

DIOCESAN NEWS LETTER VELLORE

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Dear Fathers, Brothers & Sisters

I am happy to speak to you through our News Letter that comprises three months' news after Covid -19 second wave lockdown. Month of June supposed to be the beginning of the new academic year. But due to the continuation of the deadly virus Covid-19 we were unable to reopen our schools that will have a terrible impact on the future of our children. Let us not give up our hope and continue to pray for the eradication of the virulent virus. Also keep in your prayers all our children and their parents.

In the month of June we supposed to have celebrated two feasts namely the solemnity of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and the feast of St. Peter and Paul the two pillars of the Church. The solemnity of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus ensures us once again the love of Jesus that envelops our whole being and enkindles us to extend our love to the whole humanity especially those who are wounded by humiliation and discrimination. Let the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus heals all our wounded selves. Many of our parishes have Most Sacred Heart of Jesus as the Patron of their churches. My prayerful wishes to all of them.

In the month of July we have celebrated the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle to India. The feast reminds us two things: 1. the deep faith of St. Thomas in the Risen Lord, "Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God" (Jn 20:28) 2. The courage that he had to come to India and proclaiming the Risen Lord to our people, "Thomas, who was called the Twin, said to his fellow disciples, "Let us also go, that we may die with him" (Jn 11:16) Let us also deepen our

faith in the Risen Lord and have the same courage to preach the Good News to those who don't know Jesus yet. Let us be ready to sacrifice ourselves for this wonderful ministry of evangelization.

At the end of July we celebrate the feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola. To our joy this year is the 500th year of his conversion (1421-2021) and 400th year of his sainthood. What a grace filled year to the Church. The death of Fr. Stan Swamy in this historical year is a definite witness for the wonderful ministry of the Jesuits for the people who are socially discriminated and marginalized in India. In our diocese there are 4 places where the Jesuits are rendering their marvelous service to our people. On behalf of the whole diocese of Vellore I wish all the Jesuits a very HAPPY FEAST and appreciate them for their selfless service to our people in the field of education. On the 21 and 22 of July we had two days of tribute ceremony to Fr. Stan Swamy both in T.V. Malai Dt. and Vellore Dt. that witnessed his bravery death as a martyr.

In the month of August we celebrate 3 important events. On the 4th we celebrate the feast of St. John Maria Vianey the patron saint of all the diocesan priests. Every year we the diocesan priests are used to gather at any one of the Shrines (Chetpet Madha Hill and St. Antony, Viruduvilankinan) to celebrate this feast as one family and shared our joys and happiness to one another. Due to Covid-19 we are unable to come together to celebrate this feast both last year and this year. Hence I ask all our priests to celebrate this feast of our patron in our parishes and pray for our brother priests. On this day let us rekindle our dedication and commitment in our priestly ministry and continue our march with full vigor. Wish you all a very HAPPY FEAST.

On the 15th of August we celebrate both the solemnity of the Assumption of our Lady and the 76th Independence Day of our country. The solemnity of Assumption ensures our faith in the holiness of our Mother and the defeat of all the social evils such as: slavery, untouchability, discrimination etc. Though we celebrate the 76th Independence Day of our country the question remains "are we fully free"? Today we face different types of postmodern enslavements. Let us pray for our country and leaders so that we may be freed from religious intolerance and social injustice. Let our Lord of history intervene the world and bring peace, love and justice. 24th of August is the 15th consecration day of our late beloved bishop Most Rev. Dr. P. Soundararaju SDB., Let us keep him in our prayers and pray for the repose of his soul. Let us fervently pray to God to give us a good shepherd to lead our diocese.

As we know the appointment of Bishops Msgr. Arulselvam Rayappan and Msgr. Savarimuthu Arockiaraj to Salem and Trichy dioceses respectively I take this opportunity to wish both of them on behalf of all the priests, religious and laity of Vellore diocese. Let the Good Shepherd be with them and guide them and let Mother Mary protect them in her maternal care.

I take this opportunity to congratulate Fr. S. Anbalagan who has defended his PhD. thesis last week (28 July) on "work – like balance" in the secular field of Commerce. While he was doing his pastoral ministry at Kaniyambadi parish he did this wonderful work. We appreciate his hard work, perseverance in his studies and commitment in his ministry.

Now we come to know the third wave of Covid -19. I ask all the priests and religious kindly take care of your health and be safe and sound.

God bless,

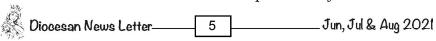
Yours in Christ Jesus,



Very Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert Diocesan Administrator

Administrator's Programme:

- 4 Wed Consecration of Bishop of Salem
- 5 Thur Golden Jubilee of Sr. Philo FMA, St. Mary's, Vellore
- 8 Sun M 1st Holy Communion & Conformation, Koviloor
 - E Installation of Rev. Fr. S.M. Anandaraj V.F. Arakkonam
- 11 Wed St. Clare feast & Golden Jubilee of Mother Arul Mary
- 12 Thu Eucharistic Day- Mass, Cathedral, Vellore
- 15 Sun Consecration of Bishop of Trichy



19 Thu Blessing of the Chapel, Mazhuvankarunai

22 Sun Feast Mass- Thiruvannamalai

27 Fri Tribute to Mr. Loganathan, Vellore.

Yours in Christ Jesus,



Very Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert

Diocesan Administrator

TRANSFERS IN THE YEAR - 2021

Parish Priests:

1. Rev Fr. A.C.Savarimuthu A. Kattupadi

2. Rev Fr. P.Albin Justus Veppoor

3. Rev Fr. I.Arokiasaamy C. Nammiandal

4. Rev Fr. J.Irudhayaraj Pavithiram

5. Rev Fr. S.M.Ananda Raj Arakkonam (V.F.)

6. Rev Fr. P.Sugam Nayagam Madurampattu

7. Rev Fr. A.Yesu Durai Thirumalpadi

Assistants:

1. Rev Fr. A.Chinnasamy Ramana Maharishi

Loyola Academy,

Ayyampalayam, TVM

2. Rev Fr. P.Daniel Sharma Pavithiram

3. Rev Fr. F.Felix Kamal Vettavalam

4. Rev Fr. P.John Paul Nam Vazhvu Publication



5. Rev Fr. A.Kulandai Yesu Vandavasi

6. Rev Fr. V.Sekar Chetpet

7. Rev Fr. S. Velankanni Virudhuvilanginan

8. Rev Fr. I. Jeevagan Arakkonam

Notary Judiciary Vellore

Rev. Fr. P.Vino Alphonse Xavier Notary Tribunal

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Diocesan Administrator

DIOCESE OF VELLORE **SEMINARIANS - 2021 - 2022**

II YEAR THEOLOGY

S.I	No	Name	Parish	Place
0	1	Anish	Vettavalam	Poonamallee
0	2	Maria Louis Raj	Perumanam	Coimbatore

I YEAR THEOLOGY

S.	No	Name	Parish	Place
0	1	Arun Stephen Raj	Old Town	Papal Seminary, Pune
0	2	Prabu	Chetpet	Coimbatore

REGENCY

S. No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Antony Lawrence	Chetpet	SFX Seminary, Veppoor

II YEAR PHILOSOPHY

S.No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Samson Sunder	Viruduvilanginan	Poonamalle

Spirituality Course

I	S. No Name		Parish	Place
	01	Joseph Clinton	Vettavalam	SFX Seminary, Veppoor

III YEAR COLLEGE

S. No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Abishek	Perunthuraipattu	Tirupattur
02	Lourdusamy	Chetpet	Tirupattur

II YEAR COLLEGE

S. No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Arun Kumar	Pallikonda	Tirupattur
02	Emmanuvel	Santhavasal	Tirupattur
03	Kevin Sudhagar	Pavitiram	Tirupattur

I YEAR COLLEGE

S. No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Gunaseelan	Narasingapuram	Thirupattur
02	Jenish Jai Kishore	Pavitiram	Thirupattur

MINOR SEMINARY

S. No	Name	Parish	Place
01	Ajay	Somasipadi	Chingelput
02	Ashwin Deshmon	Cathedral	Chingelput
03	Kanikai Raj	Mullipattu/Arani	Chingelput

CUMULATIVE SUMMARY

Total	16
Minor Seminary	03
College Studies	07
Regency	01
Students of Philosophy	01
Students of Theology	04

Yours in Christ Jesus,



Very Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert

Diocesan Administrator

FROM MY HEART

Dear Fathers, Brothers and Sisters

I would like to share with you certain experiences and feelings from the bottom of my heart. After the demise of our beloved bishop Most Rev. Dr. P. Soundararaju SDB., (21 March, 2020), as per the guidance of the then Nuncio Most. Rev. Dr. Giambattista Diquathro the consulters elected me as the Diocesan Administrator. To tell the fact,

for the past one year everything goes well. I am very much indebted to the previous Nuncio Most. Rev. Dr. Giambattista Diquathro and the Archbishop of Chennai Most Rev. Dr. George Antonysamy for their prayerful support and guidance to me. A special thanks to all the council members for their wonderful support.

Now I would like to bring to your kind knowledge about my one year and three months' ministry as Diocesan Administrator of Vellore Diocese.

General activities:

- 1. First of all it's been more than a year (1 year and 3 months) since our beloved bishop Most Rev. Dr. P. Soundararaju SDB., passed away. After my election as the Diocesan Administrator everything goes well except finance. Since I was Vicar General for 7 years with our bishop Most Rev. Dr. P. Soundararaju SDB., I was able to run the diocese with the consultation of the council members very well.
- 2. As an Administrator I used to convene the council meeting for important issues to be discussed and taken decisions accordingly. First thing the funeral ceremony of our beloved bishop was organized well. Since it was the starting of Covid -19 as per the guidelines of the then Nuncio and as per the guidance of Chennai Archbishop the funeral arrangements were done well in consultation of the council members. After the death of our bishop 7 priests died (2 due to Covid and others

due to ill health) consequently and all their funeral ceremonies were done properly.

3. The first year memorial tribute ceremony to our bishop Most Rev. Dr. P. Soundararaju SDB., was organized in a grand manner. More than 13 bishops of Tamilnadu, Vicar Generals, Mother Generals, Provincials, TNBC Commission Secretaries, nearly 200 priests, and religious, and 5 people from each parish with the local parishioners have participated and paid homage to our bishop.

Pastoral activities:

- 1. The problem of Pallikonda parish was solved.
- 2. Visited many parishes and 314 children were confirmed.
- 3. Arakkonam parish and school problem was rectified. To pay 5 months' salary to the teachers in Arakkonam the Manager of R.C.M. Schools has given 5 lakhs from the FD. that has to be repaid.
- 4. The problem of both Viruduvilankinan and Bagayam schools were taken care of and we spent extra Rs. 13,00,000/- for various purposes.
- 5. The transfers of some parish priests and assistant parish priests were done as per the need.
- 6. The Christmas program for the priests' was well organized by CPC Director and the year of St. Joseph

was inaugurated. In many parishes I inaugurated the year of St. Joseph during my visits to the parishes.

Social activities:

Covid -19 relief works were done in different phases.

- 1. From the diocesan society we have given 1 lakh to the Vellore Collector in the first wave.
- 2. During the second wave another 1 lakh was sent to TNBC for Chief Minister's Covid relief fund.
- 3. Nearly 5 lakhs worth of groceries, sanitizers and face masks were given to people through VSSS & TVMSSS Director in the first wave by the help of Caritas India, TASOSS and Kolping.
- 4. Nearly 44 lakhs worth of groceries, sanitizers and face masks were given to 2,156 families through VSSS & TVMSSS Director by the help of Caritas Germany.
- 5. Nearly 2 lakhs were given by Manager of RCM Schools to the diocese through teacher's contribution.
- 6. One lakh was given by CPC Director to the diocese.
- 7. Many individual priests have done Covid relief works in their respective parishes.

Finance:

1. After assuming the office of Diocesan Administrator everything goes well. But with regard to finance it was a bit alarming since there was practically no income

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due to Covid-19 lock down. Our main source of income is from schools, marriage hall, some few shops and very minimum interest from FD (Rs. 8 Crore) I put it in the council meeting and with their suggestions I asked the then Nuncio to give permission to take Rs. 50, 00,000/- from the FD. But Nuncio gave permission only for Rs. 30, 00,000/- that too to be put it back to FD in due course.

- 2. Our monthly expense is (priests' allowance, mass, medicals, seminarians' study fees, priests' study fees, workers salary and general maintenance) Rs. 16, 00,000-
- 3. Apart from the regular expenses to our difficulty there were more than 15 priests affected by Covid 19 to whom we had to spent Rs. 60,00,000/- which was additional and unexpected medical fees.
- 4. Then 7 priests' died within the year to whom we had spend nearly Rs. 75,000/- each (coffin, ambulance with ice box, grave yard and add in the News paper)
- 5. Then I tried to write to some bishops, friends and priests of our diocese who are working in abroad. I wrote to Bishop of Tanjore Most Rev. Dr. Devadoss Ambrose for mass intentions and for his goodness he sent 3 times mass intentions (15,00,000/- x 3) Rs. 45,00,000/-
- 6. Chennai Archbishop Most Rev. Dr. George Antonysamy sent Rs. 5,00,000/- for mass.

- 7. I wrote to all our priests those who are working in abroad to send their one year contribution i.e. \$4000 per head (\$4000 x 10) \$40,000.
- 8. During Christmas time all the religious used to give to our bishop some cloths for the poor people. This year I asked the religious not to give cloths instead send money. We were able to get some Rs. 20,00,000/-
- 9. We have got Rs. 38, 88,000/- subsidy from Propaganda Fide.
- 10. From the marriage hall Rs. 40,00,000/- (due to Covid - 19 lock down the lessee was not able to pay the full rent)

With this I was able to manage up to May. Then again the same problem continued. But I didn't give up my trust in the Lord and Our Lady. I tried through different sources and I got some positive reply. I asked one of our diocesan priests Fr. S. John Peter who is in California, USA to do special mission appeal and he did the fund raising program through which he got \$ 36,666 (Rs. 27,15,832) and sent to the diocese. From Mission Appeal (La Crosse diocese) we have got \$16,500 (Rs. 12, 53, 368) and from Toronto Arch Diocese \$ 6,552.66 (Rs. 4, 80,804). Fr. Benjamin Chinnappa (Pondy diocese) who is doing hospital chaplaincy in New York did some mission appeal and helped us by sending \$15,000 (Rs. 10, 89, 816). From Church in Need we have got the positive reply of Euro 30,000.00. From Providencia, Belgium we have got Rs. 6, 93, 310. From Archdiocese of Miami we have got \$10,000 (Rs. 7, 29, 039). I am hoping and praying to get some more funds from other friends and people whom I have contacted.

Like this I was able to mobilize nearly Rs. 2 Crore within this one year and three months apart from Covid relief fund. Since our diocese is a Mission diocese we are finding little difficulty with finance. But that will be overcome once the normalcy comes back after Covid -19 Pandemic situations get over.

Dear Fathers while I am thanking you for your wonderful cooperation and collaboration to me during my administration I would like to strongly tell you that it is not that easy to run the diocese with all these inconveniences caused by pandemic situations. Every month it was a worry to pay for the priests. But I was very particular that priests were never deprived of monthly allowances and mass stipends and medical expenses. Every month the priests' allowance reached their accounts without any interruption or delay. It was all possible by the providence of God and the maternal care of our Mother. That is my deepest trust and confidence.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all the good people those who were with me at the time of those difficult moments stretching out their helping hands either by cash or kind. Thanks to all the priests, religious, council members, Vicars Forane and people of our diocese. Let us help each other and pray for each other without losing our faith and trust in the Risen Lord and our Lady. They will do wonder for us and for our diocese.

This report I have sent to the Nuncio. And he sent me back his congratulation through E-mail. That Follows:

8/2/2021

Yahoo Mail - RE: Letter

RE: Letter

From: nuntius@apostolicnunciatureindia.com

To: robyjohn8966@yahoo.com

Date: Wednesday, June 30, 2021, 03:24 PM GMT+5:30

Dear Msgr John Robert,

Thank you for your e-mail, and for the kind words and assurance of prayers that it contained.

In addition, I appreciated your detailed report on the state of the Diocese of Vellore, covering your time as Diocesan Administrator of Vellore.

Regarding the issue of the clergy transfers: as you well know, the Diocesan Administrator has restricted power concerning some matters, but, with the **consent of the college of consultors**, you are permitted to appoint parish priests if the See has been vacant for one year (Can. 525 no. 2).

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Therefore, you can proceed lawfully with the transfers of priests.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

Magn. J. Jame

Very Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert

Diocesan Administrator

Monthly Recollection:

Due to the continuation of the Covid-19 there won't be common monthly Recollection but there will be vicariate level monthly Recollection.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

Magr. J. Jam_

Very Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert Diocesan Administrator

HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS



VERY REV.MSGR. ARULSELVAM RAYAPPAN **CONSECRATION DAY: 4, AUGUST 2021**



VERY REV.MSGR. SAVARIMUTHU AROKIARAJ CONSECRATION DAY: 15, AUGUST 2021

ON BEHALF OF ALL THE PRIESTS, RELIGIOUS AND LAITY OF VELLORE DIOCESE WE CONGRATULATE BOTH THE BISHOPS AND WISH THEM ALL GOD'S CHOICEST BLESSINGS.

CONGRATULATIONS YOUNG SCHOLAR IN SECULAR FIELD



We congratulate Rev. Fr. S. Anbalagan who has defended his P.hD last month (28 July) on "Work- Like balance" in secular field of Commerce. While he is doing his parish ministry at Kaniyanbadi Parish he did this wonderful work.

Hearty Congratulations

Yours in Christ Jesus,

Magr. J. Jam

Very Rev Msgr. I. John Robert

Diocesan Administrator

TRIBUTE TO REV FR. STAN SWAMY IN VELLORE DIOCESE



The urn containing the ashes of Fr. Stan Sway, the Martyr of Human Rights who died on July 05, 2021 was taken on procession as "*Pilgrimage for Justice*" to most of the catholic dioceses in Tamilnadu. People thronged in thousands to pay their final tribute to their beloved "*Martyr for the Marginalized*", wherever his remains were taken.

Vellore Catholic Diocese doubly blessed as we had the ashes for two days, July 21 & 22, 2021. Fr. Selvaraj Arulnathan SJ, the Superior of Loyola College, Vettavalam coordinated the entire program in Vellore diocese. The urn was received at Sagayamatha Church, Kilpennathur on July 21 by AHAL Jesuit Community. The Christian population in that area, Human Rights defenders and others paid their tribute during the Holy Eucharist and energized themselves with the spirit of Fr. Stan Swamy. From there it was taken to Loyola College, Vettavalam and kept for the public to pay homage to the mortal remains of Stan Swamy. In the public function that was held at the college quadrangle, priests, nuns, NGOs, People's Movements and Christian population from neighboring parishes, towns and villages assembled in the college to get a glimpse of him and his blessings. In his speech, Fr.

Britto Vincent, the principal sketched the life and mission of Fr. Stan Swamy covering a life span of nearly 60 years of his service to the poor and the marginalized.

From Vettavalam the urn was taken to Kasthambadi to JP Leonard Illam, the pre-novitiate of Jesuit Chennai province where there was night vigil, Holy Eaucharist on July 22nd and public function. It was then taken to Loyola Industrial School, Ranipet and was kept for public tribute in which many Human Rights organizations made floral tribute and pledge to take forward to mission of Fr. Stan Swamy.

Finally, the urn reached Don Bosco Hr. Sec. School, Gandhi Nagar, Vellore for the people to pay their respects. Both the Vellore Diocesan Curia and Don Bosco community Salesians made a wonderful arrangement for the public to pay their tributes. People from all walks of life joined in paying their respects to him. Very. Rev. Msgr. I. John Robert, the diocesan Administrator briefed about the purpose of his remains being brought to us, Rev. Sharma Nithyanandam, the Bishop of Vellore CSI Diocese demanded that a free and fair inquiry is taken up to bring out the truth and wipe out the blemish from Fr. Stan Swamy and the repeal of UAPA. Rev. Prabhu, Tamilnadu President of NCCI spoke that we all should stand together to demand justice to the doyen of liberation of Adivasis, Fr. Stan Swamy. The MLA of Vellore Hon'ble Karthikeyan paid his tribute to Fr. Stan Swamy. Nearly 400 priests, nuns, defenders, Human Rights People's Movement representative and a huge number of people from all religions came and paid their tribute to beloved Fr. Stan.

May his soul rest in eternal peace!

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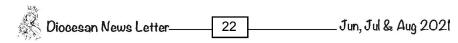
Good Friday Collection

S.No.	Parish		Amount
1	Vandavasi		25000
2	Zamingudallore		5000
3	Koviloor		22490
4	Gudiyatham		15000
5	Udayarkuppam		5000
6	A.Kattupadi		20374
7	Katpadi		20000
8	Ranipet		30251
9	Madurampattu		5500
10	Thiruvannamalai		47000
11	Maruthuvambadi		5000
12	Parasur		1000
13	Perumanam		5500
14	Viruduvilanginan		6000
15	Thachambadi		12000
16	Thalayampallam		2370
17	Haffieldspet		10000
18	Arcot		10000
19	Christianpet		9000
		Total	256485

Thanks for all those who have alredy remitted the Good Friday Collection and May I request to give those who have not yet given.

Very Rev. Fr. A. Kulandesu

Procurator



குடும்பநலப் பணிக்குழு

திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு வகுப்புகள்

அன்பு பங்குத்தந்தையர்களே!

உங்கள் அனைவருக்கும் வாழ்த்துக்களும் பாராட்டுக்களும்!

திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு வகுப்புகளுக்கு மிகுந்த முக்கியத்துவம் கொடுத்து தங்கள் பங்கு இளையோர்களை தவறாமல் அனுப்பிவைப்பதற்காக உங்களை மனதார பாராட்டுகிறேன்.

தற்போது 80% பங்கைச் சார்ந்த இளையோர் திருமணத் தயாரிப்பு வகுப்பில் தவறாது பங்கு கொள்கின்றனர். இன்னும் இருக்கின்ற 20% பங்கு இளையோரை உற்சாகப்படுத்தி அனுப்பிவைக்குமாறு கேட்டுக்கொள்கின்றேன்.

ஆகஸ்ட் மாதம்

07.08.2021 உலக மாதா ஆலயம், திருவண்ணாமலை 21.08.2021 ஆயர் இல்லம், வேலூர்

நேரம் : காலை 9.00 முதல் மாலை 4.00 மணிவரை

செப்படம்பர் மாதம்

04.09.2021உலக மாதா ஆலயம், திருவண்ணாமலை 18.09.2021 ஆயர் இல்லம், வேலூர்

நேரம் : காலை 9.00 முதல் மாலை 4.00 மணிவரை

குறிப்பு : முக கவசத்தோடு திருமண தயாரிப்பு வகுப்பிற்கு வரவும். தொடர்புக்கு : பேரருப்பணி **ட.இரமேஷ் அந்தோணி** – 98948 91490 திரு. **சாமுவேல்,** வேதியர் - 90478 90703

இறைப்பணியில் உங்களுடன் அருட்பணி. முனைவர் **L.ரமேஷ் அந்தோணி** இயக்குநர், மேய்ப்புப்பணி நிலையம், வேலூர்



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O9.O7.2921 : காரிதாஸ் ஜெர்மனி நிறுவனத்தின் வழியாக நிவாரண உதவி வேலூர் சமூக சேவை சங்கத்திற்கு வழங்கப்பட்டுள்ளது, இதனை செயல்படுத்துவதற்கு வேலூர் மறைமாவட்ட பரிபாலகர் பேரருட்திரு. ஜான் ராபர்ட், இயக்குநர் பேரருட்தந்தை ஜேம்ஸ் மற்றும் காரிதாஸ் இந்தியாவின் சென்னை மண்டல மேலாளர் டாக்டர் ஜான் ஆரோக்கியராஜ் ஆகியோர் ஆலோசித்தனர். அதன்பின்பு நிவாரண உதவி சட்ட திட்ட விளக்க கூட்டம் அலுவலகத்தில் நடைப்பெற்றது. இக்கூட்டத்தை காரிதாஸ் இந்தியாவின் சென்னை மண்டல மேலாளர் டாக்டர் ஜான் ஆரோக்கியராஜ் அவர்கள் வழிநடத்தினார். இயக்குநர், திட்ட மேலாளர், பணியாளர்கள், திட்ட அலுவலர், தன்னார்வ தொண்டர்கள் கலந்துக்கொண்டு விளக்கம் பெற்றனர்.

அன்று காலை 10.30 மணியளவில் வேலூர் மறைமாவட்ட பரிபாலகர் பேரருட்திரு. ஜான் ராபர்ட் அவர்கள் தலைமையில் 09.07.2021 அன்று நடைப்பெற்ற கூட்டத்தின் அடிப்படையில் கொள்முதல் குழு கூட்டம் நிர்வாக குழு உறுப்பினர்களோடு செபத்துடன் ஆரம்பிக்கப்பட்டது. இக்கூட்டத்தில் இரண்டாம் அலையில் பாதிக்கப்பட்ட மக்களுக்கு காரிதாஸ் இந்தியா நிறுவனத்தின் மூலம் வழங்கப்படும் நிவாரண உதவிக்கு பயனாளிகள், தேர்வு பொருட்கள் எங்கு வாங்குவது, அதனை எப்படி பகிர்ந்தளிப்பது என ஆலோசிக்கப்பட்டது. இதில் இயக்குநர், திட்ட மேலாளர், திட்ட அலுவலர் மற்றும் நிர்வாக குழு உறுப்பினர்கள் கலந்துக்கொண்டு கருத்துக்களை பகிர்ந்தனர்.

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S.NO.	DATE	PLACE	AMOUNT
		RS.	
1	28.06.2021	Thalayampallam	1,900
2	02.07.2021	Thachampadi	15,000
3	05.07.2021	Christianpet	5,000
4	19.07.2021	Arcot	10,000
5	05.07.2021	St. Anne's Convent,	
		Christianpet	5,000

குறிப்பு : பெரிய வியாழன் காணிக்கை இதுவரை செலுத்தாத பங்கு தந்தையர்கள் அலுவலகத்தில் செலுத்தும்படி கேட்டுக்கொள்கிறேன்.

செய்தி தொகுப்பு

பேரருட்திரு. **S.ஜேம்ஸ்,**MSW

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VSSS & TVMSSS திட்ட மேலாளர்கள்

புனித வின்சென்**ட்** தே பவுல்

வேலூர் மத்திய சபைச் செய்திகள் திருவண்ணாமலை வட்டாரசபை

18.03.2021 அன்று வேலூர் மத்திய சபையின் சார்பாக மேக்களூர் கிளைச்சபை மாணவ – மாணவியருக்கு கல்வி உதவித்தொகை ரூபாய் 7,500 பங்குத்தந்தை அருட்திரு. அந்தோணிராஜ் தலைமையில் வழங்கப்பட்டது.



_____ Jun, Jul & Aug 2021

வேலூர் வட்டாரசபை

03.05.2021 அன்று வேலூர் மத்தியசபையின் சார்பாக மாணவ மாணவியா் 4 பேருக்கு தலா 10,000 வீதம் ரூ. 40,000, கல்வி உதவி 1 மாணவருக்கு ரூ. 6000 மற்றும் வித்தியஜோதி கல்வி உதவி ரூ. 1000 வீதம் ரூ. 12,000 வழங்கப்பட்டது.

சேத்துப்பட்டு வட்டார சபை

30.05.2021 வேலூர் மத்தியசபை சார்பாக கல்வி உதவி ரூ. 10,000 மற்றும் வித்தியஜோதி கல்வி உதவி ரூ. 1000 வீதம் 7 நபா்களுக்கு ரூ. 7000 சேத்துப்பட்டு மறைகோட்ட முதன்மை கு அருட்திரு. விக்டர் இன்பராஜ் அடிகளார் தலைமையில் கிளைச்சபைத் தலைவர், யேசுபாதம் முன்னிலையில் வழங்கப்பட்டது.

வேட்டவலம் வட்டாரசபை

31.05.2021 வேலூர் மத்திய சபையின் சார்பாக வித்தியஜோதி கல்வி உதவி ரூ. 1000 வீதம் 12 பிள்ளைகளுக்கு ரூ. 12,000 வேட்டவலம் மறைக்கோட்ட முதன்மைகுழு அடிகளார் ஆரோக்கியா தலைமையில் வட்டாரத்தலைவர் மரியபிரான்சிஸ்ராஜ் மற்றும் மத்தியசபை துணைத்தலைவர் பெரியநாயகம் முன்னிலையில் வழங்கப்பட்டது.

காட்பாடி வட்டாரசபை

31.05.2021 வேலூர் மத்திய சபையின் சார்பாக வித்தியஜோதி கல்வி உதவி அரக்கோணம் இருதய ஆண்டவர் திரு கிளைச்சபையிலுள்ள 5 மாணவ மாணவியருக்கு ரூ. 5000 பங்குத்தந்தை ஜெயசீலன் அடிகளார் தலைமையில், வட்டாரத் தலைவர் மூர்த்தி முன்னிலையில் வழங்கப்பட்டது.

இறப்பு அடக்க சடங்குகள் உதவி

12.6.2021 போளூர் வட்டார சபை, போளூர் திரு. இருதய கிளைச்சபை சார்பாக நீண்ட நாளாக புற்றுநோய் சிகிச்சை பெற்றுவந்த திருமதி. சாந்தி அவர்களின் இறுதி சடங்கு அடக்க செலவினங்களுக்கு ரூபாய் 3000 (மூன்றாயிரம்) கிளைச்சபை சார்பாக குடும்பத்தாரிடம் வழங்கப்பட்டது. சகோ தோம்னிக், கிளைச்சபைத் தலைவி அந்தோனியம்மாள் மற்றும் உறுப்பினர்கள் உடனிருந்தனர்.

14.06.2021 அன்று ஓல்டுடவுன் ஆரோக்கியமாதா கீளைச்சபையின் தத்துக் குடும்ப உறுப்பினர் செல்வி. மெர்சி ஜெனிடா இறப்பு அடக்க சடங்கு செலவினங்களுக்கு வேலூர் மத்தியசபைத் தலைவர் ம.சார்லஸ் ஆரோக்கியராஜ் மற்றும் ஆர்.சி.எம். பள்ளி ஆசிரியர்கள் இணைந்து ரூ. 5000 வழங்கினர்.

சேத்துப்பட்டு லூர்துமாதா கிளைச்சபை சார்பாக வயதான பெண்மணி இறந்ததை தொடர்ந்து ஏழ்மையில் வாடும் அக்குடும்பத்திற்கும் ஈம சடங்கு செலவினத்திற்கு புரவலர் ஜெயக்குமார் மற்றும் கிளைச்சபை உறுப்பினர்கள் இணைந்து ரூ. 10,000 (பத்தாயிரம்) வழங்கினர். (ஜூலை 2021)

பிற உதவிகள்

வேலூர் பலவன்சாத்து குப்பம் முதியோர் இல்ல அருள் சகோதரி மேரி அவர்கள் விண்ணப்பத்தின் பேரில் கழிப்பறை கட்ட 600 செங்கற்கள் ரூ. 4500 செலவில் வேலூர் மத்திய சபைத் தலைவர் ம.சார்லஸ் அரோக்கியராஜ் அவர்களால் 04.05.2021 அன்று வழங்கப்பட்டது.

வேலூர் மத்தியசபையின் தத்துசபையான புனித வேளாங்கண்ணி மாதா மகளிர் கிளைச்சபை ஏழை எளிய முதியவர்கள், நோயாளிகளுக்கு மாதம் ரூ. 200 வேலூர் மத்தியசபைத் தலைவர் வழங்கி வருகிறார்கள்.

சேத்துப்பட்டு புனித லூர்தன்னை கிளைச்சபைக்கு சிறு திட்ட உதவியாக வேலூர் மத்திய சபையிலிருந்து ரூபாய் 25000 (இருபத்தைந்தாயிரம்) 6.5.2021 அன்று வழங்கப்பட்டது. இதுவரை மத்திய சபையிலிருந்து 6 கிளைச்சபைகள் இத்திட்டத்தில் பயனடைந்துள்ளன.

08.07.2021 அன்று அரக்கோணம் திரு இருதய ஆண்டவர் கிளைச்சபையில் கொரோனா நிவாரண நிதியாக 5 கிலோ அரிசி, பருப்பு, எண்ணெய், மளிகை பொருள்கள் 20 குடும்பங்களுக்கு வழங்கப்பட்டது. பங்குத்தந்தை அந்தோணிராஜ் வட்டாரத்தலைவர் மூர்த்தி, கிளைச்சபைத்தலைவர் திலிப்பன் மற்றும் உறுப்பினர்கள் வழங்கினர்.

11.07.2021 ஞாயிறு கணியம்பாடி திருஇருதய கீளைச்சபையில் கொரோனா நிவாரணமாக 10 கிலோ அரிசி மற்றும் எண்ணெய் 25 குடும்பங்களுக்கு வழங்கப்பட்டது. பங்குத்தந்தை அன்பழகன் வேலூர் மத்தியசபைத் தலைவர் ம.சார்லஸ் ஆரோக்கியராஜ், களைச்சபைத் தலைவர் பிரான்சிஸ், செயலர், ஸ்தனிஸ்லாஸ், பொருளர் மரிய ஆண்டோராஜ் உறுப்பினர்கள் சார்லஸ் ரைமண்ட் ஆகியோர் வழங்கினர்.

18.07.2021 ஞாயிறு சேத்பட் புனித லூர்து அன்னை கிளைச்சபை சார்பாக கொரோனா நிவாரண நிதி தேவையில் உள்ள 50 நபர்களுக்கு பங்குத்தந்தை பேரருள்பணி விக்டர் இன்பராஜ் தலைமையில், புரவலர் ஜெயக்குமார் முன்னிலையில் வழங்கப்பட்டது. கிளைச்சபைத் தலைவர் யேசுபாதம், சாம்சன்,

ஜெயப்பிரகாசம், வட்டார செயலா் ஜான்ஜோசப், சபை ஆலோசகா் இன்பராஜ் ஆகியோா் பங்கேற்று சிறப்பித்தனா்.

பேரருள்திரு. **ஜெ.ஜெயபிரகாசம் ம.சார்லஸ் ஆரோக்கியராஜ்** இயக்குநர், பக்த சபைகள் தலைவர், வேலூர் மத்திய சபை

VICARIATE ACTIVITIES



He raises the poor (Psalm 113-7)
(A red- Letter day at Polur Parish)

Elegant look at Sacred Heart Parish Church, Polur. It was People, Parish Priest with the Salesian community jointly brought this great work done to uplift the sitting facility of the faithful of Polur Parish. It was blessed by the Diocesan Administrator Very Rev Msgr. I. John Robert on the day of the installation of the new Parish Priest and VF of Polur Parish. We appreciate the generosity of the people. May God Bless those families who sponsored a pew each.

Very Rev Fr. Raj Michael SDB, Polur



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மத்திய, மாநில அரசு அங்கீகாரம் வெற்றது -(DGET NO:6/19/52/90-TC)

புனித தோமையார் மருத்துவமனை அருகில், சேத்யட்-606 801.

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உன் கையில் தூமை, இனி இல்லை வறுமை

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பினம்பர் & எலக்டரிக்கல், வெல்ழங்

🤺 क्रकंथीड्रेड्डिड्डि : 5-फं बाकुपंप कुड़कं

* வயது வரப்பு : 15 மூதல் 18 வரை * முன்பதிவு நாள்: ஆண்டு மேழுவதும் 🦟 பயிற்சி நேரம் : தின்மும் காலை 9.00 மணி முதல்

மதியம் 12.00 மணி வரை

ஆனவரி - மார்ச் ஏப்ரல் - ஆன் ஆலே - செப்டம்பர் அக்டோபர் - ழசம்பர்

பயிற்சி காலம் : 3 மாதங்கள்

இங்கு சிறந்த முறையில், குறைந்த கட்ட**ண**த்தில் வாட்டர் சர்வீஸ் செய்து தரப்படும்.

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BIO - DATA



Name : Rev. Fr. A.Alphonse Doss

Father's Name : Mr. S.M.Anthony

Mother's Name : Mrs. Rose Arockia Mary

Date of Birth : 30.12.1948

No of Brothers : 5 - Elder Brother

No of Sisters : 5 - Elder Sisters,

1 - Younger Sister

Schooling

Elementary & Middle : 1954-1963, Primary School,

Arakkonam High School &

Higher Secondary

Apostolic School : 1964-1967, St Don Bosco,

Pannur

Minor Seminary : 1967-1970, St. Thomas Minor

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Seminary, Santhom

Philosophical Studies : 1970-1973, Sacred Heart

Seminary, Poonamallee



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Regency : 1973-1974, Our Lady of Mount

Carmel Parish, Eleyankanni

Theological Studies : 1974-1978, Sacred Heart

Seminary, Poonamallee

Diaconate Ordination: 08.10.1977, Sacred Heart

Seminary, Poonamallee,

Most Rev. Dr. R.Arulappa

Priestly Ordination : 02.02.1978, Assumption

Cathedral, Vellore,

Most Rev. Dr. R.Arulappa

Ministries : 1979- 1980, Correspondent

RCM School & Rector Boys

Hostel, Pallikonda

: 1980-1985, Coordinator,

Santhome Communication

Centre, Chennai

: 1986-1987, Parish Priest,

Kasthampadi

: 1987-1988, Procurator,

Diocese of Vellore

: 1988 - 1997, Rector,

Assumption Cathedral, Vellore

Correspondent, St Don Bosco

High School, Vellore

Principal, St Savio Nursery

School, Vellore

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: 1997-1999, Parish Priest Rector, St Francis Xavier Minor Seminary, Pathiavaram

: 1999-2003, Parish Priest Rector, St Francis Xavier Minor Seminary, Koviloor

: 2003-2010, Parish Priest, St Teresa's Church, Halffieldspet

: 2010-2011, Parish Priest, Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Kaniyambadi

: 2011-2017, Parish Priest, Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Gudiyatham

: 2018-2021, Parish Priest, Holy Cross Church, Veppoor

Studies : 1983-1984, Audio visual

Studies, France

: 1997, Diplomo in Seminary

Formation, Italy

: 1994-1996, M.A Sociology, Annamalai University,

Chidambaram

Special Activities : Construction of St Antony

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Chapel, Kaspa, Vellore Parish

: Upgrading St Don Bosco

Primary School to St Don Bosco

Middle School



: Construction of Presbytery at Assumption Cathedral

: Construction of Madharasi Madha Chapel at Melpakkam, Haffieldspet

Birthday

1	Fr. C.Antony Chinnappa Xavier	01-08-1976
2	Fr. M.Irudayasamy	02-08-1971
3	Fr. Motchanathan	05-08-1969
4	Fr. M.Devanesan	06-08-1981
5	Fr. M. Gregory	08-08-1988
6	Fr. P. Daniel Sharma	11-08-1987
7	Fr. D.Panneerselvam	12-08-1962
8	Fr. S.Antony Rosario	13-08-1980
9	Fr. J.Irudayaraj	14-08-1963
10	Fr. A.Lourdu Xavier	14-08-1972
11	Fr. D.Paul Arockiam	16-08-1981
12	Fr. D.Arul John Bosco	20-08-1981
13	Fr. R.Lawrence	23-08-1972
14	Fr. S.Francis	24-08-1976
15	Fr. A.Anandaraj	27-08-1983
16	Fr. D.Amalraj	29-08-1950

Ordination Day

1	Fr. A.Jonas Philomina Doss	24-08-2005
2	Fr. S.C.Jeyakumar	24-08-2005
3	Fr. Y.Anthony Raj	28-08-1981
4	Fr. P.John Bosco	28-08-1981
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Calendar

1	Sun	Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
4	Wed	St. John Marie Vianney, Priest, Memorial
6	Fri	Transfiguration Feast
8	Sun	Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
10	Tues	St. Lawrence, D & M Feast
11	Wed	St. Clare, Virgin, Memorial
14	Sat	St. Maximilian Kolbe, P & M, Memorial
15	Sun	Assumption SOLEMNITY
20	Fri	St. Bernard, Ab & D, Memorial
21	Sat	St. Pius X, Po, Memorial
22	Sun	Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time
24	Tues	St. Bartholomew, Apostle, Feast
27	Fri	St. Monica, Memorial
28	Sat	St. Augustine, B & D, Memorial
29	Sun	Twenty-second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Necrology

1	Most Rev. Louis Mathias SDB	03.08.1965
2	Rev. Msgr. John Mora SDB	05.08.1961
3	Rev. Fr. A.Fernandez	05.08.1995
4	Rev. Fr. Paul Bazgier SDB	07.08.1965
5	Rev. Fr. A.Philominraj	08.08.2019
6	Rev. Fr. L.M.Arul	17.08.1974
7	Rev. Fr. Amaladoss Anthonys	amy SDB 20.08.1983
8	Rev. Fr. G.J.Lawson	22.08.1987
9	Rev. Fr. N.A.John Peter	26.08.2016
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10	Rev. Fr. M.Sebastian	27.08.2016
11	Rev. Fr. Jegaraj SDB	29.08.1988
12	Most Rev. Hubert D' Rosario SDB	30.08.1994

Intention

The Church

Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel - **Pope Francis**

RIP

In your Charity kindly pray for the repose of the souls:

- Rev. Fr. Rajareegam, Korattampattu Parish, Former, Vellore Diocesan Priest, died on April 26, 2021
- Mrs.Amirtham (80), beloved Aunty of Rev. Fr. Sigamani, Secretary to Diocesan Administrator - Vellore, died on May 4, 2021
- 3. Rev. Sr. Bernard SJC (68), beloved second elder sister of Rev. Fr. M. John Nicholas Parish Priest of St Antony Church, Santhavasal, died on May 4, 2021
- 4. Rev. Fr. Maria Sanjeevi (60), beloved brother of Rev. Fr. A.L. Jesuraj, Parish Priest of Our Lady of Fathima Church, Semmiamangalam, died on May 5, 2021

- Mrs. S. Leema Rose (40), beloved sister-in- law of Rev. Fr. L.Joseph, Parish Priest of St Lawrence Church, Kasthambadi, died on May 8, 2021
- Mr Selvaraj and Mrs Jesi beloved relatives of Rev. Fr.
 Y.Sathish Raj, died on May 8, 2021
- Mrs. S. Valar Mary (86), beloved Mother of Very Rev. Fr. S.A.S.Clement Rosario, Manager of R.C.M. Schools, died on May 9, 2021
- Mr. A. Balasamy (65), beloved Father of Rev. Fr. B. Arokia Nirmal Raj, Assistant Parish Priest-Ulaga Madha Church-Thiruvannamalai, died on May 9, 2021
- Mrs. Savariammal (76), beloved mother of Rev. Fr. G.Peterraj working in Germany, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Parish- Eleyankanni, died on May 12, 2021
- Mrs. A. Lourdhu Mary (57) Vandhavasi, beloved Sister of Rev. Fr. A. Bernard Velanganni, died on May 17, 2021
- 11. Rev. Sr. A. Gnana Selvi FSAG (59), the Head Mistress of St Aloysius Primary School Vettavalam, died on May 17, 2021
- 12. Rev. Sr. X. Rose Mary Xavier SCC (52), from Holy Cross Convent, Sathuvacherry, died on May 20, 2021

- 13. Rev. Sr. Vida Mary MC (45), from Nirmala Irudaya Dying Institute Home, Shenpakkam, died on May 21, 2021
- 14. Mr. A. Rajangam (65), beloved younger brother of Rev. Fr. A. Arulsamy Parish Priest of St Antony Church, Ambur, died on May 21, 2021
- 15. Mr L. Loganathan (84), Superintendent of office-RCM Schools Vellore died on May 22, 2021
- 16. Mr. JohnCruz (75), beloved Uncle of Rev. Fr. S. Richard Peraira, Director of CODEP ITI-Chetpet, died on May 22, 2021
- 17. Mrs. Irudaya Mary (65), Our Lady of Lourdes Church Thalayampallam, beloved Mother of Rev Fr S. Aruldoss, died on May 26, 2021
- 18. Mr. L. Aruldoss (79), beloved Father of Very Rev. Fr. A. Arockiasamy VF, Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Vettavalam, died on May 26, 2021

May the souls of the departed rest in peace

Month of June

1. In your Charity kindly pray for the repose of the soul of Rev. Fr. A. Alphonse Doss, Parish Priest of Holy Cross Church, Veppoor, died on June 07, 2021.



- In your Charity kindly pray for the repose of the soul of Mrs.Seline Mary, beloved elder sister of Rev. Fr. P. Leo Maria Joseph, Parish Priest of Our Lady of Good Health Church, Ranipet, died on June 14, 2021.
- In your Charity kindly pray for the repose of the soul of Mrs.Regina Mary (73), (Zamin Gudallore Parish), beloved Mother of Rev. Fr. A.Leo Arockiam, SDB, VF of Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Polur, died on June 30, 2021.

15th EPISCOPAL ANNIVERSARY Most Rev. Dr. P.Soundararaju, SDB



Let his soul rest in peace

Diocesan Administrator, Council Members, Priests, **Religious and Laity**