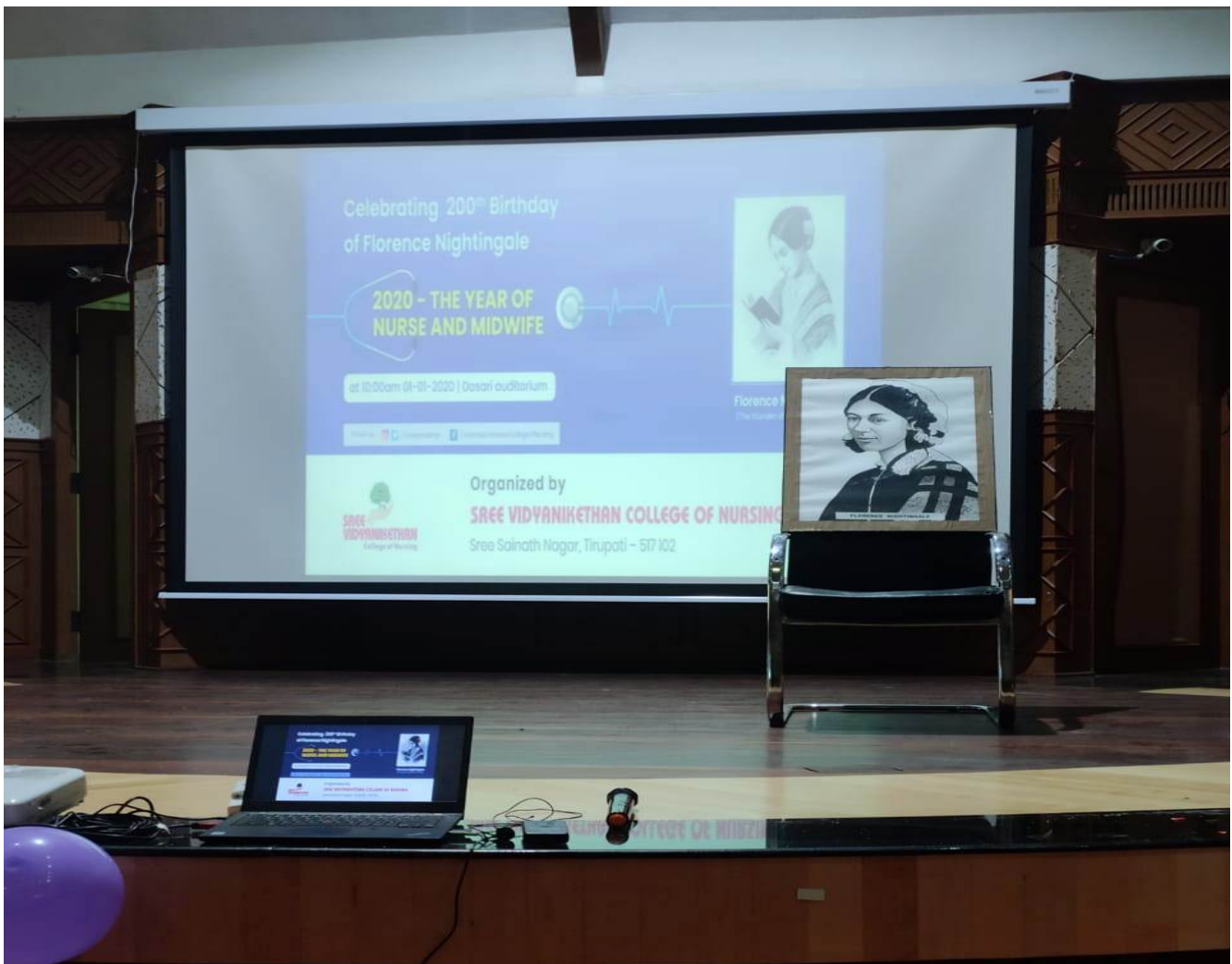


## SVCN Celebrated New Year 2020 - YEAR OF THE NURSE AND THE MIDWIFE

Sree Vidyanikethan College of Nursing celebrated New Year 2020 as a **YEAR OF THE NURSE AND THE MIDWIFE** on 01st January, 2020 at Dasari Auditorium which holds a special significance for nurses all over World. The Program was organized to Honor the **200<sup>th</sup> Birthday of legend Florence Nightingale - Founder of Modern Nursing**, as declared by the World Health Organization (**WHO**) in collaboration with **International Council of Nurses**.





Principal , SVCN garlanding the portrait of Florence Nightingale



Dr. S. Anuradha, Principal, SVCN addressing the gathering

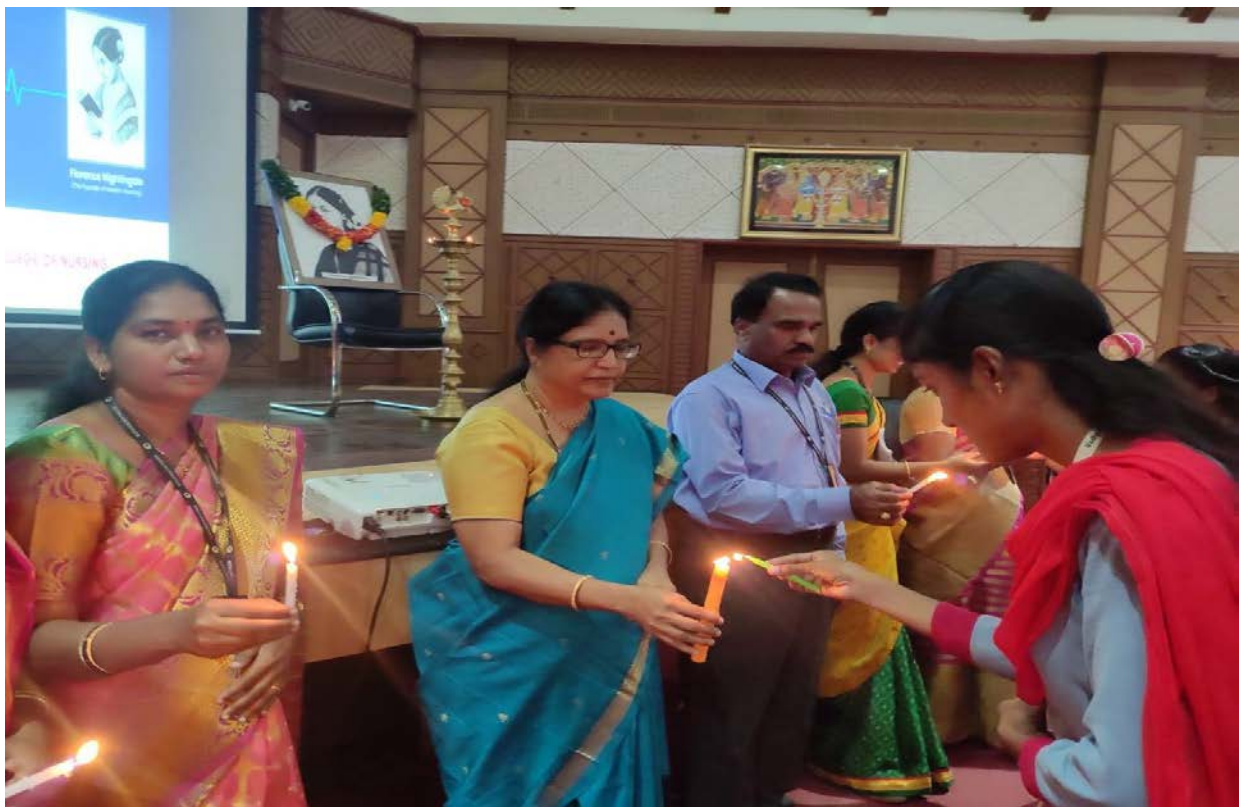
Dr. S. Anuradha, Principal, SVCN highlighted the great contributions of Florence Nightingale towards noble profession, and depicted the vital interventions executed by the nurse and midwives at bed side and in community setting.

The Principal further explained the key reasons for declaring 2020 as an International Year of **THE NURSE AND THE MIDWIFE** in advancing the vital position of the nurse and midwife in transforming the health services to the people, communities and nation all over the world.

Also, she enlightened that the status of the nurses should be taken to the heights by investing globally, providing qualitative training and creating posts in order to provide primary health care.

As to reach the **Sustainable Development Goal-3 on health and welfare** and for universal health coverage, WHO Identified the need of over **9 million** nurses and midwives world wide by 2030, owing to shortage of nurses.

Finally, Dr. S. Anuradha, Principal, SVCN conveyed her best wishes to all the members of Nursing fraternity.



**Lighting the candle by the Dignitaries**





Nursing Faculty with the Principal, SVCN



Principal & Faculty taking Florence Nightingale Oath



Students taking Florence Nightingale oath



Students taking Florence Nightingale oath





Members of Faculty and Students during the Program



Principal and Faculty after the Programme

More than 325 students from Sree Vidyanikethan College of Nursing & College of pharmacy attended the function along with faculty members and got enlightened on the contributions of Florence Nightingale and Nursing Fraternity.