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Jangchub Choeling Nunnery

December report

LAST MONTH OF 2022

No evil is there similar to anger.

No austerity to be compared with patience.

Steep yourself, therefore in patience.

In various way, insistently.

--- Shanti deva



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**➤ BRIEF HEADLINES OF OUR EVENTS IN THE
MONTH OF DECEMBER**

DATE	SHORT LIST OF EVENTS
2 nd December	Farewell to Miss Ringzen la.
7 th December	Special prayers on white Wednesday
9 th December	Deeply Saddened to hear about demise of H.E Gaden Tri- Rinpoche
10 th December	Marking the 33rd anniversary of the conferment of the Nobel Peace Prize to His Holiness the Dalai Lama
Every Evening	Evening class
18 th December	Gaden Ngachoe
1 st to 22 nd December	Science workshop
25 th December	Christmas Celebration
29 th to 31 st December	His Holiness the 14 th Dalai Lama's Teachings

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❖ APPRECIATION

On 2nd December, Ringzen la, our previous English Secretary left the nunnery. It was a great experience to have a woman like you. You were a pillar of support and we're extremely grateful for your hard work of last three years.

We are really obliged to have a staff like you.

We wish you best wishes for your future endeavor.



Thank You Ringzen La!



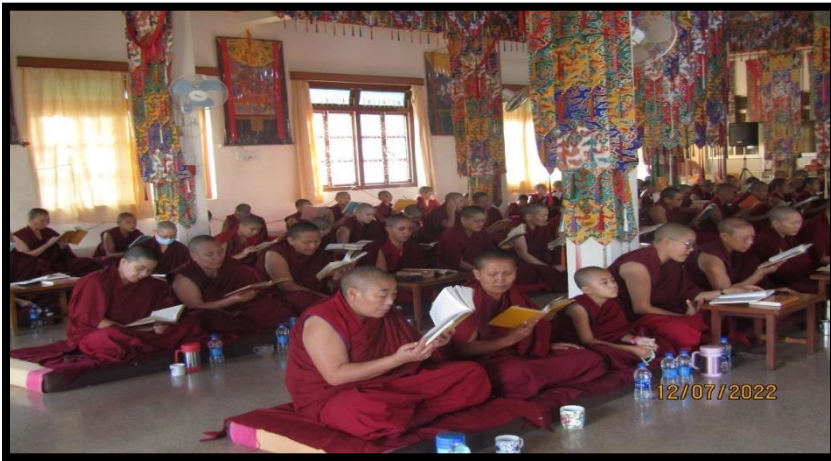
We miss you.

December 7th 2022,

❖ **Happy White Wednesday**

On this special day, JANGCHUB CHOELING NUNS prayed for the well –being of all the creatures as well as performed long life puja for His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama.

We read special scriptures like Maitreya’s Ornaments for clear realization and Supplement to the middle way By Chandrakirti, and other prayers for the success and peace for all sentient beings.

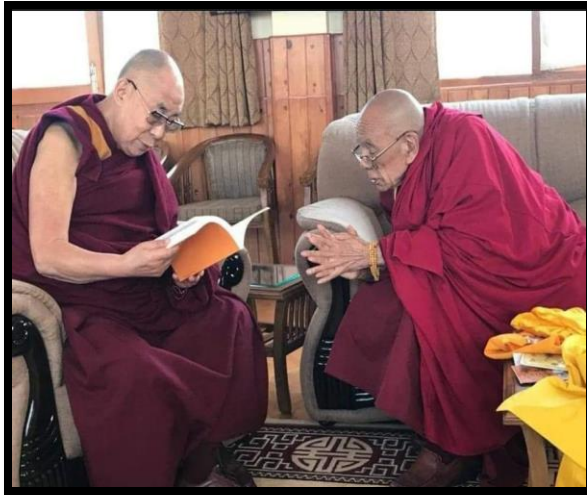


Nuns reading Maitreya’s ornaments for clear realization and Supplement to the middle way.

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❖ **Demise of H.E GADEN TRI- RINPOCHE**

On 9th December, Whole world grieved to know the passing away of "His Eminence the former Gaden Tri-Rinpoche Jetsun Rizong Rinpoche Thupten Nyima Lungtok Tenzin Norbu, the 102nd Gaden Tri-Rinpoche (lineal successor of Je Tsong- khapa)" We lighted butter lamps and recited "Maitreya's Ornament for clear realisation" (Nyontok- gyen), Compassionate Mantra and other prayers for his spiritual journey.



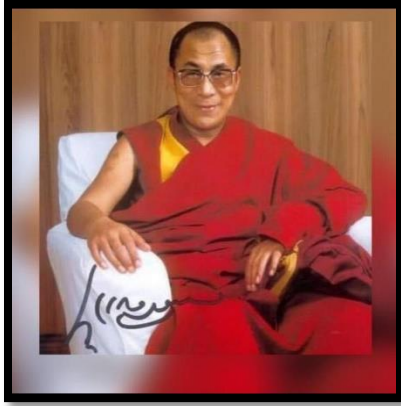
Om Mani Padmey Hung 🙏

**Late His Eminence the former Gaden
Tri-Rinpoche with His Holiness the
14th Dalai Lama**



Offering of butter lamps.

December 10th 2022,



❖ NOBLE PEACE LAUREATE

We are marking the 33rd anniversary of the conferment of the Nobel Peace Prize to **His Holiness the Dalai Lama**.

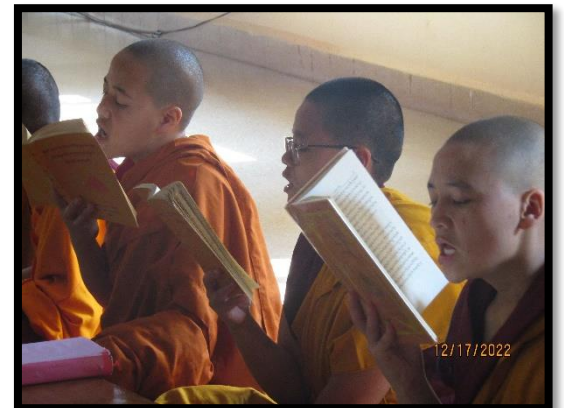


HIS Holiness the XIVth Dalai Lama, Tenzin Gyatso, is the spiritual guru for all of us. He was born in a small village called Taktser in northeastern Tibet. Born to a peasant family, His Holiness was recognized at the age of two, in accordance with Tibetan tradition, as the reincarnation of his predecessor the 13th Dalai Lama. The Dalai Lamas are the manifestations of the Bodhisattva of Compassion, who chose to incarnate to serve the people. Dalai Lama means Ocean of Wisdom. Tibetans normally refer to His Holiness as *Yeshin Norbu*, the Wish-fulfilling Gem, or simply, *Kundun*, meaning The Presence.

❖ LAMA TSONG -KHAPA DAY!

Ganden Ngamchoe, literally means "Ganden Offering of the Twenty-Fifth Day," or Lama Tsong -khapa Day, is a celebration of the anniversary of Lama Tsongkhapa's parinirvana. It is celebrated on the twenty-fifth day of the tenth month of the Tibetan calendar which fell on 18th December this year.

Jangchub choeling nuns recited the (Lekshe Nyingpo) "The Essence of Eloquence," by Tsong Khapa and performed guru puja and lighted whole nunnery in lamps while chanting MIKTSEMA in the evening.



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❖ **Evening class for Little Nuns**

With the gratitude of His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama and kind support of our sponsors, Jangchub choeling nunnery is able to educate nuns with the knowledge of various subjects. Our young nuns are seedlings of the nunnery and giving good education to them is our priority. Nowadays we have many small nuns from the Himalayan regions and Geshemas teach them from the very basic of Tibetan Alphabets, calligraphy, English and so on.



Geshema Ngawang Choekyi la is teaching them how to read the Tibetan sentences.



EVENING CLASS

❖ Science workshop

- From December 1st to 6th 2022, our two nuns got a great opportunity to participant for the TRANSLATION WORKSHOP at Drepung Loseling Science and Meditation Centre organized by ETSI.



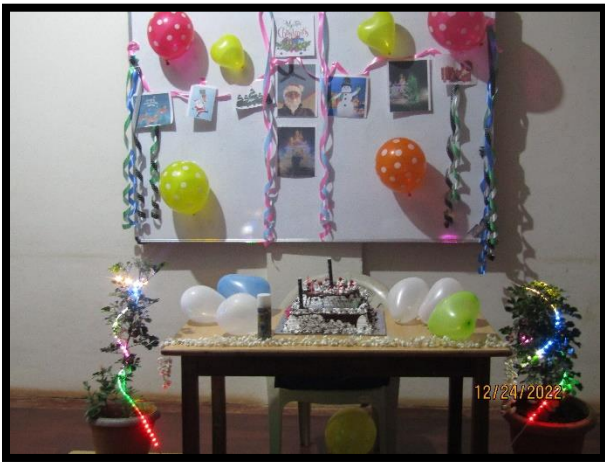
- **Year 2 Research Methodology Training** was also held there for nuns and monks from various monasteries. Our two nuns attended this training from December 9 to 22th, 2022.



❖ Holly Jolly Christmas

Most of the nuns are out to BODHA GAYA for the opportunity to receive teachings from His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama after the outbreak of Covid. Here, our few nuns celebrated Christmas with our long-term sponsor and family member Paul Syska!

It's really pleasure to get great time together. It was memorable,



We are eager to celebrate happiness with all of our beloved family
(Sponsors & supporters) all over the world.

It's our pleasure to extend a cheerful welcome to you all!

Your presence will be highly appreciated.

❖ Teachings at Bodhgaya

His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama gave three days of teaching on Nagarjuna's Commentary on Bodhichitta and Tara empowerment at the Kalachakra Teaching Ground in Bodhgaya, Bihar, India from 29 to 31 December.

Around 250 nuns went there to seek the blessings after two years of pandemic. Thousands of disciples from all around the world received the teachings and blessings for His Holiness.



Some staff nuns and sick ones couldn't make the travel to Bodhgaya. So we attended the teachings online from our nunnery itself.



THANK YOU 2022

Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's End.

As 2022 leaves, May it takes away all sorrows and worries of all.



Let's light the candles of hope for a great year ahead!

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