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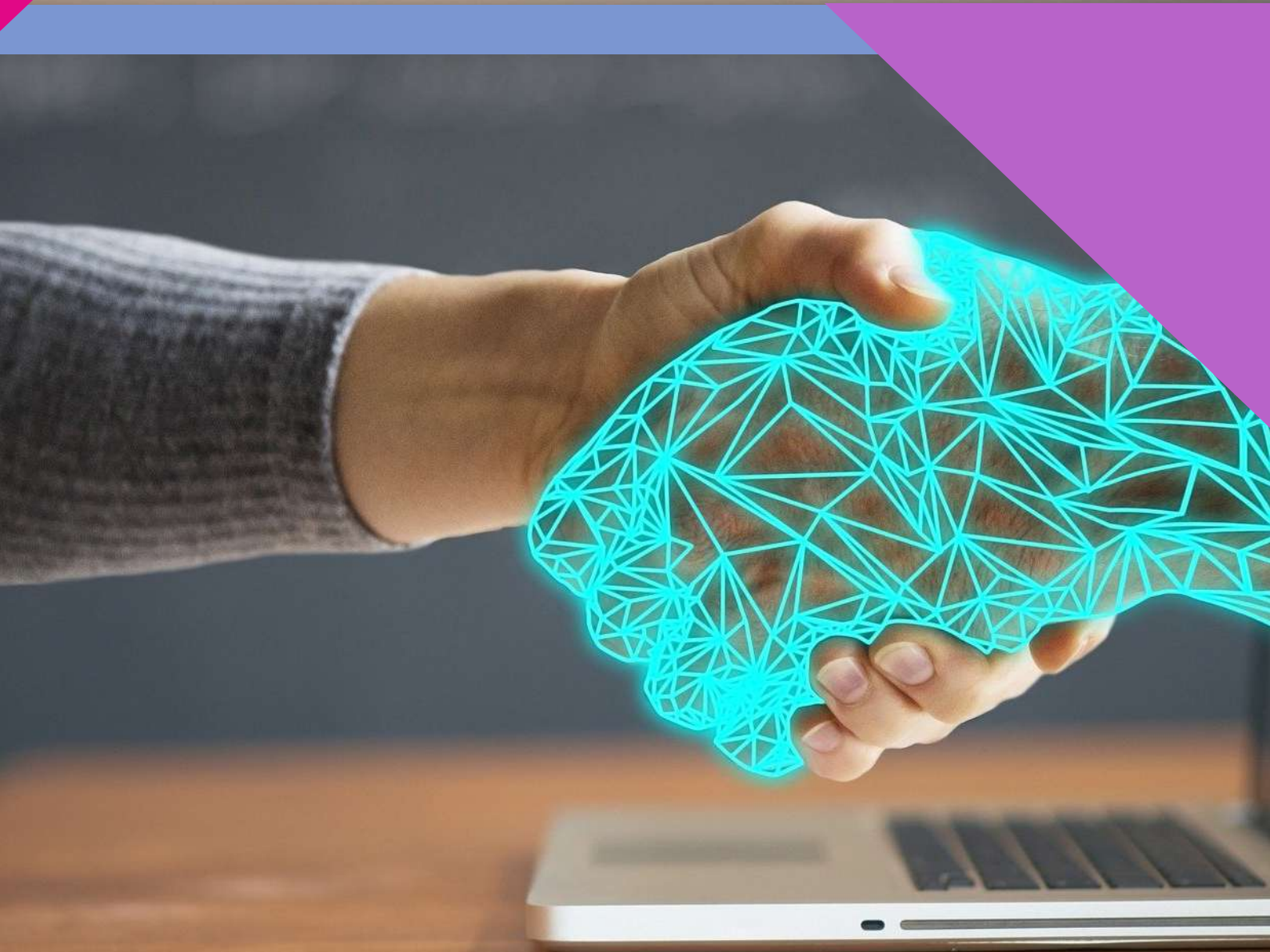
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**INNOVATIVE THINKING**

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



“Think different” is an advertising slogan used from 1997 to 2002 by Apple Computers. The ones who see things differently are not fond of rules and have no respect for the status quo. You can quote them, disagree with them, glorify or vilify them. But the only thing you cannot do is, ignore them. Because they change things. They push the human race forward. And while some may see them as the crazy ones, we see genius. Because the people who are crazy enough to think they can change the world, are the ones who do. Being different and thinking different makes a person unforgettable. Great minds do not think alike.

If we think of the creative thinkers in history like, **Thomas Alva Edison, Sir Isaac Newton, Walt Disney, Albert Einstein, Steve Jobs, Marie Curie, Leonardo Da Vinci**, etc., they destroyed the 'BOX' and thought outside the 'BOX'. Thomas Alva Edison had been expelled from his school as 'retarded' but he became the Lighthouse. Great creators do not necessarily have the deepest expertise but rather seek out the broadest perspectives.

God created us uniquely. Even the identical twins think differently. God has a plan and purpose for our life. God made us for a reason. We must realize that how much God loves us. We must understand that no two people have the same fingerprints, God wanted us to be uniquely different.

Yes, we have a role to play in this beautiful world. The world would be so plain if everyone were the same! Let us give ears to the divine plan.  
God Bless You!

Prof. Fr. Johnson  
Principal

## Remedial Classes Conducted

Barkatullah University declared the date for the final exams of B.Ed. first semester to be from 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 to February 17, 2022. It was after this declaration that remedial classes were conducted offline for B.Ed. first semester students on 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. The classes were attended by all the students of B.Ed. During the classes revision was done and then their queries were answered. The objective of the remedial classes was to solve all the doubts related to the subjects and to guide the students to write influential answers.

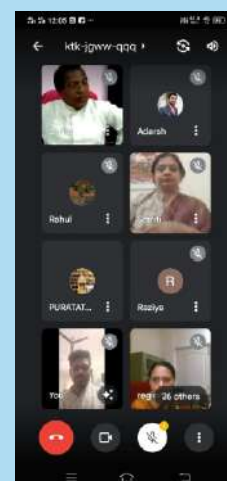
## Birthday Celebrations

Birthday of Mr. Adarsh Raushan, was celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2022. Mr. Adarsh Raushan is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Computers, who has been giving his services for last 3 years. Principal, Rev. Prof. Johnson, appreciated Mr. Adarsh for his contribution and untiring dedication to the college. A cake was then cut and was distributed along with other delicious snacks. Every one present extended warm heartfelt wishes to him.



## An Orientation Session by IGNOU

A special orientation session was organized by the management of IGNOU in collaboration with Christ College on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. The session was organized for all the students of B.A., B.Com. and B.Ed. classes. The purpose of the program was to orient students about the Certificate Courses offered by IGNOU which will develop the skills and help students in their professional growth. The session was given by Dr. Bini Toms, Regional Director, IGNOU, Dr. Subash Chandra Nayak, Assistant Regional Director, IGNOU and Ms. Smriti and Dr. Anshuman Upadhyay. Rev. Professor Johnson, Principal of Christ College, gave the welcome address and motivated students to take up certificate courses for their bright career. During the session, types and importance of certificate courses offered by IGNOU was discussed. In the end student's queries were satisfied. Respective links for joining the courses along with other details were also shared. It was attended by 40 students and staff.







## Obituary

Mr. Kuriakose, father of Rev. Fr. Dominic left for heavenly abode on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. He recently completed 100<sup>th</sup> birthday. Christ family extends heartfelt condolences, on the sudden loss, to the grieving family.

## University Examinations

Barkatullah University conducted exams for the students of B.Ed. First Semester, from 15th February, 2022 to 23rd February, 2022. The exams were offline. Students were allotted different colleges, as examination centers. After a long gap of two years, due to COVID spread, the students got an opportunity to give exams offline, thus creating a serious educational environment.

## Courtesy Visit

Retired Rev. Dr. Joseph Kollanparambil, Bishop of Jagdalpur and Rev. Fr. Thomas Vadakumkara, CMI Provincial of Jagdalpur made a friendly visit at Christ College Bhopal on 25th February, 2022.

They were impressed by the growth of the college which took place in a short span of time. They also appreciated the eco-friendly campus and beautifully decorated gardens. Rev. Prof. Johnson extended gratitude and mentioned, that their gracious presence has given the motivation to work further in the process of growth of the organization.



## A Feather in the Cap

Mr. Shivaji Rai qualified the UGC NET exam for the second time. The results were declared on 19th February, 2022. Mr. Shivaji Rai has been serving the institute for past two years. He has qualified NET in history and has been teaching the same. Rev. Prof. Johnson, Principal, congratulated him, on the achievement and appreciated for his efforts and services to the institution. His hard work will be very beneficial for the students and has brought laurels to the institution.



## Results Declared

Barkatullah University declared the result of B.Ed. Third Semester Examinations, on 22nd February, 2022. All the students of Christ College came out with flying colors

***Team Christ Congratulates All the Students !***

## Educating India : Innovative Teachers

India has a great tradition of attaching value to education, moulding young minds. We also have a culture of honouring our teachers and they have always been held in high respect. India has achieved rapid economics growth and development not just because of the investment in science and technology but more fundamentally in educating its masses. Every year, September 5 is celebrated as Teacher's Day to honour the gurus who shape the destiny of the nation by imparting knowledge, values and wisdom to the younger generation.

“Every day is different, every moment is different and no two classes or students are the same. When you keep thinking about that you become what you desire to be as a teacher.” On the other hand, a teacher who works like a machine fails to recognise the students in front of them and take them for granted.

The growth in Information Communication Technology (ICT) and the disruptions during pandemic helped bring out innovative mindset of teachers and school leadership to the forefront. Teacher has become performer on stage and he needs all the paraphernalia of the media. “Teachers are becoming like film directors, they have to decide what scene has to be shown first and what scene has to be cut into while teaching and add a bit of background music too. Teaching is becoming a total performance rather than a ritual lecturing. They need to tune their personality to be a performer rather than a mere person who just transmits information through a lecture.”

And indeed the ‘performers’ of the classroom drawn from such disciplines as physics, biology, art, computer science, social science, had one thing in common. They were ready to forego the tight boundaries of compartmentalized learning and go beyond the classroom to make their learning effective and engaging for students.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Teachers will be remembered for the activities they did outside with students that reinforces the learning inside the classroom.
- Teachers should be performers of the classroom where they need to integrate technology and other elements.
- Teachers should nurture the academic, mental and emotional quotient in children.
- Art integrated education helps in developing the 4 C's- Critical Thinking, Collaboration, Creativity and Communication.
- Use of more visual elements such as doodles, caricatures or cartoons can improve learning and behavioural outcomes.
- Teacher is not a sage on the stage. He or she must be friendly, democratic and consider students as equal.
- Breaking science into compartments fails to give a larger picture of how they complement each other.

*Augustin William  
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## March 2022

Date	Important Days
1	Maha Shivaratri
2	Employee Appreciation Day
3	World Wildlife Day
8	International Women's Day
15	World Consumer Rights Day
18	Holi
20	National Day of Happiness
21	World Poetry Day
22	World Water Day
27	World Theater Day