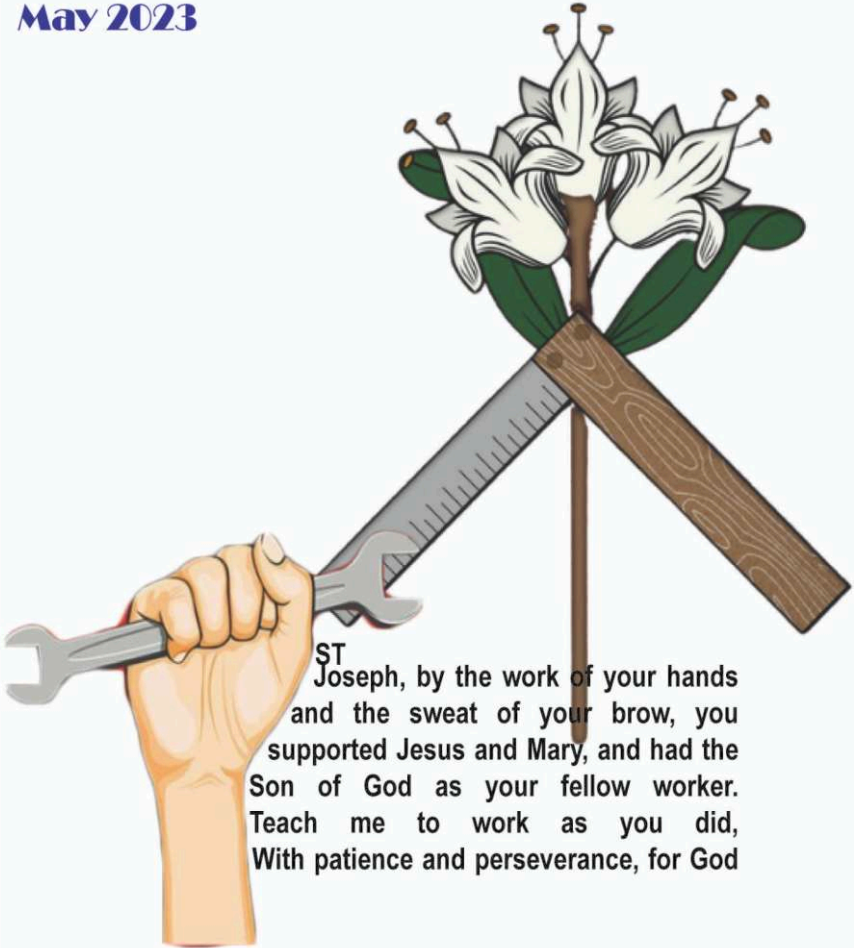




Coimbatore News Letter

May 2023



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Joseph, by the work of your hands
and the sweat of your brow, you
supported Jesus and Mary, and had the
Son of God as your fellow worker.
Teach me to work as you did,
With patience and perseverance, for God

Highlights of previous Month



Blessing of New Presbytery, Kannampalayam



Dioconate Ordination, Cathedral



Final Profession Mass, IC Convent



Chrism Mass, Cathedral



Feast Mass Cottolongo Convent, Sowripalayam



Feast, Holy Communion and Confirmation, Ramanathapuram



Holy Mass, Palladam



First Saturday Mass, Karumathampatti



Palm Sunday, Cathedral



Good Friday Way of the Cross, Cathedral



Maundy Thursday Mass, Cathedral



Good Friday Service, Cathedral

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Pope's Message

Dear brothers and sisters!

"Work is the vocation
of man"

Introduction

Today is the feast of
Saint Joseph the worker, and it is also
Workers' Day. Let us pray for all workers.
For all of them. May no-one be without
employment, and may all be fairly paid,
that they might earn both the dignity of
their work and the beauty of rest.

Homily

"God created" (Gen 1:27). A Creator.
He created the world, He created man, and
He gave man and woman a mission: to
manage, to work with and bring forward
creation. And the Bible uses the word
"work" to express this activity of God: He
"completed the work He had been doing.
He rested on the seventh day... after all
His work of creating" (Gen 2:2). And he
gives this activity to man: "You need to do
this, take care of this and that, you need to
work so as to create with me," as if he were
saying this, "so that this world might
continue" (see Gen 2:15, 19-20). To the
point that work is none other than the
continuation of God's work: human work
is man's vocation received from God at the
end of the creation of the universe.

Work makes the human person similar
to God, because with work man is a
creator, capable of creating, of creating
many things; also of creating a family to
raise. The human person is a creator, and



creates through work. This is his vocation, and it says in the Bible that "God saw all He had made, and indeed it was very good" (Gen 1:31). That is, work had goodness within itself and creates the harmony of things - beauty, goodness - and involves man in everything: in his thought, his actions, everything. Man is involved in work. It is man's first vocation: to work. And this gives dignity to man. The dignity that makes him resemble God. The dignity of work.

Once, a man went to Caritas, a man who had no employment and went to ask for help for his family. An employee of Caritas, who gave him something to eat, said to him, "At least you can take some food home". "But this is not enough for me", was the answer. "I want to earn the food I take home". He was lacking the dignity, that dignity of "making" the bread himself, through work, and taking it home. The dignity of work, which is trampled on, unfortunately.

Throughout history we have read about the brutality inflicted on slaves: they were brought from Africa to America - I think of that history that touches my own land - and we say, "What barbarism!" But there are many slaves today too, many men and women who are not free to work; they are forced to work in order to survive, nothing more. They are slaves: it is forced labour. It is forced labour, unjust, ill-paid, and which leads men and women to live with their dignity trampled underfoot. There are many, many throughout the world. Many. In the newspapers a few months ago we read, in a country in Asia, of how a man had beaten to death an employee who earned less than half a dollar a day, because he had done something badly. Today's slavery is our "indignity", because it takes away the dignity of men, of women, all of us. "No, I work, I have my dignity". Yes, but your brothers and sisters do not. "Yes, Father, it is true, but this, since it is very far away from me, I struggle to understand it. But they are among us; yes, here among us. Think of the day workers, who are made to work for minimum pay, and not for eight, but for twelve or fourteen hours a day: this happens today, here. Throughout the

world, and also here. I think of the domestic worker who does not receive a fair wage, who has no social security assistance, insurance, no pension provision: this does not only happen in Asia. It happens here.

Every injustice inflicted on a person who works tramples on human dignity; and also, the dignity of the one who does this injustice. It lowers the level and we end up with that tension that exists between a dictator and a slave. Instead, the vocation that God gives us is so good: to create, to re-create, to work. But this can be done when the conditions are right and the dignity of the person is respected.

Today let us join with many men and women, believers and non-believers, who commemorate Workers' Day, the day of work, for those who fight for justice in the world of work, for those - the good employers - who manage their businesses fairly, even if they themselves lose as a result. Two months ago I spoke on the telephone to a businessman, here in Italy, who asked me to pray for him because he did not want to lay off any of his workers, and said, "Because to lay off one of them is like firing myself". This conscience of so many employers who are good, who take care of their employees as if they were their own children. Let us pray for them too. And let us ask Saint Joseph, with this beautiful image [a statue standing near the altar] with the tools of his trade in his hand, that he might help us fight for the dignity of work, so that there may be work for everyone and that the work may be dignified. Not slave labour. May this be our prayer today.

Spiritual Communion

Those who cannot receive sacramental Communion may make a spiritual communion:

At Your feet, O my Jesus, I prostrate myself and I offer You repentance of my contrite heart, which is humbled in its nothingness and in Your holy presence. I adore You in the Sacrament of Your love, the ineffable Eucharist. I desire to receive You into the poor dwelling that my heart offers you. While waiting for the happiness of sacramental communion, I

wish to possess You in spirit. Come to me, O Jesus, since I, for my part, am coming to You! May Your love embrace my whole being in life and in death. I believe in You, I hope in You, I love You

Bishop's Message

Dear Rev.Fathers, Religious and laity,

Let all of us thank Our Lord for having blessed our diocese with one new priest. He will be ordained a priest in this month. We offer our prayerful wishes to him. By his arrival in the diocese, the diocese is immeasurably happy since a few more pastoral works will be carried out. At the same time, the diocese is sad due to the paucity of priests. Our diocese needs lot more priests to do the pastoral work. Since the vocation to the priesthood is on the decline, I kindly request the priests to increase vocations in your parishes. Please ask the families in your parish, like former times, to pray for vocation in their families which is the main source of vocations.

In this month, you will be organizing VBS which is very important and pivotal to the lives of our children. Please make sure that all the children of the parish take part in the vbs. It gives you an opportunity to inculcate into the minds of the children the importance and value of the Word of God in their lives. You may ask the parents of the children to cooperate in the ministry of the Word of God. The children of other denominations are quite well versed in the Bible. Kindly make our children as well as your parishioners that the Bible should play a vital role in the lives of Christians.

The month of May is dedicated to Our Blessed Mother, Mary. You may plan out some Marian devotions in your parish. Kindly instruct them to recite rosary in this month. By doing so, you advise the families about the recital of the rosary in the families. In former times, our families were happy, filled with joy and peace. It is due to the family prayers at homes, in particular the recital of rosary. Kindly take special efforts to

revive this noble custom in the families. The intercession of Our Blessed Mother, Mary, is very much needed for all of us. Whoever goes to Her, she pleads to her Son favourably.

May God bless you and your parishioners.

Yours devotedly in Risen Lord

+L. Thomas Aquinas
Bishop of Coimbatore

Bishop's Engagements

Date/Time	Programme	Place
01.05.2023 Mon/Mor	Feast, Holy Communion and Confirmation	St. Joseph's Church, Ondipudur
02.05.2023To 04.05.2023	Jubilee Mass	Kottar
07.05.2023 Sun/Eve	Priestly Ordination	Cathedral
14.05.2023 Sun/Mor	Feast, Holy Communion, Confirmation & Blessing of Arch and Grotto	St. Catherine's Church, Tirupur Town
Eve	Feast Mass	Divine Mercy Church, Kuniamuthur
17.05.2023 Wed/Mor	General Body Meeting	CMSSS, Bishop's House
20.05.2023 Sat/Eve	Platinum Jubilee Mass & Celebration	Our Lady of Purification Church, Kilampadi
21.05.2023 Sun/Mor	Feast, Holy Communion and Confirmation	St. Joseph's Church, Podanur
Eve	Feast Mass & Diamond Jubilee Celebration	Our Lady of Fathima Church, Gandhipuram
23.05.2023 Tue/Mor	Interview for the Minor Seminarians	Bishop's House
26.05.2023 to 27.05.2023	Jubilee Celebration	Vellore
29.05.2023 Mon/Mor	General Body Meeting	TASSOS, Trichy

From Vicar General's Desk

MEDICAL FUND PAID FROM 27.03.2023

SL.NO	PARISH	AMOUNT
1	KOLAPPALUR PARISH	10,000.00
2	GROTTO PARISH (METTUPALAYAM)	8,000.00
3	RATHINAPURI PARISH	10,000.00
4	SELVAPURAM PARISH	10,000.00
Total		38,000.00

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



அருட்பணி மையச் செய்திகள்

திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு கருத்தமர்வு:

ஏப்ரல் 15,16.04.2023 ஆகிய தேதிகளில் திருமணத் தயாரிப்புக் கருத்தமர்வு ஜீவஜோதி அருட்பணி மையத்தில் நடைபெற்றது. 16.04.2023 ஞாயிற்றுக்கிழமை பெற்றோருக்கான கருத்தமர்வு நடைபெற்றது.

குறிப்பு: மே மாதம் திருமணத் தயாரிப்புக் கருத்தமர்வு நடைபெறாது.

திருவழிபாட்டுப் பணிக்குழு:

திருஎண்ணை அர்ச்சிப்பு திருப்பலி:

03.04.23 அன்று கோவை மறைமாவட்டம் தூய மிக்கேல் அத்தூதர் பேராலயத்தில் திருஎண்ணை அர்ச்சிப்பு திருப்பலி நமது மேதகு. ஆயர் அவர்களின் தலைமையில் நடைபெற்றது. இத் திருவழிபாட்டு நிகழ்வை இயக்குனர் தந்தை அவர்கள் வழிநடத்தினார்.

திருத்தொண்டர் திருநிலைப்பாட்டுத் திருப்பலி:

16.04.23 அன்று கோவை மறைமாவட்டம் தூய மிக்கேல் அத்தூதர் பேராலயத்தில் மூன்று மறைமாவட்ட அருட்சகோதரர்களும் ஒரு துறவற அருட்சகோதரரும் நமது மேதகு ஆயர் அவர்களால் திருத்தொண்டர்களாக திருநிலைப்படுத்தப்பட்டார்கள் இத்திருவழிபாட்டு நிகழ்வை இயக்குனர் தந்தை அவர்கள் வழிநடத்தினார்.

பெண்கள் பணிக்குழு:

ஏப்ரல் 19 ஆம் தேதி தமிழக ஆயர் பேரவையின் பெண்கள் பணிக்குழுக் கூட்டம் திருச்சி பிராட்டியூரில் நடைபெற்றது. இக்கூட்டத்தை மேதகு. பேராயர். அந்தோணி பாப்பு சாமி அவர்கள் தலைமை ஏற்று வழிநடத்தினார். அவர் தம் உரையில் பெண்கள் பணிக்குழுவின் நோக்கம் பற்றியும், பங்குத்தளங்களில் பொதுக்குழு, செயல்குழு அமைத்து பெண்கள் குழுவாக செயல்பட பயிற்சிகள் அளிக்கப்பட வேண்டும் என்றும் கூறினார்.

மேலும், இக்கூட்டத்தில் மாநில செயலர் திருமிகு ஏஞ்சலா சவுரிராஜ் அவர்களுக்கு பணிநிறைவு நன்றி விழாவும், புதிய மாநில செயலராக அருட்சகோதரி. லூர்து அவர்களின் பணிப்பொறுப்பேற்பு விழாவும் நடைபெற்றது. இக்கூட்டத்திற்கு நமது பெண்கள் பணிக்குழு செயலர் அருட்சகோதரி. ரெஜினா அவர்கள் மற்றும் திருமதி. நிர்மலா அவர்கள் கலந்துக் கொண்டு பெண்கள் பணிக்குழுவின் ஆண்டு அறிக்கையை சமர்ப்பித்தார்கள்.

மறைப்பரப்பு பணிக்குழு:

22.04.23 திருச்சி அருங்கொடை இல்லத்தில் நற்செய்தி அறிவிப்புக் குறித்த பயிற்சி பாசறை மேதகு. ஆயர். ஸ்டீபன் ஆண்டனி தலைமையில் நடைபெற்றது. இப் பயிற்சி பாசறையில் அருங்கொடை மறுமலர்ச்சி பணிக்குழு செயலர் அருட்தந்தை அலெக்ஸ் ஆண்டனி அவர்கள் மற்றும் 13 பொது நிலையினர் கலந்துக் கொண்டார்கள். இப் பயிற்சி பாசறையில் இன்றைய உலகில் நற்செய்தி அறிவிக்க திரு அவைக்குள்ளும், திரு அவைக்கு வெளியேயும் எதிர் கொள்ளும் சவால்கள் குறித்தும், நற்செய்தியை முனைப்புடன் அறிவிக்கவும் ஆலோசனைகள் வழங்கப்பட்டது. இதில் பங்குபெற்ற செயலர் தந்தை அவர்களுக்கும், பொது நிலையினருக்கும் பாராட்டுகள்.

அருட்பணி ஜோ. செல்வராஜ்,
அருட்பணிமைய இயக்குநர்

Education Commission

The Governing Body meeting of Tamilnadu Catholic Educational Association (TANCEAN) was held on April 22, Saturday at Archdiocesan Pastoral Centre, Chennai. The following points were discussed.

1. Tamil Nadu private Schools Regulation Act -2018 & Rules 13.1.2023

More than 100 cases challenging the Tamilnadu Private Schools Act & rules were filed in the Hon'ble high court of Madras by the legal cell Chennai, on behalf of the Dioceses and Religious Congregations.

The Hon'ble High Court of Madras was pleased to grant an interim Order of **STATUS QUO** in terms of the earlier Judgment dated **17.12.1975**. As of now, we are protected by this interim order. Senior Advocate Rev. Fr. Dr. Xavier Arulraj & legal cell team appeared for the batch of cases. Our Sincere gratitude to Rev. Fr. Dr. Xavier Arulraj & legal cell team for their effort. Let us continue to pray that we get a final order in which our minority rights are protected.

2. G.O 165 SLP Case

The case is pending in the Supreme Court and it may take some more time.

3. ESI

All the institutions must pay ESI for all the regular Staff members. I am sure that all the Self Finance Schools (Fully & Partly) are paying ESI contributions regularly. If ESI is asking to pay for Damages, you need not to pay because there is a stay for Damages. Regarding Interest, the legal cell has filed case in Supreme Court. Let us wait for the final order.

For any clarification you can contact me.

Thank You

Rev. Fr. Dr. A. Maria Joseph
Superintendent of RC Schools.

News from CMSSS

Dear Fathers and Sisters

KOLPING INDIA

New Group Formation

14 new Kolping groups were formed - Ondipudur, Rathinapuri, Pollachi, Aaliyar, Kinathukadavu, Avinashi, Kottur and Anamalai regions.

172 new Kolping members were enrolled for the year of 2023. New Kolping groups were visited by the Kolping Coordinator and the respective Field staff - member.

29 new members registered in the existing Kolping groups at various regions.

NEW GROUPS

S. No	Place	Group Name	No. of Members
1	Sowripalayam	Rosa Mystica Kolping Family	19
2	Sungam	Gnanam Kolping Family	11
3	Anamalai	Vellakannimatha Kolping Family	10
4	Aliyar	Sindhunathi Kolping Family	11
5	Visuvasapuram	Vellakanni Kolping Family	7
6	SITRA	St. Joseph Kolping Family	24
7	Kinathukedavu	Anbu Kolping Family	12
8	Kinathukedavu	Ponmani Kolping Family	12
9	Kottur	Annai Kolping Family	10
10	Pollachi	Malar Kolping Family	12
11	RathinapuriKurunji	Malar Kolping Family	19
12	Avinashi	Sembaruthi Kolping Family	10
13	Aliyar	Vennila Kolping Family	10
14	Ondipudur	Minnalmatha Kolping Family	5
TOTAL			172

New Groups Formed - 202314

New Members Registered - 2023172

Members joined in Existing groups

S. No	Place	Group Name	No. of Members
1	Mariapuram	St. Francis De sales Kolping Family	4
2	Somanur	Loyola Kolping Family	2
3	Coimbatore	Punitha Micheal Kolping Family	1
4	Coimbatore	Kulandhai Matha Kolping Family	6
5	Podanur	Infant Jesus Kolping Family	1
6	Visuvasapuram	Punitha Maxi Millian Maria Kolping Family	5
7	Jothipuram	Sagaya Annai Kolping Family	2
8	Mariapuram	St. Francis De sales Kolping Family	3
9	Valparai	Thiru Irudhaya Kolping Family	2
10	SITRA	Lourdh Matha Kolping Family	3
TOTAL			29

IIGP Visit

Kolping Coordinator visited Ms. Prema's house, member of Ruth Kolping Family, she has benefitted from Kolping IIGP of Rs.50,000/- and doing saree business in her house.



She's earning nearly 15,000/- per month from her business and supports her family.

NEW THRUST - PHASE VII

Activities

- TASOSS organized a 3 days Mid-Term Review and Workshop at TASOSS, Trichy.
- CMSSS NT Point Person along with 2 MSH of Vadasithoor village and 1 successful entrepreneur attended the workshop.
- First day entrepreneur and coordinator had a training on livelihood follow-up and had shared their successful story of their business.
- Next day, NT Point Person and MSH had a discussion on upcoming program follow-ups.
- NT Point Person had a discussion and planning for program development.



Promotion and Strengthening of Children Parliament at the Panchayat Level

- On April 7th NT Point Person has organized a meeting for Children Parliament at Panchayat Level.
- Around 20 children have attended the meeting and they have discussed about its promotion and strengthening.
- Major discussion was about school level development in their education.



Consultation for the Development and Revisiting of the GPDP at GPs level

Gram Panchayat level GPDP consultation meeting was conducted at Vadasithur for the development of Gram panchayat.

Visited the MGNREGS work and monitored the works carried out by the people and the panchayat.



Discussion on strengthening of Intermediate Panchayat and District Panchayat's, effective and efficient implementation of schemes in gram panchayat level.

EZHUVOM IYYAKAM - Cancer Care Campaign Activities

,Awareness Meeting

- CMSSS, organized Cancer Care Campaign in Kinathukadavu region. Ms. Anees Fathima, Panchayat Clerk and TOT, imparted a half day training on Breast Cancer awareness and self - examination to the Kinathukadavu SHG members.
- 25 people participated in the training and benefitted.
- She has also suggested some healthy food habits to the people and the symptoms of Breast Cancer.
- People shared their ideas and their point of view towards the Breast Cancer



School Awareness Camp

- CMSSS, conducted a school children awareness camp at Sacred Heart Higher. Secondary. School, Valparai.
- Ms. Mennoda Selvi, CMSSS volunteer gave a brief orientation on Cancer.



- Discussion of the contents were Cancer and its types, transmission, stigma against cancer and healthy food habits.
- This was organised to bring an awareness among grass root level and accomplished with satisfaction.
- 25 students, attended the camp and they too shared few points with CMSSS volunteer.

Accounts Submission

Completed programs along with the photographs, reports, supporting documents and accounts were submitted for the financial year of 2022-2023.

CARITAS PRAGUE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM PROJECT

- 110 children's REG-2 were collected, documented, translated, scanned and sent to the donors.
- Soft copies of the same was sent to the headquarters.
- 8 of our CPSP children have completed their UG
- 4 children are leaving the program because they have got a job and one girl is getting married.
- 4 children wish to go in for higher studies and they are recommended from the office.
- LFT's were dispatched.
- FDP members have forwarded the application of their children.
- Rajalakshmi Siva Sankar, BSC., (CS), Jothi Raj P. Ramesh, B.A., Eng., Aishwarya P. Suresh, BCA. Cyril Raj Chandru Thomas, B.E Agri., Gowri S B.E., EEE, Joyce Rani, B.Com., Gokula Kannan Velusamy B.Tech., (IT), and Guruprakash C. Rangasamy B.Sc., (CS)
- APR is progressing.
- Evaluative Report and Narrative Report is prepared.

New database is prepared for the year 2023

FAMILY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (SAFPI)

- Ms. Madhumathi, our new appointee, attended two days induction program conducted by SAFPI office through online and had an interaction session with the project officer.



Ms. Madhumathi,
Coordinator

- Worked on the annual plan for 2023 - 2024 and submitted to SAFPI.
- Active status has been changed to awaiting progress report for the two partner families.
- Collected details and prepared progress report for two partner families.
- Contacted the partner families regarding the submission of bills for the activity completion report.
- Prepared and uploaded ten activity completion reports in DDMS.
- Project progress had been updated through the weekly report to SAFPI.

**HUNGER AND DISEASE LENTEN CAMPAIGN
COLLECTION STATUS AS ON 23. 03.2023**

Sl. No. Date of Collection Name of Parish Place Amount in Rs.

Coimbatore Vicariate

1	12.04.2023	St.Pius X Church	Madukkarai	5318
2	12.04.2023	St.Sebastian's Church	Sitra	18760
3	12.04.2023	St.Antony's Church	Puliakulam	24980
4	13.04.2023	St.Francis Xavier's Church	Sowripalayam	27905
5	18.04.2023	Church of Divine Mercy	Kuniamuthur	26400
6	19.04.2023	Carmel Ashram (O.C.D -Sisters)	Puliyakulam	10000
7	20.04.2023	St.Joseph's Church	Podanur	14000

Karumathampatti Vicariate:

8	12.04.2023	Holy Rosary Shrine	Karumathampatti	17500
9	12.04.2023	St.Ignatius Church	Somanur	16997
10	12.04.2023	St. Francis Xavier's Church	Pucklipalayam	63051
11	8.04.2023	St.Mary's (Assumption)	Church Pallapalayam	6550

Mettupalayam Vicariate:

12	17.04.2023	St.Paul's Church	Rathinapuri	25710
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Pollachi Vicariate

13	12.04.2023	St.Lourdes Church	Pollachi	12000
14	20.04.2023	Arokia Annai church	Anaimalai	2200
15	20.04.2023	St.Joseph's Church	Solayar Dam	4700
16	24.04.2023	St.Mary's Church	Udumalpet	11900

Total 2,31,225

Updates will be presented in the forthcoming months.

NABFINS**Disbursement of Loan - Joint Liability Groups -
25.02.2023 to 19.04.2023****SL No. Name of the JLG/SHG No. of Members Village Name Loan
amount Recommended by BC (Rs)**

	Cmsss Eniya Malargal Jlg	5	Avinashi	2,00,000
1	Cmsss kurunji malar Jlg	4	Kinathukadavu	2,60,000
2	Cmsss Atheeshwarar Jlg	4	Vadasithur	2,60,000
3	Cmsss Sun Jlg	4	Thiruveka Nagar	2,50,000
4	Cmsss Gandhi Jlg	4	Thiruveka Nagar	4,40,000
5	Cmsss Lotus Jlg	5	Aachipatti	3,50,000
6	Cmsss Sri sai Jlg	4	Puliyampatti	2,00,000
7	Cmsss Bharathiyar Jlg	6	Upperparali	1,80,000
8	Cmsss Mugaram Jlg	4	Kakkan Colony	1,20,000
9	Cmsss Allimalar Jlg	4	KamarajNagar	1,20,000
10	Cmsss Periyar Jlg	4	Vellonni	1,50,000
11	Cmsss Prahmaputra Jlg	5	Valparai	1,50,000
12	Cmsss Esan Thunai Jlg	5	Valparai	1,50,000
13	Cmsss Vaanmathi Jlg	4	Valparai	1,90,000
14	Aaron Kolping SHG	6	Cheran Managar	7,25,000
	Total			37,45,000

Nabfins Loan -Disbursement and Grading:**Anaimalai****Pollachi****Kinathukadavu****Valparai****Coimbatore****UDHAYAM WOMEN FEDERATION TRUST****FUND DISBURSEMENT IN (UWFT)- MARCH- 2023**

Sl.No	Membership No.	Members	Name	Region	Amount	Purpose of Loan
1	Poll/072/2022	Tamilselvi	Pollachi	45,000	Laundry	
2	Poll/074/2022	Pechiammal	Pollachi	24,000	Clath Sales	

3	Poll/070/2022	Flora	Pollachi	45,000	Tailoring
4	Poll/030/2022	Shakila Margaret	Pollachi	45,000	Petty Shop
5	Poll/033/2022	Hemalatha	Pollachi	45,000	Tailoring

Total 2,04,000

FUND DISBURSEMENT IN (UWFT) – APRIL 2023

Sl. No	Membership No.	Members Name	Region	Amount	Purpose of Loan
1	CBE/088/22	Gracy Selvam Joseph	Coimbatore	45000	Education
2	KK/001/22	V.Prema		45000	Clath sales
3	KK/002/22	M. Bagyalakshmi		45000	Health care
4	KK/004/22	S. Arputhammal		45000	Petty shop
5	KK/017/22	K.Kalamani		45000	Education
6	KK/016/22	P.Kiruthika		30000	Education
7	KK/125/22	J. Sulthanasheela		45000	Education
8	KK/035/22	K.Meenathchi		45000	Food products
9	KK/151/22	N. Thenmozhl		45000	Agriculture
10	KK/042/22	R.Rajeswari		45000	Food products

Total 4,35,000

Coimbatore



Kinathukadavu



UDHAYAM WOMEN FEDRATION TRUST GOVERNING BODY MEETING - 05th April 2023

- Governing body meeting was organized at Pollachi, Coimbatore, Kinathukadavu, Avinashi and Anaimalai regions.
- Previous month's review and the planning of the current month were discussed in the meeting and the resolutions have been passed and recorded minutes of meeting.
- Renewal of membership subscription for the Year 2023 is under process.
- Members are interested to pay the special event collection and celebrate women's day.
- Orientation was given to the interested new members at Valparai to form Self-Help groups. Funds were disbursed to 33 members and insisted them to form Self- Help Groups and to develop savings in their account.

- Advance wishes towards chithirai Thirunal was shared among Federation Leaders.



SPECIAL EVENT

Tamil New Year Celebration

On 14th April, CMSSS celebrated Tamil New Year in office premises. Rev. Fr. V. Arun, Director of CMSSS, blessed the office campus. New financial accounting year procedure was started.



SC/ST COMMISSION

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பணிக்குழு

கோவை ஆயர் இலம், தபால் பெட்டி எண். 6 கோவை - 641001

மேதகு ஆயர், தாமஸ் அக்வினாஸ்
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அருட்பணி, V. அருண்
செயலர்

தனி தீர்மானம் கொண்டு வந்த மாண்புமிகு தமிழக முதல்வர்
மு. க. ஸ்டாலின் அவர்களுக்கு நன்றி நவில்தல்!

கிறிஸ்தவர்களாக மதம் மாறிய ஆதிதிராவிடர்களை பட்டியலினத்தில் சேர்த்து அரசியலமைப்பு சட்டத்தில் வழங்கப்பட்டுள்ள அனைத்து உரிமைகளும், சலுகைகளும் ஒன்றிய அரசு வழங்க வேண்டும் என தமிழக சட்டமன்றத்தில் கடந்த ஏப்ரல் 19^{ம்} தேதி தனி தீர்மானம் கொண்டு வந்த மாண்புமிகு தமிழக முதல்வர் மு. க. ஸ்டாலின் அவர்களுக்கு மனமார்ந்த நன்றியை தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கிறோம். மேலும் தமிழக அரசு கொண்டுவந்துள்ள இந்த தனி தீர்மானத்திற்கு ஒன்றிய அரசு முழு உரிமைகளையும் வழங்க வேண்டும்.

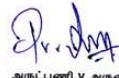
பட்டியலின மக்களுக்கு இணையாக கிறிஸ்தவ பட்டியலின மக்களும் முன்னேற்றம் பெறும் வகையில் பல்வேறு அரசாணைகளை இயற்றி கல்வி உதவித்தொகை திட்டங்களை தலித் கிறிஸ்தவ மாணவர்களும் பெற்று பயனடைய தமிழக அரசு உதவிக்கிறது. தலித் கிறிஸ்தவர்களுக்காக குரல் கொடுத்த சட்டமன்ற, நாடாளுமன்ற உறுப்பினர்கள் அனைவருக்கும் நன்றியை தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கின்றோம். 72 ஆண்டுகளாக தலித் கிறிஸ்தவர்களுக்கு இழைக்கப்பட்ட அநீதியானது இன்று மாற்றம் பெறுவதற்கான வாய்ப்பை மாண்புமிகு தமிழக முதல்வர் மு. க. ஸ்டாலின் நிறைவேற்றியமைக்க நாங்கள் மனமார்ந்த நன்றியை தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கிறோம்.


மேதகு ஆயர், தாமஸ் அக்வினாஸ்

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கோவை மறைமாவட்டத்தின் சார்பில்
தலித் கிறிஸ்தவர்களுக்கு எதிராக கடந்த
72 ஆண்டுகளாக
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சமூக நீதியை பெற்றுக்கொடுக்கத்
மாண்புமிகு
தமிழ்நாடு முதல்வர்
நெஞ்சளிந்த நன்றியும்... யாராட்டுக்களும்...
தலித் சிறித்தவர்களை சட்டவசனை படியவில்லை சேர்க்கப்படவேண்டுமென்ற
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பூணை நின்ற அனைத்து சட்டமன்ற கட்சித் தலைவர்களுக்கும் மற்றும்
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இதயபூர்வமான நன்றிகள்....
இவண்
மேதகு ஆயர் அவர்கள்.
கோவை ரோமன் கத்தோலிக்க மறைமாவட்டம்
கோவை மறைமாவட்ட முதன்மைக்கு,
மறைமாவட்ட குருக்கள், திருபாஸ் துறவியர்,
வழங்குநிலையினர், SC/ST பள்ளிகளுக்கு
கோவை மறைமாவட்டம்

Rev. Fr. V. Arun
Director, CMSSS

News from CEEMA

Dear Rev. Fathers & Sisters,
Greetings from CEEMA!

Children Sponsorship Program (CSP)

- The project coordinator and the social workers collected Easter letters from 179 CPSP Children for sending it to their respective donors with English translation.
- 20 Children are selected for Sponsorship and CEEMA Staff visited the selected children's families and received Thank you letter for their donors.
- 2 children received house hold items and one child received gift from his donor.
- 1 CPSP child with her sibling received our help and support who lost her widowed mother last month. CEEMA Team



coordinated with School Principal and the child's relatives and helped the children to continue education with accommodation in Government Girls Hostel, Perundurai.

New Thrust Project

Developing IEC & Printing and Dissemination of Key Features of Rights/Govt. Schemes of the Marginalised and Protection of CPR

We printed booklets on government schemes about livelihood & basic amenities, and issued 40 booklets to Sadayampalayam Panchayat People and Panchayat office.



Children Parliaments

CEEMA had arranged a program for the promotion and strengthening of Children Parliaments at panchayat-level on 11.04.2023 at Earagampatty, Sadaiyapalayam Panchayat, Kundadam Block where 8 children took part. Point person Mr. A. Jolly Abraham of CEEMA, Erode carried out the program.



THOZHI - "Empower Women at Workplace"

CEEMA Staff took part in gram panchayat and Gram Shaba to create awareness. Awareness pamphlets were given to the people of the Kondayampalaym Village people in Anthiyur Block.



Conducted 2 awareness program to women workers on remove wage discrimination and to create awareness about workers rights and laws. Pamphlets were issued to the participants.

'Ezhuvom Iyakkam'- Cancer Care Campaign **Cancer Screening Camp**



CEEMA conducted "Ezhuvom Iyakkam" cancer screening camp and general medical camp in collaboration with Erode Cancer Center on 17.04.2023 at CEEMA. Dr. S. Atchaya, BAMS (Erode Cancer Centre) and Fr. S. Pushpanathan (Director, CEEMA) presided the program. 45 women attended the camp and availed medical facilities. Five women had taken the Pap smear test and were referred to Erode Cancer Centre for further screening.

Network meeting-2

CEEMA organized a network meeting with Erode Cancer Centre, Rotary club and Jeeva NGO on 12.04.2023 at ECC in the presence of Fr. Pushpanathan, Dr. K. Velavan (MD, ECC), Dr. R. Thamaraikannan (Erode District program officer, DDHS), Mr. E. Subramanian (Rotary Club, Erode) Mrs. Sathya (Coordinator, Jeeva NGO, Erode). A plan was made to select villages and to create awareness on cancer and conduct more cancer screening camps in the selected villages.



The Hunger and Disease

CEEMA received fund for the Hunger and Disease Project which we are doing in collaboration with Caritas India. Our Church Parishes donated for the "Hunger and Disease" as Lent Offering to carry out the great work of serving humanity together. Our heartfelt gratitude to Church Parishes for their generous contribution.

The Hunger and Disease Collection for the year - 2023

S.NO	Particulars	Amount
1	St. Antony's Church, Puliyampatty	6310.00

2.	St. Antony's Church, Komarapalayam	9460.00
3	Holy Family Church, Perundurai	4000.00
4.	Holy Redeemer's Church, Bhavani Sagar	2100.00
5.	Infant Jesus Shrine, Puliur.	4000.00
6.	Sacred Heart Church Gobichettipalayam	5000.00
7	St. Catherine's Church, Tiruppur.	29000.00
8	St. Theresa's Church, Karur	18417.00
9.	St. Joseph's Church, Iduvampalayam	1960.00
10.	Kulandai Madha church, Kangeyam	5500.00
	Total Collection	85747.00

"God is not unjust; he will not forget your work and the love you have shown him as you have helped his people and continue to help them." **Hebrews 6:10**

Fr. S. Pushpanathan
Director, CEEMA

May God give them eternal rest

01-05-1973	Rev.Fr. M.Lazare
04-05-1916	Rev.Fr. Pageault
05-05-1975	Rev.Fr. Maria Ambrose
06-05-1934	Rev.Fr. G. Boulanger
06-05-1896	Rev.Fr. E.C. Bouchard
06 -05-1996	Rev.Fr. S. Joseph Pragasam
07-05-2019	Very Rev. Msgr. Kulandai Raj
09-05-1926	Very Rev.Fr. L. De Gelis, V. G
09-05-1995	Rev. Fr. Patrick D' Rosario
10-05-1891	Rev.Fr. T. Le Bonzec
12-05-2010	Rev. Fr. Maria Selvam
13-05-1876	Rev.Fr. Bochaton (Paul)
13-05-1986	Rev.Fr. Saveriar
14-05-1952	Rev.Fr. N. Madalainathar
16-05-1910	Rev.Fr. M. Ligier
18-05-1938	Most Rev. Maria Tournier
21-05-2018	Rev. Fr. C.S. Madalaimuthu
27-05-1882	Rev.Fr. Xavier
28-05-1922	Rev.Fr. P.P. Briand
30-05-1915	Rev.Fr. J.H. Blanchard

Highlights of previous Month



Easter Vigil Mass, Cathedral



Easter Mass, Visuvasapuram

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



On 3rd

Rev. Fr. Alex Antonymsamy



on 4th

Rev. Fr. Lourdu Irudayaraj



On 10th

Rev. Fr. M. Jesudass



on 15th

Rev. Fr. A.M.A. Lawrence



on 16th

Rev. Fr. Prince Robert Bellarmine



on 18th

Rev. Fr. Maria Joseph A



on 29th

Rev. Fr. George Sagayaraj



On 29th

Rev. Fr. John Yesu Shiju



On 29th

Rev. Fr. Jeraldin

May God Bless You on Your Feast Day



On 3rd

Rev. Fr. Philip



On 12th

Rev. Fr. Pancras



On 24th

Rev. Fr. Jony Sagayaraj



Congratulations to you
Dear Deacons.
The Newly ordained Deacons
of Our Diocese
Dn. Naveen Antony,
Dn. Dinato Joseph ,
Dn. Paulraj

கோவை, காந்திபுரம்

புனித பார்த்தீமா அன்னை ஆலய

88வது ஆண்டு திருவிழா

மற்றும் வைரவிழா அழைப்பிதழ் - 2023

22.05.2023 ஞாயிறு

நேரம் : காலை 5.45 : திருப்பலி

தலைமை : அருட்பணி. செல்வின், புதிய குரு

நேரம் : காலை 7.15 : முதல் திருவிருந்து விழா

தலைப்பு : பார்த்தீமா அன்னை பரிசுத்தமுள்ளவர்

சிறப்பிப்போர் : முதல் திருவிருந்து பெறும் குழந்தைகள்

தலைமை : பேரருட்திரு. ஜான் ஜோசப் ஸ்தனிஸ்

கோவை மறைமாவட்ட முதன்மை குரு



மாலை : 5.00 மணி ஆடம்பர கூட்டுத் திருப்பலி, உறுதீப்புசுதல் வழங்குதல்

பார்த்தீமா அன்னை - நமது பாரங்களை சுமப்பவர்

எமது ஆயர்

தலைமை

மேதகு. Dr. தாமஸ் அக்வினாஸ்

கோவை மறைமாவட்டம்

முன்னிலை

மேதகு ஆயர். Dr. அமல்ராஜ்

ஊட்டி மறைமாவட்டம்

மேதகு ஆயர்.

மறையுரை

Dr. அருள்செல்வம் இராயப்பன்,

சேலம் மறைமாவட்டம்

அன்புடன் அழைக்கும்

அருட்பணி. மரிய அந்தோணி, கப்புச்சின்

பங்குத்தந்தை

அருட்பணி. தேவபாபு, கப்புச்சின்

துணைப் பங்குத்தந்தை

சாந்தி ஆசிரமத் துறவியர், அருட் சகோதரிகள், திருப்பயணிகள், அன்பியப் பொறுப்பாளர்கள், பக்த சபையினர் மற்றும் பார்த்தீமா அன்னை பங்குக் குடும்பங்கள்