

International Women's Day



March 8, 2014: Mrs. Noreen Altaf, coordinator women desk, Diocese of Peshawar in collaboration with the management of Elizabeth Girls High School, Peshawar organized a function at the premises of the Elizabeth Girls High School to celebrate and honor the day.

Apart from women speakers and participants from all walks of life, the prominent religious community leaders from Christian, Muslim, Hindu and Sikh religions were also among the participants and the speakers.

At this occasion, the Rt. Revd. Humphrey S. Peters and his wife Dr. Rabia Shaheen were invited as guests of honor, along with a local Women parliamentarian of the ruling party of the province Ms. Naeema Khan.

All the speakers stressed upon equal rights for women and condemn negative attitudes towards women in their homes and in the society at large.



The speakers in their talks and speeches mentioned and highlighted the role of leading women from various walks of life as their role models, including women



mentioned in the Holy Books of various religions. Thus, they paid a tribute to the pioneer women for the freedom, and equal rights for the women.

At this occasion Ms. Naeema Khan, Women Wing President of the ruling provincial party in her speech said that their Government has initiated various programmes and projects for the uplift of the women folk, and their party believes in equal rights and participation/inclusion of the women in over all development of the Society and the State.

The Rt. Revd. Humphrey S. Peters in his speech appreciated organizers of the programme and also applauded for the children who provided entertainment and positive messages for the women uplift through various skits and dramas. The honorable Bishop in his address also mentioned that the nations who provide, protect and believe in the equal rights for women can rule the world through their influence.



Later, a big feast for all the guests was served by the organizers, and separate tables were laid for the people (Hindus and Sikhs) who prefer vegetarian meal which was highly appreciated by all.



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