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Report of One Day National Webinar Organized by Women Cell

In the background of a global pandemic and subsequent lockdown, a webinar of Women cell of Guruvayoor campus was conducted on 10th, February 2021 at 10 am through the online video platform of Google meet. The webinar was coordinated by Ms. Anagha Chandran, Sasthri 3rd year student. The main speaker was Dr.Usha Balakrishnan, Former Malayalam Lecturer, Little Flower College, Guruvayoor, presented the topic 'Women in Literature' which was by the way intended to communicate to the participants the very basis of gender, still unclear for many.

The webinar started with prayer by Archana C S student of Sasthri 3rd Year. Welcome Speech was delivered by Prof. R Prathibha, HOD, Dept of Vedanta. Throughout the talk which lasted for more than an hour, Dr.Usha Balakrishnan presented on how gender works through roles, norms and expectations and why it is a disabling identity for many under patriarchy. Within the limitations, she spoke on themes of body politics, internalised patriarchy and sexism and different aspects of feminism in a very simple and understandable way with reference to Ramayana and Mahabharatham. The webinar ended with a dynamic and meaningful discussion on the topic. Dr. M K Sheeba, Asst. Prof. in English extended sincere gratitude to the speaker and to all other participants.



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