

INVITATION TO THE XII SOUTHERN JESUIT ALUMNI/AE CONGRESS

27TH & 28TH DECEMBER, 2009

HOSTED BY JESUIT ALUMNI/AE ASSOCIATIONS

ST. JOSEPH'S, TRICHY – 620 002

Dear Alumni/ae,

Greetings from Jesuit Alumni/ae Associations, St Joseph's, Trichy!

We feel happy to inform you that the XII Southern Jesuit Alumni/ae Congress will be held at St Joseph's College, Trichy in December 27-28, 2009. **The Former President of India His Excellency Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam is expected to inaugurate the congress at 9.30 am on 27th December.** The valedictory function will be held at 12.00 noon on 28th December 2009.

The Theme:

“Towards Eco Restoration and Human Solidarity” is the theme of the Congress. We stand at a critical moment of Earth's history and we perceive more clearly than ever before that Mother Earth is groaning under the impact of environmental degradation. We also note with grave concern that Mother India is being subjected to the on slaught of communalism. Whether we are teachers, doctors, engineers, public servants, bureaucrats, entrepreneurs, industrialists, scientists, leaders of people and service organizations, we become victims to this evil.

The cry from the wounded Mother Earth caused by unprecedented environmental destruction through depletion of natural resources, desertification, global warming, pollution and widespread displacement of people caused by ill-conceived developmental initiatives is echoed across the universe (GC 35 D3/33). In fact, the very survival of the earth community is being endangered. This calls for urgent intervention with effective advocacy to restore the environment as the sacramental site of salvation. Also in today's global context of growing fundamentalist ideologies based on religion, the secular and pluralistic image of our own country is being tarnished with ever increasing virulence.

We, as Jesuit alumni/ae should not be mute and passive spectators to the environmental degradation and the violation of human rights in our country but act as a protest force raising our voices unitedly against such inhuman acts. We need to pledge and promote the culture of dialogue and reconciliation across various sections of our country, appreciating pluralism and thus build up a harmonious and equitable society which upholds the inalienable human rights and dignity of all.

We hope this congress will give us a good platform to look back and look ahead to ensure bright and a peaceful future by getting in touch with the ideals of nature and become proactive towards restoring nature and the human face. We hope this congress would ignite us to become the agents of social change.

Registration Fee

The Registration fee per delegate is Rs.300/- The amount may be sent by crossed Demand Draft drawn in favour of “Southern Jesuit Alumni/ae Congress” payable at Trichy. The account number is CD 1770, Indian Overseas Bank, Chinthamani Branch(1375), Trichy – 620 002

Accommodation

Jesuit Fathers will be provided accommodation in the college Jesuit residence and free accommodation will be provided to all the other delegates at the College Hostel. Our Hostels are modestly equipped with single rooms and common bathrooms. However, delegates wishing to stay in a hotel are requested to send us details of the category of the hotel they would prefer to stay in. Please see below the details and let us know your preference to serve you better.

Details of Accommodation: Free accommodation will be provided at the College Hostel.

Hotel Mayas
A/c Double occupancy Rs.1350/-
A/c Triple occupancy Rs.1650/- (Additional Person Rs.200/-)
Non A/c Rs.800/- Double Occupancy
Non A/c Rs.900/- Triple Occupancy (Additional Person Rs.150/-)

Hotel Chitra
A/c Double occupancy Rs.1350/-
A/c Triple occupancy Rs.1650/- (Additional Person Rs.200/-)
Non A/c Rs.800/- Double Occupancy
Non A/c Rs.900/- Triple Occupancy (Additional Person Rs.150/-)

Please send the filled in registration form along with registration fee. If you wish to stay in a hotel, one day's advance payment is required. Hence, please let us know your choice and help us in the effective organization of the congress. **We would be grateful to you for your response on or before 21 November 2009.**

IMPORTANT DATES:

* Last date for receipt of the filled in Application **21st NOVEMBER 2009**

* Tentative Program
27 December 2009

Inaugural Session : 09.30 am
Key note Session : 11.30 am
Panel Session : 02.30 pm
Cultural Programme : 06.30 pm

28 December 2009

Group Discussion : 09.30 am
Report by the Directors(Four Zones): 10.30 am
General Session : 11.15 am
Valedictory session : 12.00 noon

Looking forward to meeting you soon at Trichy

The Convener, XII Southern Jesuit Alumni/ae Congress

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For your kind information and help:

ARRIVAL AT TRICHY ON 26 TH PM & 27 TH AM			DEPARTURE FROM TRICHY ON 28 th		
TRAIN NO & NAME	FROM (Departure)	TO (Arrival)	TRAIN NO & NAME	FROM (Dep)	TO (Arrival)
2605 Pallavan Exp	Egmore (15.30)	Trichy (21.00)	6231 Mysore Exp	Trichy (20.35)	Bangalore(06.05)
2633 Kanyakumari Exp	Egmore (17.30)	Trichy (22.35)	6107 MS – Mangalore Exp	Trichy (05.00)	Mangalore(22.05)
2635 Vaigai Exp	Egmore (12.25)	Trichy (17.30)	6687 MDU Jammu Exp	Trichy (22.35)	Vijayawada(15.30)
6107 MS Mangalore Exp	Egmore (22.00)	Trichy (04.45)	6127 MS - Guruvayur Exp	Trichy (13.05)	Ernakulam (06.40)
6713 Rameswaram Exp	Egmore (17.00)	Trichy (22.25)	6865 Ernakulam Exp	Trichy (20.20)	Ernakulam(06.15)
6177 Rockfort Exp	Egmore (22.30)	Trichy (05.15)	6178 Rockfort Exp	Trichy (22.00)	Chennai (05.10)
6127 Guruvayur Exp	Egmore (07.25)	Trichy (13.00)	6108 MAQ – Chennai Exp	Trichy (22.20)	Chennai (05.30)
6232 Myladurai Exp	Bangalore (19.05)	Trichy (04.05)	2638 Pandian Exp	Trichy (23.35)	Chennai (05.45)
6108 MAQ-Chennai Exp	Mangalore (06.40)	Trichy (22.10)	6128 Guruvayur-Chennai Exp	Trichy (13.55)	Chennai (20.50)
6124 Ananthapuri Exp	Trivandrum (16.20)	Trichy (01.55)			
6128 Guruvayur Chennai Exp	Trivandrum (03.45)	Trichy (13.50)			
6866 Trichi Exp	Ernakulam (22.15)	Trichy (08.00)			

FEDERATION OF
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XII – SOUTHERN JESUIT ALUMNI/AE CONGRESS – 2009
ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI – 620 002, S.INDIA.

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME : Fr / Mr / Mrs / Ms

Name of the Alumni Association

Institution.....State

Address for Communication

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.....Pin Code

Ph: Mobile E-mail

Registration Fee : Rs.300/- per delegate and Rs.500/- with spouse

Name of the Spouse Mr/Mrs. Age

Particulars of amount paid Rs. (in words)

Name of the Bank D.D. No. Date

Please tick the relevant box (S)

Are you a Jesuit? Yes No Choice of food: Veg Non-veg

Choice of Accommodation

Accommodation for the Jesuits is being arranged at the College Jesuit Residence.

1. College Hostel []

2. Hotel Mayas / Chitra

a) Single (Non A/c) [] c) Double (A/c) []

b) Single (A/c) [] d) Triple (A/c) []

Arrival Date Time Train / Flight No.

Departure Date Time Train / Flight No.

Date:

SIGNATURE

* Photocopy of this form may be taken if necessary