

### *Advocacy Training with Mercy Higher Education Students!*

**Conference for Mercy Higher Education (CMHE)**, established by the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, plays a vital role in upholding Mercy values within educational institutions. They strive to strengthen the bonds of Mercy traditions and cultivate the Mercy identity across all colleges and universities.

In addition to their work with educational institutions, CMHE is actively engaged in developing mission-related programs to inspire students. During their visit, we had the privilege of hosting a workshop, where we had the opportunity to share insights into our work at the United Nations and engage in discussions about the pressing issues that fuel our passion for social and environmental justice.

The timing of CMHE's visit during World Environment Day further underscored the urgency of addressing environmental challenges. It prompted reflection on our individual responsibility in preserving our planet and reinforced the importance of collaboration and collective action. Through education, advocacy, and a steadfast commitment to sustainable practices, we emphasized the concrete steps we can collectively take to create a brighter and more sustainable future for all.

