



### Signing In :

*Hearty Congratulations and Best Wishes to our new Principal  
Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello.*



It is a new academic year of 2019-2020. It is going to be a year of immense possibilities and challenges. The bygone years have left its impression on us by making us a little more sensitive and adaptive to the given situation and changes. The years ahead of us are still more obscure but definitely rewarding for those daring ones. With our new Principal, Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello, as the captain of the ship, we shall sail TOGETHER to greater heights.

Theresian Chime Welcomes the Management, Staff and Students after the vacation. We relaxed, visited holiday resorts, enjoyed outings with our friends and family. Now with full vigour, zeal and enthusiasm ready to resume our responsibilities. May God grant us His grace and blessings, strength and good heart that we may do justice in all our endeavours in this esteemed Institution of ours.

### Principal's Desk :

*"Education has always been regarded in India as a source of illumination and power which transforms and ennobles our nature by progressive and harmonious development of our physical, mental, intellectual and spiritual powers and faculties".*

We are in the month of June, after a long holiday, a good relaxation and rest indeed. Good news in getting good results!! the fruit of our hard work. It's a month of admissions. Anxious parents seeking admissions for their children, students with new zeal and enthusiasm, Teachers with new syllabus, and administrators do not find time to have food or even to drink water.

Yes, Education seems to be prime important. It is a basic need which opens unlimited possibilities, calling for responses that are constructive, creative and challenging. Education transmits to a new generation the heritage of the past and prepares it for the present and future that the emergent needs of the security and individual holds for us.

Dr.A.P.J.Kalam lists the main aims of education as follows:

- To build character and to cultivate human values in students;
- To inject creativity and to develop scientific attitude with spiritual foundation;
- To build confidence among children to face to future;
- To ensure the creation of enlightened citizens who make the nation prosperous, happy and strong;
- To develop moral leadership;
- To develop the sense of dignity, self-respect and self-reliance

**Pope Francis** while meeting a group of teachers urged them to promote a culture of encounter. He said that the challenge is to educate children to be open and interested in other people, respecting their different histories, their strengths and weaknesses, their resources and limitations. He further stated that **school is one of those environments where we learn to live; that is to become mature men and women, capable of making a good journey in life.**

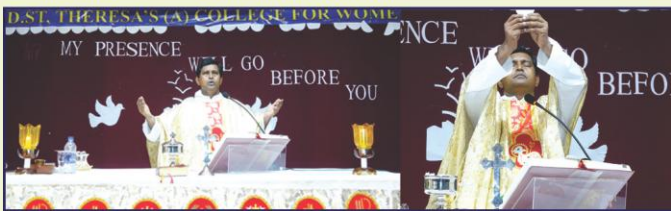
As we commit ourselves to ensure quality and value based education, may we continue to strive for the integral development and transformation.

May the good Lord, be with us in all our endeavours.

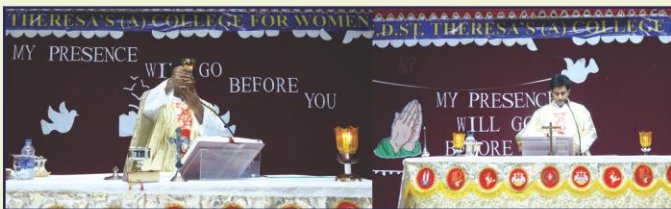


– Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello

## General Block : Holy Eucharist :



St. Theresa's College Management, Staff and Students received God's blessings for the new academic year 2019-2020 by organizing the Holy Mass on 21<sup>st</sup> June. Rev.Fr. Polisetty Innaiah (President of Vijnananilayam, Janampet, Eluru) celebrated the Mass and blessed the students. On 26<sup>th</sup> Rev.Fr. Jaya Kumar, Bishop's House offered the Holy Eucharist for the 1<sup>st</sup> year students. It was a wonderful moment to be filled with the divine grace at the beginning of the new academic year. They explained the worth of knowledge and Wisdom and enriched the students



## New Vine :

The news was flashed through multi-media in the month of May that there would be some shuffling in the administration. Everyone was eager to know the new development in the college. **We HAVE A NEW PRINCIPAL!!!**



**Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello**, the former Provincial of Sisters of St. Ann's Congregation of Providence, took charge as a **new Principal** of St. Theresa's College, Eluru on 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. Sister also rendered her services as Correspondent, Vice-Principal and P.G. Director of this prestigious Institution. Whole heartedly the Management, Staff and Students welcome her to lead and guide the college. The welcome celebration was organized by the newly elected staff club members Dr. D. Fathima Rani, Mrs. Neeraja and Mrs. Santhosh Jhavar. The new Principal was honoured by the members of Staff Council and IQAC after relishing a meaningful and heart touching prayer meeting.



## Sr. Showrilu as PG Director



Sr Showrilu, **Vice-Principal** of St. Theresa's College accepted an additional responsibility as PG Director on 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. PG teaching as well as support staff and students welcomed and congratulated their new Director Sr Showrilu. Principal Dr Sr Marietta D' Mello, Staff Council and IQAC members felicitated Sr Showrilu and graced the occasion.



## Graduation Ceremony :

It was a spectacular and memorable day in the life of St. Theresa's college as 645 students got graduated on 15<sup>th</sup> of June, 2019. All the preparations were done to honour graduates especially the 7 Gold and 5 Silver medalists. The function hall was filled to the maximum capacity with honoured Guests, Parents, the Staff and Students. The Chief guest was Prof. A.V. Prasad Rao, Vice Chancellor, Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajamahendravaram and Sri.I. Venkateswara Rao, MLC was the Guest of Honour. The Procession was lead by Rev.Sr.Lourd Mary, Correspondent, Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello, Principal, Sr. Showrilu, Vice.Principal cum P.G.Director followed by the Heads of the Departments.



After welcoming the eminent guests on to the dais, Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello spoke on the importance of the day and presented the report of the campus achievements. Sr. Lourd Mary, Correspondent of the College, declared Graduation Day open. The Chief guest, Prof. A.V. Prasad Rao, enlightened the graduates on the importance of having goals and finding ways and means to possess career opportunities. He did encourage the students to upgrade themselves as per the trend and technology. He appreciated and admired the activities and values of St. Theresa's College. The Guest of Honour, Sri. I. Venkateswara Rao, MLC, stressed on how education brings an all round development and advised the students to read many books that enhances and updates the knowledge. He blessed and wished that

all the graduates be successful in getting great career opportunities. As part of the Graduation ceremony, the Principal administered the oath process.



## National Seminar :

The centre for women's studies organized the seminar at St. Theresa's College on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2019 and provided platform to share the knowledge about the "Cybercrimes and Women – Precautions and Strategies" through the resource persons, paper and poster presentations to our dear faculty, students and to every possible woman in our society. About 529 participants registered for the seminar.



Chief Guest, **Smt. Nannapaneni Rajakumari, Chairperson, AP State Women's Commission**, in her inaugural address cautioned the youth and other women participants about the various ways the youngsters are threatened and how they are victimized in day to day life by highlighting cybercrimes. Guests of honour, **Dr.S.Rajyalakshmi, Member-AP Mahila Commission, Ms.R.Suez, Director-AP Mahila Commission, Ms.R.L.Annapurna Devi-Section officer, AP Mahila Commission**, highlighted about the importance of acquiring knowledge on the theme.

**Mrs. D.Brahmeswari, former HOD of Social Sciences** focused on the topic, "Cybercrimes and Prevention" and dealt on the various aspects like present scenario of cybercrimes, types and preventive measures to be taken. **Ms. G. Amulya Spencer, Advocate, High Court of AP. Advocate**, addressed on the topic, "Women Empowerment And Legal Awareness". She focused on the trauma experienced in various ways like psychological, health and virtual by people in day to day life. **Mr. D. Abraham, Former Director, APSSS**, expressed that every second one woman is victimized on the online platform. This is the new platform where a woman's dignity, privacy and security are increasingly challenged. **Ms. Dhanya Menon Pattathil, Cyber Investigator, Kerala** addressed audience on the theme of the seminar "Cybercrimes and Women – Precautions and Strategies" and dazed about the alarming increase in rate of cybercrimes in the country.

Dr. P. Jyothi Kumari, Dr. M. Esther Kalyani Asirvadam, Dr. M. Padmaja, Sr. Sunila Rani. P, M. Laahiri, Ms. Nazma, M.K. Padma Lata, Ms. S. Hima Bindu, Ms. R. Sonia Priyadarshini, Dr. K. Sita Manikyam, Dr. B. Lilly Grace Eunice , Professor of PG Economics, Andhra University presented papers.

Trolling : P.Manasa I MBA and Bh.Dhana Lakshmi I MBA. **Twenty Eight Students** displayed posters on the given theme.

**International Journal Of Research** was released Including Messages from Well Wishers and the articles of the seminar participants. Our heartiest appreciation to the members of the editorial board in general and to the Editor-In-Chief **Dr.I.Annapurna** in specific for the tremendous effort put forward for the timely release of the journal.



## Students' Block:

### Internships/Training Program:

The students of **II B. Sc Home Science** participated in an internship and credit transfer programme on "Vocational Training Programme on Food Processing and Preservation" in Krishi Vignan Kendra (KVK) Venkataramannagudem. The duration of the programme was from 4<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2019. They obtained extra credits by doing this internship



The students of **III B. Sc Home Science** attended internships in various hospitals during the month of May. They did their internships in various hospitals like KIMS Hospital- Hyderabad,



Capital Hospital-Vijayawada, ASRAM Hospital-Eluru, RAMESH Hospital-Guntur and The District Government General Hospital-Eluru. The purpose of the Internship was to gain practical knowledge in suggesting therapeutic diets.



The **Department of Management studies** organized an Internship Programme on “Enhancement of Employability Skills from the perspective of Job market” under RUSA for both BBA and MBA final year students from 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. The resource persons are from Vaibhav Groups and Services and the students got trained in eight different companies based on their specializations in HR, Marketing and Finance



On 29th June 2019, **Department of commerce** organized students Training Program on “GST & TALLY” .Resource person ch. Sudheer CA. one of the leading chartered accountants in Vijayawada. The

activity went on well and successfully completed. According to the feedback form students, they were delighted and enlightened, they are eager to have

some more sessions. we are thakful to principal Rev.Sister Dr.Marietta D' Mello and vise principal and PG directoress Rev.Sister Shouryulu for proving this opportunity.



### Interactive Session :

**Dr.D. Fathima Rani, Department of English** organized an Interactive Session by Ms. A. Pranetha from Hertfordshire University on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. She interacted with the students and Clarified their doubts regarding higher studies in aboard at different levels and communication skills.

### Knowledge Extension Programme :

III B.Sc MPC (I) Section Students presented a knowledge extension programme on “ Precious Little Drop” on 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 under the guidance of Mrs. T.Rohini kumari and Dr.M.Rama. The main aim of this extension is to make the students aware of the causes of water pollution , Preventive measures, different modes of water conservation and to protect our water sources for future generations. They depicted the theme through Dance , Skit and Mime. Well, it was an eye-opening performance.



### P.G. Summer Project :

II **MSc Organic Chemistry** students got trained in Spectrophotometric methods and Chromatography as a part of Summer project from 5<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at Pharma train company, Rajahmundry. It's an enriching and enlightening training indeed.



### Student Induction Programme :



The classes for the **1 year Degree** students commenced on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 at St. Theresa's College, Eluru. A six day Student Induction Programme was organized from 24<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> June for the new comers . This was to equip them with an awareness about the college, methods, working style, availabilities, do's and don'ts, examinations, rules and regulations. Sr. Lourd Mary, the Correspondent, in her speech encouraged the students to make use of all the possibilities of the college and grow in knowledge to acquire a brighter side of life. Sr. Marietta D'mello, the Principal, advised the students to learn a disciplined and systematic life. Sr. Marietta assured them a standard and value based education. Sr. Showrilu, Vice-Principal, explained the aims and goals of the college and instructed the students to move towards achieving those aims. Dr. Nirmala Jyothsna, HOD of Physical Science, narrated the history of the college and enlightened the students. **Mrs. Ume Salma, HOD of Telugu and Hindi** organized, supervised and advised the students to make use of all the opportunities, possibilities of the college and work for the Good will of the college. Every department contributed for the growth and better understanding of the 1 year degree students. It was a rich and knowledge sharing programme.

consummated with a test. The Principal Rev.Dr.Sr. Marietta D'Mello addressed the students in the final session and stressed over the need for English in Professional life.



### Statistics Day :

The Department of Mathematics and Statistics conducted various competitions for all UG Students in view of Statistics Day . On 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> June an Essay writing competition on Sustainable Development Goals and Research-Statistics. Quiz on General



studies as well as Fundamentals of statistics. On 29<sup>th</sup>, B.Sc M.s.computers ten Students under the guidance of Mrs.G.Kusuma attended 13<sup>th</sup> National Statistics day celebrations organized by Field Operations Division (FOD) National Statistical Office , at Andhra Loyola(A) College , Vijayawada.



### Staff Block : Seminar for the Staff :

A seminar was organized for the Staff on the topic “ Personality Development and National Policies in the system of Education” by **Rev.Fr. Prasad Maraneni** on 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2019. Fr. Prasad enlightened the Staff on various academic policies, the way we need to approach the students by molding ourselves to reach our targets. Fr. used the videos to give us ample examples.



### English Bridge course :

Bridge Course for the 1 year students was organized from 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 by the Department of U.G.



English under the guidance of Dr.D. Fathima Rani. It is mainly to brush up the LSRW Skills of the students in English language accompanied by modules like importance of English language. It was in an interactive method with activities conducted for each module. Students actively participated in conversations, skits and action songs which helped to improve their pronunciation, accent and intonation. The ICT tools like ppt and videos were used extensively. Nearly 700 students participated in Bridge Course and the course



On 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 the Management organized a seminar for the **support staff** for the academic year 2019-20 on the topics “Personality Development, Evolution, Skill and Team Work”. The resource persons were Fr. Prasad Marneni and Fr. Arogya from Nalgonda. The Staff got enlightened and impressed by their talk, stories and the tasks. It’s a great knowledge based experience indeed.

The Teaching and Support Staff are very grateful to the Management.



### Training for the New Faculty :

Experienced cum Senior Faculty **Dr. G. Jyothi**, HOD of Chemistry, **Dr.. K.V. Padmavathi**, HOD of Home Science, **Dr. R. Madhavi**, HOD of English and **Mrs. Ume Salma**, HOD of Hindi and Telugu enlightened and enriched the young faculty by sharing their teaching experiences, highlights in methodologies, behavioural pattern, principles and values that are to be followed while dealing with the students and so on. It was a great and helpful training programme for the upcoming faculty. Thanks to the Senior Faculty for their services.



### Congratulations !!! :

**Sr. Marietta D’mello** is nominated as a **Senate Member ANU, Rajamahendravaram**. She attended a meeting of the Standing Committee to Academic Senate on 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2019.



**Dr.K.S.V.K.S.Madhavi Rani** ,Lecturer in Zoology was appointed as member of Undergraduate Board of Studies in B.Voc. Industrial Aquaculture and Fisheries for a period of three years on 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 by the Vice Chancellor of Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajahmundry. She attended the B.O.S. Meeting on 21st June,2019 at Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajahmundry.

### Participation in Seminars/ Workshops/Conferences :

**Mr. V. Gopinath**, Department of Mathematics participated in the National Conference on “Advances in Computational Fluid Dynamics” (NACFD-2019) and presented paper on **Some fixed point theorems in dislocated quasi b-metric spaces** on 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 at Andhra Kesari Tanguturi Prakasam University, Ongole.

**Dr. D. Fathima Rani**, Department of English participated in a one day “Lions Regional Women” workshop on 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2109 conducted by Association of Lions Club International at Lions Leadership Institute, Eluru. The State Minister for Women and Child welfare Smt. Taneti Vanitha, ( Alumni) was the Chief Guest for the workshop



### MANA TV Lesson :

**Dr.R.Madhavi**, Department of English delivered three MANA TV audio lessons under the UG Foundation Courses CSS 2 & ICT for LMS application at APSAPNET MANA TV studio, Tadepalli, Guntur on 7<sup>th</sup> June,2019.

**Mrs. Nazma, Department of Management Studies** delivered a lecture on “Cardinal and Ordinal Utility Analysis” at B.R. Ambedkar Open University for All India Radio which will be broadcasted on 22 July, 2019.

### Publications :

On 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 **Mrs M.Durgadevi, Faculty, PG Department of Mathematics** along with Ms.E.Teja Devi Sowjanya and Ms. A.Chinnasamma published paper on **Applications Of Number theory In Engineering** in Journal of Applied Science and Computations with ISSN NO:1076-5131 Volume VI, Issue IV, April 2019, in Milaneni Perumallu Educational Society’s Group Of Institutions, Guntur.



### Online Refresher Course :

**Swayam Online Refresher Course** was offered by U.G.C. under the guidelines of M.H.R.D., Government of India to the faculty. **Department of Chemistry** Dr.G.Jyothi, Dr.V.Nagalakshmi, Mrs.N.Gayatri Devi, Mrs.K.Chukkamma, Mr.G.Srinivasa Rao and Ms.N.Syamala were the participants from St. Theresa’s College. It was 16 week course and every week 2 lectures with eminent speakers were organized followed by assignments as an online exercise. On 30<sup>th</sup> March a three hour online exam was conducted by U.G.C. at ION Digital Hub, Kandrika near Vijayawada. All the above mentioned faculty successfully completed online refresher course in CHEMISTRY for Higher Education Faculty. It will be helpful to the faculty for Career Advancement Scale (CAS) promotions. Kudos to the Chemistry faculty who succeeded in this new attempt..



### Activities Block :

#### Yoga Day:

International Yoga Day Celebrations were organized at a grand scale by 19(A) BN, NCC cadets under the

guidance of Dr. Major P.Celine Rose on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2019 at St. Theresa’s College for Women, Eluru. The programme was inaugurated by the Commanding Officer Lt.CI. Mr. Ansar Mohamad and Principal Dr. Sr. Marietta D’mello. Ms. Vijaya Ratna Kumari, Faculty, Department of Social Sciences cum Yoga Instructor explained various Yoga methods by her exemplary and excellent performance. About 530 NCC cadets from various colleges and schools in and around Eluru participated. It was a great success.



### Youth Red Cross :

In view of the International Yoga Day, **Youth Red Cross** conducted essay writing and elocution competitions on 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 for the students on “the Importance of Yoga at present days”.



On 21<sup>st</sup> June fifty **Youth Red Cross** volunteers participated in Yoga. The District Red Cross Members, Principal sister Dr. Marietta D’Mello, Red Cross Coordinator Mrs. R. Chittemma, NCC Officer Major P. Celine Rose distributed prizes to the winners



## Awareness program on Anti Ragging :



In view of the I year Degree students, the **Department of Social Sciences** organized an awareness programme on Anti Ragging on 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2019. The chief guest Alumni of St. Theresa's College, Mrs. Swarna Kumari, Junior advocate, High Court, Amaravathi spoke on the issues of ragging. She emphasized on the law and order and enlightened the students all the consequences regarding it. Later, the oath was administered to the senior students.



## Club Inauguration :

The **Department of Computer Science** inaugurated **Digit club** on 28<sup>th</sup> June , for the academic year 2019-20. Mrs.P.Lakshmi Prasanna, Head of the Department welcomed the students to be the members of the club and motivated them to take an active participation in the upcoming events , that will brighten their future. Ms. K. Ramya Keerthana II MPCs was elected a President for this club.



## Fresher's Day :

The Department of chemistry organized "Fresher's Day" programme on 29<sup>th</sup> June for the academic year 2019-20. II and III year students entertained the I years by performing Dances and Mime. 37 first year students enthusiastically participated in **Miss Fresher** competition. Ms K Vaishnavi, I BBA secured Miss Fresher award and the I runner up is K.Mercy Nithya, I BA EPSW and the II runner up is V.Haritha I BBA. The Winner was crowned by Dr. Sr. Merietta D' Mello, Principal



## Signing Out :

Theresian Chime is the connecting link which gathers together the different blossoms from the various departments of our prestigious college and makes a bouquet of unparalleled achievements. Glad once again that Theresian Chime is up with all the campus views and news. As we begin this new academic year 2019-2020 let's enjoy and be enriched with all our campus activities day in and day out. Theresian Chime assures you to link to each other. Stay tuned... 📖