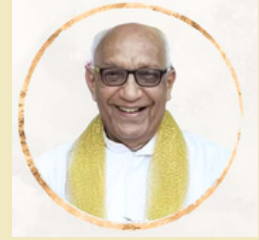




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## IN MEMORY OF



**REV. FR. THOMAS PANICKARUPARAMBIL TOR**  
( FORMER PRESIDENT, MOUNT ASSISI SCHOOL, BHAGALPUR )

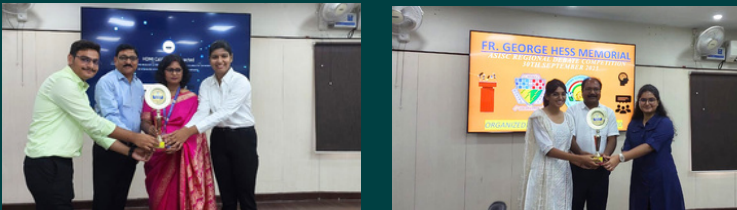
You can call him a legend. He was a man of great wisdom and knowledge, a fatherly figure and affection, a very good listener and an immense source of ideas and suggestions, young at heart and made friendship with all age groups and people. He was seen always with a cheerful and radiant smile. Rev. Fr. Thomas was a priest of principles and hard work. Even at the age of 90, he was actively involved in all activities, including agriculture and gardening. He had a cardiac arrest on 09th September 2023 and was immediately taken to the hospital. Thereafter, he was showing signs of improvement and was ready to get discharged on 16th September 2023 from the hospital when he had a massive cardiac arrest and with that he breathed his last at Pulse Hospital, Bhagalpur. The funeral, on 18th September 2023 at Gokhla, was attended by two Bishops –Bhagalpur and Dumka, a large crowd of friars and priests, sisters, teachers, believers and well wishers. Dear Father, Rest in Peace and intercede for us.

## TEACHERS' DAY



The nation builders, the mentors, the pathfinders – the teachers of Mount Assisi – were honoured by the students on 5th September this year as usual to express their gratitude, love and admiration towards their beloved teachers. The school auditorium was filled with good vibes and the teachers were cordially welcomed by the students. They arranged a plethora of cultural events to remind themselves of the role of teachers in their life and future. The whole program was looked after by the students of classes X, XI and XII. A big salute to the program coordinators, prefects and class monitors for the pain they have taken.

## ASSISI DOMINATES IN THE REGIONAL QUIZ AND DEBATE



Bhagalpur Zone won the Regional Quiz and Debate competitions held at Sacred Heart, Hulhundu, Ranchi on 22nd September 2023 and at St. Xavier's Bokaro on 30th September 2023 respectively. The two-member school quiz team, Aashi Sinha of XII Humanities and Aadity Setu of XI Science, representing the Bhagalpur Zone, emerged as the winners. In the Junior Category Debate, Master Kushagra, X E, shared gold with Kumari Soumya of Ursuline School, Purnea. In the Senior Category debate, Arya Vatsa and Aditi Bhardwaj of XII humanities won gold. They are now qualified for the national level debate competition that will be held in November 2023.

## DOLVEE ARYA



Saying goodbye is not forever, but if God's calling you away, we have no right to make you stay.

With a troubled heart and a trembling hand I am enjoined to write here about my dear student, Dolvee Arya who is no more with us but her presence lingers in the shadows. Dolvee was one of the sweetest blossoms of the Assisi family. Her smile was beautiful and sweet as she was. She was the only child of her loving parents. She was her daddy's little princess and her mother's pride. Dolvee was one of my students still learning to write her class works on time. She was the one with whom I interacted the most while I used to teach in the class as it had been my daily ritual to knock her to note down the class assignments.

She has left us now but her memories are still fresh. When I see her name in the attendance register it really gives me heartache and brings flashback of memories. Her empty place in the classroom, her handwritten books and her projects remind me of her innocent smile which sparkled on her face.

Jesus said 'Let little children come to me.' We firmly believe that Dolvee is in the company of saints and angels. Let her soul rest in peace.

Let her soul intercede for the Assisi family.

We miss you dear, Dolvee.

Class Teacher  
Monica Rashi

# CISCE REGIONAL VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT 2023



First time after Corona pandemic, Mount Assisi School, Bhagalpur hosted the CISCE Regional Volleyball Tournament 2023 for Bihar Jharkhand Region junior and senior boys and girls on 15 and 16 September 2023 at the Ranitalab Campus.

The two days event was inaugurated by Sri Anand Kumar IPS, the SSP Bhagalpur. The SSP was received at the school gate on NH80 and was escorted to the school ground. The NCC cadets escorted him to the western end of the ground and from there the girls' band took him to the school auditorium where the SSP and other distinguished guests, referees, coaches and managers and players were welcomed.

The humid and hot weather conditions of these two days could not stop the players from showing their vigour. The matches were held in four courts simultaneously. There were teams from Deoghar, Dhanbad, Jamshedpur, Patna, Ranchi and Bhagalpur Zones.

## Category

U17 Girls  
U19 Girls  
U17 Boys  
U19 Boys

## Winner

Bhagalpur Zone  
Bhagalpur Zone  
Ranchi Zone  
Ranchi Zone

## Runner Up

Ranchi Zone  
Dhanbad Zone  
Dhanbad Zone  
Dhanbad Zone

The closing ceremony was presided over by the DYSP of Bhagalpur, Dr. Kumar Gaurav. The chief guest was escorted by the NCC and the boy's band to the stage. In his message the chief guest emphasised that winning is not the primary thing but participation with real sportsman spirit. Also he specially mentioned the commitment and excellence of Rev. Fr. Kurian Thrikkodanmelil TOR, The Principal, Mount Assisi, Bhagalpur for the wonderful arrangements made for the event.

The DYSP gave away the prizes and officially lowered the CISCE flag to mark the end of the event.

# ASSISI HOSTS CISCE ZONAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 2023



The CISCE Zonal Basketball tournament for boys was held at Mount Assisi School, Ranitalab campus on 2nd September, 2023. The event was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Kurian Thrikkodanmelil TOR, the Principal, Mount Assisi School, Bhagalpur.

The following schools bagged the prizes:

U17 Boys: St Joseph's School, Bhagalpur – Winner  
U19 Boys: St Joseph's School, Bhagalpur – Winner

Holy Family School, Bhagalpur – First Runner UP  
St Xavier's School, Sahibganj – First Runner UP

The winners and runners up were felicitated and awarded by the Principal, Mount Assisi School, Bhagalpur.

# TEACHER'S SEMINAR



Mount Assisi takes extra care to keep its teachers updated with the changing trends. Considering the idea, healthy mind-healthy body, the school management organised a seminar on 30th September 2023 to help the teachers with health tips to keep them fit and fine.

The resource person was Dr. Vikram Singh, the Head of the Department of Physical Education, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi. The teachers were guided in the areas of daily exercise and diet.