



St. MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

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Thoothukudi – 628001, Tamil Nadu, India
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CENTRE FOR HUMAN EXCELLENCE

AICUF

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Our College AICUFers participated Human Chain Rally against the Sterlite company on the 18th of July 2017. 100 students participated in this protest for an hour by pronouncing slogans.

In August 2017, the AICUF secretary of our college, Miss. Rishika and four other students from various colleges went on a visit to a Nuclear Power Station at Koodankulam. They interacted with the workers and the surrounding civilians and came to know that the station not only consumes electricity but also making nuclear bombs with the wastes, which has harmful consequences to their living place.

A street play was conducted on the 6th of September 2017 demonstrating the disappointment faced by Ms. Anitha in the NEET exam and the hardships faced by Ms.Christy Prathipa, in order to create an awareness about the difficulties faced by women in our society. Later our principal, Dr.Sr.Alphonse Roseline Mary gave a speech about the women's role for a better society.

The World Food Day and Diwali were celebrated on the 16th October 2017. Mr.Raja Ram, a social worker, was the Chief Guest. The AICUF students portrayed the importance of helping the downtrodden by a skit, dance and a song. The Principal, Dr. Sr. Alphonse Roseline Mary, gave a speech emphasising the same.

Around 3000 students from our college, went on a rally, on Saturday, the 25th November 2017, to mark the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women. The rally was flagged off by Ms. Vijayalakshmi, Sub Inspector of North Police Station, Tuticorin. It started from St. Mary's College at 2.30 P.M and ended at The Lady of Snows Church. The programme was organized to support girl children, and all the women and create awareness on gender equality, discrimination and violence against women.



The Human Rights day was celebrated on the 9th December 2017. An inspiring speech was given by Ms Rajeshwari of II B.Sc. Maths(SSC) about the fundamental human rights. The AICUF students performed a skit and a song. The Principal, Dr.Sr. Alphonse Roseline Mary gave a speech emphasizing the same.

It was followed by the film analysis. A movie "Thondan" was screened for all I year students. Unit advisor Sr. Ezhilarasi led the evaluation for that movie. The students felt the AICUF programs were an eye opener and they made them think about the social issues prevailing in the society.

The Magis- Socio Spiritual Congress was conducted in Loyala College, Chennai, by the Jesuit Youth Ministry from 13th to 15th January 2018. 12 students of AICUF along with Dr. Sr. Ezhilarasi actively participated in the program.

On 1st February , the AICUF students had a meeting in the college hostel stage. Sr. Ezhil Arasi, Ms Sashikala and Ms Initha Rina attended the meeting. Discussion was held on the activities of AICUF. Students were divided into groups and were asked to water the plants allocated to each group.

On 14th February 2018 , 25 students of AICUF visited the Lucia Home – the home for the physically challenged children.

On the 1st of March 2018, 21 AICUF students, along with Mrs. X. Amala Steffi, Assistant Professor in English, attended a seminar on the present political issues at St. Xaviers College, Palayamkottai.