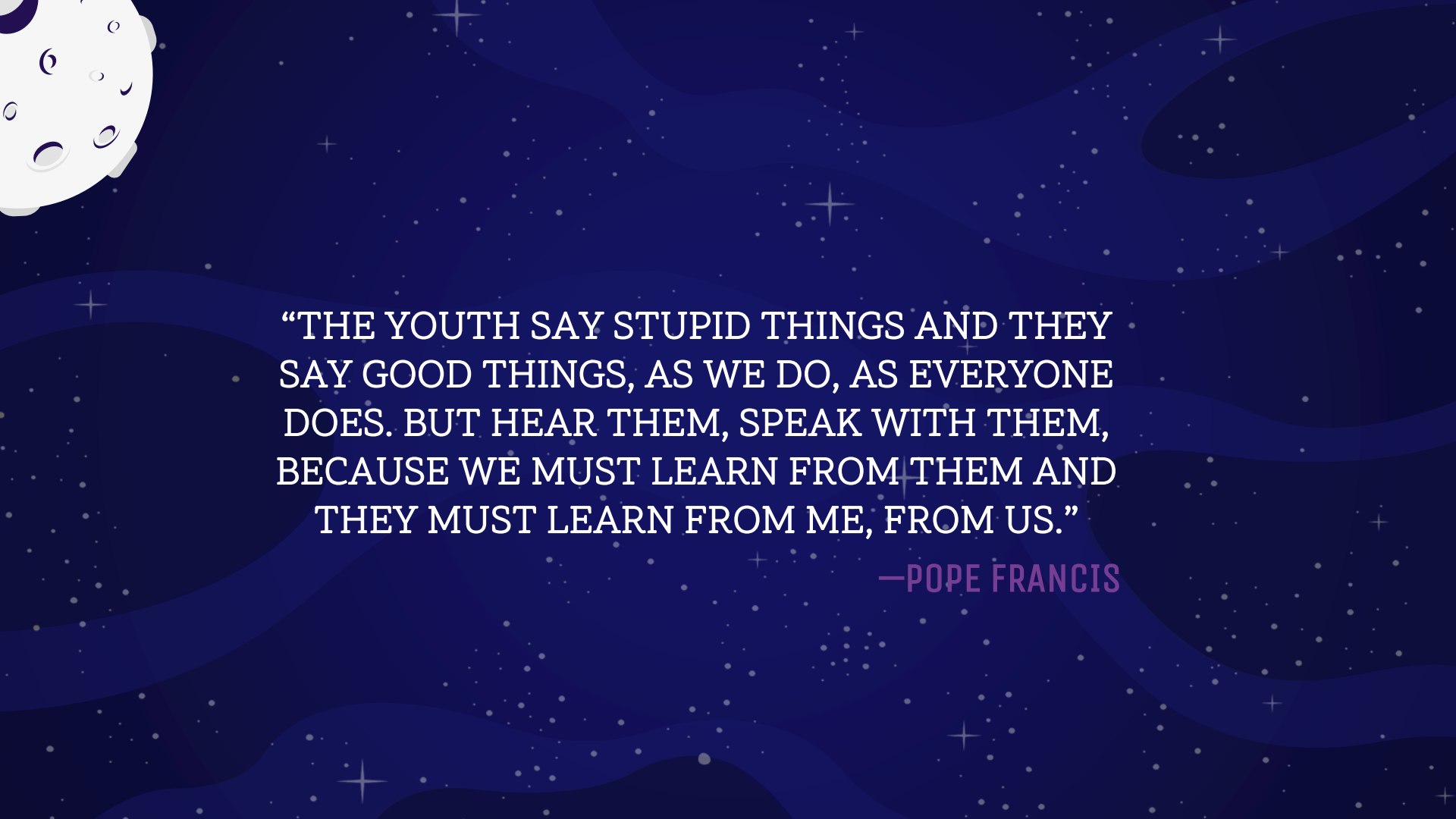




INDIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH MOVEMENT

ANNUAL REPORT - 2020





“THE YOUTH SAY STUPID THINGS AND THEY SAY GOOD THINGS, AS WE DO, AS EVERYONE DOES. BUT HEAR THEM, SPEAK WITH THEM, BECAUSE WE MUST LEARN FROM THEM AND THEY MUST LEARN FROM ME, FROM US.”

—POPE FRANCIS



DESPITE BEING STRUCK DOWN BY THE PANDEMIC THAT TOOK THE WORLD BY STORM, ICYM WORKED HARD TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF THE YOUTH BY PLANNING AND EXECUTING VARIOUS EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR....



01
**LIVE IN
PROGRAM**

A Live-in Program was conducted at Bethania-Youth Centre for the formation of the NEXCOS. The team was trained to work in unity and was guided by the advisory members through sessions based on leadership, team work among others.



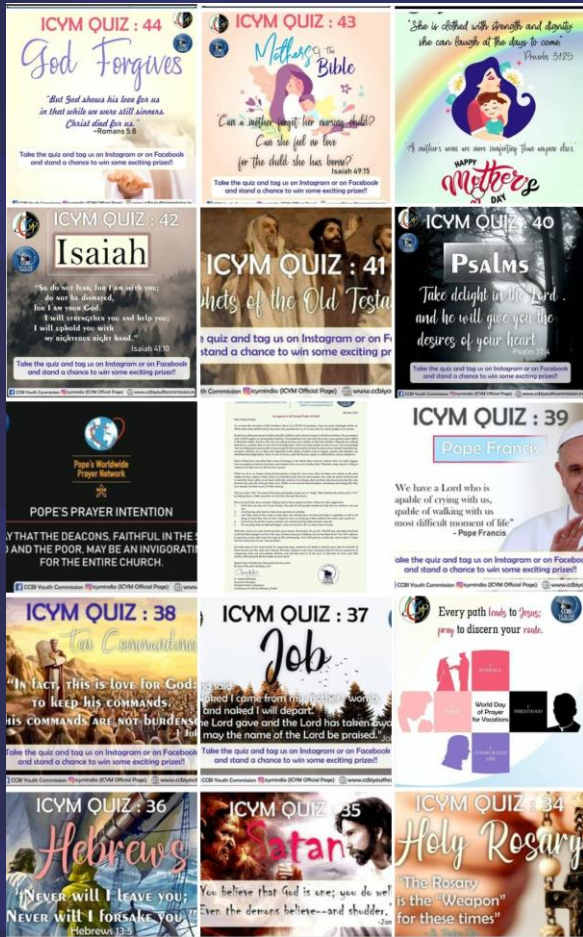
NEXCO LIVE IN



02

QURANTINED BIBLE QUIZ (50DAYS)

ICYM CONDUCTED A 'QURANTINE
EDICION BIBLE QUIZ' FOR ALL THE
YOUTH OVER THE COUNTRY VIA GOOGLE
FORMS. THE ACTIVITY WAS ONGOING
FOR 50DAYS AND GARNERED LOTS OF
ATTENTION AND SUPPORT AND WAS
LOVED BY NOT ONLY THE YOUTH BUT
OTHERS AS WELL.



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ICYM QUIZ : 10 The Four Gospels

Don't forget to tag us on Instagram or on Facebook after scoring full marks and stand a chance to win some exciting prizes!!

-Conditions Applied-

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QUARANTINE BIBLE QUIZ

03

**COVID – 19
AWARENESS
VIDEO**

A COMPILATION VIDEO OF OUR YOUTH DIRECTOR, ALL THE NEXCOS AND THE ADVISORS WAS MADE IN ORDER TO RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT COVID- 19 AT THE SAME TIME TO ENCOURAGE ALL THE YOUTH TO ABIDE BY THE LAWS AND TAKE PRECAUTIONS AND STAY SAFE AT HOME.

COVID - 19
AWARENESS VIDEO



04

NEXCO ONLINE MEETINGS

National Executive Committee – ICYM meeting was conducted on monthly basis. The meetings were attended by our Chairman Bishop Most Rev Soosai Nazarene as well as the Youth Commission advisors and all the NEXCOS. Several topics were discussed on the agenda based on which all the events were planned and executed.

NEXCO MEETINGS

Cherylanne

PERCIVAL HOLT

Stella Harry

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Ashutosh Rahul Tirkey

yaya

Rebecca

Galaxy J2

Jovita

Ayushi Frank

Arvind

Pravin Mathew

Anto Nivi

Saurav Kullu

Becare Me O Nongtdu

Veronica

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**ICYM NEXCO Meeting
17 May 2020 via ZOOM**

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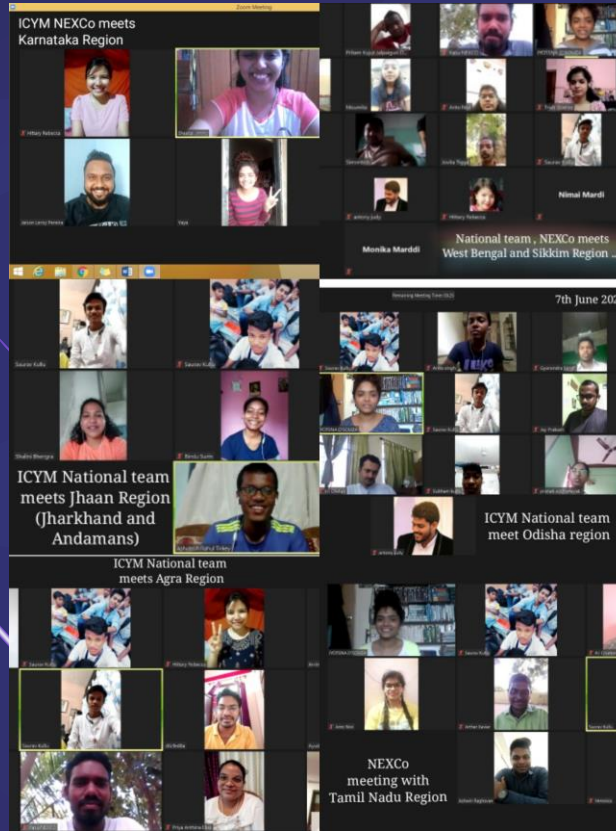
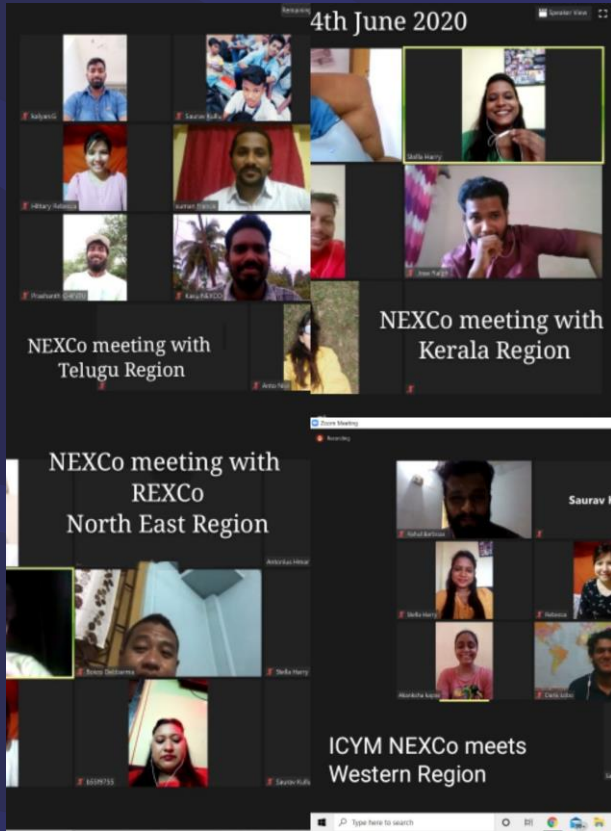
REGIONAL YOUTH PRESIDENT MEETING

A meeting with all the 14 regional presidents with the national office bearers was conducted successfully via zoom app. The main motive of the meeting was to build good connection, bonding and network well with all the regions. The agenda included regional activities and personal sharing.

06

REGIONAL TEAM MEETINGS

MEETINGS WITH 14 REGIONAL TEAMS (REXCOS) ALONG WITH THEIR RYDS WAS CONDUCTED WITH THE NATIONAL OFFICE BEARERS SUCCESSFULLY OVER THE PERIOD OF 2 MONTHS. THE AGENDA WAS INCLUSIVE OF REGIONAL ACTIVITIES, NATIONAL YOUTH CELEBRATION AND REXCO SHARING.



REGIONAL TEAM MEETINGS



07

GREEN INDIA CAMPAIGN

IN ORDER TO COMMEMORATE 'WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY', ICYM LAUNCHED 'GREEN INDIA' CAMPAIGN. GREEN INDIA CAMPAIGN MAINLY FOCUSED ON RAISING AWARENESS ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT AS WELL AS PROVIDING THE YOUTH WITH A PLATFORM TO SHOWCASE THEIR LOVE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT WHILE NURTURING IT.

Green India Mission

An initiative by ICYM
(Indian Catholic Youth Movement)

COMING SOON

This Year Theme For World Environment Day
&
Our Green India Mission Is

**CELEBRATING
BIO + DIVERSITY**

means "life" means "variety"

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Indian Catholic Youth Movement presents
Green India Mission

"CREATOART"
A Poster Making Competition

Theme - "Nature with us and without us"
Last date - 30th June, 2020

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Indian Catholic Youth Movement presents
Green India Mission

"Trash to Treasure"

Last Date of Submission
- 5th August, 2020 -

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GREEN INDIA CAMPAIGN

08


WEBINAR ON ECOLOGY

ICYM COLLABORATED WITH THE COMMISSION FOR ECOLOGY TO CONDUCT A WEBINAR ON ECOLOGY. ICYM PRESIDENT MS. JYOTSNA D'SOUZA MADE PRESENTATION ON THIS OCCASION. THIS WAS ATTENDED BY MANY YOUNG PEOPLE. THIS WAS IN COMMEMORATION WITH THE "GREEN INDIA CAMPAIGN."

WEBINAR ON ECOLOGY



CONGRATULATIONS!



Ms. Archana Soreng
Rourkela Diocese
Odisha Region

ICYM Family congratulates you for being appointed to the United Nations Youth Advisory Group on Climate Change by the UN Secretary General António Guterres on 27 July 2020.

She is one of the seven young global climate leaders – between the age of 18 and 28 years – who will advise him regularly on accelerating global action and initiatives to tackle the worsening climate crisis as part of the UN Youth Strategy.



SEASON OF CREATION



SEASON OF CREATION
(1st September - 4th October)

A Christian who does not protect Creation, who does not let it grow, is a Christian who does not care about the work of God, that work that was born from the love of God for us. And this is the first response to the first creation: protect creation, make it grow.

-Pope Francis



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09

NATIONAL YOUTH SUNDAY VIDEOS

VIDEOS WERE FILMED BY THE NEXCO'S CONGRATULATING ALL THE DIOCESES AND REGIONS AND ENCOURAGING THEM TO CELEBRATE THE 'NATIONAL YOUTH SUNDAY' BEING UNITED IN A YOUTHFUL SPIRIT. ICYM STRONGLY ENCOURAGED ALL THE YOUTH THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY TO BE JOYFULLY AND YOUTHFULLY UNITED IN CHRIST WHILE ABIDING BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS AND TAKING UTMOST CARE AND PRECAUTIONS.

NATIONAL YOUTH DAY

Dear Young People

On this National Youth Day, I pray to God that you may have peace; that he may guide and protect you from the dangers that are ever present in our world today.

Be with you, as you experience both sickness and health, sorrow and joy, loneliness and friendship, success and failure.

Gracious God, give young people the courage and strength to make the right decisions as they journey through life. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, may they come to know and experience your loving care.

Fr. Chetan Machado
Executive Secretary
National Youth Commission

★ Let's Celebrate! ★

NATIONAL YOUTH COMMISSION
CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF INDIA



NATIONAL YOUTH DAY

Young man,
I say to
you, **ARISE**
(Lk.7:14)



9 AUGUST
2020

#NYS 2020

INDIA

**NATIONAL YOUTH SUNDAY
CELEBRATIONS**

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NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION

ICYM ORGANIZED 'NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ' FOR FOUR SEASONS. THIS COMPETITION WAS OPEN TO ALL, IRRESPECTIVE OF AGE OR DENOMINATION. DURING THE FOUR SEASONS, WE COVERED FOUR GOSPELS AND OVER 3000 PEOPLE PARTICIPATED IN THE QUIZ.

REGISTER NOW

INDIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH MOVEMENT

gospel of LUKE Bible Quiz

15 AUGUST 2020

Highlights:
 Cash award to each category.
 Three categories:
 13-19, 20-35, 36+
 Consolation cash prizes
 Bibles + Memorabilia + Certificates

11 am to 12 noon
 Registration Fee : Rs 50
 Last date to Register :
 10 August 2020

NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ SEASON-1

WIN PRIZES WORTH RS. 50,000

For details: **READ GUIDELINES**

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National Bible Quiz S-3

From The Gospel of **St. Mark**

25th October, 2020 (Sunday) / Language- English(NRSV)/Hindi(Buika)
 Categories - (Children/Youth/Adult) / Cash Awards, Consolation Prizes, Certificates
Last Date to Register - 18th October, 2020
 Visit Our Official Website to Register - www.ccbiyouthcommission.in

**Take The Quiz!
 Register Today!**

Help Line/Support
 Send an E-mail for any guidance to icymquiz@gmail.com
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 - Upretia Diocese (NYM): +91-8398740796
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NBQ

NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ GUIDELINES

Date: Saturday, 15th August, 2020. Time: 11:00am to 12:00pm IST.
 Theme: The Gospel of St. Luke. REGISTRATION FEE RS. 50; Language : English and Hindi

1. CONTEST DESCRIPTION:
 To commemorate the National Youth Sunday of 2020 while we are indoors within our homes, ICYM National Office has come up with the initiative to engage young people throughout the country in a National Bible quiz based on a chosen theme (a book from the Bible) who will study the subject in depth and participate individually in the quiz in online mode on a fixed date and time. The NBQ is aimed at providing a positive and innovative method to study and retain God's Word by using an online format for all Christians. This will enable them to solidify a sound, biblical world view. This will be conducted in four seasons (four gospels) in the first phase. This will allow our youth (and their parents) an opportunity to read, peruse, and study intently, first "The Gospel of Luke" (later other books).

The National Bible Quiz will be conducted through online registration only.

2. DATE AND TIME:
 The National Bible Quiz season 1 will be conducted on **Saturday, 15th August, 2020 from 11:00am to 12:00pm IST.**

3. REGISTRATION: Criteria
 It is open to everyone, 13 years and above irrespective of religion or denomination.

Procedure for Registration
 Step 1: Click on the "ICYM National Quiz Form" button on the right hand corner at the homepage of the "CCBI National Youth Commission" website (<https://ccbiyouthcommission.in>)
 Step 2: Scan the QR code or use the UPI ID inside the registration form itself for transferring the registration fee of [50 per participant]. Step 3: Take a screenshot of the receipt.
 Step 4: Fill in the UPI transaction ID (or UTR for online transfer) in the registration form
 Step 5: Upload the screenshot of this successful online transaction in the respective column
 Step 6: Fill up the form with complete details (NOTE: Enter your personal e-mail ID correctly as it will be used for Google classroom registration on the day of the quiz)
 Step 7: Recheck the details. Step 8: Click **Submit**
 NOTE: For group booking, kindly contact the helpline numbers below.

4. PAYMENT

- (Within the form): Scan the QR Code. If it does not work, enter the given UPI ID in your UPI app. In case of Net Banking, details would be provided on request only.
- **The amount [Rs. 50] will be pre-set.**
- Enter your name in the "comments/remarks" section. • Make the payment.

NOTE: For group booking, you will need to enter the UPI ID given in the form and enter the amount manually (in multiples of 50 as per number of participants and use same transaction details).

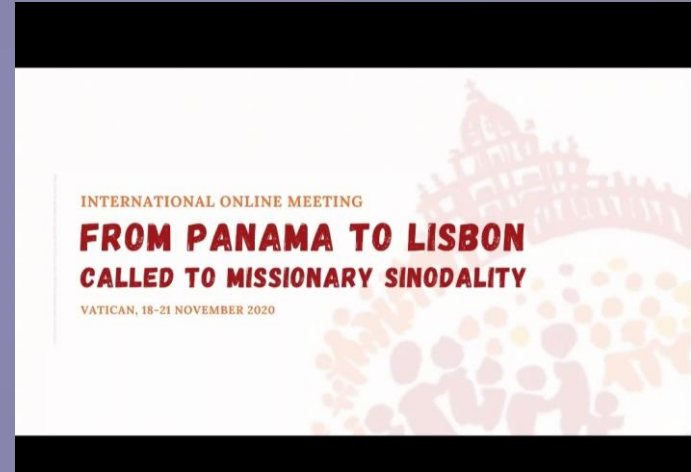
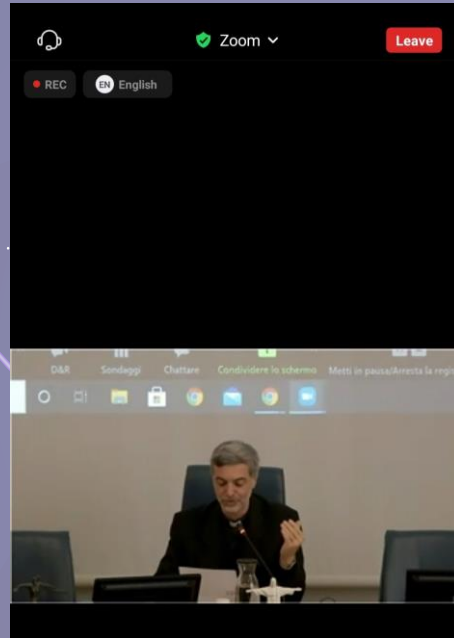
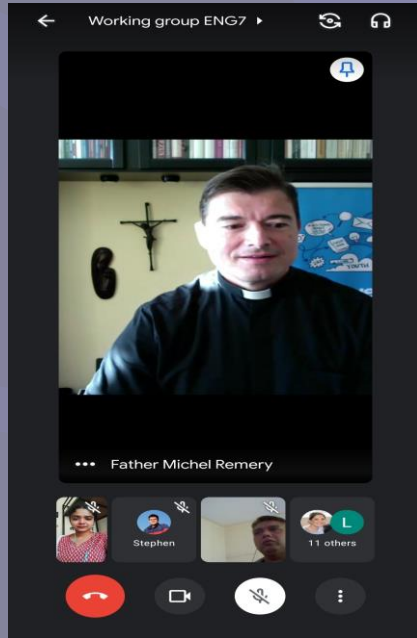
NATIONAL BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION

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WORLD YOUTH DAY PREPATORY MEETING

THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY FR. CHETAN MACHADO ALONG WITH THE NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF ICYM MS. JYOTSNA D'SOUZA REPRESENTED THE CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF INDIA (CCBI) IN THE ONLINE PREPATORY MEETING OF WYD 2020 HELD ON 15TH OCTOBER 2020. THE NEXT MEETING WAS HELD FROM 18-21 NOVEMBER 2020.

WORLD YOUTH DAY PREPATORY MEETING



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National Youth Conference

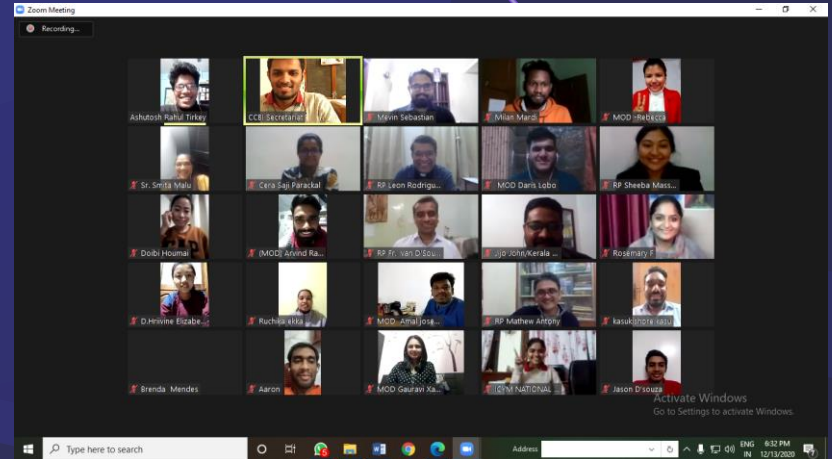
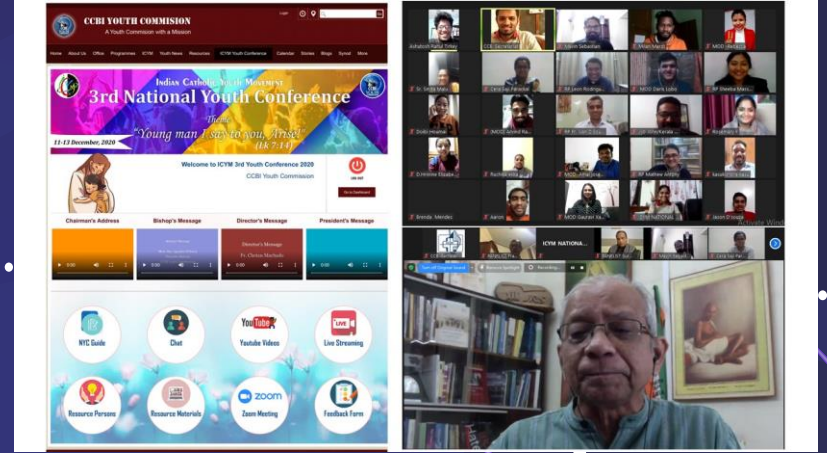
THE INDIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH MOVEMENT ORGANIZED THE III NATIONAL YOUTH CONFERENCE FROM 11-13 DECEMBER 2020 BASED ON THE THEME, "YOUNG MAN, I SAY TO YOU, ARISE." A SPECIAL PORTAL WAS CREATED TO GIVE A DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE TO ALL THE PARTICIPANTS. THE CONFERENCE CONSISTED OF KEY NOTE SESSION, PANEL DISCUSSION AND WORKSHOPS BASED ON THEMES THAT WERE CAREFULLY CHOSEN TO EDUCATE YOUNG PEOPLE ON VARIOUS CURRENT TOPICS. THE CONFERENCE ALSO INCLUDED TAIZE PRAYER AND LIVE GOSPEL BAND. OVER THREE HUNDRED YOUNG PEOPLE ALONG WITH YOUTH DIRECTORS AND ANIMATORS PARTICIPATED IN THIS CONFERENCE.

3rd National Youth Conference



Indian Catholic Youth Moveve

NATIONAL YOUTH CONFERENCE



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**SOCIO
POLITICAL
ACTIVITIES**

ICYM TOOK THE INITIATIVE TO VOICE ITS CONCERNS AND TAKE A STAND WITH REGARDS TO THE HAPPENINGS IN THE COUNTRY AS WELL AS AROUND THE WORLD INCLUDING:

- ONGOING HAPPENINGS IN TURKEY WITH RESPECT TO SANTA SOFIA WERE CIRCULATED.
- MEMORANDUM SUBMITTED TO ENVIRONMENT MINISTRY TO WITHDRAW EIA.
- ONLINE PETITION WITH OVER 25000 YOUTH INVOLVED.
- A CAMPAIGN STARTED UNDER THE HASHTAG #WITHDRAW EIA
- AWARENESS AND CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE RISING DISCRIMINATION OF CATHOLIC MINORITY IN PAKISTAN.
- ICYM AND YCS/YSM INDIA ORGANIZED ONLINE CAMPAIGNS TO EDUCATE YOUNG PEOPLE WITH RESPECT TO RECENT COURT JUDGEMENTS & POLICIES.
- AN APPEAL SENT IN SUPPORT OF THE AGITATING FARMERS ON DELHI BORDERS AND SUPPORTED THE CAUSE OF FR. STAN AND OTHER ACTIVISTS JAILED IN MUMBAI.

WITHDRAW
EIA
2020

STOP
SELLING
INDIA



#withdrawEIA

India's new EIA draft has been widely criticised for its problematic changes in rules. Experts say most of the provisions in the new draft of EIA proves to be a regressive departure from the earlier version.

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#JUSTICE_FOR_MARIA_SHAHBAZ



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put '#Protest' and tag
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Indian Catholic Youth Movement

ICYM DEMANDS THE IMMEDIATE RELEASE OF STAN SWAMY

The Indian Catholic Youth Movement (ICYM) condemns the arrest of Fr. Stan Swamy by the National Investigation Agency (NIA) under the Unlawful Activities Prevention Act (UAPA) in connection with the Bhima-Koregaon incident of 2018. It is outrageous that an 83-year-old priest, who has spent a lifetime working for the Adivasis, Dalits and the poor, has been picked up from his home in Ranchi without giving the slightest thought to his age and multiple ailments.

Fr. Swamy is a Jesuit priest working for over five decades with the sole aim of upliftment of the Adivasis and the downtrodden in the tribal region of Jharkhand. His activities among them have been widely appreciated as he has always stood for the voiceless sections in the society. Fr. Swamy himself has put out a video a few days back stating how untruths and 'fabrications' have been stealthily put into his computer to trump up charges against him and marshal false evidence.

Fr. Swamy's arrest is nothing but a part of the strategy to throttle voices of dissent; it is outright infringement of civil liberties and yet another example of vindictiveness on the part of the investigating agencies.

We hereby demand the immediate release of Stan Swamy.

Ms. JYOTSNA D'SOUZA
President

Adv. ANTONY JUDY
General Secretary

10.10.2020

Address: ICYM National Office, Bethania, A2, Central Green, NIT 5, Faridabad, Haryana-121001
E-mail: kyindia.ccbi@gmail.com

SOCIO POLITICAL ACTIVITIES

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OTHER ACTIVITIES

DAY TO DAY ACTIVITIES WERE UNDERTAKEN IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE WORD OF GOD TO ALL THE YOUTH VIA SOCIAL MEDIA CIRCULATION. THE MAIN MOTIVE WAS TO MAKE THE YOUTH AWARE OF THE TEACHINGS OF THE CHURCH, THE DOCUMENTS AND THE HISTORY OF THE CHURCH AS WELL AS THE SAINTS AND PROVIDE THEM HOPE AND COMFORT DURING THIS YEAR THROUGH THE WORD OF GOD.

THESE SOCIAL MEDIA ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

- SAINT OF THE DAY
- VERSES/CHALLENGES BASED ON BIBLICAL VERSES
- FEAST POSTERS – DAILY CIRCULATION.

TEACHINGS/ENCYCLICAL DOCUMENTS OF THE CHURCH

- QUOTES/REFERENCES FROM SAINTS, OTHER DOCUMENTS, ETC.



Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood Of Christ

Corpus Christi

"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, so the one who feeds on me will live because of me."

- John 6: 54-57

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10/07/2020

"Love needs time and space; everything else is secondary."

~ Amoris Laetitia[224]

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"Give yourselves over to the best of life! Open the door of the cage, go out and fly! Please, don't take an early retirement."

~ christus vivit

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POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION

LET US PRAY THAT THE DEACONS, FAITHFUL IN THE SERVICE TO THE WORLD AND THE POOR, MAY BE AN INVIGORATING SYMBOL FOR THE ENTIRE CHURCH.

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OTHER ACTIVITES

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Saint Of The Day

Saint Gianna Beretta Molla

Saint of the Day for April 19
(October 4, 1922 - April 28, 1962)

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DIRECTOR



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THANK YOU!



