

# CHRISTO JYOTI EDUCATION SOCIETY

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The inauguration of the new academic year of Khristo Jyoti Mohavidyaloyo (KJM), the institute managed by Christo Jyoti Education Society was on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2017. After the annual retreat of five days, on 19<sup>th</sup> June the second, third and fourth year degree students had regular classes and academic programme. On 18<sup>th</sup> June 2017, the first year B.Th degree students went to Puri to have exposure programme and classes on Historico-religious study of Odisha. Dr. Ajay Sabhasundar and Fr. Joshy George accompanied the students as guides. The students participated in Ratha Jatra on 25<sup>th</sup> June 2017 and had classes on the history, feasts, art and architecture of Odisha from different resource persons. They also visited Brahmakumaries, Ramakrishna Mission, Hariharanand Mission, Ishopanathi Ashram, Karunalaya Leprosy Hospital, and other places of importance in Puri. They came back to KJM on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2017. From 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2017 they had regular classes at KJM. On 15<sup>th</sup> August 2017 staff and students celebrated Independence Day. Mrs. Santoshini Das was the Chief Guest.

On 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2017, KJM celebrated Gandhi Jayanti in the auditorium of KJM with children of neighbouring villages. The third year degree students had Ashram experience at Matridham Ashram Varanasi from 16<sup>th</sup> October to 28<sup>th</sup> October 2017. Dr. Jesuraj Rayappan accompanied the students as guide. From 30<sup>th</sup> October to 1<sup>st</sup> November 2017, KJM celebrated family feast. The theme was “one heart and many faces.”

A three day seminar from 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> November was organized by KJM on the topic “Dalit Empowerment – An Ethical Imperative for a Just Society.” 119 participants including the staff and students of KJM actively participated in the seminar. On 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018, KJM organized sports for children of neighbouring villages. About 800 children from 12 villages participated in the sports programme. In the morning Mr. Durga Prasad Das hoisted the national flag. In the afternoon Dr. Smt. Ananya Anasuya Naik, Director of Amrishi Patel ITI