

## **ICYM**

**Place: Sneha sadan convent, Hubli**

**Date: 3/11/2016**

The youth of Hubli- Dharwad unit gathered at sneha sadan ,home for aged and orphans which is under the care of Mother Theresa Sisters to share and to celebrate joy.

The day began with the Eucharistic Celebration followed by cultural programme. The youth experienced the joy as they generously shared the meal with the inmates and celebrated common b'day of all those inmates. The Superior sr. Annie thanked the youth Director & all the youth. It was a rich experience for all those who were part of the programme.











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## **Youth-Missionaries of Mercy**

**Date: 6/11/2016**

**Place: Sevalaya, Dharwad**

Gathering of catholic youth from different parishes was a mega event in this year 2016-17 organised by the youth commission of Belgaum diocese. This enriching event helped many to reflect the theme ' Youth-Missionaries of Mercy' in the spirit of Mother Theresa who was a face of merciful God.

The day began with a beautiful prayer service which enlightened the hearts and minds of everyone to pray for the gifts of the Holy Spirit. The Advocate and Guide.

**“Good beginnings are not enough without perseverance”.**

The programme was well organized with sessions, Group dynamics, panel discussion, presentation, adoration, confession and the Eucharistic celebration.

Ice breaking session conducted by Fr Edward kept the youth active. Fr Tino beautifully presented his talk how we can make difference in the society with our values.

Youth were divided in to groups and were given an opportunity to express their queries after which the panel discussion was conducted to respond to their queries.

After the lunch there was a theme based presentation by each parish youth. Every group came forward with their beautiful message to perform and to show their unity with the heart & mind of Christ.

Thereafter Youth conducted a beautiful adoration followed by confession and Eucharistic celebration.

Rev. Bishop Peter Machado celebrated the Eucharist with a beautiful reflection addressing all the youth to give importance to spiritual part of life & to know the preciousness of life which is a gift of God to everyone to lead a meaningful life as we walk in the path of Christ.

With Joy in their hearts & smile on their faces all youth participated in this event & treasured every moment as they shared with one another.