The Research and Postgraduate Department of Physics, St. Aloysius College organized the 12th Dr. Varghese Mathew Endowment Elocution Competition on 11th February 2026 at 10.45 a.m. in the I B.Sc. Classroom. The competition was conducted exclusively for the students of the Physics Department with the aim of nurturing public speaking skills, critical thinking, and self-confidence among students.

The programme witnessed enthusiastic participation from many Physics students. The theme encouraged students to think deeply and express their ideas clearly and confidently. The competition provided a vibrant platform for participants to showcase their oratorical talents and command over the subject.

Dr. Sreekutty Thankappan served as the judge of the competition and evaluated the participants based on content, clarity, presentation skills, and overall impact.

Helan Thampi secured the First Prize, Sarika Devi won the Second Prize, and Archan A bagged the Third Prize. The winners were appreciated for their outstanding performance and impressive delivery.

The event was a great success and reflected the department's continuous efforts to promote academic excellence and communication skills among students.