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"Wisdom is radiant and unfading, and she is easily discerned by those who love her, and is found by those who seek her". Wisdom 6: 12



"In one salutation to thee, my God, let all my senses spread out and touch this world at thy feet. Let all my songs gather together their diverse strains into a single current and flow to a sea of silence in one salutation to thee". - Rabindranath Tagore -

Editorial

Dear Friends.

"Know thyself and you will know the secrets of the universe and the Gods"

Every human being needs to carve out the time to articulate a philosophy for his or her life. We are people of information, we are not only to be informative but need to be transformative. To live truly and greatly, we need to define the way of living so as to transfer the value and discipline in the lives of our students.

Only human beings, endowed as they are with consciousness, are able to control their movements and give them meaning. So each gesture we make and each word we say can have a resonance on the spiritual plane. Gestures and spoken words always have magical power; through them we set up invisible currents, which contribute to the creation of matter. So we have the magical power to awake the consciousness of our staff and students.

In the history of humanity there has been no lack of exceptional people who have been an example to others on account of their integrity, goodness, courage or wisdom. But perfection is another matter. Perfection in humans ideally implies the development of the three factors of mind, heart and will, and this is very rare. You meet people who are remarkably intelligent and educated but with no love for others, or others who are full of love but have no willpower, and so on and so forth. So our duty is to prepare our student community to be equipped with the above qualities and help them to live the life fully and live in the present.

An attitude is a predisposition to act or feel a certain way towards a person or thing. Attitude stability depends up on how closely it's linked with other attitudes, knowledge - cognitive aspect, degree of liking/disliking - affective aspect. Attitudes can be formed to preserve balance in our self image. Hence our duty is to create an atmosphere to feel good in everything with affective nature of living in our campus. We are in a position to change the behavioral tendency among the students and the Cognitive power along with knowledge and technology. Value expression and principle based life should reflect in the lives of every one of us so as to transmit love, peace, joy and justice.

Be thoughtful about life. Authenticity will help to design the standard of excellence in living. First and foremost love of parents, family and country should be the prime duty. Choose to be extraordinary. Creating remarkable relationship with everyone is our immediate task. Overcoming the adversity and disappointments should be our daily assignment.

St. Joseph College of Engineering and Technology

Activities

- ✓ Regular Classes for II, IV semester diploma and II, VIII semester degree programmes are going on.
- ✓ Bridge course for diploma classes are going on.
- ✓ IPTR is going on for semester V degree and diploma and semester III degree students. Semester III diploma students have completed IPTR
- ✓ Key Results Area (KRA) works completed for all staff members in almost all departments.
- ✓ Course file preparation for upcoming semesters is going on in **ECE** department
- ✓ CAT I, CAT II, CAT III & Model Exam Time table for fourth semester Diploma and eighth Semester Degree was prepared and issued to all the departments by the **COE** Department.
- ✓ **Orientation program** for the diploma bridge course students was conducted on 10-05-2012.



- ✓ Special mathematics classes were arranged for IV semester lateral entry students by the CSE

 Department
- ✓ On 17th May 2012 the Department of **ECE** conducted project work first review for VIII Semester Degree Batch 4

Meetings and Events

- ♣ On 23-04-2012, the CSE department meeting was conducted to discuss about file maintenance and video lecturing
- **♣ Award Committee Meeting** was conducted on 24-04-12 with the following agenda:
- ↓ V semester diploma Batch V SJCET



- **Award Committee Meeting was conducted on 27-04-12 with the following agenda:**
 - VII semester diploma Batch V SJCET
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- **♣** Dr. Ananth- the Director for International Operations addressed all Indian staff on 04-05-2012 regarding the following.
 - Salary difference, Discipline of staff (Songea)
- → The part time staff meeting was conducted regarding the preparation of II semester degree end question paper in the **General Engineering** Department on 10-05-2012.
- **↓** The staff meeting was conducted about the II semester degree CAT examinations in the **General Engineering** Department on 11-05-2012
- **4 Award Committee Meeting** for Semester V was conducted on 11-05-2012 by the COE department
- ♣ On 14th May 2012 the Department of ECE has conducted departmental meeting related to changes in subject allocation, changes in class advisor for upcoming semesters and any other matters.
- ♣ The Staff Meeting was conducted regarding maintaining the attendance of the students in the General Engineering Department on 17-05-12
- ♣ The Staff Meeting was conducted about the II semester degree CAT examinations by the General Engineering Department on 18-05-12
- ♣ The entire Staff members attended Faculty Development Program on 19th May 2012 with the following Agendas: preparation of quality question papers, preparation of course files and college by laws



- ♣ On 20-05-2012, the Archbishop of Madras Mylapore Most Rev. Dr. A. M. Chinnappa visited all the staff members and then celebrated the Holy Mass for all Catholic Indian Staff.
- ♣ On 23-05-2012, the Archbishop of Madras Mylapore Most Rev. Dr. A. M. Chinnappa celebrated the holy mass for all the staff and students. He blessed and prayed for all of us.



Education should be exercise; it has become massage. ~Martin H. Fischer

♣ He insisted the need to be united together as DMI SJCET family, regardless of region, language, religion and nationality.



→ The college administration along with the new university council had meeting with Fr. Founder J.E. Arul Raj, the chairman on 28-05-2012 and 29-05-2012.



♣ On 30-05-2012, Mr. Ananth, the Director for International Operations introduced the new university team; especially the Deputy Vice Chancellor to the staffs and the staffs in turn introduced themselves.

Examination:

Cat II examination for Semester II Diploma (B-7) had been conducted.

CAT- I for second semester degree was conducted

♣ On 26/05/2012 Diploma new candidates (Form IV students) wrote Entrance Exam.





NEWS BULLETIN FROM DMI-ST.EUGENE UNIVERSITY

"Success is the good fortune that comes from aspiration, desperation, perspiration and inspiration". - Evan Esar

HOLY MASS CELEBRATIONS:

- On 1st of May we celebrated St.Joseph's feast. The Holy Mass was conducted by Rev.Fr.M.Arockia Doss, MMI for all our sisters.
- On 8th May 2012, we had birthday celebration of our President University





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staff members.
We had grand
dinner after the
Holy Mass.

• On 16th of May we had holy Mass for all our staff and students, celebrated by Arch Bishop Most Rev.Dr.A.M.Chinnappa, SDB, D.D. In his homily he shared his life and motivated all our students by his inspiring words. All of our staff and students were very happy to listen to his Tamil song. He appreciated all our students and congratulated the choir.

The Holy Mass is celebrated by the Arch Bishop Most Rev.Dr.A.M.Chinnappa

Education is not the filling of a bucket, but the lighting of a fire. ~W. B. Yeats





Dr.T.X.A.Ananth celebrates his Birth Day.

Holy Mass on 1st of May

VISIT OF THE HIGHER OFFICIALS

- On 7th of May Dr.T.X.A.Ananth, the President of the University Council arrived in Zambia.
- On 9th of May Hon. Deputy Minister Prof.Nevelyn Gillies Willombe visited our university and had discussion with President of the University council.
- On 16th of May Arch Bishop Most Rev.Dr.A.M.Chinnappa, SDB, D.D, from the Archdiocese of Chennai- Mylapore visited our university campus.
- On 16th of May Rev.Sr.C.Rita, the Superior General of DMI visited our campus and attended the Holy Mass with all our staff and students.

OFFICIAL MEETINGS:

- On 9th May 2012, we had conference with Hon. Minister Dr.John Phiri and Hon. Deputy Minister Prof.Nevelyn Gillies Willombe, Mrs.Esvah Chizambe, the Principal Education Officer, Mrs.Bessie Tembo, the Senior Education Officer, Ministry of Education, Lusaka, Zambia. Dr.T.X.A.Ananth, the President of University Council elaborated on the significant aspects Virtual learning through DMI Virtual University and other participants were Sr.A.Ramona, Mr.M.Noel, the System Administrator and Ms.Angela Lihusha, the Executive Assistant. We have given the demonstration from the DMI-St.Eugene University where the programme was conducted by Mr. N.Kketi Mwanangombe, the Asst. Lecturer assisted by the Registrar and Mr.
 - Andrew Stephen, the Assistant Lecturer and the members observed it from the Headquarters of Ministry of Education that lies along the Independence Avenue in Lusaka.
- On 9th of May the President of the University Council conducted the meeting for all the Indian staff regarding the salary revision and motivated them to look out for financial openings for them and for the University by conducting short courses for students which will help them earn immediately.
- On 10th of May the President of the University
 Council, Sr.S.Chinnammal and Sr.A.Ramona and A.Nishanth visited Vatican Ambassador to



Zambia the new Apostolic Nuncio His Excellency Julio Murat and discussed both DMI and MMI societies and our Mission in India, Tanzania, Malawi, South Sudan and Zambia.

- On 9th and 10th of May 4 higher authorities including Mr.Michael McAlister the Deputy Director from South West College, Ireland visited our University and had discussion with our President of the University Council about Zambia e-Learning Project.
- On 14th of May we commenced registration for Pre University Fast track students. 67 students were registered in the Fast track. So the total strength of our students is 532. The Orientation programme for the Fast track students was held on 24th Thursday. Dr. V.Krishnan the new Vice Chancellor spoke to the students about the importance of hard work, discipline which is the life blood of prosperous life of an individual, and PUC is the spring board to success for higher

Education.

- We have conducted the Semester Exams for all our UG Students and the schedule for Paper Evaluation will commence on 30th May onwards.
- On 26th May, the V.C., the Registrar accompanied by Sr. S.Chinnammal visited the New University building and inspected the progress.

New Campus – Latest development

Orientation Programme



ST., JOSEPH COLLEGE OF INFORMATION TECHONOLOGY-SONGEA

Director Visit:

- 1. Dr.T.X.A.Ananth, Director –International operation, Mr.N.Ressal Raj, Vice-Principal-Academic-DSM and Mr. Noel visited SJCIT campus on 24 .04.2012.
- 2. They have conducted the meeting for the Girls student and staff members.
- 3. They have discussed about the new time table of the college since Agriculture College is going to be launched soon.





Official Visit:

- 1. Most Rev Norbert Mtega, the Arch bishop of Songea visited our college along with Most. Rev.Bhisop Thaddurr the Arch bishop of DSM and professor. Donatus Komba.
- 2. Sr.Jaculine explained about the college strength, facilities of the computer lab and advantages of the Digital library. They also met the some of the students and staff members. They expressed that the campus visit was excellent.

Examination:

- 1. Second CAT exam was conducted for Second semester diploma on 30.04.2012.
- 2. First CAT exam was held for second semester degree students on 11.05.2012.
- 3. First CAT exam was conducted for fourth semester Degree students on 23.04.2012.

The job of an educator is to teach students to see vitality in themselves. ~Joseph Campbell

Bridge course:

- 1. The registration for diploma started from 7th May 2012. 33 students registered so far and 30 students were attending the bridge course from 10th May 2012.
- 2. Bridge course students attending the class like mathematics, Physics and Communication Skills. Except the mathematics other subjects have been taken by the part time staff.





IPTR Visit:

- 1. Mr.Arul Prasath and Mr.Dues had gone for the IPTR visit in Songea teacher training college. As per the plan they went and conducted the meeting with our students and their supervisor Mr.lusius Julius mlowe also conducted viva voice for 9 students and verified their all forms and diary.
- 2. IPTR presentation had been organized for the fourth Diploma students.





Prayer Club:

Spiritual motivation has been given to the students through the prayer club. Now a days they themselves started to organize prayer services and giving more time for the spiritual activities.





Foot Ball Match:

We conducted a friendly foot ball match among the first year students like class A and Class B .they have played energetically and proved their union through this match.





TAIFA FOUNDATION SECONDARY SCHOOL

"You are great if you know your faults, greater if you can correct them and greatest if you accept and love others with their faults"

PARENTS OPEN DAY





On 04.05.2012 We had parents open day for Forms-I & III, 90% of the parents participated and we had Agenda like Shifting the school, Academic performance, there after Headmaster read the previous meeting report also he invited Discipline master to speak about the discipline of the students in the campus after listening to the school, parents clarified their doubts.

INDUSTRIAL VISIT

On 10.5.12 our Form-II students visited the Airport to have their real practical experience on their subject Geography.

QUIZ COMPETITION

We got an invitation from Jogoo FM for a live program, our students from Form-IV Daniel and Lillian participated in the live program, Jogoo FM Radio conducted quiz competition

MEETING

We had staff meeting in order to discuss about the transport and food facility for the students, we decided to arrange some supplier for selling the food. Also we made new timetable.

On 22.05.12 Sr. Deepa attended the meeting in centenary hall conducted for all the diocesan institutions.

On 24.05.12 Sr. Maithili attended meeting in centenary hall conducted for all the diocese institutions, organized by Bishop, during this meeting they introduced an Association(TACASA Tanzania Catholic

School Association) for the diocese institutions from Songea, Mtwara, Lindi, Mbinga, Njombe and Mbeya,

MONTHLY TEST



1. Students from all forms I-IV had their monthly test

SPORTS AND DEBATE



 Our students had debate competition with TAASISI SEC SCHOOL, the topic was "MULTIPARTY SYSTEM IS BETTER THAN MONO PARTY SYSTEM"



1. Students performed music and dance in between of the debate session; both the school students participated actively.



1. Friendly Football match with TASISI SEC SCHOOL, all students participated as well as staff from both schools participated in order to encourage the students.

EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

We had Eucharistic celebration for the students together with centenary school students. Rev.Fr.Steven celebrated the mass.



MESSAGES FOR NEWS LETTER FROM DMI-SJBU, MALAWI.

- Registration for the Bridge course was held on 9th and 10th of May for 2012 intake. There were 36 students who registered their names for the bridge course. Classes were commenced on 11th May and they were oriented with the rules and regulations of the University.
- 60 students of Pre-University whose attendance have fallen below 85% made up their attendance by sitting in the library and finally hey appeared for their final semester examinations. Some of the students were appearing for their supplementary exams that were not eligible in the first semester.
- The Pre University students completed their final exams on 22nd and they left on 23rd
 May from the hostels.
- Carmelites Sisters from Dedza have visited our University on 13th Sunday of this month.
- Sisters of Carmelites visit to our university.



Education is the process of driving a set of prejudices down your throats. ~Martin H. Fischer

DMI- ST.EUGENE UNIVERSITY, CHIPATA, ZAMBIA

We started our academic calendar by 30th April 2012 after the orientation classes. As per the schedule classes are going on well. In Our administration team, we are two sisters and two fathers working.

Administration Team



The Staff in the campus:



Mrs.JERE, the Education Minister visited our college and gave the motivation talk to all the students. It impressed all the students very much.



- We conducted the CAT-I examination from 21st April 2012 to 26th April 2012
- We have initiated the sports activities and formed the team for various games like football, volley Ball and etc...
- The total strength of the college now is 87 including degree and diploma.

I promise myself

To be so strong that nothing can disturb my peace of mind.

To talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person I meet.

To make all my friends feel that there is something worthwhile in them.

To look at the sunny side of everything and make my optimism come true.

To think only of the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best.

To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as I am about my own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful expression at all times and give a smile to every living creature I meet.

To give so much time to improving myself that I have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

To think well of myself and to proclaim this fact to the world, not in loud words, but in great deeds.

To live in the faith that the whole world is on my side, so long as I am true to the best that is in me.

CHRISTIAN D. LARSON