஜூன் 1 முதல் 8 வரை 201 மணி நேர தொடர் ஆராதனை நடைபெறும்.
- ❖ ஜூன் 8 ஆம் தேதி தூய ஆவியார் பெருவிழா நற்செய்திக் கூட்டம் மாலை 3.00 மணிமுதல் 8.00 மணிவரை நடைபெறும்.
- ❖ ஜூன் 6, 13, 20, 27 ஆகிய தேதிகளில் உபவாசக்கூட்டமானது காலை 10.00 மணிமுதல் மதியம் 2.00 மணிவரை நடைபெறும். மதியம் அன்பின் விருந்து வழங்கப்படும்.
- ❖ ஜூன் 14 ஆம் தேதி இரண்டாவது சனிக்கிழமை இரவு 10.00 மணிமுதல் காலை 5.00 வரை முழு இரவு செபமானது நடைபெறும்.
- ❖ ஜூன் 22 முதல் 26 ஆம் தேதி வரை பொதுநிலையினருக்கு பூயிலி ஆண்டு சிறப்பு உள்ளிருப்பு தியானமானது நடைபெறும்.



**அருட்பணி அலெக்சா ஆண்டனிசாமி,
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News from CMSSS

Dear Fathers

IBC Program for Strengthening Women SHGs in Anaimalai and Pollachi Regions

The IBC program aimed to strengthen Women's Self-Help Groups (SHGs) in the Anaimalai and Pollachi regions, emphasizing financial independence, skill development, and collective empowerment. Five SHGs participated, benefiting from training in income-generating activities such as tailoring, handicrafts, and food processing.

Coordinators in both regions conducted workshops on microfinance, banking literacy, and entrepreneurship, aligning with government initiatives like NABARD's SHG-Bank Linkage Program. The program highlighted the importance of SHGs in reducing rural poverty, enhancing gender equity, and improving access to credit.

Participants found the sessions highly useful, particularly in understanding market linkages and sustainable livelihood strategies. The initiative not only boosted their confidence but also strengthened community networks, fostering long-term socio-economic growth.



S.NO	DATE	SHG NAMES
1.	2/5/2025	Sadhguru SHG
2	5/5/2025	Kurinchi SHG
3	29/4/2025	Ambedkar SHG
4.	28/4/2025	Bharathadesam SHG
5.	27/4/2025	Sindhunathi SHG

IBC Program for Alcoholism Awareness in Anaimalai and Kinathukadavu Regions

The IBC program conducted an awareness campaign on alcoholism in the Anaimalai and Kinathukadavu regions, targeting local communities and families affected by alcohol abuse. Five Self-Help Groups (SHGs) participated, engaging in interactive sessions on the health, financial, and social consequences of alcoholism.

Coordinators led one-hour programs in each region, covering addiction prevention, rehabilitation resources, and family support strategies. A Q&A session allowed participants to share concerns and seek guidance on handling alcoholism in their households.

The initiative emphasized community-based solutions, encouraging SHGs to promote sobriety through peer support and awareness drives. Participants found the discussions insightful, gaining practical knowledge to address alcoholism in their localities. The program strengthened collective efforts toward healthier, alcohol-free communities.



S.No	DATE	NAME OF SHGs
1.	25/4/2025	Bismi SHG
2.	12/5/2025	Vairam SHG
3.	13/5/2025	Annaitheresa SHG
4.	15/5/2025	Alivar SHG
5.	17/5/2025	Vivasavabannai SHG

IBC Program on WASH (Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene) in Anaimalai and Pollachi Regions

The IBC program conducted an interactive WASH (Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene) awareness session for children in the Anaimalai and Pollachi regions, promoting healthy hygiene practices. In Pollachi, 50 children participated, while in Anaimalai, 40 Narikuravar children actively engaged in the program.

Coordinators organized one-hour sessions in each region, combining theoretical knowledge with practical training. Through demonstrations and games, children learned proper handwashing techniques, safe water storage, and the importance of personal hygiene. The hands-on approach ensured better understanding and retention.

The program emphasized community health and disease prevention, encouraging children to adopt and share these practices at home. Both groups participated enthusiastically, asking questions and practicing the skills taught. The initiative successfully raised awareness on hygiene while making learning fun and engaging for the young participants.



IBC Program - Training on Nutritious Food Habits for Children in Pollachi

The IBC program organized an interactive training session on nutritious food habits for 50 children in Pollachi. The coordinator conducted a one-hour engaging workshop using flashcards and practical demonstrations to teach the importance of balanced diets and healthy eating practices.

Children actively participated in activities highlighting the benefits of fruits, vegetables, and traditional nutrient-rich foods.

They learned about portion control, meal timing, and avoiding junk food through visual aids and simple instructions. The session also emphasized good hygiene practices like washing hands before meals and drinking clean water.

The practical approach, combined with fun learning tools, helped children understand how to incorporate these habits into their daily routines. The program successfully raised awareness about nutrition while encouraging long-term healthy lifestyle changes among the young participants.



IBC Program - Awareness on the Effects of Open Defecation

The IBC program conducted an interactive awareness session on the dangers of open defecation for 30 children across Pollachi and Anaimalai regions. Coordinators organized engaging one-hour workshop using flashcards, games, and practical demonstrations to educate participants about sanitation risks and proper toilet use.



Children actively learned about disease prevention through good hygiene practices like using toilets, hand washing with soap, and maintaining clean surroundings. The session

emphasized how these habits protect health and improve community well-being. Practical activities helped children understand the message clearly while making learning enjoyable.



Participants were encouraged to adopt these practices in their daily routine and share knowledge with families. The program successfully raised awareness about sanitation while promoting behavioral change through child-friendly education methods.

Report on CMSSS Roof Garden Training Program

A one-and-half-hour roof garden training program was conducted by CMSSS, attended by 35 enthusiastic participants. Mrs. Latha, the resource person, expertly guided the session with practical demonstrations on home gardening techniques.

The training emphasized organic vegetable cultivation in urban spaces, showcasing simple methods for planting in limited areas. Participants learned about:

Container selection and soil preparation

Choosing suitable vegetable varieties

Organic pest control methods

Water conservation techniques

Mrs. Latha stressed the importance of chemical-free harvesting for family nutrition and environmental sustainability. The hands-on approach enabled attendees to confidently replicate these practices at home.



The interactive session successfully promoted urban organic farming, equipping participants with skills to grow their own healthy food while contributing to greener living spaces.

National Dengue Day Participation by CMSSS in Udumalpet

On National Dengue Day (May 16, 2025), the CMSSS in Udumalpet actively participated in awareness and prevention initiatives. Members took a pledge to promote sanitation and hygiene to combat dengue, emphasizing the elimination of stagnant water and proper waste management to prevent mosquito breeding.

CMSSS organized community outreach programs, including rallies, seminars, and cleanliness drives, to educate residents on dengue symptoms, prevention, and early medical intervention. Schools and local institutions were engaged to spread awareness through posters, quizzes, and interactive sessions.

The campaign aligned with this year's theme, "Act Early, Prevent Dengue: Clean Surroundings, Healthy Living," encouraging collective action for a dengue-free society. By fostering community involvement, CMSSS reinforced the importance of hygiene and proactive measures to reduce dengue risks in Udumalpet.

COMBATING HUNGER AND DISEASE THROUGH PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

Title: *"Nourishing Bodies, Healing Communities"*

The Hunger and Disease Alleviation Program is a collaborative initiative by the Diocese of Coimbatore and Coimbatore Multipurpose Social Service Society to address food insecurity and preventable illnesses in marginalized communities. This effort brings together the collective strength of our parishes to make a tangible difference in Christ's name.

S.NO	PARISH	AMOUNT
1.	Holy Rosary Church, Karumathampatty	21,170
2.	St. Antony's Church. Mudis	864
3.	St. Aloysius Church. Dharapuram	20,480
4.	Infant Jesus Church, Kovaipudur	55,840
5.	Christ The King Church, Kattoor	20,500
6.	St. Antony's Church, Puliakulam	61,250
7.	Our Lady Of Nativity, Udumalpet	14514
8.	St. Francis Xavier's Church, Sowripalayam	57,898
9.	St. Francis Xavier's Church, Puckilipalayam	5180
10.	St. Jihn De Britto Church, R.S. Puram	41000
11.	St. Theresa Of Child Jesus, O.K. Mandapam	10230
12.	St. Anne's Church, Marianallur	8850
13.	St. Paul The Hermit, Iyerpady	1410
14.	St. Jude's Church. N.G.G.O Colony	15500
15.	St. Joseph The Worker Church, Sholayar Dam	7000
16.	St. Thomas Church, Avinashi	11120
17.	St. Mary's Church, Mariapuram	3000
18.	St. Paul's Church, Rathinapuri	24770
19.	Our Lady Of Fathima, Gandhipuram	26000
20.	Velankanni Church, Cheran Maanagar	20000
21.	Carmelites Convent, Puliakulam	9500
22.	St. Maximillian Kolbe Church, Visuwasapuram	18200
23.	St. Joseph's Church, Podanur	25560
24.	Holy Trinity Church. Sidco	10471
25.	St. John Bosco Church, Kavundampalayam	20300
26.	St. Michael's Cathedral	51220
27.	Our Lady Of Lourdes Church, Lourdhupuram	2370

28.	Mount Carmel Church, Mettur	18300
29.	St. Francis Of Assissi Church, Ganapathy	15000
30.	Our Lady Of Velankanni, Palladam	11450
31.	St. Joseph The Worker, Ondipudur	28505
32.	Our Lady Of Lourdes, Pollachi	10500
33.	St. Antony's Church, Mettupalayam	13500
34.	Our Lady Of Assumption, Pallapalayam	6820

The Contribution details are given below in the table. I thank all the parish priests and the parishioners who had contributed for this noble cause.

UDHAYAM WOMEN FEDARATON TRUST LOAN DISBURSEMENT DETAILS

We have given cheques to women who work in small-scale industries. They obtain the Udhayam Women Federation Trust loan to use for the work they have started so they may sustain themselves. In a similar vein, some members received their debt back from the areas of Coimbatore, Annamalai, Kinathukadavu, and Pollachi. Some of the groups are currently being evaluated in order to receive their cheques and loans for the next month.

SL.No	BENEFICIARY NAME	REGION	AMOUNT
1	ELIZABETH RANI	COIMBATORE	45,000
2	SELVI	COIMBATORE	45,000
3	THILAGAMANI	POLLACHI	45,000
4	AMUTHA	POLLACHI	39,000
5	CHITHRA	KINATHU KADAVU	45,000
6	INDIRANI	KINATHUKADAVU	45,000
		TOTAL	2,64,000

KOLPING

Jewellery Making Workshop at CMSSS

Kolping organized a two-hour jewellery-making workshop at CMSSS, attended by 30 participants. Two expert trainers guided the session, teaching techniques like beadwork, wire wrapping, and accessory assembly. The workshop aimed to equip attendees with skills for a profitable handmade jewellery business. Participants learned material selection, design creation, and basic pricing strategies. Hands-on practice boosted confidence, and many expressed interest in starting small ventures. The interactive session received positive feedback for its practical approach. Kolping and CMSSS plan to host more such skill-building programs to support local entrepreneurship. The event successfully combined creativity with income-generation opportunities, empowering participants with marketable craftsmanship skills.



Roof Garden Workshop at CMSSS

Kolping organized an informative roof garden workshop at CMSSS, attended by 30 participants. The two-hour session was conducted by an expert resource person from an agricultural university, focusing on urban farming techniques for profit-making businesses.

Participants learned practical methods for setting up small-scale roof gardens using containers, vertical farming, and organic composting. A live demonstration showcased how to grow high-demand vegetables, herbs, and ornamental plants in limited spaces. The trainer also shared business tips, including



cost-effective cultivation, market pricing, and home-based sales strategies.

The interactive workshop received an enthusiastic response, with many participants eager to start their own roof garden ventures. Kolping and CMSSS aim to conduct more such skill-based programs to promote sustainable urban agriculture and income generation.

Kolping Meetings in Coimbatore Region (April-May 2025)

Kolping Families in the Coimbatore region actively conducted their scheduled monthly meetings across villages and towns during April and May 2025, fostering community engagement and skill development. Key highlights include:

April 2025:

Monthly gatherings focused on livelihood training (e.g., handicrafts, agro-based skills) and planning for local outreach programs.

Discussions on sustainable income-generation projects tailored to rural needs.

May 2025:

Practical workshops on small-scale entrepreneurship (e.g., rooftop gardening, jewellery-making) were organized to empower families.

These meetings strengthened local networks, with 30+ participants per session, and reinforced Kolping's mission of

S_NO	KOLPING NAME	PLACE	DATE
1.	St. Francis Desales Kolping family	Mariapuram	03.05.2025
2.	Amala Annai Kolping Family	Kasipalayam	11.05.2025
3.	Punitha Saveriyar Kolping Family	Madathukulam	13.05.2025
4.	Thiru Iruthaya Kolping Family	Valparai	11.05.2025
5.	Salom Kolping Family	Valparai	11.05.2025
6.	Rosa Mystica Kolping Family	Sowripalayam	12.05.2025
7.	Malar Kolping Family	Pollachi	18.05.2025
8.	Maria Annai Kolping Family	Erode	10.05.2025
9.	Sunflower Kolping Family	Vadavalli	08.05.2025
10.	St. Francis Xavier's Kolping Family	Sowripalayam	15.05.2025

community upliment through education and collective action. Future meetings will continue monthly, targeting skill enhancement and economic resilience.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE BY KOLPING

On May 24, 2025, a significant initiative unfolded in Coimbatore as Kolping, spearheaded by Bp. Thomas Aquinas, disbursed vital loans to 15 deserving members from various Coimbatore Kolping families. This financial assistance is specifically earmarked to bolster small-scale industries, empowering local entrepreneurs and fostering economic growth within the community. The loans aim to provide crucial capital, enabling beneficiaries to expand existing ventures or

Program	Name of the Beneficiary	Group Name	Loan Amount	Loan Purpose
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Cecili	SagayaAnnai Kolping Family,Jothipuram.	15,000	Business

Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Gnanamanickam	Kondrai Kolping Family,Valipalayam.	15,000	Education
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Sebastiyammal	Pavalamalli Kolping Family,Valipalayam.	15,000	Education
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Vijaya	St. Fathima Annai Kolping Family,OG Palayam.	15,000	Toilet
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Elizabetha Rani	AronKolping Family, Cheran ma Nagar.	15,000	Business
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Amala Viji	AmalaAnnai Kolping Family, Kasipalayam	15,000	Business
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Augustina Susila.A	Jonsha kolping Family,Puliyakulam.	15,000	Saree Business
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Judi	St. Francis Xavier's Kolping Family, Sowripalayam.	15,000	Business
Individual Income Generation Program(IIGP)	Janeefa	St. Francis Xavier's Kolping Family,Sowripalayam.	15,000	Business

establish new ones, thereby creating employment opportunities and improving livelihoods. This effort underscores Kolping's commitment to socio-economic development and self-reliance among its members, reflecting a tangible step towards sustainable progress in the region.

COIMBATORE DIOCESE HEALTH COMMISSION

Report on Drug Awareness Program by Coimbatore Diocese Health Commission

The Coimbatore Diocese Health Commission, in collaboration with CMSSS volunteers, conducted a door-to-door drug awareness campaign in Karumbukadai, Aathupaalam, and Kottaimedu. Volunteers distributed pamphlets and educated residents on the dangers of drug abuse, emphasizing its physical, mental, and social consequences.

The initiative highlighted the importance of fostering values-based lives for children and youth, urging families to promote healthy habits and open communication at home. Practical guidance on identifying early signs of addiction and accessing support services was also shared.

The campaign received positive community engagement, with residents appreciating the personalized approach. By combining education with moral encouragement, the program aimed to curb drug abuse and strengthen community resilience.



DRUGLESS LIFE POSTER CAMPAIGN BY COIMBATORE DIOCESE HEALTH COMMISSION

The Coimbatore Diocese Health Commission, along with CMSSS volunteers, organized a vibrant "Drugless Life" poster campaign across Coimbatore city. Volunteers conducted an awareness walk holding creative posters highlighting the dangers of drug abuse and promoting healthy, drug-free living.

The campaign educated the public about the physical, mental and social harms of substance abuse, with special emphasis on protecting children and youth. Volunteers stressed the importance of cultivating drug-free values in homes and across the diocese community. Interactive sessions provided practical guidance on prevention and positive lifestyle choices.

This visual awareness drive successfully engaged residents, spreading its anti-drug message through powerful imagery and personal interactions. The initiative reinforced the Diocese's commitment to nurturing healthy, drug-free generations



Rev. Fr. Tellis Roch
Director, CMSSS

May God grant them eternal rest

01-06-1979	Rev. Fr. Louis Pitcahimuthu
02-06-1979	Most Rev. C.M. Visuvasam
03-06-1964	Rev. Fr. A. Savarinathar
04-06-1987	Rev. Fr. M.M. Chinnayan
06-06-1908	Rev. Fr. Rayappanathar
07-06-1940	Rev. Fr. Dominic
14-06-1942	Very Rev. Fr. Maria Louis, V.G
14-06-2023	Rev. Fr. Joseph D Selvaraj
15-06-1902	Rev. Fr. J. M. J. Pottier
15-06-2007	Rt. Rev. Fr. C.A. George
16-06-1857	Rev. Fr. J.C.Bruyere
19-06-1983	Rev. Fr. A. Swaminathar
22-06-1973	Very Rev. Fr. A. Joseph, V.G
23-06-1989	Rev. Fr. M.S.Royar
25-06-1859	Most Rev. Msgr. Bresillac
28-06-1876	Rev. Fr. J. M. Niveaux
28-06-1943	Rev. Fr. S. Michaelnathar
28-06-1985	Rev. Fr. C. S. Maria Arockiam



Priestly Ordination Mass, St. Michael's Cathedral



Rev. Fr. Naveen Rozario
Congratulations to you
dear New Priest of our Diocese

Highlights of previous Month



Sacrament of Holy Communion & Confirmation-
St. John Bosco Church Goundampalayam



Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation,
St. Paul's Church, Rathinapuri



Sacraments of Holy Communion,
Confirmation and Blessing of Grotto,
Arokia Annai Church, Anamalai

Highlights of previous Month



Catechism Annual Day,
St. Michael's Cathedral, Coimbatore



Feast Mass, Holy Communion and Confirmation,
St. Catherine's Church, Tirupur Town



Feast Mass, Sacraments of Confirmation,
Our Lady of Fatima Church, Gandhipuram.



Feast Mass, Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation and
Blessing of Adoration Chapel, St. Joseph's Church, Kumar Nagar



Feast Mass, Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation,
Church of Resurrection, Ramanathapuram



Feast Mass, Sacraments of Holy Communion
and Confirmation, St. Joseph's Church, Podanur



First Profession Mass, Cottalengo Convent,
Sowripalayam



General Body Meeting, CMSSS



Ordination Mass of Dn. Infant Jerald MSFS,
St. Ignatius' Church, Somanur



Priestly Ordination Mass of Dn. Donald,
St. Mary's Church, Udumalpet

Wish Upon a Long Life and Good Health on Your Birth Day



on 1st
Fr. Antony Gnanaprakasam



on 2nd
Fr. Victor Paulraj



on 3rd
Fr. David Alexander



on 4th
Fr. Ignatius Diraviam



on 16th
Fr. John Xavier Kulandhai



on 20th
Fr. D. Antony Jesuraj



on 22nd
Fr. P. Irudayaraj



on 22nd
Fr. Philip

May God Bless Upon on Your Feast Day



on 1st
Fr. Justin Xavier Raj



on 13th
Fr. Maria Antony Raj



on 13th
Fr. Maria Antony Paul



on 13th
Fr. Jagan Antony



on 13th
Fr. Antony Selvaraj



on 13th
Fr. D. Antony Jesuraj



on 13th
Fr. Victor Antony Raj



on 13th
Fr. K. Anthony Yesuraj



On 13th
Fr. Antony Vinodh



On 13th
Fr. Antony Felix



On 13th
Fr. Alex Antony Samy



On 13th
Fr. Naveen Antony



On 13th
Fr. Tellis Roch



on 21st
Fr. Arun



on 21st
Fr. Antony Gnanaprakasam



on 21st
Fr. Gnanapragasam



on 25th
Fr. Durai William



on 27th
Fr. P. Irudayaraj



on 27th
Fr. S. Irudayaraj



on 29th
Fr. Paulraj Vincent



on 29th
Fr. Paul Sagayara



on 29th
Fr. Simon Peter



on 29th
Fr. Rayappan



on 29th
Fr. Peter Mariadass



on 29th
Fr. Paul



on 29th
Fr. Rayappadass



on 29th
Fr. Paulraj



புனித அந்தோனியார் அருள்தலம் புலியகுளம், கோயமுத்தூர்.

தேர்த்திருவிழா அழைப்பீர்தம்

கொடியேற்றம்

08.06.2025

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2025

தேர்த்திருவிழா

15.06.2025

ஞாயிறு



திருவிழாச்சீர்ப்பு

காலை 7.45 மணிக்கு மேதகு ஆயர் அவர்களுக்கு வரவேற்பு

காலை 8.00 மணிக்கு

முதல் நற்கருணை மற்றும் உறுதிப்புகதல் திருவருட்சாதனக் கொண்டாட்டம்
மற்றும் திருவிழா ஆடம்பர கூட்டுப்பாடற் திருப்பலி

தலைமை : மேதகு. **L.தாமஸ் அக்குவினாஸ்** M.A., D.D., D.C.L.

காலை 10.00 மணிக்கு வேண்டுகூல் தேர் பவனி

காலை 11.30 மணிக்கு திருப்பலி தலைமை : அருட்பின். ஆன்டன் செல்வராஜ் (மறைமாவட்ட பொது)

மாலை 4.30 மணிக்கு திருப்பலி, தலைமை : அருட்பின். செபாஸ்தியன் மரிய சுந்தரம் (பங்குத்தந்தை, நல்லூர்)

மாலை 6.00 மணிக்கு திருப்பலி தலைமை : அருட்பின். ததேயுஸ் அமல்தாஸ் (பங்குத்தந்தை, காட்டி)

மண்ணின் மைந்தர்கள், மறைமாவட்ட மற்றும் தோழமை குருக்கள்

திருப்பலி முடிந்தவுடன் ஆடம்பர தேர்பவனியும் இரவு 10.00 மணிக்கு நற்கருணை ஆசீரும் நடைபெறும்.

அன்புடன் அழைக்கும்
பங்குத்தந்தையர்
மற்றும்
பங்குமக்கள்.



அனைவருக்கும் இனிய
திருவிழா வாழ்த்துக்கள்.