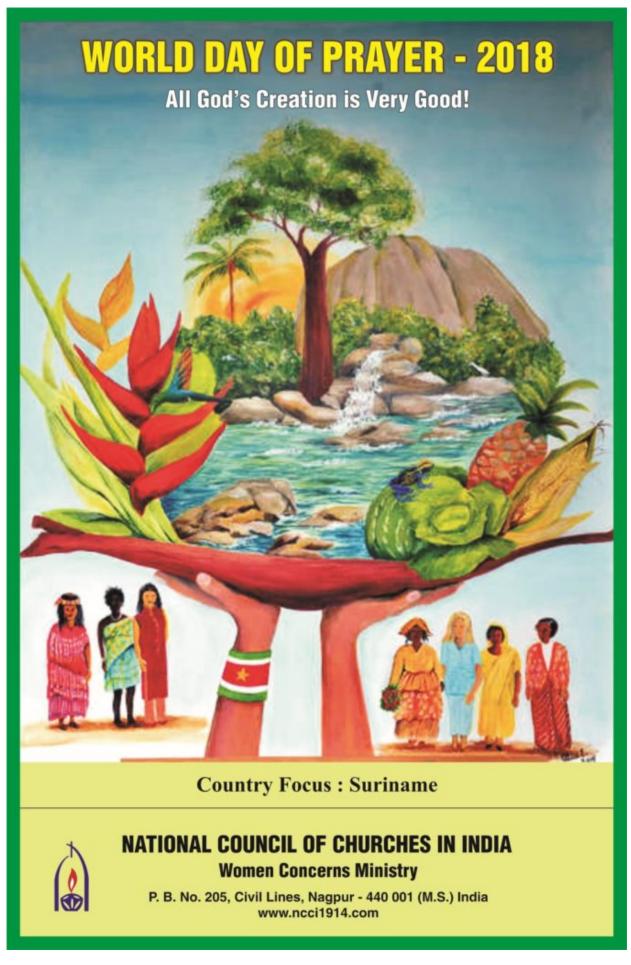


#### **NCCI Monthly E-newsletter | January 2018**

World Day of Prayer (WDP) 2018 - "All God's Creation is Very Good!"



INFORMED PRAYER & PRAYERFUL ACTION "ALL GOD'S CREATION IS VERY GOOD" Dear Fellow-pilgrims of Justice and Peace, Greetings of Peace from Women Concerns Ministry of National

Council of Churches in India. It is our pleasure to share with you the Resource Material of World Day of Prayer 2018. The theme of 2018 WDP is "All [...]

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## Letter from WCC General Secretary | WCC's 70th anniversary.

Please click on link to see a letter from Rev. Dr Olav Fykse Tveit, General Secretary – WCC, updating you on the WCC's 70th Anniversary and inviting you to participate actively in the celebrations. Also see the link to the list of events planned so far. Rev. Dr. Roger Gaikwad, General Secretary, NCCI. Download [...]

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## PRESS RELEASE on the present situation at St. Mary's College, Vidisha, Madhya Pradesh.

Christians in Madhya Pradesh have recently been passing through a very difficult period. Besides the arrest and harassment of innocent Christmas Carol singing Priests and seminarians in Satna just before Christmas, fundamentalist forces had set their eyes on St. Mary's P.G. College, Vidisha. For the past few weeks, the ABVP, the Sanathan dharma and other [...]

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**Unity Octave 2018 Ecumenical Youth Music Concert** 



As part of the Unity Octave, the National Council of Churches in India organized an Ecumenical Youth Music Concert on 18th January (Thursday) 2018, at Sristhi Lawn, NCCI Campus, Nagpur, on the theme "Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power (Ex. 15:6)." The main focus of the concert was to enlarge ecumenical rapport and [...]

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### Appeal to Churches in the context of Unity Octave, Republic Day and Martyrs Day

While we participate in the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (January 18-25) and focus on the theme, "Your Right Hand, O Lord, Glorious In Power" (Ex. 15:6), reminding ourselves of God's engagement to liberate people from the bondage of political, social and economic oppression, it is but apt that churches also observe important days [...]

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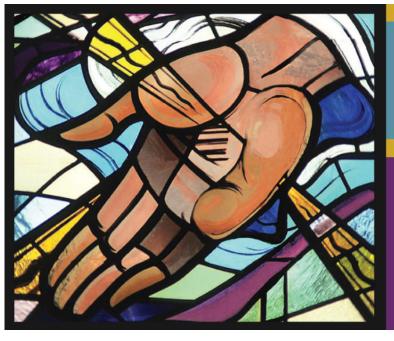
Towards Just and Inclusive Communities: A Statement on Sec.377 of IPC

# SECTION 377 of IPC

A Statement on Sec.377 of IPC We, the members of the National Ecumenical Forum for Gender and Sexual Diversities of the National Council of Churches in India note the decision of the Supreme Court of India on 8th January 2018 to refer to a Constitution Bench a petition seeking to quash Section 377 of the [...]

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#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2018 (Unity Octave)



Your Right Hand, O Lord, Glorious in Power (Exodus 15:6)

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2018

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18-25 is an annual celebration observed by Christian churches all over the world. It is symbolic of the visionary prayer of Jesus that Christian disciples may all be one. The sad reality is that we are

divided on the basis of religious matters such as traditions, doctrines, [...]

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