



## **SISTERS OF MARY IMMACULATE (SMI)**

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The official name of our institute is Catechist Sisters of Mary Immaculate Help of Christians, commonly known as Sisters of Mary Immaculate (SMI). In the Church, our institute is a religious congregation of pontifical right, dedicated to apostolic activities. The general purpose of our institute is the glory of God and the sanctification of its members through contemplation of things divine and constant union with God in prayer. This is our first and principal duty as religious. The specific purpose of our institute is evangelization and catechesis through home visitation and village apostolate. Following our Way of Life we live our religious consecration and fulfil this mission also through our other apostolic activities. Thus we live the motto “To love God and help others to love God” given to us by our Father Founder, Bishop Louis LaRavoire Morrow, SDB.

Our first priority being home visitation and village apostolate, we also are involved in other apostolic activities such as Pastoral ministry, Healing ministry and Teaching ministry etc.

Through teaching ministry in the schools we inculcate in our students love for God and neighbour, and for our country, respect for law and authority and all religions. Thus we help them to develop a sense of universal oneness and responsibility, so that they become an asset to our country and to the world. Each of our schools are to cultivate the principals of truth, justice, freedom and love. Respecting the dignity of human person we are to refrain from harsh and humiliating treatment of students. We do

provide opportunities for cultural and co-curricular activities, for their all-round development.

Hence, as per the above mentioned objectives, our Mary Immaculate School at Bagalur, North Bangalore, Karnataka (*only one school in Karnataka*) constantly determines to motivate and see to the over all development of the students.