



NIRMALA COLLEGE MUVATTUPUZHA

Re-Accredited by NAAC with A++ Grade (CGPA 3.73)

BISHOP MAR MATHEW POTHANAMUZZHI MEMORIAL LECTURE

On

ROLE OF TEACHERS IN SUSTAINABLE
INSTITUTION BUILDING

By

Dr. JOSEPH I. INJODEY

TIME: 02.00 p.m. DECEMBER 21, 2021

VENUE: MCA AUDITORIUM

Dear Sir/ Madam,

We have great pleasure to inform you that the eighth lecture of the prestigious Bishop Mar Mathew Pothanamuzhi Memorial lecture series will be held in the MCA auditorium at 02.00 p.m. on Tuesday December 21, 2021. **Dr. JOSEPH I. INJODEY** has kindly consented to deliver the lecture on **Role of Teachers in Sustainable Institution Building**.

We cordially invite you to the function.

Dr. Sony Kuriakose
Dr. Nibu Thomson
Co-ordinators

Dr. Thomas K.V.
Principal

MEMORIAL LECTURE PROGRAMME

Prayer

Welcome

Dr. Thomas K.V. Principal

Introductory Message

Rev. Dr. Thomas Mathew Pothanamuzhi

Former Principal, St. Aloysius College, Edathua &
Former faculty, Department of English, Nirmala College Muvattupuzha

Presidential Address

Msgr. Rev. Dr. Pius Malekandathil. Manager

Memorial Lecture

Dr. JOSEPH I. INJODEY

Former Executive Director, Rajagiri Centre for Business Studies

Vote of Thanks

Dr. Sony Kuriakose, IQAC Coordinator

BISHOP MAR MATHEW POTHANAMUZZHI (1903-1982)

Mar Mathew Pothanamuzhi was the first Bishop of the Diocese of Kothamangalam. He was born on 22 December 1903 and was ordained as bishop on 18 November 1956. Under his patronage, Nirmala College soared to new heights in the field of higher education. After two decades of selfless service, he retired on 24 April 1977 and was called to eternal rest on 6 February 1982.

BISHOP MAR MATHEW POTHANAMUZZHI MEMORIAL LECTURE

The prestigious Bishop Mar Mathew Memorial Lecture series is held every year since its inception in 2011. It was instituted by Rev. Dr. Thomas Mathew Pothanamuzhi, former Principal, St. Aloysius College, Edathua and former faculty, Department of English Nirmala College Muvattupuzha, in loving memory of Bishop Mar Mathew Pothanamuzhi.



Dr. Joseph I. Injodey

Dr. Joseph I. Injodey is the former Executive Director of Rajagiri School of Business and has also served as the Principal of the Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (RCSS) from 2002-2015. He is a Post Graduate in Social Work from Loyola College, Chennai and received his PhD from Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam. He has 30 years of teaching experience at the postgraduate level in Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. He has widely travelled and has been a visiting international scholar at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan State, USA. He has led many accreditation teams of UGC NAAC to various institutions. An accomplished trainer, he has offered various training programmes both in India and abroad. His areas of interest are mentoring, counselling and employee resourcing.



ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Nirmala College, Muvattupuzha was founded in 1953 and it has now become one of the premier educational institutions in India with more than 3000 students and 136 faculty members. It is a Minority Christian institution governed and managed by the Corporate Educational Agency, Syrian Catholic Diocese of Kothamangalam, Kerala. The college is known for its high academic standards, and the students bag university ranks on a continuous basis. The college is reaccredited by NAAC **with A++ grade (CGPA 3.73)** in the fourth cycle of accreditation in 2021. The college was ranked on the 91st position in the NIRF rankings 2017 by the Ministry of Education, Government of India and is also bestowed with the prestigious **'Star College' status by the DBT, government of India**. All Science departments of the college are supported by the DST FIST scheme.

The college offers **17 Undergraduate programmes, 14 Postgraduate programmes and One Integrated Postgraduate programme**. In addition to this, the college also offers **Ph.D. programmes in seven disciplines**.

The campus is adorned with lush greenery and is located in the naturally blessed Nirmala hills which is spread over nearly 53 acres of land with state of art facilities for a constructive learning experience. Around 1.175 acres of land are set apart for the greening efforts like botanical garden, herbal garden, spices garden, bio-diversity garden, vegetable garden, mushroom house etc. Such initiatives of the college were reflected in the **Swachh Campus Report of MHRD in 2019**.