

ST. ANN'S CONVENT, TALEGAON



Established on **7 June 1992**, St. Ann's Convent, Talegaon Dhabade, Pune, Maharashtra, belongs to the **Western India, St. Joseph's Province**. The community was established as a Province initiative and began its journey with a spirit of faith, sacrifice and trust in Divine Providence.

In its early years, the Sisters faced several challenges, including scarcity of water, financial difficulties and limited access to priests for their spiritual and sacramental needs. Through God's providence and the support of the priests from Dehu Road Parish, the Sisters were able to sustain their community life and mission.

Over the years, the community grew and expanded its service. The Sisters established educational and pastoral ministries, including a **Kindergarten**, a school, and a **Health Centre**. The Health Centre, inaugurated in October 1992, served the people of the locality for several years before it was closed as medical facilities became more accessible in the developing area.

The Convent has also provided a home and care for elderly Sisters. A separate facility for the senior Sisters was developed, reflecting the community's commitment to caring for its members with love and dignity.

The Sisters have continued to respond to the needs of children and families through their educational apostolate. The community has also contributed to the spiritual development of the locality through its support for the establishment of a Parish Church. The Parish building was completed in **2010**, providing a place for the spiritual and pastoral needs of the people.

Today, St. Ann's Convent, Talegaon, continues its mission through **community life, care of elderly Sisters, education, and service to the people**, witnessing to the charism of the Congregation through compassionate presence and dedicated service.