



**St. Vincent College,
(Affiliated to Savtribai Phule Pune University)
Pune -411037**

Title of the Event	Feast of St. Vincent de Paul Patron Saint of St. Vincent College		
Date of the Event	27 th September	Place of the event	St. Vincent College
Objectives of the Event	To Teach the students about the legacy and the teachings of St. Vincent the Paul and inaugurate Relief Art of St. Vincent		
Name/s of the Resource Persons	Fr. Kenneth Misquitta SJ & Fr. Jesus Vivian Raja		

A short narration of the program

On 27th September 2024, St. Vincent College, a Jesuit institution, celebrated the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul, honoring the life and legacy of the patron saint of charity, compassion, and service. The event was organized to inspire students and staff to emulate St. Vincent's values of selfless service to the poor and marginalized. The celebration included a special address by the Director, a Holy Mass, and community service activities.

Highlights of the Event

1. Holy Mass

The day began with a Holy Mass in the college, led by Father Kenneth Misquitta SJ. The Mass was attended by students, faculty, and staff, marking the occasion with prayer and reflection. In his sermon, Fr. Kenneth Misquitta SJ emphasized the importance of faith, compassion, and service, drawing parallels between St. Vincent's mission and the values promoted by Jesuit education. The congregation prayed for peace, unity, and the strength to serve others selflessly, following the teachings of both St. Vincent de Paul and St. Ignatius of Loyola.

The choir, composed of students and faculty members, added to the spiritual atmosphere with hymns and liturgical songs, uplifting the spirit of the celebration.

2. Address by the Director

Following the Mass, Father Kenneth Misquitta SJ delivered a thought-provoking speech to the students, highlighting the life and teachings of St. Vincent de Paul. He reflected on St. Vincent's early life, transformation, and his deep commitment to serving the poor and vulnerable. The Director emphasized the saint's belief that true greatness lies in humble service and urged students to adopt compassion and empathy in their daily lives.

The Director also discussed the relevance of St. Vincent's values in the modern world, particularly in addressing issues like poverty, inequality, and social exclusion. He encouraged students to participate in acts of kindness and social outreach, reminding them of the Jesuit principle of becoming "men and women for others." The speech resonated with the students, motivating them to embody these values and make a difference in their communities.

3. Installation of Relief Art of St. Vincent De Paul



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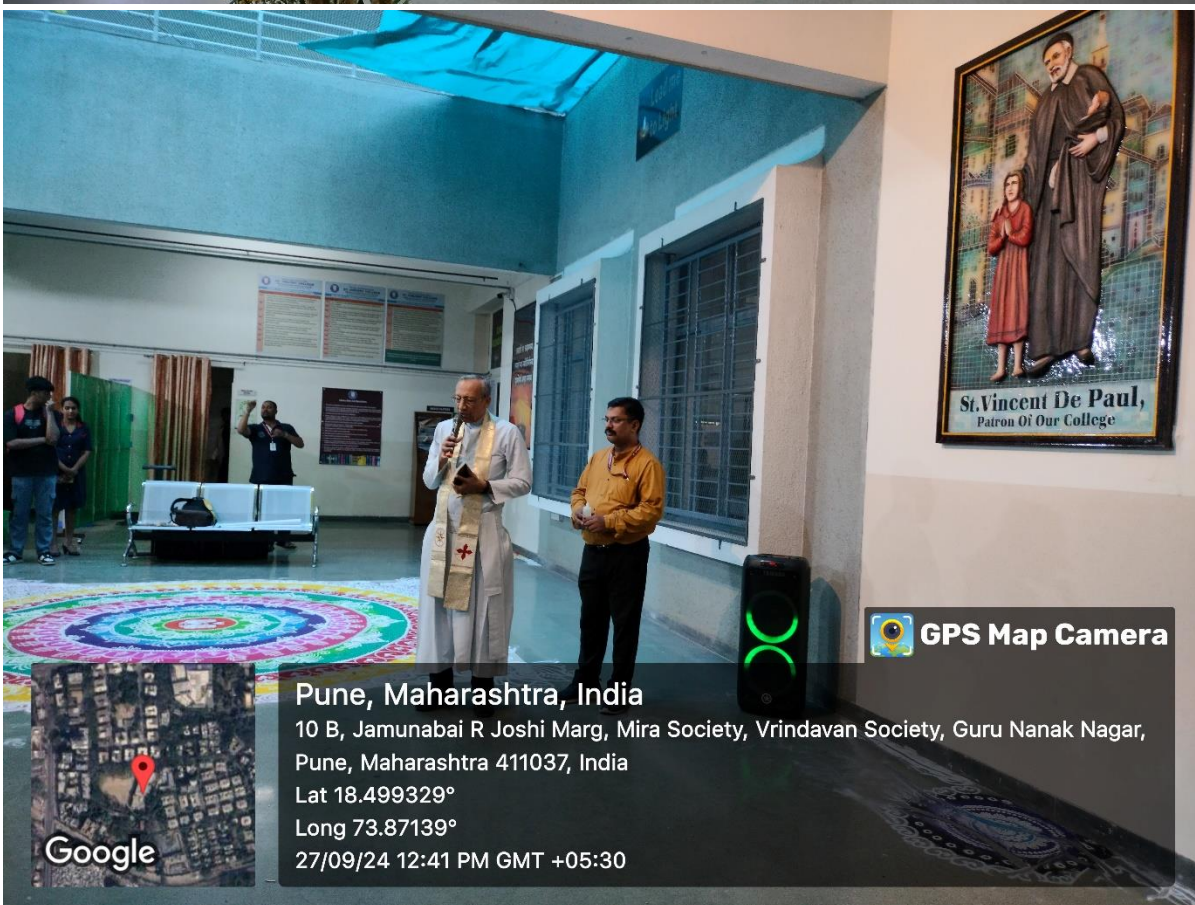
The address was followed by the installation of a relief art work depicting St. Vincent the Paul.

The event served as a reminder to students and faculty of the importance of serving others selflessly, especially those in need, in the true spirit of St. Vincent de Paul.

Name of the Collaborating Agency	St. Vincent College
Learning Outcomes of the Event for the Participants	Students learned about the legacy of St. Vincent
Learning Outcomes for the Organizing team	Students were successfully made aware of the teachings of St. Vincent de Paul and the ideals of the institution
Participants	Students of St. Vincent College.
Faculty in Charge	Dr. Anil Adsule (Principal)
Documents Attached	1. Photographs



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