

21ST ICLS SEMINAR

- in celebration of the Day of Consecrated Life 2025 -
on the theme:

CONSECRATED TO BE PILGRIMS OF HOPE ENSURING *DIGNITAS INFINITA* FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

(Reading the Document *Dignitas Infinita*
along the Theme of Jubilee 2025)



DATES
8-9 FEBRUARY 2025
(SATURDAY-SUNDAY)

VENUE
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**INSTITUTE OF CONSECRATED LIFE
SANYASA (ICLS), BENGALURU**



ICLS SEMINARS

Institute of Consecrated Life – Sanyasa (ICLS), founded in 2002 in Bengaluru and incorporated to the Pontifical Lateran University, Rome, is the fourth of the six Claretian institutes for the theology of consecrated life. ICLS offers two-year licentiate in the theology of consecrated life, besides one year diploma and several short-term ongoing formation programs for the consecrated. ICLS Seminars on themes current, relevant, and urgent for consecrated life has been a regular feature ever since the beginning of ICLS. Seminar 2025 is the 21st Seminar organized and hosted by ICLS.

RATIONALE OF THE 2025 SEMINAR THEME

“Every human person possesses an infinite dignity, inalienably grounded in his or her very being, which prevails in and beyond every circumstance, state, or situation the person may ever encounter.” Thus begins *Dignitas Infinita* on human dignity, the 2024 document by the Dicastery for the Doctrine of Faith. The very fact that such a document had to be released is an indication of the myriad violations of human dignity that continue to plague humanity, despite her scientific and technological advancement and acclaimed enlightenment. Sadly, oftentimes such dignity is violated not only in the secular world, but within the Church and the consecrated life as well. The Great Jubilee with its invitation to be “Pilgrims of Hope,” is an opportune moment for the consecrated to critically reflect on the status of dignity in the world and how to ensure infinite dignity to everyone they live with and serve.

CALL FOR POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Poster Presentation is a unique feature of the ICLS Seminars, specially targeting students in formation for consecrated life. The posters must be creative, informative, and stimulating presentations on the seminar theme. Only those poster presentations registered in advance will be admitted. The best three posters will receive an award of Rs.2,500, 2,000, and 1,500 respectively. Please see the website www.sanyasa.com for further instructions on poster presentation. Or, you may write to us at: programsicls@gmail.com The Last date to register for poster presentation is January 25, 2025.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE

DAY I: SATURDAY, 8 FEBRUARY 2025

- 08:00 – 09:00 : Registration/ Reporting
- 09:00 – 09:40 : Inauguration
- 09:45 – 10:45 : **Plenary Session I**
Dignitas Infinita: A Text on Infinite Hope
- Speaker : **Paulson Veliyanoor, CMF** (Director, ICLS)
- 10:45 – 11.15 : Break
- 11:15 – 12:15 : **Plenary Session II**
Pneumatology of Dignity and Hope
- Speaker : **José Cristo Rey García Paredes, CMF**
(Professor Emeritus, ITVR, Madrid)
- 12:15 – 13.15 : Lunch
- 13:00 – 13:45 : **Poster Presentations**
- 13:45 – 14:45 : **Plenary Session III**
Recovering Hope and Dignity of the Pilgrims in the Indian Peripheries
- Speaker : **George Kannanthanam, CMF**
(Director, Sumanahalli & Founder, Project Vision)
- 14:45 – 15:00 : Preview of Day Two
- 15:15 – 16:15 : **Holy Eucharist**
President: His Excellency Peter Machado
(Archbishop of Bangalore)



DAY II: SUNDAY, 9 FEBRUARY 2025

- 08:30 : Registration (for those attending only Day Two)
- 09:30 – 09:45 : Prayer & Orientation for the Day
- 09:45 – 11:00 : **Plenary Session IV**
Hope of Dignity Within the Church and Consecrated Life
- Speaker : **Lalitha Thomas, SJT**
(FABC Delegate to Synod 2024 & Rtd. Principal, JNC)
- 11:00 – 11:30 : Break
- 11:30 – 12:30 : **Plenary Session V**
Ministers of Hope and Dignity: Formative Implications
- Speaker : **Paul Raj, SG**
(Novice Master & Former Assistant General, Montfort Brothers)
- 12:30 – 13:30 : Lunch
- 13:30 – 14:30 : **Conversations with the Panel**
- 14:45 – 15:45 : **Holy Eucharist**
President: Sabu George, CMF
(President, ICLS & Provincial, Bangalore Claretians)



SAVE THE DATES!

Last date to Register for the Seminar/Poster Presentation:
January 25, 2025

HOW TO REGISTER

For the Seminar, register online at
www.sanyasa.com

You may also register (for Seminar and Poster Presentation) via google form:

New google form Link

<https://forms.gle/wkNzpJ3LXMRSabG89>

For instructions on Poster Presentation, write to:
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SEMINAR FEE (PER PERSON)

Options	With Lunch & Refreshments Included	Without Lunch
Entire Seminar	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 400/-
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Entire Seminar	Rs. 400/-	Rs. 300/-
Any One Day	Rs. 200/-	Rs. 150/-
Discount for Novices & Students in Initial Formation		
Entire Seminar	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 200/-
Any One Day	Rs. 150/-	Rs. 100/-
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