

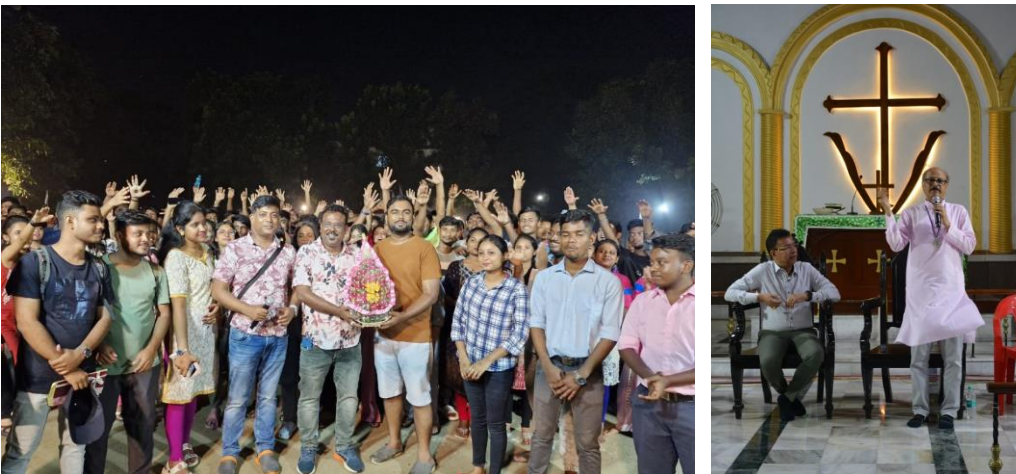
BARRACKPORE DIOCESAN REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2024

Women's Conference at Keorapukur Pastorate



A one-day women's conference was held under the management and initiative of Keorapukur Pastorate on 2nd October. The motto of this women's conference was - **Every wise woman buildeth her house: but the foolish plucketh it down with her hands.** (Proverbs 14:1). The program started with the chorus and welcome speech. Presbyter in charge Reverend Dipendu Pramanik and chief guest Bishop Subrata Chakrabarty were honoured on behalf of women representatives. Honourable Bishop gave a hearty sermon and all were spiritually satisfied. The conference ended in the afternoon.

DYFC Youth Olympiad & Festival



Youth Olympiad and Festival was held from 18-20 October under the direction and encouragement of Honourable Bishop Subrata Chakrabarty at Dum Dum St. Stephen's Church Compound. The Programme started auspiciously at 11 am. By lighting the lamp, dancing and singing. Honourable Bishop Subrata Chakrabarty

delivered the opening speech. He said in his speech that the youth to stay focused on their goals and move forward, and he is creating opportunities to increase the educational qualification of the youth. Then the chief guest Bishop Dr. Paritosh Canning gave a valuable speech to the youth delegates and instructed them to give importance to sports along with academic merit. Mr. HIRAK MANDAL (Rector Saint Stephen's School, Dum Dum) also delivered valuable speech. On the second day worship was conducted by Reverend Arabinda Mondal and attended by Reverend David Roy (President BDC), Shri Sukalyan Halder (Secretary BDC). The Lord's Supper was conducted by the honourable Bishop. A friendly football match was held between the youths of Calcutta Diocese and Barrackpore Diocese and Barrackpore Diocese won the match. The programme concluded by the award distribution ceremony. A total of 320 youth representatives were present.

All night prayer at Kachhrapara Pastorate



with the initiative and planning of the Honorable Bishop, song and prayer was held throughout the night at Emmanuel Church of Kachhrapara Pastorate on 30th-31st October. Honourable Bishop awakened all the Christians with spiritual advice. The program ends with the Lord's Supper.

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