

# Community Day and Pongal Celebration

The Community Day of Sacred Heart College, being one of the moments to remind us of the unity, spirit and solidarity that unites and keeps the Salesians, the Management, the staff and students as a joyful family, was fittingly celebrated on 11th January, 2020 to honour our beloved Rector, Rev.Dr. Antony Raj. It was fitting because it's the month of Pongal that reminds us of our Tamil Culture, being one of the ancient and unique cultures in the world.

The Day was brightened with the celebration of the Holy mass, led by Rev.Dr.C.Antonyraj, the Secretary. It was followed by the celebrations in the Kamarajar Arangam. Rev.Fr.Mani Lazar's prayer service and presentation was heart touching that left the audience pondering on the nature of humanity. Rev.Dr.D.Maria Antony Raj, the Principal, welcomed and felicitated the Secretary with his gracious words and heaped praises on the capacity of father at various levels. The occasion was further academically lit up by the releasing of online Journals: *Journal of Functional Materials and Biomecules* (Physics) headed by, Rev.Dr.G.Theophill Anand, the Vice Principal(Administration Shift-II) and *Biowings*, magazine by the Department of Biochemistry. It was followed by the releasing of *Sacred Heart Times*, the E-News Letter of the college. Dr.G.Mohan Gandhi, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, on behalf of the teaching faculty, best owed encomiums on the untiring service of Rev.Dr.C.Antonyraj. The Non-Teaching Staff sung a group folk song. The Salesian Community, to express their solidarity performed an action song. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Dr.S.Kalaiaarasi, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics.



