

The Rt. Revd. Dr. Silvans S. Christian Deputy Moderator, CNI Synod

The Rt. Revd. Dr. Silvans S. Christian, currently serving as the Bishop of Gujarat Diocese, CNI, was consecrated on 28th August 2012. He earned his Bachelor of Divinity from the Union Biblical Seminary, Pune, and a Master of Theology from Gurukul Lutheran Theological College, Chennai. He also holds an Honorary Doctorate from the Henry Martyn Institute, Hyderabad. He is a respected evangelical theologian, teacher, and ecumenical leader. He has faithfully served as a member of the CNI Executive Committee, President of the Finance Committee, and President of the Synodical Committee for the Ministry to Children, among many other leadership roles. His longstanding association with theological education as a lecturer at the Gujarat United School of Theology since 1992 has shaped generations of clergy and church workers. He has represented the Church of North India on numerous national and international platforms, promoting unity, mission partnership, and social transformation. Bishop Christian has also served as Moderator's Episcopal Commissary to the Dioceses of Chandigarh and Rajasthan. He is married to Mrs. Jenis Silvans Christian, and they are blessed with two daughters, Suzan and Shenan.



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