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### 4 labourers suffocate to death while cleaning water tank in Mumbai

PTI, MUMBAI: Four labourers died of suffocation on Sunday while cleaning a water tank in an under-construction building in south Mumbai, officials said.

They had put the death toll at five earlier.

"The incident occurred at Bismillah Space building located on Dimtimkar Road in the Nagpada area around 12.30 pm. Five persons entered the

They were rescued by fire brigade personnel and rushed to JJ Hospital, where doctors declared four dead on arrival," a civic official said. He identified the de-

tank and fell unconscious.

ceased as Hasipal Shaikh (19), Raja Shaikh (20), Jiaulla Shaikh (36) and Imandu Shaikh (38), while the fifth person, Purhan Shaikh (31) is recuperating.



### **AGOSTINHO GERMANO CARVALHO**

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-: Canaguinim :-Beloved husband of late Alcantra Verodiana Lobo Loving father/ father-in-law of Sunanda/ Felizard Noronha, Antonieta/ Wenceslan Rodrigues, Alexander/ Zenie Carvalho. Dearest Grandfather of Simron, Shawn, Krisha, Nimish, Brandon, Alanie. Passed away peacefully. Funeral rites will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Monday, 10th March 2025 (TODAY) at St. Sebastian Church, Canaguinim.

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# Telangana tunnel collapse: One body recovered from accident site

## Body sent to Nagarkurnool civil hospital for post mortem

PTI, NAGARKURNOOL (TEL-ANGANA): Rescue teams working to extricate the eight trapped men under the partially collapsed SLBC tunnel here for over two weeks on Sunday retrieved the body of one of them from under 10 ft of silt.

The body has been sent to the Nagarkurnool civil hospital for post mortem and to follow other procedures, a senior official told PTI.

following "very careful" digging and other efforts for more than 48 hours, he said. It was buried under silt at a depth of about 10 feet. Efforts were on to ascertain the identity of the deceased, a police official said.

The rescue officials appreciated the role of personnel of NDRF, state-run miner Singareni Collieries Ltd and rat miners in the operation.

The search for the remain-The body could be extricated ing workers continues as it is, the official added.



Rescue operation underway to trace workers trapped inside the partially collapsed Srisailam Left Bank Canal project tunnel, in Telangana, on Sunday

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ment deployed cadaver dogs of Kerala police to look for human presence and the rescue personnel carried out digging at the spots suggested by the canines.

Eight persons -- engineers and labourers -- remained trapped in the Srisailam Left Bank Canal (SLBC) project tunnel since February 22 and experts from the NDRF, Indian Army, Navy and other agencies are making relentless efforts to pull them out to safety.

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child, the ACP said.

The constable told the

hotel staff that the woman

needed to change her clothes

and asked for a room, where

he raped her in front of her

When she protested, Bhaga-

ram threatened to put her

husband in jail, police said. He

also threatened to take action

if she told anyone about the

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### Delhi zoo to get smooth-coated otters after two decades, more exchanges planned

PTI, NEW DELHI: Smooth-coated otters will return to the Delhi zoo after a two-decade gap as part of an exchange programme with the Surat zoo. The zoo had last housed the animal in 2004. Officials said on Sunday the otters are expected to arrive by the end of this month. Along with the otters, the Delhi

zoo (officially called the National Zoological Park) will also receive 10 star tortoises from the Surat zoo. In exchange, it will send five sangai

At the other end Shubman Gill (31), who helped Rohit

But a stunning catch by Glenn Phillips off left-arm

Virat Kohli came to the middle accompanied by loud

cheers but his stay lasted just two balls, an effort to turn

Michael Bracewell off his pads saw the master batter get-

By now, Rohit had decided to knuckle down after rac-

In the next 16 overs the Mumbai man added only 27

His belief in his own defence too seemed to have come

It ended when his charge against Ravindra resulted in

India were 122 for three then and needed some con-

solidation, Shreyas Iyer (48) and Axar Patel (29) gave

them precisely that during a 61 runs stand for the fourth

They carried India closer to the shore but Shreyas,

who was dropped on 44 by Kyle Jamieson off Phillips,

fell four runs later to Santner and Axar too perished to

a stumping by Tom Latham. India were 130 runs away

back as he smothered Santner and Bracewell quite effec-

runs more to his score, as he tried to play a rather forgot-

deer, two blue-and-yellow macaws, and four green-cheeked conures. Delhi zoo director Sanjeet Kumar

said another exchange programme with the Lucknow zoo has been finalised, under which Delhi will receive swamp deer in return for chinkara. "A team of officials, including a keeper, is travelling to the Surat zoo

on Monday to assess the otters and gain insights into their housing and maintenance. The exchange is expected to be completed in the last

week of March. Necessary preparations are underway at both the zoos," Kumar said. This addition will bring the total species count at Delhi zoo to 96. "We have housed smooth-coated otters in the past, but the last one died in 2004, and we haven't had the species since then," Kumar added.

The Delhi Zoo has recently witnessed multiple animal deaths, prompting efforts to introduce new species, including leopards, lions, and a Himalayan black bear.

### Constable arrested for allegedly raping pregnant woman in Rajasthan

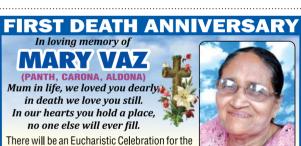
PTI, JAIPUR: A police con- the accused constable took stable was arrested here the woman and her threeon Sunday on charges of year-old son on his motorraping a pregnant woman on the pretext of recording her statement in connection with a case, officials said.

Assistant Commissioner of Police (ACP), Sanganer, Vinod Kumar Sharma said the woman's husband lodged an FIR against constable Bhagaram on Saturday night alleging that his wife was raped in front of their three-year-old son.

incident, they added. Meanwhile, former chief The constable, posted at Sanganer police station, was minister Ashok Gehlot tardetained and later placed geted the BJP government under arrest, the ACP said. over the incident.

The husband alleged that "This incident in the Chief Bhagaram took his preg-Minister's constituency on nant wife and three-year-Women's Day shows the paold son to a hotel room on thetic state of law and order Saturday for recording a in Rajasthan," he said. statement in connection "It is very shameful that with a complaint registered on the occasion of Womby him on Friday against his en's Day, when the BJP govneighbour. ernment was busy in the

The husband was at work glitz and entertainment of when Bhagaram called the woman some distance away man raped a Dalit pregnant from her home on the prewoman in front of a 3-yeartext of recording her statement, police said, adding uency, " Gehlot posted on X.



urged the faithful, "Let us journey within ourselves to renew our lives with good moral values, journey with others to specially reach out to those who live on the peripheries, and let this journey be a journey of hope." He emphasised the importance of self-reflection, com-

munity outreach, and spreading hope as central to the Lenten pilgrimage.

During the Mass, Archbishop Filipe Neri Cardinal Ferrao invited the congregation to take inspiration from Jesus Christ, who walked as a pilgrim of hope in this world. "Despite all trials and tribulations, He remained faithful to His mission of saving us from the slavery of sin and death and offered us new life and hope," he said.

The Archbishop called on the participants to renew their lives and become beacons of faith and hope for everyone.

Auxiliary Bishop Simiao Fernandes, echoed the message of Pope Francis for the Jubilee year, encouraging the faithful to journey within themselves to overcome sinful deeds, reach out to those in need on the peripheries, and make this pilgrimage a journey of hope.

He stressed the importance of spreading the Good News by overcoming trials and temptations.

A special feature of this year's pilgrimage was the depiction of images of the Passion of Christ and scenes showing Christ accompanying people in difficult situ-ations. These were created by the youth and faithful of Agalli, Borda, confraria members of Assolna Parish, Consua and Verna youth, and Paroda parishioners, adding a unique spiritual and artistic dimension to the event. In his vote of thanks, the Convenor Fr George Ratos expressed gratitude to all well-wishers, government officials, police, priests in charge of various responsibilities, Diocesan Youth Centre, Diocesan Liturgical Centre. Blessed Joseph Vaz Enterprises, Seminary of Rachol, Diocesan Centre for Social Communications Media, print and electronic media, service providers, volunteers, and sponsors. He expressed joy at the overwhelming turnout and prayed that God would listen to the prayers of the faithful and bless them abundantly. On this occasion, a book containing prayer services for families and small Christian communities for the Lenten season was released by the Pastoral Secretariat under the leadership of Fr Leo Fernandes. The book was presented by the Archbishop and Auxiliary Bishop and will be available to the public at Lighthouse, Margao; St Paul, Panjim; and the Pastoral Secretariat, Panjim. Cardinal Ferrao congratulated the convenor and the organising committee for the well-coordinated Lenten walking pilgrimage. He wished all the faithful of Goa a grace-filled and blessed Lenten season, marking a meaningful start to this sacred period of reflection and renew-

Beloved wife of late Cvril D'Souza. Loving mother/mother-in-law of Stanley / Anne, Christopher / ChiChi, Sharon / Savio. Loving grandmother of Chloe, Noah, Zorian, Zascha, Samuel, Sebastian and Seth.

Funeral cortege will leave her residence Varsha Colony, Porvorim at 3.00 pm on Monday, March 10, 2025, followed by Eucharistic celebration and burial at Calvim, St. Sebastian Cemetery, at 5.00 pm.

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Francisco / Aurea, Jesus / Auxilia, Mario / Ramina Samiro / Diana & Sandra / Raul. Adorable Grand Mother of Ransley, Swellen, Arin, Tristan, Mikayla, Siefer, Dastan, Alia, Annaliese & Joshua. Funeral cortege will leave the residence at Sotrant - Cortalim on Tuesday, 11th March 2025 at 4:00 p.m. to St. Phillips & James Church, Cortalim for the Eucharistic celebration followed by Burial.

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But those dismissals only created artificial excitement as a focused KL Rahul (34 not out) helmed India's march home

But the Indian spinners also can rightfully claim a good chunk of credit for this victory.

Kuldeep (2/40) and Varun Chakravarthy (2/45) were excellent alongside Axar and Ravindra Jadeja as the quartet conceded only 144 runs in the 38 overs bowled hetween them

However, the start made by New Zealand did not justify the total that they eventually managed.

They raced to 69 for 1 in 10 overs despite losing Will Young to Chakravarthy, who came in the sixth over. But the introduction of Kuldeep 11th over changed the complexion of the game.

With his first ball, Kuldeep consumed Ravindra, who failed to read a wonderfully concealed googly that disturbed his stumps.

It also ended a good 57-run opening stand, in which Ravindra, who punished Hardik Pandya for a six and two fours in row, was dropped on 28 by Mohammed Shami off his own bowling.

In the very next over, Kane Williamson's forward prod off the left-arm wrist spinner eventuated in a return catch as the Kiwis slipped to 75 for three in 12.2 overs. The four-pronged Indian spin attack assumed control of the proceedings from that point, and New Zealand could not find a boundary for the next 81 balls.

Kuldeep and Varun found an appreciable turn off the deck. Axar and Jadeja, however, relied more on quickness to cramp Kiwis batters for space, and both the methods were equally effective on the day.

Chakravarthy also mixed his endless ensemble of tricks and accounted for Phillips to end a promising 57run alliance for the fifth wicket

However, Mitchell, who cleverly manipulated the field for singles and twos, brought up his fifty in 91 balls.

His twin boundaries off Shami in the 46th over indicated a late charge.

He also stitched a useful 46-run partnership with Bracewell, who played some hefty shots, for the sixth wicket before falling to Shami.

Bracewell's enterprise meant that Kiwis would get 50 runs in the last five overs. But the effort was way too less on the night that firmly belonged to India.

#### A SEA OF FAITH: 28,000 PILGRIMS TAKE PART IN THE JOURNEY OF HOPE AT SANCOALE

Pilgrims walked from five designated centres—Neura, Cansaulim, Bambolim, Verna, and Vasco-to the facade of the Our Lady of Good Health Church, creating a sea of people seeking blessings and grace for themselves and their loved ones.

In his address, Auxiliary Bishop Simiao Fernandes

The pilgrimage also served as a powerful reminder of the call to unity and spiritual renewal, as highlighted in the pre-event announcement by Cardinal Ferrao.

He had urged Catholics to participate in the pilgrimage as a "powerful expression of our unity as the Church" and to embrace the Jubilee Year's call to be "Pilgrims of Hope". The event not only strengthened the faith of participants but also showcased the vibrant spirit of Goa's Catholic community, united in prayer, penance, and hope.

#### **POPE THANKS VOLUNTEERS FOR** 'MIRACLE OF TENDERNESS'

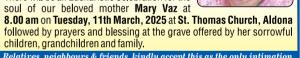
Francis, who has chronic lung disease and had part of one lung removed as a young man, has remained in stable condition at Gemelli, with no fever and good oxygen levels in his blood for several days, doctors reported in a Vatican statement Saturday.

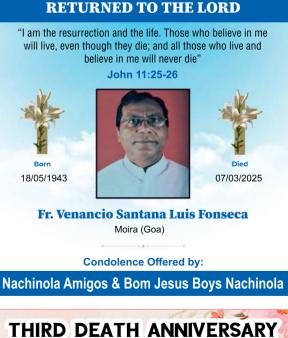
The doctors said that such stability "as a consequence testifies to a good response to therapy." It was the first time the doctors had reported that Francis was responding positively to the treatment for the complex lung infection that was diagnosed after he was hospitalised on February 14.

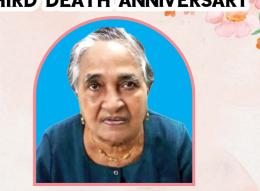
But they kept his prognosis as "guarded", meaning he's not out of danger. On Sunday morning, the Vatican reported he was resting after a quiet night.

In his absence, the Vatican's day-to-day operations continued alongside celebrations of its Holy Year. the once-every-quarter-century Jubilee that brings millions of pilgrims to Rome.

On Sunday, Canadian Cardinal Michael Czerny, who is close to Francis, celebrated the Holy Year Mass for volunteers that Francis was supposed to have celebrated.







#### MARIA CACILDA DA COSTA e DIAS **CORJEM-CURTORIM**

There will be a memorial service for the soul of our beloved Mai, on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at 7.30am at Our Lady of Carmel Chapel, Curtorim followed by prayers at the grave offered by those for whom she lived and died.

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Earlier, the state govern-