

CHIEF MINISTER EXTENDS GREETINGS ON CHRISTMAS

Chief Minister Dr. Pramod Sawant has extended his heartiest greetings to the people of Goa, specially the Catholic community on the blessed and cheerful occasion of Christmas.

CM Sawant in his message to the people of Goa said, "Christmas is a joyous festival as it marks the birth of Jesus Christ and revives the spirit of peace and harmony. Christmas is celebrated worldwide with great grandeur and enthusiasm. The life of Jesus Christ, who gave up his own self for the greater good of the people, teaches us the eternal values of peace, compassion, forgiveness, sacrifice, brotherhood and harmony."

Extending his greetings CM further said that, "Humility and sensitivity of Jesus Christ has inspired the world to serve poor and needy. This is an occasion for people to meet their loved ones, leave behind their worries and come together for merry-making. On Christmas this year let us take some time and appreciate them who in their own ways make our world a better place to live in. This Christmas, let us bring joy to others with an act of kindness".

"Peace and development go hand in hand. We have to continuously move towards prosperity and that will be achieved only when every person, every family, every community of our State prosper. The celebrations of Christmas would help the people in strengthening the bond of comradeship and build the society on the platform of amity and prosperity thereby strengthening the secular and pluralistic traditions. Let us all unite and work for the welfare of the State for greater glory of the nation. Let us move ahead, hand-in-hand without a hitch, towards development and a better world," CM added.

As we exchange good wishes, May the joys of the season feel our heart with good will and cheer. May Lord Jesus grant everyone the strength to overcome their sorrows and lead a fruitful life," the Chief Minister concluded.

Merry Christmas to everyone!

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