



St. Thomas College was founded as an educational institution in 1889 by the Vicar Apostolic of Trichur, Rt. Rev. Dr. Adolphus Edwin Medlycott. The University of Madras gave formal affiliation in April 1919 and St. Thomas' High School formally became a Second Grade College with Fr. John Palocaren as the first Principal. It was affiliated to the University of Kerala in 1957 and to the University of Calicut in 1968. In 2014, the institution became the first Autonomous College affiliated to the University of Calicut. UGC conferred the status of College with Potential for Excellence (CPE) in 2016. The institution has secured 53rd Position in MHRD NIRF ranking 2023 and has been Re-accredited by NAAC in the 4th Cycle with CGPA 3.70/4 at A++ Grade.

A large poster for the Laurea-2023 Convocation Ceremony. It features a circular emblem at the top with a cross and other symbols, and the text "Laurea - 2023 CONVOCAATION CEREMONY" in a large, stylized font. Below this, a banner reads "THURSDAY, 27 JULY 2023 09.30 am". At the bottom, there are two circular emblems: one for NAAC Accredited with CGPA 3.70/4 at 'A++' Grade - 4th Cycle, and another for NIRF 53rd Position 2023. The text "ST. THOMAS COLLEGE (Autonomous), Thrissur" is prominently displayed, along with its affiliation to the University of Calicut and its NAAC and NIRF rankings.

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14.07.2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

With immense joy and gratitude, the Management, Principal and Staff of St.Thomas College (Autonomous), Thrissur proudly announce the Convocation and Conferment of Degrees of Post-Graduate Students (2021-2023) and Graduate Students (2020-2023) who have passed out with flying colours. We earnestly solicit your esteemed presence on the auspicious Convocation Ceremony - Laurea 2023 - which will be held in the Academic Block of St. Thomas College at **09.30 am** on **27 July 2023**. **Dr. Cyriac Thomas**, Former Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam has kindly consented to deliver the Convocation Address and to confer the Degrees. **Mar Andrews Thazhath**, the Patron of our College, will grace the gathering. You are cordially invited to attend the ceremonial convocation.

Dr. Martin K.A.
Principal

Mar Tony Neelankavil
Manager

Dr. Paulson Mathew
Controller of Examinations



His Grace Mar Andrews Thazhath
(Patron, Archbishop of Thrissur
& President, CBCI)

LAUREA - 2023

PROGRAMME

- 08.45 am : Students' Procession
09.25 am : Academic Procession
09.30 am : Prayer
09.35 am : Welcome Address: **Dr. Martin K. A.**, Principal
09.45 am : Patron's Address
His Grace Mar Andrews Thazhath
(Archbishop of Thrissur & President, CBCI)
09.55 am : Manager's Address
His Excellency Mar Tony Neelankavil
(Auxiliary Bishop of Thrissur)
10.05 am : Convocation Address & Conferment of Degrees
Dr. Cyriac Thomas
Former Vice Chancellor
Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam
12.05 pm : Solemn Pledge & College Anthem
12.10 pm : Felicitations
Rev. Fr. Biju Panengaden, Executive Manager
12.15 pm : Vote of Thanks: **Paulson Mathew**, Convenor & CE
12.25 pm : National Anthem
12.30 pm : Return of the Academic Procession



Dr. Cyriac Thomas
(Former Vice Chancellor
Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam)