## Annual Report 2020-2022

The LORD is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him, and he helps me. My heart leaps for joy, and with my song I praise him. Psalm 28:7

I am indeed honored to have this opportunity to present the consistent upward graph of our school's achievements. I extend a warm and hearty welcome to you all. Thank you for being a significant part of this glorious journey.

The years 2020 to 2022 are marked with many events and success stories. Indeed it was made possible by the sacrifice, hard work and dedication of our staff, both teaching and non teaching staff and students. Almighty has done great things for me, Holy is His name, I bow before God the Almighty for His divine providence and protection. Keeping in mind the valuable suggestions of the members of management committee we stepped into the new academic years 2020-21, 22.

Today I gratefully remember our beloved Archbishop A.A.S. Durairaj SVD for his continuous support for this institution. It was really a heart throbbing experience that even during pandemic period; His grace was here to boost us in order that we must come of out this pandemic fear and phobia and he regularly motivated us to carry out our responsibilities in spite many challenges caused by Covid-19. Thank you dear bishopswamiji. At the same time we too are indebted to Mrs. Bharati Patel Madam, who catered education to number of our children starting from Khrist Niwas to P.G post in our institution. Her performance was outstanding and remarkable as she dispatched her responsibility very sincerely and honestly. Thank you dear Teacher.

At present the school has 2108 students on roll, 80 academic staff, 5 administrative staff and 6 multitasking staff. The year 2020 will always be remembered as the year that gave all of us plenty of opportunities amidst the challenges we had to face and one of such is that for the first time we have experienced the remote/virtual learning in our teaching career of this twenty first century, which is new and demanding.

<u>Academic Excellence</u>: Excellence in academics is the hallmark of any good institution. Consistency is the key to success. Hence, our students of 12<sup>th</sup> standard

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brought laurels to St. Theresa Hr Sec. School by achieving first rank in the district. Our top scorer in science stream was Shikha Tiwari who secured 95.4% and from commerce stream Pratham Kadwane with 97%. Apart from it sixteen students stood in merit list and the school was awarded with 100% results.

The Top scorer of class X Board examination was Shraddha Gupta who secured **97%.** In fact, as a sign of encouragement for the rest of our students, we took a step ahead this time to honor the toppers along with their parents; it was really an amazing experience. And seven of our students stood in merit list and thus the school obtained 100% results.

Back to learning: The school reopened after summer vacation for teachers on 10<sup>th</sup> June. The management & staff welcomed students on 16<sup>th</sup> August. Being the year of pandemic all teaching and activities were done on virtual mode. This session saw a switchover from regular classes in the school to online classes at home. As a result, education has changed its rhythm dramatically whereby teaching is being done through different digital platforms today. Teachers and students were regularly connected through zoom platform and whatsapp group and so on. Regular online classes are being conducted Google platform apart from this; videos are made by teachers themselves and were being sent to students who are unable to attend the classes. Interestingly, both students and teachers have adjusted themselves to the new ways of learning and teaching.

National & Religious Celebrations: To create awareness and interest for our culture and tradition, variety of celebrations were held on the occasion of both National and state festivals of different religions and observances of important days in the school. Such as Patroness's day, Manager's day Principal's day, Children's day, teacher's day, NCC day, Scout guide day, yoga divas, constitution day, Haryali day, M.P. foundation day, Hindi divas, urdu day, Diwali, Eid, Gurunank jayanti, Run for unity & sharing day, Gandhi jayanti, Aazadi Ka Amrit Mahotsava and Christmas are celebrated in a special way. We also participated in postcard abhiyan of our Prime Minister. It was a great opportunity provided by the DEO office to put up a program on the occasion of Republic Day as students were not

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coming to the school, so our teachers took great interest to perform a wonderful program in the stadium, which was appreciated by all.

<u>Trainings, Seminars & Orientation programs</u>: We have conducted number of seminars and orientation programs for our staff and students during these years. Such as

- The new Education Policy 2020 Mr. Harish and Team
- How to face the challenges of Pandemic covid-19 Most Rev. A.A.S.
   Durarairaj SVD
- Having a positive personality in our life career Rev. Fr. Alexander
- Discovering one's personality and class management Mr. Captain Jaison
- The pros and cons of having EPF and ESIC Mr. Dattraj Joshi
- Special attention to girls on hygiene Mrs. Revati Shelke
- Mandatory workshops conducted by CBSE agencies both regional and centre.

Our students of 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> have participated in debates of relevant topics organized by the police department. Apart from this our students took keen interest in National achievement survey exam conducted by government.

Regular teacher parent meet makes us to have good rapport and relationship with our parents and stakeholders.

At this juncture, we are proud to say that our teaching and non teaching staffs have been vaccinated 100%. Thanks be to God!

<u>Charity</u>: Pandemic compelled us to take extra miles for the poor and needy in the society. With the strong support of our manager Rev. Fr. John Victor distribution of kits containing grains and vegetables, food for 500 people during Covid-19 peak time, Bringing refugees, Caring for Covid patients by providing medicines were done with lot of zeal and enthusiasm. We the management honored the Covid volunteers especially Police department of Ganapati Naka to encourage them to be more committed in their service to humanity at this diffult times.

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"You become human only if you posses the human qualities" with this purpose of imparting values, social awareness, sense of co-operation and sharing what we have with others, Theresians observed the month of December as a Thanksgiving Month. Students contributed money and edible things to distribute to poor and needy during this month. They also collected clothes and blankets for the orphan children and those who could not afford. The Management had a great responsibility to find out such needy students and help be given to them. The School has adopted a compassionate and lenient vision towards the fee of our students. 15-20% of fee concession was given to each student in order to ease the financial constraints of our parents and even more percentage of concession was done for more deserving cases.

Christmas 2021 was a special day for Theresian family- A day with poor and being with the people of Rajiv Nagar in Burhanpur was an enriching program. Yet another charitable sign we have showed was that our staff visited the houses of Khatla village and distributed edibles and stationeries and prayed with them.

And as you know and see now that we have such spacious and well equipped hall used for various purposes one of the relevant and demanding purpose here at Burhanpur is that we care for HIV AIDS affected patients, Hence, we collaborate and cooperate with Vishwas Society run by Holy Spirit Sisters on every first Sunday of the month for such purposes.

<u>Eco Friendly campaign</u>: On the occasion of 75<sup>th</sup> Aazadi Ka Amrut Mahotsava (15<sup>th</sup> August) our students brought plants and planted in the school premises. We collaborated with Govt. officials in plantation campaign. In fact, we are striving to keep our campus green and eco friendly.

<u>Co-scholastic Activities</u>: To promote competence and to discover the hidden potentials of our student, they are encouraged to participate in various co curricular activities. We conducted Calligraphy, Fancy dress, Drawing and Painting, Extempore speech and Essay writing, Rakhi making, Mehandi designing, Best out of waste competition, Poster making, Rangoli and Card making etc.

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St. Theresa Hr. Sec. School Alamganj, Burhanpur-450331 (M.P.) Modern Technology: Our school is well equipped with 90 CCTV cameras, 27 smart class board and updated computer lab with new software's, E-library with subject wise record as well as other general knowledge books. The long awaited dream has been fulfilled by building up of our school boundary wall along with renovation of bio lab.

Never Skip App: Never skip app smoothens the communication with parents, students and teachers. Birthday wishes, home work and student absentees' record through messages were appreciated by parents. With the help of the app arrangement of question paper and mark entry becomes easy. Progress card preparation, online fee collection details, modules of transfer certificates and character certificates also become easier. During this pandemic period it was very useful to relate with parents and students.

<u>Conclusion</u>: "What sculpture is to a block of marble, education is to a human being". Says J. Anderson. Education is the ability to meet life situations.

Once again we thank all our stakeholders for your support and cooperation. The strenuous effort of our teachers has been bountifully blessed and we are thankful to them. To brief it, we thank the Almighty for His continuous protection over us on each day of our life.

With this I seek God's blessings for each one of us to keep accomplishing new heights of success. I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Rev. Fr. John Victor, our manager for his constant guidance and support at every step of our functioning. He has truly been the pillar of strength and our motivating force to be better day by day. I end our school report with this famous line by John Dewey "Arriving at one goal, is the starting point to another". Thanks to one and all. God bless.

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