## Discipleship Centre



**Annual Report 2022-23** 



"Be a helping hand to facilitate sustainable and holistic transformation."



"DC is a Christian Organization working towards transforming and empowering lives of people who are in need, to enable them to achieve maximum potential through Care, Compassion and Concern."



- Christ Centered: Christ is the head of all that we do.
- Integrity: We value integrity, commitment and accountability in all our actions.
- Excellence: We strive towards excellence by being a creative and learning organization.
- Team spirit (Esprit de corps): One for all and all for one.

  As a team we own every action taken by the Centre.



Empowerment: Empowering people/public/ individuals,
 thus finally bringing about transformation in their lives.

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Chairmans foreword

Joys and sorrows are a part of life, but those who wait upon God renew their strength. The year 2022-23 has been a tough year as most of the finances have not come in to meet the needs. Unfortunately, we have to depend upon our reserves which are depleting. But we trust God that it is His work and He will provide for the needs in His time. Waiting upon God and difficulties and challenges are opportunities in which we see by faith that God is working. He makes all things beautiful in His time.



Christian faith is accompanied by long suffering and endurance, but certainly long suffering and endurance is not without promises.

I am blessed with responsible and committed Board members, who are concerned and take active steps in all situations with good governance and responsible decisions.

Secondly the commitment and hard work and insight of our ED Mr. Murugesan is praise worthy. By God's grace and his hard work all pending cases have been disposed off in favour of DC. Now we are free from all pending, litigations and demands of the income tax department also. God has been good. This is an encouragement and testimony to all in the ministry of Discipleship Centre to grow in faith. We see the hand of God, guiding, sustaining and delivering, I am sure as Paul says, "the one who started good work, will bring it to completion". So, we fix our eyes on the Lord Jesus because our hope is in Him, not in the finance, not in any departments, but in the living, Lord, the word of God says in Psalm 34, that ,"those who look to him are radiant and they are never put to shame". This faith gives us the courage and strength required to look beyond the circumstances to God for His promises and plans. God is more concerned for the needy and under privileged children. May God always be praised through our humble ministry at Discipleship Centre and we look forward to more children and women be empowered in education and skills development.

Jolly Samson Raj Chairman – DC

## From the Executive Directors Desk

#### "He gives wisdom" Proverbs 2:6

Working with Discipleship Centre encourages me day by day because of the number of challenges I get to meet in my daily life. Achieving each mile stone is enriching my happiness and I give thanks to the Lord for His wisdom given.

Moving with the slum children and serving them is an added advantage to utilise my wisdom diligently. How to judiciously utilise the



donor's money towards welfare of the children is yet another challenge and once you complete the task, the joy of happiness that fills your heart is marvellous.

Many of the children are studying in our targeted Study Centre and are simultaneously growing in knowledge. Children's awareness is fantastic and they are imparting and educating their parents as well after learning from our Study Centre.

I sincerely thank the prayers of my staff and their committed dedication in Headquarters and in the project offices to bring the poor children and communities to the target in an upward way.

I thank the Board Members, the valuable Donors, the Children and the Stake Holders of Discipleship Centre for their equal sharing and contribution.

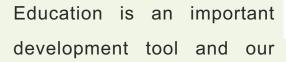
Above all I sincerely thank the Lord for nurturing Discipleship Centre continually without any difficulties.

Murugesan Arumugam

Executive Director (DC)

### About DC

Discipleship Centre (DC) was established in the year 1974. Since then the NGO is working towards sustainable development of marginalized communities at a national level.





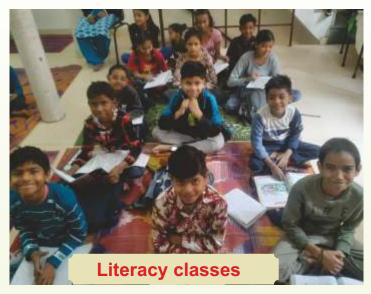
community development programs are incomplete without a Study Centre in each of our target villages. The focus is primarily on the children who don't attend formal schools since education is a basic right. Drop outs/ non school going children are coached at the centre, up to the entry elementary level and enrolled back into the mainstream.

Girl children are most of the times destined to a life of ignorance and illiteracy, but are now breaking social norms and are active participants in the literacy programs with several of them having gained access to formal schools.

# Food, Nutrition and Education to the Semi - orphan children

"There is no exercise better for the heart than reaching down and lifting people up."

Discipleship Centre has commenced Education Centre for Semi – orphan children. This project was sponsored by Missionary Service Committee (MSC), Canada in Kalyanpuri and Madanpur Khadar.



Through the hardworking of staff all children are attending school regularly. Children are counselling always with education. House visit is primary duty of the staff to continue the counselling. They meet parents for their children study and discipline.

Children are happily participating extracurricular activities as well.

Discipleship Centre is thankful to the MSC for their timely support for the poorest children.



#### **Sam Mark Anastas**



"Sponsoring someone is like giving wings to their dreams".

Sam Mark Anastas, United States of America (USA) is individually sponsoring 48 children of Discipleship Centre in different parts of Delhi.

Through his sponsorship the children regularly come to our Centre, study well and participate in extracurricular activities.

The children actively participating in the programs and celebrations



like Republic day, Independence Day and Teachers Day etc. They are regularly attending their schools.

Teachers Day our adolescent girls become as Teachers to teach small children on this day.

Through Moral Development program the children become much disciplined.





**Independence Day celebration** 









Mr. Sam Anastas, a great committed person gave wings to the children's dreams so that they can fly high.

Our teachers are counselling the children, parents and visiting each house to meet parents.

He regularly met their needs





Discipleship Centre and sponsored children are thankful to dear Sam for his support and concern.











#### Case study - Riya Kaur - Kalyanpuri

Riya Kaur a 17 year old girl, D/o Jarnail Singh, residing in Kalyanpuri. Her father is a daily wage labourer. She has two sisters and one brother.

Riya joined our Centre when she was in 5th grade, she was not good in studies and struggled to score good marks, but after coming to our Centre regularly, the staff helped her to improve her studies. She also faced malnutrition. After getting nutritious food from the Centre she has improved her health and mind. Through our counselling and caring she is a well behaved girl and is always enthusiastic to participate in project activities. She is now writing her 11th grade school exams,

Riya and her family are thankful to Sam and DC for their

continuous support.

#### Madanpur Khadar - Pratik

Pratik a 10 year old boy, S/o late Sumit Kumar residing in Madanpur Khadar. His mother is working as a helper. He has one brother. Pratik came to our project when he was 3years old and was unable to recognize anything. Staff taught him to write and recognize the alphabets of Hindi and English. In between his father died after a long sickness. But Pratik's mother is aware to provide good education to her children. She is sending Pratik to project regularly. Pratik goes to school regularly. Staff helped him to complete his homework and to understand his school lessons at project. Now he is in 4th grade. He is very good in his studies.

Pratik and his family are grateful to DC and Sam for their support and concern.



#### DISCIPLESHIP CENTRE, DELHI BALANCE SHEET AS ON MARCH 31, 2023

GENERAL FUND & LIABILITIES	SCHEDULE	AMOUNT (Rs.)
General Fund Special Earmarked Funds Current Liabilities & Provisions Emergency Relief Fund Discipleship Centre Staff Reserve fund	A B C	216,50,501.53 12,250.77 15,18,986.46 8,71,461.00 32,70,419.00
	TOTAL	273,23,618.76
ASSETS		
FIXED ASSETS	E	98,98,569.00
CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS & ADVANCES	5	
<ul><li>(a) Cash &amp; Bank Balances</li><li>(b) TDS Recoverable</li><li>(c) Loans &amp; Advances</li></ul>	F D	153,78,898.73 20,16,151.03 30,000.00
Significant Accounting Policies I & Notes on Accounts	TOTAL	273,23,618.76

## DISCIPLESHIP CENTRE, DELHI INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 2023

PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	AMOUNT (Rs.)
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INCOME		
Grants & Donations		15,39,365.98
Interest from Bank		6,78,730.00
Rent Receipt		2,62,000.00
Sale proceeds of Immovable Assets		10,00,000.00
Miscellaneous Receipts		2,35,967.36
Excess of Exp. over Income	A	16,96,876.71
TOTAL		54,12,940.05
EXPENDITURE		
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Relief for Poor - Nutritious Food	В	14,51,528.02
Relief for Poor - Education	B1	33,59,673.03
Depreciation on Fixed Assets	E	6,01,739.00
TOTAL		54,12,940.05

#### **BOARD OF GOVERNORS LIST**

- 1. Mr. Jolly Samson Raj
- 2. Mr. Albo Jason Wilson
- 3. Mr. Robin Amos
- 4. Mr. Lalit Mohan Jena
- 5. Ms. Shalini Merrill
- 6. Mr. Murugesan Arumugam

- Chairman
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Member
- Member
- Ex. officio member

#### **DONORS**

Sam Mark Anastas MSC Canada Give India Murugesan Arumugam

Donations to Discipleship Centre are exempt from tax, u/s 80G of the Income Tax Act. Cheques /Bank Drafts may be made in favour of "Discipleship Centre".

#### All Glory, Honour and Praises to our Almighty God.

Discipleship Centre's heartfelt gratitude to our Donors, Prayer Partners, Supporters, Board Members and Staff for their Support, Commitment, and Compassion shown to make DC a great achiever.



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