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CHOICE COLLECTION: A view of the exhibition of paintings at Leader's Choice Art Gallery in Tiruchi. - PHOTO: A. MURALITHARAN

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he serene face of Mother Mary greets us from a wall-hanging as we walk into Leader's Choice Art Gallery in Ram Nagar.

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Once inside, an array of paintings with different themes vies for our attention. There is an art exhibition-cum-sale being organised at the gallery till July 14.

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eye-catching.

There are also works of inspirational art, landscape, modern art, prints, and portraits. The exhibition is open to public from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 9 p.m.

"I have been working with art for over four years. I am a self-taught artist and my area of focus is inspirational art," said Hermon Carduz, artist and owner of the gallery.

Approximately, 90 works of art are on display, priced between Rs. 500 and Rs. 4.5 lakh.

Most of them have been created by Hermon Carduz while there are works of other artists Arul Devan, Muthuselvan, and Shavery.

An additional attraction in the gallery is a room that is being modelled to resemble an olden day setting.

The workshop of the artist can be viewed where one can see works of art in progress, along with the material used to create them. - Staff Reporter