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Dear Bishops, Youth Directors, Coordinators and Youth Office Bearers,

1. New Regional Secretary for Karnataka Regional Youth Commission

Karnataka Regional Catholic Bishop's Council (KRCBC) President Most Rev. Bernard Moras appointed Rev. Fr. Jacob Anil D'Sa, SDB, as a KRCBC-Youth Commission Secretary. Fr. Jacob Anil D'Sa, was working as the Bosco Youth Secretary of the Karnataka Region. He will take charge of the office from 13th May, 2017. We wish him all the best and we will promise our cooperation.

2. ICYM Regional Executive Committee meeting

Karnataka ICYM REXCO meeting held on 12th March, 2017 at Regional Youth Office Bangalore. Evaluation of the National Youth Convention 2017 took place. There after discussed about the next council and had half day picnic for REXCO and ABIDE members those who were helpful in the convention.

3. Regional KRYC Council

Karnataka Regional youth Commission Council will be held on Saturday 13th May, 2017, at KROSS, Bangalore. Main agenda of the council is welcoming the new Regional Director and future programmes will be discussed. We have to discuss about next three years (2018-2020) Regional Youth Commission Pastoral plans. **(Council members from the diocese are; Director, Lady Animator, ICYM Diocesan President, Female Representative and Male Representative of the Diocese).**

4. YCS/YSM National 2nd Convention

The main intention of organizing YCS/YSM convention is to give a wider publicity and visibility to YCS/YSM and the good that this movement does for exposure to the members of the movement and to have a serious session on the direction and strategies to be followed in the coming years. These 3 days will be a programme of serious deliberations and a celebration of fellowship of humanity. Gulbarga, Mangalore, Shimoga and Udupi Diocese already sent their participants list. We request other Diocesan to send participants details to the National and Regional office.

The Convention will be in Don Bosco School, park Circus, Kolkata. We request all the members to reach the venue on 21st May, 2017 evening as we begin the programme on 22nd morning. Eucharistic celebration and closing ceremony will take place on 25th evening. Departure will be 26th May, 2017.

5. 25th Chaplains' & Animators' Training C.A.T. 2017

The CBCI Council for Youth is happy to announce the 25th training CAT 2017 for new Diocesan/Regional Youth Directors and Animators. The 10-day course is aimed at helping the new Directors and Animators to motivate the youth to be "touched by Jesus, walking His way" and to prepare to tomorrow's leaders today! The CAT Program is well planned and effectively organized to equip the Youth Directors and Animators with the necessary knowledge and skills to be effective and fruitful in their youth ministry. It is open to dioceses, the religious congregations and the laity youth animators who are involved in animating youth.

Please check your email for registration form and for other details.



The following are the details:

Dates: June 1 (09.00 a.m.) to June10 (01.00 p.m.), 2017

Venue: KROSS (Karnataka Regional Pastoral Centre)
58/6, 2nd Cross, Da Costa Layout, (Near old ITC factory),
Wheeler Road Extension, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560 084,

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6. Asian Youth Day (AYD)

AYD is a Catholic youth summit in Asian region. The event is held in every three years and attended by more than two thousand Catholic youth from various countries in Asia. The spirit of evangelization is built through many activities in this event. AYD was initiated by the advisor of Catholic Youth of Asia and approved by the Federation of Asian Bishops' Conferences (FABC) under the Youth Desk of Laity and Family Office. The 7th AYD will be held in Semarang Diocese in Indonesia in 2017, particularly in Yogyakarta city from July 30 – August 6, 2017.

Date of Departure from Delhi: July 29, 2017

Date of Arrival back to Delhi: August 8, 2017

The theme is "Joyful Asian Youth! Living the Gospel in Multicultural Asia"

We have only 100 seats available. So, the registrations will be on first come first serve basis.

Total cost of the package is Rs. 55000/-

The delegate needs to register his/her name by paying the initial amount of Rs. 20,000/- which is not refundable. This first instalment must be paid to the ICYM National Office through cheque/DD/NEFT/RTGS latest by March 31, 2017

Make your cheques and DD in favour of

M/s. ASIAN YOUTH DAY

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Further communications will be sent to you from aydindia17@gmail.com

7. The new Secretary for CCBI Youth Commission

The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India (CCBI) appointed Fr. Chetan Machado as an Executive Secretary of National Youth Commission. Fr. Chetan is from Diocese of Delhi. He has working experience as a Diocesan Youth Director and Regional Youth Director, last year he was appointed as a National YCS/YSM chaplain. We wish him all the best and promise our cooperation. We take this opportunity to thank Rev Fr. Elias Moses, OFM for his selfless phenomenal service to put in order the CCBI –Youth Commission.

8. The draft copy of ILCYM constitution

We requested to all Diocesan Youth Directors (Secretaries) to study the draft copy of ILCYM constitution. Kindly make your contribution by suggesting and changes. ILCYM is the youth movement of CCBI Conference and will function in all Latin dioceses. All the parish youth groups in our Latin dioceses will be named 'ILCYM'. This was approved by CCBI standing committee and the constitution was presented to CCBI Conference. Kindly give your input. The draft is sent through email please check your email.

9. Animators and Chaplains Training' (ACT)

There will be a training programme for all DYD's (new appointments and others and animators) in the month of July 2017 in Delhi by CCBI Youth commission. Details will be sent to you once the venue in Delhi and dates are confirmed. Along with this, there will be a meeting of all Regional Secretaries and Diocesan Secretaries to discuss, plan and prepare an action plan for CCBI Youth Commission. This programme is 'Animators and Chaplains Training' (ACT).

10. The World Youth Parliament (WYP)

WYP has the specific mission of augmenting the commitment of each young person, along with the commitment of other young people of all creeds, races and countries, while defending the noblest ideals, including peace, life, unity and love. The members of the World Youth Parliament believe that the importance and the number of values they share are worthier than the differences among them. Therefore every effort to promote communication, dialogue, and understanding about those values builds unity and harmony among young people and it will always bear fruit.

Dates: From Aug 6th to Aug 11th 2017

- Aug 6th : Arrival
- Aug 7th-10th: WYP Sessions and touristic visits
- Aug 11th : Departure
- Place: Fltrp International Convention Centre (Beijing, China)
- Lucheng, Daxing District, Beijing 102612, China, <http://www.wyshyzyx.com/>
- Registration Fee: 1000 ¥ (yuan) per participant

Include:

- Food (from the dinner of Aug 6th till the breakfast of Aug 11th)
- Accommodation (5 nights)
- Touristic visits
- KIT
- Transfer to the airport

Age of the participants: 18-35 years old

For further information, please contact: indianoffice@identeyouth.org

Think it over...

"Two things are very difficult in life...HELLO for the First time to an unknown person... GOOD BYE for the last time to whom you really love..."



All we got to do is follow Christ, for in Christ will all our queries are solved. Have a Blessed and Meaningful Easter.

With kind regards and prayers

Sincerely Yours,

Fr. Mari Joseph
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