

Church Protests over Attacks on Churches

On 2 December 2014 along with hundreds of Christians, the staff and the students of Vidyajyoti College of Theology protested in front of Delhi Police Headquarters against the burning of the Church at Dilshad Garden, Delhi, and demanded stern action against the miscreants.



On 5 February 2015, protesters gathered in front of Sacred Heart Cathedral to protest over the five attacks on churches in Delhi since December. They wore black ribbons as a sign of protest and carried placards reading "India is a Secular nation, Enough is Enough, We want justice?" A number of priests, nuns and elderly persons including women were picked up by the police and forced into buses.



Vidyajyoti Theologians Participate in National Debate

Fr. Joseph Puthen and Scholastics Babu, Dominic joined the staff of the Indian Social Institute, Delhi upon the invitation of Joy Karayampuram to be participants at the NDTV - Big Fight show that discussed the huge number of under-trials languishing in Indian jails due to overburdened legal system. The show was broadcasted on 6 November, 2014 in Big fight NDTV 24x7.

The Big Fight is an audience based interactive panel discussion that airs on NDTV 24x7 on every Saturday. The show consisted of 60 people as audience and the panel members were Md Ameer Khan (who spent 14 years in jail with the charge of murder, terrorism and sedition in 19 cases, later on acquitted on 17 charges), Kiran Bedi, Sambit Patra the spokesperson of BJP and R.S. Sodhi the Former Chief Justice of Delhi High Court who discussed on the hooliganism of the police and the under-trials languishing in Indian jails along with the anchorperson Mr. Vikram Chandra. The link of the programme is

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eIIM7QcMLzs>



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