



NAVDARSAN



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A NOVEL STEP

We, the CMI Brethren, are in the preparations for the Bicentennial Jubilee of the foundation of the Congregation (1831-2031). In Darsana family too, some embodiments of our spirit and enthusiasm are realized. The empty walls of Darsana, are being filled with new novel ideas, blessed by Fr Rector on 8th August, always remind the Darsanites to be **“Grace-Filled Presence for a Transformed World.”** On the same occasion, We bid farewell to Fr. Thomas Oswald CMI, our former confessor, as he was transferred to Aspirants’ House at Balharshah.



BISHOP JANUARIUS ENDOWMENT LECTURES

Bishop Januarius Endowment Lectures on “Magisterial Teachings and Formation” by **Mar Thomas Padiyath**, the Auxiliary Bishop of Shamshabad diocese, was held on 12th August. The sessions lasted for two hours and the presence of the members from different neighboring communities doubled the spirit. On 13th August, Mar Padiyath celebrated the Sunday Mass with the Eucharistic community.



VANDE MATARAM

August 15th was a day filled with devotion to Mother Mary and patriotism to Mother India. Darsana family celebrated that day very solemnly along with *Pavitra Parivar*. We had flag hoisting ceremony and sharing of the happiness thereafter. The patriotic speech, delivered by Bro. Delis Kariyanattu, was so inspiring.



MUSIC LESSONS...

The Darsana campus itself exhales rhythm and harmony always. In a way, the Darsanites are also striving to inhale the harmonious breath in their lives. The music classes by Mr. Pradeep Ingole from Sant Chavara School, are so useful and making brothers to excavate the innate taste of music in them.

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Darsana Kala Samiti had organized the maiden monthly cultural evening named ‘NAVDARSAN’ the first of its kind in the history of Darsana, on 24th August and it truly witnessed to the potentials of different groups and the enthusiasm of the family.

'ALOHA'



The unity, generosity and creativity of the seniors were turned into a new dais titled 'Aloha'. They celebrated their section feast in connection with the feast of St. Euphrasia in a very solemn way. Their zeal and vibes were so expressive in the Holy Mass and the cultural eve conducted on 27th August. The programs were so captivating and appreciable.



**Thanks from the heart to Sr. Sheetal SSps,
Atmadarsan English Teacher**



ATMODAYA

Atmodaya is a new initiative to feel with the Church and the Congregation and the Scripture. There are three programmes: i) *Sentire cum Congregatione*, where the different themes of the book titled “CMI Year of Communitarian Witnessing 2023-2024” are assigned to the first-year brothers and are presented on every first and third Tuesdays in a month. ii) *Sentire cum Ecclesia*, where the “Magisterial Teachings on Formation” are assigned to the second-year brothers and are presented on every second and fourth Wednesdays in a month. iii) *Sentire cum Scriptura*, where the brothers are assigned to deliver a bible reflection in Hindi, two or three days in a week, during the evening meditation

NEWS BITES FROM SANT CHAVARA SCHOOL



Drawing Competition
August 11



Independence Day
August 14-15



Rakshabandhan
August 31

TRIBUTE TO OUR DECEASED ALUMNI



Fr. George Olickal
(HYD)
Birth: 23-01-1937
Staff:
1983-84; 1988-96
Death: 20-11-2022



Fr Prosper Komban
(BHO)
Birth: 21-06-1928
Staff:
1995-99, 2002-05
Death: 18-07-2023



Fr. Thomas Thelekadan
(BIJ)
Birth: 03-07-1971
Student: 1993-95
Death: 03-01-2023



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