

LIVE ROSARY

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On October 8th TEGSA organized an evening dedicated to Our Lady and the Rosary.

The Cultural Secretary Sheilah D'Souza, set the stage for the evening, introducing the members as they walked in procession. .

The Statue of our Lady, was followed by a beautiful bouquet of flowers which were placed on the alter adorned with little candles. The five members in teams of 10 each depicting the 5 decades of the Rosary were introduced by Sheilah as they took their places in the circle of prayer forming the Living Rosary.

The President, Olga Madeira led the Rosary. The Rosary was recited by members in English, Konkani, Urdu and Swahili. The hymns and the litany were sung to the accompaniment of Placido Madeira and Anthony Saldanha on guitars.

After the Rosary, members were treated to a bowl of Chickpeas with tender coconut slices and this was followed by a sumptuous plate of snacks, Tea and Coffee.

The members then settled down for two rounds of Bingo to wind off a very spiritual and enjoyable evening.

The evening was well attended by Members and guests.