STAFF ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Activity Name	Staff Enrichment Program
Date of Activity	14 June 2025
Mode of Conduct	Offline
Time	09.30 – 02.30pm
Participants	Faculty Members : 50
Description	The Staff Enrichment Program held on June 14, 2025, was a memorable and intellectually stimulating experience for all the staff members of Auxilium College of Arts and Science for Women and Auxilium College of Education. The session was conducted by Rev. Fr. Dr. Alphose Lazar, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, Sacred Heart College, Thiruparrur - a renowned academician, spiritual guide, and social thinker, whose vast experience and profound insights made the program deeply impactful. The event began with a short prayer, setting a reflective tone for the day, followed by a warm welcome and a formal introduction of Rev. Fr. Dr. Alphose Lazar. His notable contributions in the fields of education, spirituality, and leadership training were highlighted, underscoring the value he brings to staff development and personal enrichment. To honour him, Sr. Soosai Magnificat, Secretary of the College, and Sr. Sebasti Jeya Pushpam, Principal of the College, felicitated him with heartfelt appreciation. The session was highly interactive and thought-provoking, engaging the staff through meaningful discussions and participatory activities. Rev. Fr. Dr. Alphose Lazar spoke about the essential need for inner renewal and self-reflection in today's fast-paced educational environment. He reminded educators of their pivotal role not only in shaping minds but also in nurturing hearts and building strong character. He emphasized that a teacher is a true nation-builder who must possess a good heart, a noble mind, and a clear vision to guide students into becoming responsible citizens. He also introduced the timeless educational principle of "Reason, Religion, and Loving Kindness," highlighting that education should always be imparted with genuine care, compassion, and understanding. To further inspire personal growth, he discussed Maslow's Theory of Self-Actualization, encouraging staff to help every student strive to become a self-

	fulfilled and well-rounded individual. The program concluded with an expression of heartfelt gratitude by Prof. Amali from the College of Education, who delivered the vote of thanks. She acknowledged Rev. Fr. Dr. Alphose Lazar for his inspiring and motivating session and appreciated the collective effort of everyone who contributed to the success of the event. Overall, the session proved to be an enlightening and enriching experience, offering staff members valuable insights for professional growth, personal reflection, and spiritual rejuvenation. It reinforced the significance of nurturing a compassionate educational environment where teachers grow alongside their students-as guides, mentors, and role models.
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