



FROM THE HEART OF GENERALATE

A NEW CHAPTER IN HEALTHCARE SERVICE

The long awaited Hospital Transformation Project was successfully initiated in St. Ann's Hospital, Vijayawada, between 17-19 April, under the expert guidance of two distinguished resource persons: Dr. Fr. Mathew Abraham CSsR MD and Dr. Sr. Beena UMI, DGO, CEO, Holy Family Hospital, Mumbai, aimed at streamlining healthcare delivery and enhancing operational excellence.



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within the hospital network. This strategic initiative focuses on upgrading and fully utilizing our infrastructure, facilities, operational system, digitalizing processes, and implementing best practices to elevate patient care standards. The project reflects a strong commitment to quality improvement, efficiency, and innovation within the hospital network. The administrative team is highly motivated to take this process forward at the earliest, demonstrating strong ownership and commitment towards the initiative. They are already strategically planning the 'Action Trackers' based on the detailed assessment report to ensure smooth and effective implementation. With the visionary support of the resource persons and proactive leadership of the administrative team, the project is poised to deliver impactful and sustainable improvements in patient care and hospital efficiency.

FRESH BEGINNINGS

Spring brought new life and new companions to the Divyodaya community. On 20 April 2026, three Sisters from three Provinces of India were warmly welcomed into the community. Sr. Premsila (Vijayawada Province) and Sr. Joshpine (Bangalore Province) have come for a one year community experience, and Sr. Prasanna, who has opted for the mission, joins them from the Visakhapatnam Province. The Divyodaya community extends a heartfelt welcome to each of these Sisters and prays that this year will be a time of grace, growth, and joyful mission for all.



LOVE IN ACTION

"Those who are generous are blessed, for they share their bread with the poor." — Proverbs 22:9

Moved by the profound struggles witnessed during our field visits, the Divyodaya community stepped forward to share our food with the marginalized and deserving. On 23 April 2026, we launched a dedicated nutritional outreach program at Mud Fort, Sikh Village, located approximately 8 kilometres from Divyodaya. Since then, every Thursday, we provide warm, nourishing meals to 15 elderly men and women residing at "My Home," a local charitable shelter located in the heart of the neighbouring slums. This home is run by a single, dedicated woman, Mrs. Marlene, and depends entirely on donations to care for its vulnerable residents. We feel truly blessed to partner in this mission of love, care, and compassion.



FORMATION HOUSE, LAWSON'S BAY COLONY

Lawson's Bay Formation House joyfully welcomed Sr. Ankitha as the new Pre-Novice Mistress along with a new batch of 18 Pre-Novices. On 30 June, 18 postulants from three Provinces of India officially entered the Pre-Novitiate, marking an important step in their religious formation journey.



Meanwhile, the second-year novices, after their community experience and apostolic ministry in various mission centres, are presently in Dhoni, Kerala, undergoing a one-month intensive retreat in preparation for their forthcoming Religious Profession. We continue to pray for all the candidates in formation that they may grow in faith, commitment, and joyful service to God.

GRACE-FILLED SILVER JUBILEE JOURNEY

The 2026 Silver Jubilarians received a special grace: 7 days of retreat at Dhoni, a pilgrimage through Kerala's churches, and a week-long deep dive into Mystical Spirituality, staying at Massabielle.



A SEASON OF REUNION AND RENEWAL

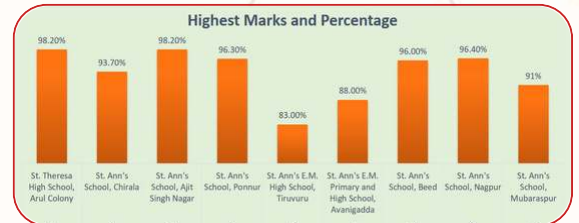
The months of April and May brought moments of joy, reunion, and farewell to our community. As some Sisters returned to their mission lands after renewing their strength at home, others arrived in India for their holidays, family visits, and special programmes. Sr. Bela left for East Africa after her holidays and annual retreat, while Sr. Reni Joseph returned to Timor after spending her holidays in India. At the same time, the community joyfully welcomed Sr. Ann Mary from Indonesia for her Silver Jubilee course and holidays. The spirit of reunion continued as Sr. Chandrika, Sr. Kavitha, Sr. Sajni, Sr. Meera, and Sr. Maria Jyothi arrived from their respective missions for rest, renewal, and to spend time with their loved ones. These arrivals and departures reminded us of the beauty of our missionary vocation, remaining united in prayer, love, and service wherever we are called to serve.

VIJAYAWADA PROVINCE

CELEBRATING A TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE

"Where dedication meets determination, excellence becomes a tradition."

Vijayawada Province, joyfully celebrates the outstanding performance of our students in the CISCE, CBSE and State Board, Examinations for the academic year 2025–2026. Our schools have once again demonstrated academic excellence, with seven schools achieving a remarkable 100% pass results.



The remaining schools also recorded exceptional results, reflecting the dedication, perseverance, and commitment of our students and educators. Special appreciation is extended to the students who secured outstanding marks, with the highest score being 589 marks (98.2%), achieved by students of St. Theresa High School (CISCE), Arul Colony and St. Ann's School (CISCE), Ajit Singh Nagar. St. Ann's School (CBSE) Nagpur secured 96.4% as the highest, and St. Ann's School (SSC), Mubarasapur, secured 91% as the highest.



CELEBRATING DIGNITY AND INCLUSION

On International Transgender Day, Meyer's Home joyfully welcomed 22 members of the transgender community to our campus. This long-cherished initiative was organized to affirm their dignity, worth, and rightful place in society.

CERTIFICATION OF SKILL TRAINING PROGRAMME

A proud milestone was achieved at Meyers Home when seven girls successfully completed the Beautician and Basic Computer Course and received their certificates. The training equipped them with valuable skills, confidence, and practical knowledge, enhancing their opportunities for employment and self-reliance. The certificates were presented by Mr. Ranga Rao, Managing Director of Sri Manjunath Technical Services Private Limited.



ST. ANN'S JEEVA NILAYAM- S.A PETA "CLEANLINESS IS GODLINESS"

On 11 April 2026, an awareness programme on cleanliness and health was conducted for 60 women working under the MGNREGA (100 Days Work Programme). The session emphasized the importance of maintaining personal and environmental hygiene for a healthy life. The main objective was to encourage villagers to keep their surroundings clean.



SHARING LOVE WITH THE ELDERLY

On 21 April 2026, the Surampalli Community reached out in love to the elderly and widows of Mariapuram, our adopted village. Around 50 participants gathered for a meaningful prayer service, followed by a fellowship meal sponsored in honor of the Golden Jubilee celebrations of

Sr. Daisy and Sr. Lucy Ann. As a gesture of care and gratitude, provisions purchased through the generous contributions of the community sisters were distributed to all the participants. The gathering brought joy, encouragement, and a sense of belonging to the elderly members of the village.

COMPUTER TRAINING PROGRAMME – JAGGAYYAPETA

The Computer Training Programme conducted at Jaggayyapeta aimed to equip students with essential computer skills and enhance their employability in today's digital world. A total of 70 students participated in the training program. Among them, 11 students enrolled in Tally training, while the remaining 59 students received training in MS Office applications.



LAMP LIGHTING AND PLEDGE TAKING - ST. ANN'S COLLEGE AND SCHOOL OF NURSING, VIJAYAWADA



On 11 April, the 23rd batch of B.Sc Nursing students, along with 72nd batch of GNM students, lit their lamps and took the Nightingale's Pledge during the Holy Eucharistic celebration officiated by Rev. Fr. Sinto Thiruthel, OFM. Rev. Sr. Roja Pushpa, Provincial Superior, lit the lamps, while Rev. Sr. Viji Thomas, Nursing Superintendent of St. Ann's Hospital, administered the pledge.

PARTNERSHIP WITH XENREX PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY

On 28 April 2026, St. Ann's Hospital Vijayawada entered into a contract with Xenrex Pharmaceutical for the direct purchase of medicines and pharmaceutical supplies. This collaboration is expected to streamline procurement and ensure better availability of medicines for patient care.



LAUNCH OF ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORD (EMR) SYSTEM



A significant milestone was achieved with the successful launch of the Electronic Medical Record (EMR) system in the Outpatient Dept, on 23 April 2026. Prior to the launch, intensive training sessions were conducted from 13–22 April 2026 for Sisters, doctors, and nurses by the software team from SocIT Software. The implementation is progressing well, contributing to improved efficiency, reducing patient's waiting and quality in patient documentation & care.

HOSPITAL TRANSFORMATION PROJECT VISIT: 17–19 APRIL 2026

Dr.Fr. Mathew Abraham CSr and Dr. Sr. Beena UMI, Holy Family Hospital, Bombay, visited St. Ann's Hospital Vijayawada from 17–19 April 2026 as part of the Hospital Transformation Project (HTP). Their visit included a comprehensive hospital evaluation followed by the preparation of a Rapid Action Plan. They also conducted meetings and interviews with the Management Team and doctors to review current practices and future development plans.



AVANIGADDA SOCIAL APOSTOLATE CENTRE

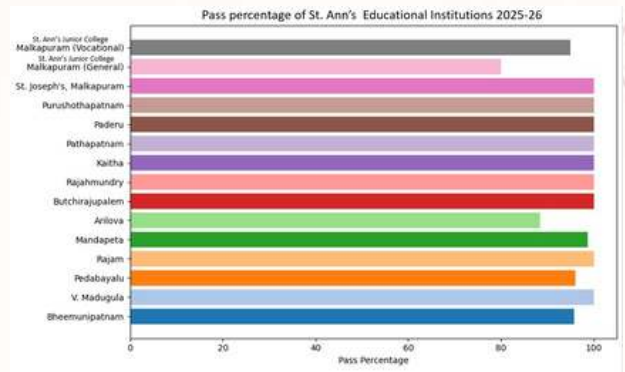


During the summer break, a Summer Spoken English Course was arranged for Children from 2 May to 2 June 2026. 40 children from government and private schools participated in the 54-hour program, which included interactive language games, role-plays, conversations, daily exercises, and basic grammar lessons. The course helped students learn the English alphabets, parts of speech, singular and plural forms.

VISAKHAPATNAM PROVINCE

A PROUD MOMENT OF ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

The outstanding CISCE and SSC Board Examination results for 2025–2026 brought great pride to the institutions. This remarkable achievement reflects the dedication of Principals, the commitment of teachers, and the hard work of students. Heartfelt congratulations to all for their excellent performance and best wishes for continued success and excellence.



SEEDS OF CARE, TREES OF HOPE

On 13–14 April 2026, Meyer's Bala Bhavan, Gandamvarigudem, celebrated 20 years of dedicated service through the "Seeds of Care, Trees of Change" programme. Former students, dignitaries, and well-wishers gathered to witness the inspiring success stories of children whose lives were transformed through care and education. The celebration provided an opportunity to express gratitude to the Provincial Superior and the Swiss Generalate for their generous support and commitment to continue nurturing lives with compassion, hope, and service.



DEEPENING FAITH THROUGH EUCHARISTIC FORMATION

Wilhelm Meyer's Developmental Society, Madugula, organized a one-day youth seminar for participants from Madugula, Satyavaram, and Kintali. Sr. Sajitha and Sr. Kalpana conducted sessions on the Eucharist. Through interactive sessions, videos, action songs, and Eucharistic celebration, 27 youth gained a deeper understanding of the Eucharist, liturgical seasons, and the significance of symbols and vestment colours in worship.



BUILDING DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES THROUGH AWARENESS AND LEGAL LITERACY

Under the leadership of Sr. Nirmala Mathew, St. Ann's Social Apostolate, Arilova organized awareness programmes and street campaigns in various localities to combat drug abuse and promote legal literacy in the month of April. Reaching 285 participants, the initiative educated communities on the harmful effects and legal consequences of substance abuse, encouraging collective responsibility, vigilance, and commitment toward creating safe, healthy, and drug-free neighbourhoods.



A DREAM FULFILLED, A MISSION RENEWED

St. Ann's Jyothi Nivas, Edavally was solemnly inaugurated and blessed on 10 April 2026, marking a significant milestone in its mission of service and evangelization. The inauguration was led by Rev. Sr. Pauline Augustine, Superior General, in the presence of Rev. Sr. Sandrina, Provincial Superior, and blessed by Most Rev. Dr. Jaya Rao Polimera, Bishop of Eluru. Rev. Sr. Elizabeth Antony, former Superior General, along with priests, sisters, and well-wishers, participated in the celebration and Thanksgiving Holy Eucharist. The occasion stood as a witness to God's abundant blessings, dedicated service, and unwavering commitment to the mission of the Church.



A NEW CHAPTER OF GROWTH AND GRACE

St. Ann's School, Bhadrachalam celebrated the Inauguration and Blessing of its New Building, Office Block, and Prayer Room on 16 April 2026. Blessed by Rt. Rev. Dr. Sagili Prakash, DD, Bishop of Khammam, and inaugurated by Sr. Pauline Augustine the Superior General in the presence of Rev. Sr. Sandrina the Provincial Superior, the occasion marked a significant milestone, reflecting the institution's commitment to academic excellence, spiritual growth, and holistic education.



INTERNATIONAL NURSES' DAY: A TRIBUTE TO DEDICATED CAREGIVERS

International Nurses Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 12 May 2026 at St. Ann's Institute of Nursing Education. The day featured a thanksgiving Holy Mass, inspiring messages on compassionate nursing, cultural programmes, competitions, and prize distribution. Miss Salitha Montry was crowned Miss Florence, honoring Florence Nightingale's legacy of dedicated service.



A TIME OF RENEWAL, REFLECTION, AND GROWTH – JUNIOR SISTERS PROGRAM

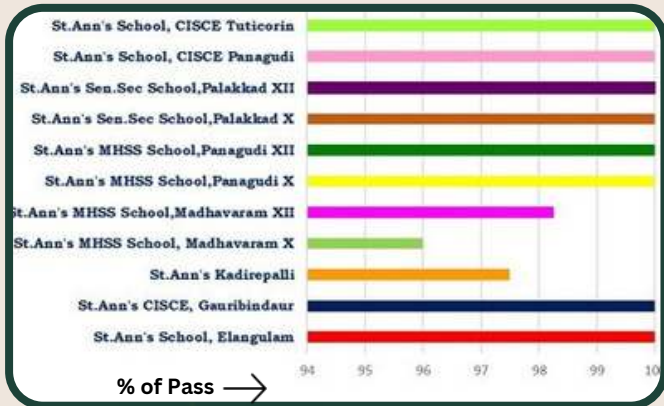
The Juniors' Annual Program provided a rich experience of spiritual growth, learning, and community living. Through group sharing, inspiring input sessions by Sr. Mary Angel, interaction with Provincial Superior Rev. Sr. Sandrina, a Bible Quiz, an Inner Healing Retreat by Fr. Vijay, a Eucharist class by Fr. Raj Kumar, and a joyful outing, the sisters deepened their faith, strengthened their bonds, and renewed their commitment to religious life.



BANGALORE PROVINCE

CELEBRATING ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

“Success is the sum of small efforts repeated day after day.”



The Board Examination Results 2025–2026 brought great pride to the St. Ann's Institutions of Bangalore Province, with most of our schools achieving centum pass across various boards. A special highlight was Jeslyn S. of St. Ann's MHSS School, Madhavaram, who secured the TN State 3rd Rank and Chennai District 2nd Rank with 99.2%, while Nagaveni E. of St. Ann's School, Kadirepalli, achieved Mandal First Rank, with two other students also securing Mandal Ranks. These achievements reflect the dedication and hard work of our Sisters, students, teachers, and parents.

Congratulations!

A NEW CHAPTER OF GROWTH



St. Ann's E M School, Kadirepalli marked a significant milestone in its history, with the grand inauguration and blessing of the New Admin Block, Gnana Jyothi Hostel, and Pre-Primary Block on 18 April 2026. The ceremony was graced by Rev. Fr. Amal Raj, SJ, Rev. Sr. Brita, Provincial Superior, and other distinguished guests.

GIVEN A FUTURE

Anushree, an orphan, who was under the care of Thejas Community, for the past seven years, is given in marriage to Mr. Reuben from Solavidyapuram on 30 April 2026.



A TIME OF GRACE



Sr. Deensha preached retreat for the lay faithful at Vailankanni from 28 April - 1 May 2026 along with Fr. Cyril, SVD.

GATHERED IN GRATITUDE



On 20 May 2026, the Thejas Community welcomed all the Silver Jubilarians and celebrated 25 years of God's faithfulness and love.



BEYOND LIMITATIONS: DISCOVERING COURAGE, AND HOPE

On 30 May 2026, Madhavaram Community, along with Tertians, visited the National Association for the Blind and the “Beggar’s Tree” Home for Destituts, interacted with the residents, listened to their life experiences and challenges, and was inspired by their resilience, courage, and determination to lead dignified lives despite hardships.



EMPOWERING YOUNG LEADERS

RYM 2026 – National Youth Leadership Summit, organized by the Redemptorist Fathers in Bangalore from 22–24 May 2026, brought together around 120 selected

young leaders from across the country. Our Sisters Amali, Rohini, and Stella actively contributed to the organization and animation of the summit, accompanying and inspiring the youth to grow as responsible, faith-filled, and compassionate leaders for the future.



SERVING WITH LOVE

Choosing service over leisure, the student candidates spent their one-week summer break at ‘Shishu Bhavan’, Bangalore, caring for the children with tenderness and affection.



BRINGING HOPE TO HEARTS AND HOMES

The evangelization programme offered the first-year Tertians a meaningful opportunity to journey with families, pray with the sick, and mentor young girls, becoming living witnesses of the Gospel in action.

...FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

A Free Vitamin D3 Test Camp was held at St. Antony's Hospital on 7 May 2026. It offered an opportunity for early health awareness and the detection of vitamin deficiency, empowering people to take charge of their well-being.

ANGELS AT BEDSIDE



“WORKERS’ DAY”...



The international NURSES DAY was celebrated on 12 May 2026 on the theme “OUR NURSES -OUR FUTURE” - Empowered Nurses Save Lives.

EAST AFRICAN PROVINCE

WITH GOD'S PROVIDENCE, WE BUILD AND GROW



Sr. Anjali, our Provincial Superior, continued her Canonical visitation in the Province from 8 April to 5 May 2026 in Arusha, Kenya, Uganda and Dar es Salaam. On 15 April 2026, the long-awaited dream of beginning the construction of our school was realized through the ground breaking and laying of the foundation stone for Githunguri Primary School in Kenya. The event was witnessed by all the Heads of Schools who gathered for the Education Apostolate committee meeting. We thank God for His divine providence through the Donors and benefactors.



STRENGTHENING FAITH THROUGH EUCHARISTIC FORMATION



St. Ann's Primary School, Kihonda, held a seminar on the Holy Eucharist for students and staff on 24 April, led by Sr. Adela. She shared her knowledge and personal experiences, helping participants deepen their understanding of this sacred sacrament. The session strengthened faith and encouraged spiritual growth among the school community, who expressed gratitude for the enriching experience.

A JOURNEY OF LEARNING, LEADERSHIP, AND TEAMWORK



St. Ann's School, Kairi organized a seminar and sports activities, student Government elections to promote the holistic development of its students. The seminar provided valuable guidance on personal growth and education, while the sports events fostered teamwork, discipline, and physical fitness. The school elections offered students an engaging opportunity to interact and to learn civic responsibilities.

HANDS OF COMPASSION, HEARTS OF MERCY



Revealing the merciful love of God—the Monduli Juu Community distributed food assistance to 100 poor families in the villages of Mfereji and Emairete on 15 May. Sisters and students actively participated in this outreach program, sharing the love and compassion of Jesus through their service. The initiative brought hope, joy, and practical support to vulnerable families, reflecting the community's commitment to Christian charity and care for others.

WALKING TOGETHER IN EUCHARISTIC COMMUNION



Visit of Cardinal Protase Rugambwa & Bishop of Tabora to our Hospital & Formation House.

Monduli Chini, Monduli Juu, and Maji ya Chai communities gather monthly for a recollection



BLESSED TRANSITIONS IN VOCATION FORMATION

By the Grace of God, 7 of our postulants entered the Pre-Novitiate on 30 May 2026, and preparing for community experience in different communities. Nine Aspirants completed their Aspirancy after a three-day retreat preached by Fr. Theti, a diocesan priest of Morogoro. They later enjoyed a picnic with the community Sisters before proceeding for their holidays. We thank God for the increase in Vocation and our Zealous Vocation Promoters, Formators and Provincial Team.



ITALIAN MISSION

SAN PIO COMMUNITY

On the occasion of Sr. Sajini's farewell, as she returns to India after 18 years of dedicated service in the Italian Mission, we thank God for the gift of her loving presence, selfless commitment, and faithful service among us. Her kindness, dedication, and joyful spirit have touched many lives and enriched our community. As we bid her farewell with gratitude and affection, we entrust her to God's loving care and pray that He may bless her abundantly in her new mission in India. She will always remain in our prayers and hearts.



With love and gratitude, Srs. Grace Mary & Rosmi.



ROMA COMMUNITY

With great joy, we welcomed Sr. Rincy to our Italian Mission on 1 June. We extend our heartfelt wishes as she begins this new chapter of her missionary journey, May God bless her abundantly, guide her in her ministry, and fill her mission with grace, wisdom and joy.



GENOVA

As this year is specially dedicated to the Holy Eucharist, we took the initiative to speak with our inmates about the Sacrament of Confession and the importance of the Holy Eucharist. We also shared with one another our faith experiences.



As the month of May is dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary, we visited different Chapels and joined the parishioners in praying the Holy Rosary, seeking her intercession and blessings for our families, communities and the Church.



EAST TIMOR MISSION

A JOYFUL WELCOME TO OUR SUPERIOR GENERAL

We are blessed and honored to welcome Rev.Sr. Pauline Augustine, our Superior General, and Sr. Rosmin Mathew, the General Councillor. Their visit was a joyful occasion that brought encouragement, inspiration, and a renewed spirit among the sisters and the people associated with our mission. With great joy and gratitude, we warmly welcome Sr.Gigi Devasia to Timor Leste mission. We assure our prayers and support to her as she begins her mission in Timor – Leste.



INAUGURATION AND BLESSING OF FORMATION HOUSE

The inauguration and blessing of St. Ann's Convent and Formation House was held on 30 May 2026. It was a joyous and memorable occasion for Timor Leste mission. The ceremony was graced by the presence of our Most Rev. Dom Virgilio, Cardinal and Rev. Sr. Pauline Augustine, our Superior General along with Priests, religious, benefactors, parishioners, government officials and well-wishers.



HOSTEL DAY CELEBRATION



The death anniversary of Mother Emilie Dormann was commemorated as Hostel Day on 27 April in Luro. The day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and gratitude, remembering the life, vision and invaluable contributions of Mother Emilie Dormann.

INDONESIAN MISSION



MIRACLES IN DAILY LIFE

We experienced the healing hand of the Lord very tangibly in a patient who came to us with a skin infection.

A STEP AHEAD

Three of our aspirants and two postulants entered into the next stage of their formation after having prepared themselves spiritually through retreat and reflection.



RENEWED COMMITMENT

Four of our Junior sisters renewed their commitment on 23 May after a week of retreat. May the Holy Spirit continue to envelop and guide these young sisters in their committed life.

SPECIAL DEVOTION TO MOTHER MARY

The statue of Mother Mary was taken in procession from one parish to the other throughout the diocese. We actively participated in all the preparations and the prayer services.



MEASURING OF THE LAND

As the next step in the process of registration of the gifted land in Kefa, on 25 May a group of officials visited the land and measured it. We continue to pray for the smooth process of the registration work.



HEARTY WELCOME

Divyodaya Community, joyfully
welcomes

Sr. Gisha Davis

the newly appointed General Secretary

We wish her *God's abundant blessings*,
wisdom, and grace as she begins her new
responsibility and ministry.



WITH HEARTS FULL OF GRATITUDE

we thank Sr. Rincy deeply for her seven years
of committed service in the Generalate

THANK YOU dear Sister!



HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS and GOD'S BLESSINGS!

on receiving missionary mandate to
serve the people of Italy

Thank you for your generous response
to the needs of the time in embracing
the call to the Italian Mission.



HEARTY CONGRATS!

Heartiest congratulations to all the students of our schools for their
outstanding academic performance. Sincere appreciation to all
the **Sisters, staff, and parents** for your dedication and hard work.

May God continue to bless and reward your efforts and
grant you success in 2026- 2027 Academic Year.

**ALL THE BEST
and
GOD'S BLESSINGS!**



SCHEDULE OF THE SUPERIOR GENERAL

June 2026 & July 2026

June 17 - 18	: General Council Meeting
June 19	: Golden Jubilee of Sr. Laura - Massabielle, Bangalore
June 27	: Online meeting - Sr. Heidi Kaeline & Co
June 29	: Online Federation Meeting
July 3 -5	: Eucharistic Congress
July 14 - 15	: Visit to Lawson's Bay Colony, Visakhapatnam

“To the Sister of St. Ann, the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus should be a school of love. *‘One can never love our dear Saviour enough.’* With this thought you started the new year on the first of January, but during the month of June, the month of the Divine Heart of Jesus, you ought to make increased effort to learn in the school of the Heart of Jesus how to advance daily in His love.

Purify and strengthen daily your good will, your prayer, your work, and the fulfilment of your duty in the fire of love of the Divine Heart of Jesus and rest assured that this Heart will guard and look after you.”

- H B1948, P. 66



"I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live forever."
— John 6:51

My Dear Sisters,

We warmly Welcome you to

SAL - Eucharistic Congress 2026

to be held from 3–5 July 2026

*at Divyodaya, St. Ann's Generalate,
Secunderabad*

*We look forward to praying, celebrating, and sharing
this blessed Eucharistic experience with you.*

IN LOVING MEMORY OF SR. SEVERINA



Sr. Severina (Marykutty) was born on 08 December 1949 in Mattathipara, Kottayam District, Kerala, India, in the Diocese of Pala, to the late Mr. Mathew and Mrs. Rosamma of the Kachirayil family. She was the third of nine children and was nurtured in a deeply faith-filled family where Christian values, prayer, and mutual love shaped her early years. Among her siblings is Sr. Elsy, her immediate younger sister, who continues her ministry in the Sisters of St. Ann, Luzern, Visakhapatnam Province. Responding generously to God's call, Sr. Severina joined the Congregation of

the Sisters of St. Ann, Luzern, and made her First Profession in 1968, followed by her Perpetual Profession in 1971 at Lawsons Bay, Visakhapatnam. Throughout her religious life, she remained a woman of profound faith, simplicity, humility, and joyful commitment. Inspired by the charism of our Founder, Fr. Wilhelm Meyer, Sr. Severina dedicated herself wholeheartedly to the healing ministry. She truly became an “angel at the bedside of the sick,” seeing in every suffering person the face of Christ. Nursing was not merely her profession; it was her vocation and mission. Through her compassionate presence, gentle care, and attentive service, she brought comfort to countless individuals and families.

Her apostolic journey led her to serve in various communities and institutions, including Madugula, Vijayawada, Avanigadda, Tiruvuru, Madhavaram, Elangulam, Kozhencherry, Tuticorin, and Prajyothi Welfare Centre, Bangalore. Wherever she was sent, she carried with her a spirit of generosity, kindness, and availability. She was deeply loved for her warmth, approachability, cheerful disposition, and sincere concern for others.

A woman of prayer and deep compassion, Sr. Severina had a special sensitivity toward those who were sick, poor, lonely, and vulnerable. She never hesitated to go the extra mile to alleviate suffering and restore dignity to those in need. Even as her own health gradually declined, she continued to radiate courage, patience, and concern for others, bearing her limitations with remarkable serenity and faith.

As we mourn her passing, we also celebrate a life beautifully lived in the service of God and humanity. Sr. Severina's life stands as a testimony to faithful discipleship, selfless love, and unwavering dedication to the mission entrusted to her. She touched many lives through her simplicity, compassion, and quiet witness to the Gospel.

With gratitude, we commend her to the loving embrace of the Lord whom she served so faithfully. We trust that she now enjoys the fullness of eternal life and the peace promised to God's faithful servants. Though her earthly journey has come to an end, her legacy of compassionate service and her example of religious commitment will continue to inspire all who knew her.

As we cherish her memory with gratitude, we pray: *May Sr. Severina rest in God's eternal peace and experience the everlasting joy of His Kingdom.* May her gentle spirit and loving intercession continue to accompany and strengthen us in our mission.



Looking forward to connecting again in our next edition.

Stay blessed!

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