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Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

- Hebrews 13:16



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through the mediation of

OUR PATRON
SAINT
ST. MOTHER
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OF CALCUTTA



OUR PATRON SAINT

BUILDING CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES

A new commandment I give to you . . .
Love one another: just as I have loved you.

John 13:34



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COMMUNIO

AN EXPRESSION
OF OUR SOLIDARITY

MESSAGE

The Conference of Catholic Bishops of India (CCBI) established Communio during the 29th Plenary Assembly in Bhopal held from January 31 to February 8, 2017, after extensive discussions and deliberations. The aim of Communio is to reach out to dioceses in need and religious congregations working in socio-economically backward areas. Communio is a concrete expression of our solidarity with one another in following the example of the early Church, which was filled with the power of the Holy Spirit and held everything in common (Acts 4: 32). A significant milestone was achieved when Communio started accepting project proposals on November 6, 2021

This marks a substantial step forward, and the support received, whether big or small, has enabled Communio to contribute to various projects for the evangelization work of the Church in India.

This report book stands as a testament to God's providence over the past three years. I deeply appreciate the commendable initiative undertaken by the Communio Team and wholeheartedly recommend that everyone should extend whole-hearted support to Communio.

Filipe Neri Cardinal Ferrão

Chairman, Communio

President, Conference of Catholic Bishops of India

Archbishop of Goa and Daman



COMMUNIO

A BIRTH OF SOMETHING NEW!

Communio, an embodiment of divine providence, has experienced substantial growth, particularly during the challenging pandemic era, owing to the generous contributions of the people of God. Reflecting on the wisdom in Zechariah 4:10, which says Never despise a small beginning, Communio envisions initiating numerous small but impactful endeavors. These collective efforts are poised to converge into a powerful tidal wave, ushering in a renewal for our Church in India. I earnestly urge all to rally behind and support Communio as we embark on this transformative journey together.



Most Rev. George Antonysamy
Vice President, CCBI
Archbishop of Madras-Mylapore



COMMUNIO NOBLE INITIATIVE TO SUPPORT MISSIONARIES

Communio stands as a noble initiative dedicated to supporting missionaries and fostering a sense of solidarity among the people of God. It serves as a powerful catalyst, awakening the consciousness of individuals to extend their support to the needy local Churches in India. The Church bears the responsibility of inspiring and guiding the Christian faithful to embrace the mission of evangelization, characterized by the Joy of the Gospel.



Most Rev. Anil Joseph Thomas Couto
Secretary General, CCBI
Archbishop of Delhi

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The threads of love and unity weave us into a cohesive whole, and I wholeheartedly encourage everyone to actively contribute and support this commendable initiative.



COMMUNIO

A DREAM COME TRUE

Embarking on a concise journey through Communio, this initiative collaborates closely with local bishops, churches, and missionary congregations, ensuring the equitable distribution of resources and funds. Beyond mere financial assistance, Communio's primary objective lies in manifesting solidarity with the underprivileged in the missions, guiding them towards self-sufficiency. A pivotal moment in this trajectory was the inaugural Communio Sunday, observed nationally on December 2, 2018, and now a recurring event on the first Sunday of Advent or the Sunday nearest to the feast of St. Francis Xavier. While each Diocesan Bishop has the freedom to designate a suitable Sunday for Communio in their diocese, the overarching goal remains consistent.

This report book serves as an expression of gratitude to the people of God, acknowledging their generous contributions and unwavering support, which have played a pivotal role in advancing the mission and objectives of Communio.



Rev. Dr. Stephen Alathara
Director, Communio
Deputy Secretary General, CCBI



COMMUNIO

A CALL FOR MISSIONARY DISCIPLESHIP

As a missionary and missionary disciple, my official journey with Communio commenced in July 2022. Serving in the Communio Secretariat, I find profound fulfilment in carrying out Our Lord's mandate. It is evident that everyone involved in Communio, both behind the scenes and through generous contributions, assumes the role of a missionary and a missionary disciple.

The Church's missionary commitment finds expression through various avenues, including the witness of life, the proclamation of the Gospel, the establishment of local Churches, and their efforts in inculturation through inter-religious dialogue. Additionally, it involves the formation of conscience to implement the principles of Christian social teachings and reaching out to the marginalized through tangible acts of love. Communio earnestly endeavours to embody and fulfill these aspects of the Church's missionary calling.



Rev. Fr. Gangula Vignan Das
Associate Director, Communio



JOURNEY OF COMMUNIO

THE IDEA

The idea of Communio was propelled by the announcement of the celebration of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy in 2015 by the Holy Father, Pope Francis.



2015



ESTABLISH COMMUNIO

The historical decision to establish 'Communio' was made during the gathering of the Executive Committee members of the CCBI at St. John's National Academy of Health Sciences, Bangalore, on September 20, 2016. St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta was chosen as the Patron Saint of Communio.

2016

SAW ITS LIGHT

Communio finally saw its light in 2017, at the XXIX Plenary Assembly that was held in Bhopal.



2017

COMMUNIO SUNDAY

The first ever Communio Sunday was then observed at national level on December 2, 2018, and since then it has continued to be celebrated every year on the first Sunday of Advent.

2018



FIFTY-FIVE DIOCESES

Fifty-five dioceses have appointed diocesan directors for Communio in 2019. The Communio Sunday circular was translated in Hindi and vernacular languages. The one-minute promo video for Communio was launched.

2019

PANDEMIC

Despite the pandemic, the faithful generously contributed around 50 lakhs to Communio to support our missionaries in rural areas.

2020



JOURNEY OF COMMUNIO

DIGITAL EVANGELISATION

Communio started spreading its wings of evangelisation through various digital platforms.

One-minute faith-based and feast-day videos in English and in regional languages were launched.

The first Projects Selection Committee (PSC) of Communio was held on Monday, December 20, 2021, Bangalore. 44 project applications were received in 2021 from 33 dioceses and 2 religious congregations. The PSC approved 26 projects.

The Communio website (www.communio.in) was launched on December 16, 2021



The first Communio e-newsletter was published in December 2021.

2021



THE ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

The Associate Director for Communio was appointed in July 2022.

Communio was registered as two societies in Delhi in September 2022. The Communio Pastoral Society (Pastoral) and the Aviral Outreach Society (Charitable).

The second Project Selection Committee (PSC) of Communio was held on September 19, 2022. 18 project applications were received in 2022 from 11 dioceses, 2 religious congregations, and 4 national and regional commissions. PSC approved 16 projects.

2022

PROJECT SELECTION COMMITTEE

The third Projects Selection Committee (PSC) meeting of Communio was held on May 6, 2023, and the fourth Projects Selection Committee (PSC) meeting of Communio was held on September 20, 2023, at St. John's National Academy of Health Sciences, Bangalore. Around 75 projects were approved; for the first time, a few projects were also approved through the Aviral Outreach Society.

Communio Pastoral Society got renewed for the 12A Certificate, and Aviral Outreach Society got renewed for the 80G Certificate.



2023



COMMUNIO VOLUNTEERSHIP PROGRAMME

The culminating event included a solemn Holy Mass presided over by Cardinal Ferrão, during which 30 young leaders from diverse ten regions pledged their commitment to serve as lay missionaries in rural India.

Graced with certificates bestowed by the Cardinal himself, these individuals symbolized a burgeoning movement of dedicated volunteers poised to make a tangible difference in their communities.

Participants were enriched during the programme in knowledge through session topics related to Church, mission, volunteering and role and use of media in the digital era. The programme was jointly organised by Communio and CCBI Youth Commission.

In collaboration with the Youth Commission, Communio will organize two to three programmes annually. Notably, the programme's distinctiveness lies in its one-month missionary exposure in rural India.

2024



**COMPLETED
PROJECTS** **2021**

RENOVATION OF PARISH HALL AT BAGHADAFSA

Diocese : Balasore | Location : Odisha

Communio assisted the parishioners of the Holy Rosary Catholic Mission at Baghadafa in Mayurbhanj District, in the Diocese of Balasore, Orissa, with the renovation of their multipurpose hall. This mission is predominantly a 'Ho' tribal mission, which comprises 28 villages in a radius of 46 km. Baghadafa Mission started in 2010 and is flourishing well.

A village chapel was put up with the sole contribution of the tribal converts, and later the region was declared a parish. Now there is a priest residing at this chapel to cater to the pastoral and spiritual needs of the people.



COMMUNITY BUILDING THROUGH FAITH FORMATION

Diocese : Baruipur | Location : West Bengal

Community Building through Faith Formation

The target of the project is to celebrate the Great Jubilee of Christ's Paschal Mystery in the year 2033, fulfilling his great command of proclaiming the good news. It is to help the people in deepening and maturing their faith; building up and strengthening the Christian communities of the believers; bringing about renewal in the families; and creating an atmosphere of love, peace, and unity in the communities.



CONSTRUCTION OF A VILLAGE CHAPEL AT GANDABIL

Diocese : Bongaigaon | Location : Assam

The project is to construct a village chapel at Birjhora Tea Garden at St. Joseph's Parish in the Diocese of Bongaigaon. There are eight Catholic communities (villages) under St. Joseph's parish area with 187 families. Birjhora Tea Garden is far away from the parish centre, and it is not easy for all the people to come to the parish centre. Once a month, the priest visits the village to celebrate the Holy Eucharist.



CONSTRUCTION OF A TEMPLE SHAPED CHURCH GANDHINAGAR

Archdiocese : Gandhinagar | Location : Gujarat

The construction of the temple-shaped church in Gandhinagar, Gujarat. The Archdiocese of Gandhinagar is a new and missionary archdiocese. Pethapur in Gandhinagar is the location of the church and has the Archbishop House, Apostolic School, Pastoral Centre, and Social Work Centre. People from all walks of life come to this centre. This church will be helpful for all communities belonging to different faiths.



FAMILY RENEWAL PROGRAMME IN HAZARIBAGH

Diocese : Hazaribagh | Location : Jharkhand

Most of the parishes in the diocese of Hazaribagh are in remote areas. Most are very poor, and they live their lives with their daily earnings. As the faithful are very far away from the parish and live in remote areas, they are unable to come to the parish for mass and other programmes regularly. So, their faith level is very poor. So, family visits, counselling, seminars, retreats, gatherings, home missions, etc. will help them to be better faithful with good family bonds. They need timely support and care.



ANIMATION PROGRAMME FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH

Diocese : Hazaribagh | Location : Jharkhand

The project is aimed at building up a Synodal Church through a process of renewal by deepening and strengthening the faith of the people. Therefore, a series of activities are organized to build up a healthy Local Church and society by instilling gospel values in the young, cultivating interest in spiritual matters and sacraments, encouraging people's participation, and providing lay pastoral leadership.



RENOVATION OF LOUPHOUCHUM CHURCH

Archdiocese : Imphal | Location : Manipur

The Louphouchum is one of the mission centres which is bifurcated from sacred heart parish Yaripok in 2018. The catholic community of Louphouchum is going to celebrate the silver Jubilee of their acceptance of faith by 2025.



RENOVATION OF A CHURCH HALL

Diocese : Jamshedpur | Location : Jharkhand

The objectives of the project are to have a decent place of worship for the Catholic community. To have a larger space so that when Catholics from far-away villages come, there is sufficient space to accommodate them and to have a symbol of Christian existence in the locality.



CONSTRUCTION OF VILLAGE CHAPEL AT GONDEKON

Diocese : Jashpur | Location : Chhattisgarh

Madhwa Parish is located in the north of the Diocese of Jashpur in Chhattisgarh state, 34 km away from the district of Jashpur. This place is situated on the border of Jharkhand. There are 23 villages in this parish. The mountainous region of Madhwa was part of Ambakona parish. The faithful had to cover a long distance through thick forest on foot to attend holy mass and receive the sacraments. The project is aimed at providing the faithful with a convenient place for prayer, Holy Mass, prayer services, and catechism.



FORMATION PROGRAMME FOR LAY SECULAR SISTERS

Diocese : Jhabua | Location : Madhya Pradesh

The Lay Women Missionaries of Don Bosco were established in 1979. The members of this secular institute are called Behenjjs. The prime goal of these missionaries is to spread the gospel while living a simple life in the villages in a community of two. After a short period of training in religious life and the Bible, they make the promises of poverty, chastity, and obedience. Then they are sent to dioceses, where they will stay and work in the villages two by two. After six years of the first commitment, they take the final commitment and become permanent members of the community.



CONSTRUCTION OF A CHURCH AT UMMULONG

Diocese : Jowai | Location : Meghalaya

Ummulong parish started in 1999 and is 14 kilometers from Jowai, the headquarter of the district. As most of the people in Ummulong and its neighbouring villages are illiterate and poor, the faithful use to find it difficult to attend church services during the rainy season and the winter season. The old church was not able to accommodate more than 250 people inside the church. So, with the partial aid of Communio this beautiful church was constructed as the Catholic population is increasing from time to time at this parish.



ESTABLISHMENT OF AUDIO-VISUAL STUDIO IN KHUNTI

Diocese : Khunti | Location : Jharkhand

The project aimed at establishing a small media production studio in the pastoral centre of Khunti Diocese. This studio will be used for the production of catechetical videos for faith formation, YouTube videos of major eucharistic celebrations and major events of the diocese, the composition of hymns, especially in Mundari, and many other needs of the diocese according to the need of time.



CONSTRUCTION OF A VILLAGE CHURCH AT DURALIANG

Diocese : Miao | Location : Arunachal Pradesh

The people of Duraliang belong to the Mishmi tribe. Agriculture is their main occupation. In this village, there are 70 Catholic families, initially a church was made of bamboo walls and covered with tin sheets. But it was not able to yield long for the weather and wear and tear. As this mission station is active and dynamic with many activities and animation programs for children, youth, women and the elderly, Communio granted partial aid to built a new church to give a space for faithful for more participation in liturgy and other faith formation activities.



RENOVATION OF PRESBYTERY AT ALMA MISSION

Archdiocese : Nagpur | Location : Maharashtra and
Madhya Pradesh

This project aims at the renovation of the roof of the parish house at Amla Mission of the Archdiocese of Nagpur. There are water leakages on the roof of this building. So, there is an urgent need to repair the roof and stop the greater damage to the building. All the meetings and parish programmes are held in a small hall, which is part of the parish house. Renovation of the presbytery is beneficial to not only the priests but also the faithful of this Amla mission.



MOTORCYCLE FOR PASTORAL WORK ANDAMAN

Diocese : Port Blair | Location : Andaman and
Nicobar Islands

The motorcycles requested are for the parishes of Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Ram Nagar, North Andaman, and St. Joseph Parish in Campbell Bay, Great Nicobar. Ram Nagar is one of the Parishes in North Andaman, situated about 340 km from Port Blair. The parish has 143 families. The parish consists of three substations. Campbell Bay is the southernmost parish of the diocese, situated in the Great Nicobar Islands. The distance between Port Blair and Great Nicobar is about 500 km. The parish has 324 families. It has six sub-stations.

The parish fathers need to move within the parish to celebrate the Holy Masses in sub-stations, conduct BEC meetings in all villages, visit families, and provide other spiritual needs to the people. A simple two-wheeler is necessary for the fathers to travel around the parish.



ROOFING WORKS OF 2 VILLAGE CHAPELS IN PORT BLAIR

Diocese : Port Blair | Location : Andaman and
Nicobar Islands

Shoalbay is one of the sub-stations of St. Francis Xavier Church, Wimberlygunj parish, in the South Andaman District. The village has 34 Catholic families. The Wimberlygunj parish has 10 sub-stations, besides the Parish Church at Wimberlygunj. Daily Masses are conducted in Wimberlygunj, and the weekly Holy Mass is celebrated in the sub-stations. Besides this, the people are further organized in small Christian communities.

Kaulsalyanagar is one of the sub-stations of St. Francis Xavier Church, Rangat parish, in the middle Andamans. The sub-station has 32 Catholic families. Rangat parish has 14 village chapels, besides the parish church at Rangat. Daily Masses are conducted in Rangat, and bi-monthly Holy Mass is celebrated in the sub-stations.



PURCHASES OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR PASTORAL WORKS

Archdiocese : Ranchi | Location : Jharkhand

This project is aimed at evangelization and pastoral care in the archdiocese of Ranchi. To be available for the faithful by visiting the sick, not only the Catholic people, but also other needy people in the parish. It requires priests to be on wheels for quite some time. Four new priests of the Ranchi Archdiocese are not capable of purchasing a motorbike of their own. Making available to them a motorbike will help them tremendously in their pastoral work.



INSTALLATION OF SOLAR LIGHT SYSTEMS IN RENGARIH AND DANFTOLI

Diocese : Simdega | Location : Jharkhand

St. Anthony Apostolic School, Rengarih, was started on the campus of a secondary high school with a few rooms in the old building in 1994. Around 125 students each year lived in that house until 2011. They could build the proper and spacious building only in 2012, and at present, there are 90 students aspiring for priesthood and attending regular classes in the same secondary high school. There are two priests and two regents to look after them. The supply of electricity is very poor. Therefore, they need to install the solar system for light and water supply.



CONSTRUCTION OF CHURCH IN NELLIPATHY

Diocese : Sultanpet | Location : Kerala

Nellipathy is a hilly area in Attapady. The Catholics are spread out in and around the parish house; they are living among the Hindus and Muslims, spread out in about 30 km of distance; they are daily coolies in the rubber estate. It is a long-time desire and need of the people to have a church for the people instead of a small hall. It is also their wish that if their Catholic parish is active there, many Catholics who left for other denominations will also come back.



PASTORAL ANIMATION PROGRAMME IN TRICHY

Diocese : Tiruchirappalli | Location : Tamil Nadu

The diocese of Tiruchirappalli has 5 vicariates, i.e., 73 parishes, which have 296 rural substations. Since they have only three trained catechists in their diocese, the rural Catholics become poorer at practicing their Catholic faith. Therefore, they wanted to make a faith formation program in the whole diocese. The project is all about faith education and faith formation for the faithful at various levels. It involves the training of the animators and, subsequently, the animators educating the common people in all five vicariates.





**COMPLETED
PROJECTS**

2022



RENOVATION OF PARISH CHURCH AT KHAWZAL

Diocese : Aizawl | Location : Mizoram

St. John the Apostle Parish, Khawzawl, is geographically situated under Khawzawl District in the State of Mizoram. The parish was established by the Holy Cross Fathers in 1998. Since then, a small hut for worship has been erected. St. John the Apostle Parish, Khawzawl, has now reached the milestone of its 25 years of existence. The population increased on a large scale. This parish consists of 11 substations or villages. The area is fertile for sowing the seed of faith.





RENOVATION OF A CHAPEL IN YEDDALADINNI

Diocese : Bellary | Location : Karnataka

In the past, at this centre, an old church was constructed with mud and bricks with Kadapa stone, and a mud roof was erected. Now that the old church is in a dilapidated condition, the people though they are eager, they are unable to support this project fully. The government of Karnataka, through its Minority Development Council, is assured of their grant to some extent. The church building will enable the people to participate in the Holy Eucharist and other liturgical celebrations more fervently.



YOUTH ANIMATION IN KARNATAKA REGION

Commission : Youth | Region : Karnataka

The Karnataka Regional Catholic Bishops' Council's Youth Commission organizes many youth-oriented programmes in Karnataka. The one such mega programme is 'Karnataka Regional Youth Convention Yuvajanotsava' which is organized once every two years. The Youth Commission has organized the Yuvajanotsava-2022 from October 22-25, 2022, at Christ School Auditorium, Bangalore. Around 3000 youth from 14 dioceses in Karnataka participated in this regional convention. This programme is aimed at bringing Christ-oriented life to young people and making them missionary disciples in their own dioceses.



RENOVATION OF A CHURCH AT NEW VONGTI

Diocese : Kohima | Location : Nagaland

New Vongti village comes under St. Paul's Parish, Pungro, in the district of Kiphire. New Vongti village is about twenty years old, with 33 households and about 140 people, most of whom are Catholics. This community was expelled from the Vongti village since they became Catholics. They had to leave their old village and establish this new village. It is 54 kilometers away from Kiphire, the district headquarters. It is one of the remotest villages in Nagaland. The Catholic Community, though small, is a strong and active community.





RENOVATION OF A CHURCH AT ERAM

Diocese : Punalur | Region : Kerala

St. Mary's Church in Eram is a mission station and hails from the marginalized section of society. This project aims to construct a new church with a plinth area of 920 square feet along with a study hall, to create a prayerful atmosphere for liturgy, to deepen faith formation through catechism classes and liturgical celebrations, and to bring up the children and youth and facilitate their study. Most of the children in and around the church do not have proper facilities at home.



CONSTRUCTION OF A CHURCH AT BIJAPUR

Diocese : Rayagada | Location : Odisha

Bijapur is a very poor and interior parish that was established on August 15, 2021, and is bifurcated from Marattiguda parish. There are about 450 Catholic families and around 3150 Catholics in the area. The Catholics are mainly Adivasi and Dalits. They are economically and socially backward. They were being evangelized by the Vincentian missionaries of Madrid Province. The project is aimed at constructing a parish church for the faithful of Bijapur parish.





MOTOR BIKES FOR PASTORAL WORKS IN MAJHIPALI

Diocese : Sambalpur | Region : Odisha

The vision of Khristo Jyoti Mohavidyaloyo envisages a contextualized theological formation, integrating the spiritual (Bhakti), intellectual (Jnana), and practical (Karma) aspects into holistic life and pastoral preparedness. The resident staff members have to be role models in the area of pastoral work for the seminarians. The seminarians are bound to be inspired when they see their formators fully involved in pastoral work on the weekends. In order to effectively animate, they need at least three new motorbikes.



RENOVATION OF STAFF QUARTERS AT REGIONAL THEOLOGATE

Diocese : Sambalpur | Location : Odisha

The staff quarters for the resident staff members of Khristo Jyoti Mohavidyaloyo were built in 1986. It was necessary to replace the existing asbestos sheets on the roof with the plastic quote sheets. This project is aimed at improving the infrastructural facilities on the seminary campus so that seminarians will have better facilities and the seminary staff will have a decent place to stay.





COMPLETED PROJECTS

2023



PURCHASE OF MOTORBIKES FOR PASTORAL WORKS

Diocese : Gulbarga | Location : Karnataka

Gulbarga is a mission diocese with great potential for mission work. The diocese has succeeded in starting 14 new missions in the past 18 years of its existence. All missionaries work together as a team; the missionary spirit is visible in their work and lifestyle. The priest needs to travel to villages from the mission centre every week to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, other sacraments, and to teach catechism. This alone will sustain the faith of the people and help them to grow in faith. The priests need conveyance to travel to missions.

RENOVATION OF A VILLAGE CHAPEL AT BEMARLA

Diocese : Gumla | Location : Jharkhand

Chatom is a small village in Bishunpur block in Gumla District of State. It is located 42 kilometers to the north from the district headquarters of Gumla. The total population is 739, and the number of houses is 150. A village chapel was built in 1975 at Chatom, Bimarla parish, but it was a muddy one. People have tried to construct a new village chapel, but due to financial problems, they are not able to complete it, and there is an urgent need to have a new chapel.





ANIMATION PROGRAMME IN HAZARIBAGH

Diocese : Hazaribagh | Location : Jharkhand

The purpose of the project is to strengthen the faith life of the community, which is an integral part of our pastoral work. Therefore, the following programmes are planned for the pastoral formation of the community and the building up of the Church: 1. Equipping catechists, catechism teachers, lay leaders, and families through seminars and trainings. 2. Instilling family values through various family renewal programmes. 3. Teaching elementary catechism, importance of sacraments, and basic understanding of the Bible, and sensitizing the parish family on the synod by explaining synodality as walking together with the family along the path to heaven accompanied by the parish family.

FAMILY RENEWAL PROGRAMME HAZARIBAG

Diocese : Hazaribagh | Location : Jharkhand

Hazaribagh diocese has a family counselling centre with the family apostolate team led by Holy Family sisters. This team is entrusted with the Family Commission of the Diocese. The team visits the families regularly, counsels the couples, youth, and children, arranges home missions in the remote areas, and conducts retreats, seminars, and renewal programs for the different groups like parents, families, couples, youth, children, elderly parents, widows, and widowers.





RENOVATION OF A CHURCH AT TAKLINGTAK

Diocese : Itanagar | Location : Arunachal Pradesh

Takingtak mission station is located in Monigong parish under Itanagar diocese; it is one of the remotest and most inaccessible places in the ranges of the Himalayas on the border with China. The Franciscans from OFM (Cap) are giving excellent pastoral service in this remote area. This project is proposed to transform the old bamboo-built chapel into a concrete wall-tin roof chapel, which can accommodate more faithful liturgical services and basic amenities.



RENOVATION OF CHAPEL AT CHOTI DHAMNI

Diocese : Jhabua | Location : Madhya Pradesh

Choti Dhamni is a substation of Thandla Catholic Church. Since 1970, this has been a substation of Thandla parish. In the year 2015, after the construction of a new school building, a residential priest is appointed from the diocese to take care of the pastoral needs of the Catholic community as well as look after the primary school. The existing building at Choti Dhamni is in dilapidated condition. It is necessary to build a chapel for the mass and Sunday catechism.



St. Joseph Educational and Charitable Trust is a social wing of the Congregation of Sisters of St. Joseph of Saint-Marc, known as SJSM, which originated in France in Saint-Marc, Alsace, in 1845. St. Joseph Convent is situated at K. Lhangnom, 20 km away from Imphal. SJSM Sisters are involved in pastoral, social, and teaching ministry in collaboration with the archdiocese of Imphal. Ten apostolic students are accommodated in the convent, educational facilities are provided, and 4 are supported for their education being in their family due to difficulty in changing schools. These children are from 7th to 10th grade, and they study at a Catholic school that is 4 km away from the convent.



EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT TO MANIPUR

Archdiocese : Imphal | Location : Manipur

RENOVATION OF ORIENTATION SEMINARY, GHOLENG

Diocese : Jashpur | Location : Chhattisgarh

St. Xavier's Orientation Seminary, Gholeng, was constructed in 1988. Since the seminary was built in 1988, the windows and doors are in very bad shape and broken. They give entry to unwanted elements and the seminarians experience danger. Apart from this, it is a fully functioning institute that meets the objectives of the candidates aspiring to be future priests. All students are required to learn harmonious community living so that they will be able to work with other people as a team.





PURCHASE OF A TWO-WHEELER FOR KOTBA MISSION

Diocese : Jashpur | Location : Chhattisgarh

Kotba parish is situated in a very rural setting. It is 20 km north-west of Bhelwa and 11 km south of Bagbahar. The Congregation, Servants of Mary, promptly responded to the invitation of the bishop to collaborate in the pastoral activities of the parish and in the English Medium School. Sisters are coming for the first time and opening a new community at Kotba, which is a new parish, and so many faithful are newly baptized. In such a given situation, faith formation is a big task. Continuously visiting the family and being in touch with the students and youth will make them strong in their faith.



MISSIONARY FORMATION THROUGH DANCE IN MEERUT

Diocese : Meerut | Location : Uttar Pradesh

During the summer holidays, Meerut Diocese has planned out a short course of Bharatnatyam classical dance for the girls to showcase their talent. This course enables them to develop more discipline, patience, and self-confidence. Along with the dance course, the diocese also provides them with bible study, moral values, vocal music, and catechism classes for boosting their personalities, with a vision to transform them into missionary disciples.

REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF A CONVENT IN DAVANGERE

Diocese : Shimoga | Location : Karnataka
Congregation : Sisters Adorers at Navajyothi Nilaya

This project is to reconstruct the existing compound wall, which was very low, in a dilapidated condition, and had a lot of disturbances from trespassers who were a threat to safety and the security of the inmates. It is mandatory for the safety of the sisters of Adorers at Navajyothi Nilaya, who work in the Davangere mission for evangelization.





DISTRIBUTING 2000 BIBLES IN TUTICORIN

Diocese : Tuticorin | Location : Tamil Nadu

This project is aimed at distributing 2000 Bibles to the poor and deserving Catholic families to create more awareness of biblical knowledge. Ordinary people show a keen interest in owning and studying the sacred scripture. The cost of the Bible is a bit high. So ordinary people cannot afford to pay. This project enables every family to own a Bible. It encourages Christian families to deepen their spiritual lives based on the word of God, to bring the Bible to the church, and to participate actively in the liturgical celebrations.

RENOVATION OF THE PERPETUAL ADORATION MONASTERY

Diocese : Bellary | Location : Karnataka

Congregation : Poor clares adoration monastery, 'La verna'

La Verna Adoration Monastery was established at T.B. Dam, Hospet Taluk, Vijayanagar District of Karnataka on 24 March 2001 at the request of Bishop Joseph D'Silva, the then Bishop of Bellary to be the spiritual power house for the faithful of the diocese of Bellary.

The monastery building was constructed about 23 years back, and is now leaking due to wear and tear, weather conditions etc. Inside the monastery, which is built with very simple materials they have very small cells for each sister.

An unexpected wall collapse within the cloister has also added to their concern. As they solely depend in the providence of God, through the generosity of the people who visit the monastery they applied this project of renovation of monastery building.





REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF ST. TERESA CHURCH, SINDRI

Diocese : Jamshedpur | Location : Jharkhand

St. Teresa's Church, Sindri was built in the year 1957. It is a small parish consists of 35 Catholic families. Though they are economically weak but rich in faith. The Church building is nearly 65 years old. Its roof is constructed by the wooden planks and asbestos sheets. Now they are rotten and broken resulting leakage in multiple places. It has also damaged the false ceiling and painting of the walls. Thus, it required immediate repair.

The tribal people are big in number. Their faith is slowly growing and becoming stronger. The church is making its presences through frequent family visits, masses, counselling and providing help in sickness.

PURCHASE OF NEW MOTORCYCLE FOR PASTORAL WORK

Diocese : Jamshedpur | Location : Jharkhand

From the Diocesan headquarter the parish is situated 114kms far inside the jungles. The faithful are spread far-flung areas, having distance is 40 kms away from the parish dwelling in hills, valleys and thick jungles. It is difficult for the priest to go and do the mission due to the far distance of the different villages to attend sick calls and administer the sacraments, to conduct BCC & SCC prayer in the villages. Therefore, they requested Communio to provide a Motor-cycle for the pastoral needs of the parish.

To have effective pastoral ministry among the villagers by conducting prayer meetings (BCC & SCC etc.) and Catechism classes for children and catechumens. Make them have common resolutions which suits their areas environmentally, socially, culturally to build church of Christ. The project will help to increase communication with faithful, build human closeness resulting in love and care. Learn the meaning of fellowship, discipleship broadening ministry of Christ.





YOUTH ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

Diocese : Khandwa | Location : Madhya Pradesh

Khandwa diocese has 37 parishes and 782 registered youth and 700 cruzveer members. The Project visualized conducting a 5 days faith formation and 3 days career guidance at the deanery level. These programs provided them with a platform to receive pastoral care and support.

RENOVATION OF THE PRESBYTERY AT GARRATOLA

Archdiocese : Nagpur | Location : Maharashtra and
Madhya Pradesh

Garratola Mission is one of the farthest Mission Stations of Nagpur Archdiocese. This place is situated 250 kilometres away from the Archdiocesan Headquarter. This Mission caters to the needs of 250 catholic families spread over an area of 50 kilometres. There are two priests residing in this presbytery catering to the pastoral needs of the people. This Mission Station is supported by the archdiocese, especially for the maintenance of the priests. This project is to provide a modest accommodation for the resident priests and the guests who come for pastoral work.





ROOFING OF THE CHAPEL AT HABDIPUR, FERRARGUNJ PARISH

Diocese : Port Blair | Location : Andaman and
Nicobar Islands

Habdipur is one of the Sub-stations of St. Joseph Church, Ferragunj, South Andaman. The village has 78 catholic families. The faithful built a church in the year 1985 and that Church was in a dilapidated condition. This project aims to have a decent and permanent village chapel to be used for celebrating the Holy Mass, Conduct BEC Meetings, Conduct catechism classes. village meetings, etc. Being placed within the graveyard area, the chapel will be used to celebrate burial masses.

REPAIR WORKS AND PURCHASE OF FURNITURE AT MINOR SEMINARY, SAMBALPUR.

Diocese : Sambalpur | Location : Odisha

Jyoti Bhavan Minor Seminary is the diocesan minor seminary. This seminary is 55 years old the furniture of the house is as old as the seminary. Because of this many of the furniture specially the small cupboard cannot be used to store anything. Some are damaged by white ants, and some have decayed. The purpose of the project is to provide new Almirahs to the seminarians. The aim of the project is to ensure that the seminarians' personal belongings are safe and secure. The appearance of the seminarian's living rooms may be neat and tidy.



FURNISHING THE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED CHURCH AT ASHOKA SIDDAPURA

Diocese : Shimoga | Location : Karnataka

The project is aimed at providing pews (benches with kneelers) and altar chairs to the newly constructed, Mother of God Church at Ashoka Siddapura in Molakalmuru Taluk of Chitradurga District within the diocese of Shimoga.

The people of Ashoka Siddapura are economically extremely poor and socially very backward. There are 20 Catholic families and more than 150 Christu Bhaktas participating in religious services. Ashoka Siddapura is a sub-station of Molakalmuru Mission Centre. Ashoka Siddapura is 27 Kilometers from Molakalmuru. The transportation facility is very poor. Presently there is no Church building in Ashoka Siddapura.





The Mass is celebrated and religious services are held in a small shed which can hardly accommodate about 15 people. Rest of the participants stand outside the shed and participate in the religious services.

The aim of the Project is to equip the newly built Church with Pews (benches with kneelers) and Altar chairs. The main objective is to provide the faithful, especially the elders proper sitting facilities to actively and devoutly participate in the prayer services and Catechesis. Another objective is that because there is proper sitting facilities, more and more people will come to the Church and participate in the Catechesis. This will also add the number of Christu Bhaktas.





**| CONTRIBUTIONS
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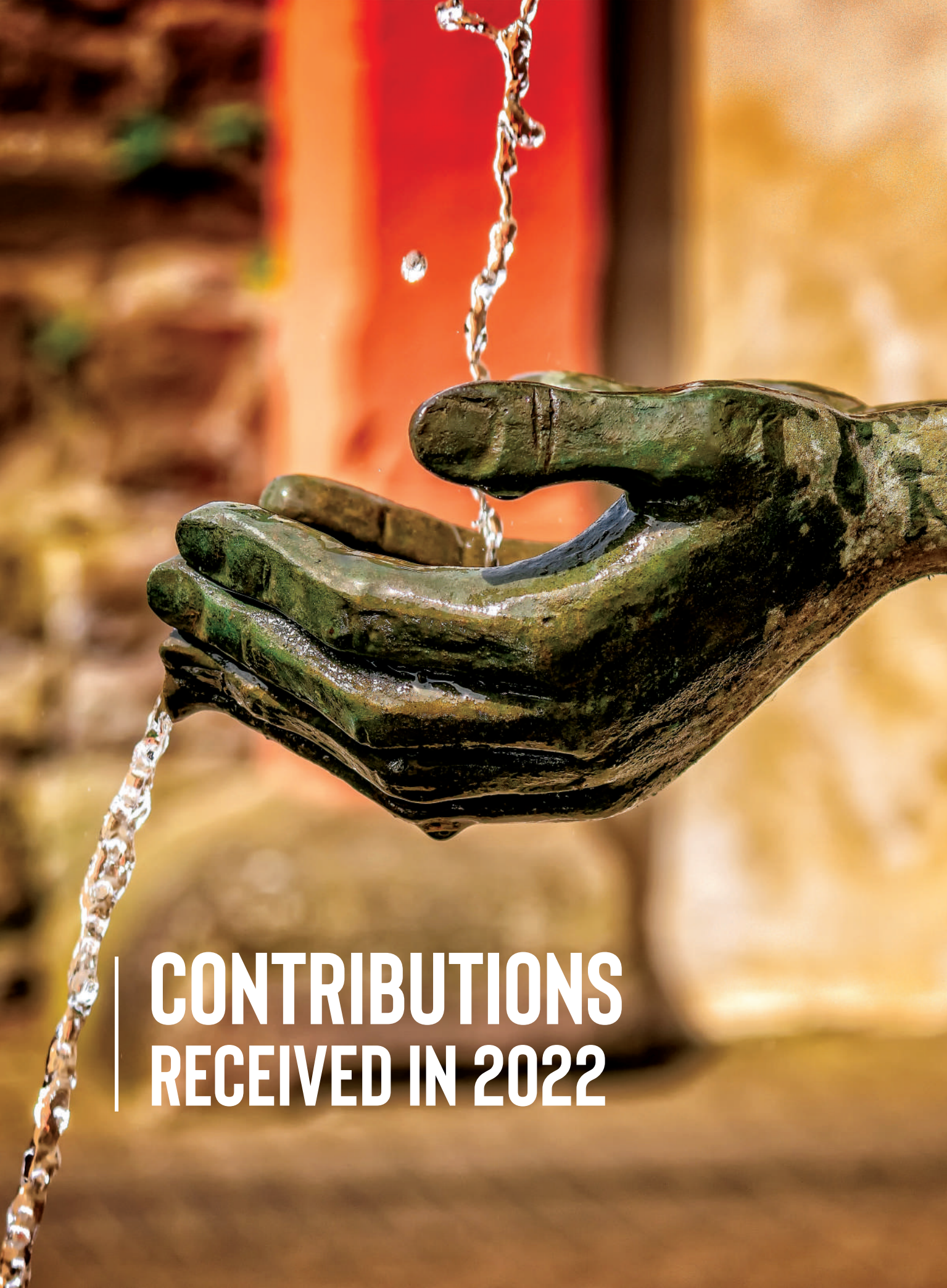
CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED COMMUNIO SUNDAY

SL. NO.	DIOCESE/ ARCHDIOCESE	AMOUNT
1	Allahabad	44,880
2	Bangalore	8,29,561
3	Bareilly	1,45,539
4	Baruipur	20,000
5	Bhopal	1,21,648
6	Bettiah	10,000
7	Calcutta	44,396
8	Darjeeling	4,68,264
9	Delhi	25,000
10	Gandhinagar	13,112
11	Guntur	11,850
12	Gulbarga	21,219
13	Jhansi	12,505
14	Jhabua	1,54,400
15	Jashpur	8,15,220
16	Jabalpur	1,20,000
17	Kurnool	26,000
18	Kannur	19,650
19	Kohima	78,945
20	Lucknow	20,720
21	Mangalore	4,06,619
22	Pondicherry-Cuddalore	14,691
23	Port Blair	1,05,110
24	Simla-Chandigarh	87,033
25	Shimoga	1,11,462
26	Salem	90,000
27	Tura	1,33,125
28	Tiruchirapalli	5,03,402
29	Tuticorin	1,85,000
30	Udupi	2,75,276
31	Udaipur	1,00,000
TOTAL		50,14,627

SL NO.	INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION	AMOUNT
1	Denzil Anthony	7,000
2	Joseph Vency	1,000
3	Mumbai Friend	1,000
	TOTAL	9,000

**THE TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED
DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR
2020-2021 IS
RS. 50,23,627**





**CONTRIBUTIONS
RECEIVED IN 2022**

2021

CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED COMMUNIO SUNDAY

SL NO.	DIOCESE/ ARCHDIOCESE	AMOUNT
1	Allahabad	40,942
2	Ahmedabad	1,63,117
3	Bangalore	16,48,181
4	Bellary	12,000
5	Bombay	20,00,000
6	Bhopal	1,21,648
7	Bettiah	20,260
8	Calicut	1,00,000
9	Calcutta	96,777
10	Chingleput	25,000
11	Delhi	25,000
12	Daejeling	5,49,320
13	Guwahati	2,98,700
14	Gandhinagar	25,510
15	Guntur	7,019
16	Gulbarga	24,685
17	Indore	50,127
18	Itanagar	50,000
19	Jabalpur	1,50,000
20	Jashpur	8,25,130
21	Jhansi	1,74,885
22	Jammu-Srinagar	25,000
23	Karwar	2,73,871
24	Kurnool	11,370
25	Lucknow	20,000
26	Mangalore	1,17,512
27	Mysore	4,38,045
28	Patna	56,578
29	Palayamkottai	2,25,000
30	Purnea	60,000
31	Pondicherry-Cuddalore	93,402
32	Port Blair	1,83,685
33	Raipur	7,32,900
34	Rayagada	25,000
35	Rourkela	45,500
36	Simla-Chandigarh	76,215

37	Shimoga	1,27,000
38	Tura	1,43,658
39	Trichy	5,03,402
40	Thanjavur	55,325
41	Tuticorin	1,90,000
42	Udupi	3,85,780
43	Udaipur	1,00,000
44	Vellore	56,200
45	Warangal	40,000
TOTAL		1,03,93,744

SL NO.	INDIVIDUALS AND RELIGIOUS	AMOUNT
1	Shanti Sadan Sisters of Charity	10,000
2	Provincialate Trichy	5,000
3	Kengeri Satellite Town	5,000
4	Society of St. Joseph of Cluny	20,000
5	Sanjay Dutta	2,000
6	St. Joseph Convent	10,000
7	Jose Custodio Pereira	2,000
8	John Alberto	10,000
9	Maurice	2,500
10	Meldrin Xavier D'cruz	26,226
11	Robin Francis D'souza	10,001
12	Mr. Colaco	10,000
13	Sebastian Sylvester	1,001
14	Rowena Ruth Fernandes	1,000
15	Sreejesh	240
16	Diocese friend	2,70,963
TOTAL		3,85,931

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DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR
2021-2022 IS
RS. 1,07,79,675**



**CONTRIBUTIONS
RECEIVED IN 2023**

2022

CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED COMMUNIO SUNDAY

SL NO.	DIOCESE/ ARCHDIOCESE	AMOUNT
1	Agartala	1,18,490
2	Agra (for Aviral OS 1 Lakh)	2,00,000
3	Ahmedabad	2,44,123
4	Aizawl	27,800
5	Ajmer	16,585
6	Allahabad	69,363
7	Alleppey	7,000
8	Ambikapur	1,05,000
9	Amravati	30,000
10	Asansol	2,40,000
11	Aurangabad	45,000
12	Bagdogra	20,000
13	Balasore	1,45,970
14	Bangalore	13,50,140
15	Bareilly	2,00,000
16	Baroda	3,62,350
17	Baruipur	40,000
18	Belgaum	92,938
19	Bombay (For Aviral OS)	20,00,000
20	Bellary	35,806
21	Berhampur	25,000
22	Bettiah	10,000
23	Bhagalpur	1,03,000
24	Bhopal	1,47,194
25	Bongaigaon	50,000
26	Buxar	37,910
27	Calcutta	95,588
28	Calicut	1,10,000
29	Chikmagalur	1,29,523
30	Chingelput	50,000
31	Cochin	3,00,000
32	Coimbatore	7,38,000
33	Cuddapah	32,750
34	Cuttack-Bhubaneshwar	31,200
35	Daltonganj	25,000
36	Darjeeling	5,73,000

37	Delhi (for Aviral OS 1 Lakh)	2,00,000
38	Dharmapuri	70,000
39	Dibrugarh	70,000
40	Dindigul	1,00,000
41	Diphu	60,000
42	Dumka	56,000
43	Eluru	50,000
44	Gandhinagar	58,110
45	Goa and Daman (For Aviral OS 1,91,079)	1,48,69,220
46	Gulbarga	26,287
47	Gumla	1,45,000
48	Guntur	17,998
49	Gwalior	8,200
50	Guwahati	3,18,445
51	Hazaribagh	1,00,000
52	Hyderabad	1,50,000
53	Imphal	1,75,000
54	Indore	1,30,635
55	Itanagar	50,000
56	Jaipur	1,60,500
57	Jalpaiguri	12,000
58	Jammu-Srinagar	25,000
59	Jamshedpur	1,50,000
60	Jashpur	9,10,210
61	Jhabua	1,35,000
62	Jhansi	1,92,500
63	Jabalpur	2,00,000
64	Jowai	86,730
65	Jalandhar	56,000
66	Kannur	20,800
67	Karwar	2,23,663
68	Khammam	50,000
69	Khandwa	50,000
70	Khunti	35,000
71	Kohima	2,16,205
72	Kottapuram	10,000
73	Kottar	4,89,798
74	Krishnagar	20,000

75	Kumbakonam	15,000
76	Kuzhithurai	25,000
77	Kurnool	12,000
78	Lucknow	32,520
79	Madras-Mylapore (For Aviral OS 1 Lakh)	2,00,000
80	Madurai	1,31,513
81	Mangalore	8,66,876
82	Meerut	3,25,000
83	Miao	34,000
84	Muzzaffarpur	51,200
85	Mysore	3,83,735
86	Nagpur	1,37,554
87	Nalgonda	20,000
88	Nashik	60,000
89	Nellore	25,000
90	Neyyattinkara	5,00,000
91	Nongstoin	50,000
92	Ootacamund	5,85,687
93	Palayamkottai	2,50,000
94	Patna	45,610

95	Pondicherry-Cuddalore	1,85,450
96	Poona	1,37,857
97	Port Blair	2,51,982
98	Punalur	10,000
99	Purnea	88,795
100	Quilon	1,13,482
101	Rayagada	25,000
102	Raiganj	3,50,000
103	Raigarh	1,30,000
104	Raipur	2,36,000
105	Ranchi	2,49,577
106	Rourkela	75,000
107	Sambalpur	49,530
108	Salem	2,04,140
109	Shillong	54,500
110	Shimoga	3,51,282
111	Simdega	1,05,000
112	Simla-Chandigarh	1,24,056
113	Sindhudurg	87,884
114	Sivagangai	1,00,000
115	Srikakulam	25,000
116	Sultanpet	25,000
117	Tezpur	4,60,000
118	Thanjavur	48,980
119	Trivandrum	10,000
120	Tiruchirappalli	5,00,000
121	Tura	1,62,000
122	Tuticorin	1,50,000
123	Udupi	3,31,663
124	Udaipur	20,000
125	Varanasi	70,392
126	Vasai	1,95,000
127	Vellore	1,52,790
128	Verapoly	10,00,000
129	Vijayapuram	50,000
130	Vijayawada	1,41,000
131	Visakhapatnam	1,53,100
132	Warangal	64,000
TOTAL		3,77,46,186

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2023

CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED COMMUNIO SUNDAY

SL NO.	INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION	AMOUNT
1	Unknown Individuals	40,001
2	Mrs. Preethi Jacob	20,000
3	Sr. Anusha Sunitha, PHJC	5,000
4	Mr. Meldrin Xavier	1,000
5	Mr. Issac Rakesh	1,000
6	Mrs. Saisha Rohit	3,000
7	Mr. Yvonne Corol Fernandes	3,000
8	Mrs. Charlotte Fonseca	4,000
9	Mrs. Genevieve Mary	10,000
TOTAL		87,001



CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FROM BASILICAS DURING

2023





CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED FROM BASILICAS DURING 2023

SL NO.	BASILICA NAME	PLACE	AMOUNT
1	St Mary's Basilica	Bangalore	2,17,250
2	Our Lady of Health	Harihar	2,50,000
3	Our Lady of Snows Basilica	Tuticorin	2,00,000
4	Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus	Pondicherry	3,00,000
5	Basilica of Our Lady of Good Health	Velankanni	25,00,000
TOTAL			34,67,250

**THE TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED DURING
THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2022-2023 IS
RS. 4,13,00,437**



**AMOUNT TRANSFERRED
FOR THE PROJECTS
IN THE YEAR 2021**

AMOUNT TRANSFERRED FOR THE PROJECTS IN THE YEAR 2021

SL NO	PROJECT NO.	DIOCESE / REL. CONG.	PROJECT NATURE	AMOUNT GRANTED	PROJECT STATUS
1	2021-1-BLS-1	Balasore	Renovation of parish multipurpose hall	3,59,300	Completed
2	2021-2-BLS-2	Balasore	Village Chapel Roofing at Girdharapur	1,50,000	Completed
3	2021-3-BRP-1	Baruipur	Formation Programs at Pastoral Centre	3,47,700	Completed
4	2021-7-BCC-1	Bongaigaon	Renovation of village Chapel at Gandabil village	1,96,000	Completed
5	2021-11-GAN-1	Gandhinagar	Renovation of a Church in Pethapur	5,00,000	Completed
6	2021-14-IPH-1	Imphal	Renovation of Louphouchum Church, Imphal	4,90,000	Completed
7	2021-19-JWI-1	Jowai	Renovation for Construction of a parish church at Ummulong	5,00,000	Completed
8	2021-20-KHU-1	Khunti	Purchases of AV Equipment's for the Pastoral Centre	3,76,800	Completed
9	2021-22-MIA-1	Miao	Renovation of Duraliang Tezu Parish	5,00,000	Completed
10	2021-23-NAG-1	Nagpur	Renovation of Alma Presbytery	3,00,000	Completed
11	2021-24-PBL-1	Port Blair	Purchases of Motor Cycle for 2 parishes for Pastoral work	1,68,880	Completed
12	2021-25-PBL-2	Port Blair	Roofing works of 2 village Chapels in Port Blair	2,91,700	Completed
13	2021-28-RAN-3	Ranchi	Purchases of Motor Vehicles for Pastoral Works	3,00,000	Completed
14	2021-16-JSP-2	Jamshedpur	Purchases of Solar Light Systems & a Two Wheeler Bike	1,98,708	Completed
15	2021-34-SUL-1	Sultanpet	Renovation of St Anthony's Church, Nellipathy	3,00,000	Completed
TOTAL				49,79,088	



**PROJECTS OF 2021 & 2022
AMOUNT TRANSFERRED IN 2022**

AMOUNT TRANSFERRED FOR THE PROJECTS IN THE YEAR 2022

SL NO	PROJECT NO.	DIOCESE / REL. CONG.	PROJECT NATURE	AMOUNT GRANTED	PROJECT STATUS
1	2021-12-HZR-1	Hazaribagh	Animation Program towards building up a Synodal Church	2,59,645	Completed
2	2021-13-HZR-2	Hazaribagh	Program on Family Renewal	1,36,449	Completed
3	2021-15-JSP-1	Jamshedpur	Renovation of St John Mary Vianney Church Hall	4,57,317	Completed
4	2021-18-JBU-1	Jhabua	Program on Ongoing Formation of 34 Lay Secular Sisters	82,010	Completed
5	2021-30-SDG-1	Simdega	Purchases of Solar light for Pastoral Works	5,00,000	Completed
6	2021-35-TEZ-1	Tezpur	Renovation of Chapel at Dhekidol Village	5,00,000	Completed
7	2021-36-TRP-1	Trichy	Pastoral Animation Program	2,83,960	Completed
8	2022-1-AZW-1	Aizawl	Repairs and Renovation of St. John the Apostie Parish Khawzal	5,00,000	Completed
9	2022-2-BNG-1	Bangalore	Purchases of AVE Studios for Pastoral Works	4,34,240	Completed
10	2022-7-KRCBCYC-1	Karnataka Youth Commission	Faith Formation to the Youth in Karnataka	3,59,142	Completed
11	2022-8-KHM-1	Kohima	Renovation of St John Church in New Vongti	10,00,000	Completed
12	2022-9-PNL-1	Punalur	Renovation of St.Mary's Church at Eram	5,00,000	Ongoing
13	2022-10-RAY	Rayagada	Renovation of St. Thomas church at Bijapur	5,00,000	Completed
14	2022-12-SMP-1	Sambalpur Regional Seminary	Purchases of Motor Bikes for Pastoral Works of Khristo Jyoti Mohavidyaloyo	2,89,757	Completed
15	2022-13-SMP-2	Sambalpur Regional Seminary	Renovation of Staff Quarters at Khristo Jyoti Odisha	2,59,265	Completed
16	2022-18-BRL-1	Bellary	Renovation of a Chapel in Yeddaladinni Village of Manvi Taluk	5,00,000	Completed
17	2022-14 CCBIWOMEN-1	Women's Commission	Animation Program for Catholic Women in the perspective of Synod Church	3,08,488	Completed
18	2022-20 CCBI MEETING-1	CCBI Joint Meeting	Synod Church	52,496	Completed

AMOUNT TRANSFERRED FOR THE PROJECTS IN THE YEAR 2022

19	2022-21 NATIONAL SYNOD-1	National Synod	Synod Church	5,52,749	Completed
20	2022-22 STRATEGIC PLANNING-1	CCBI Strategic Planning	Strategic Planning preparatory meetings	14,390	Completed
21	2022-15 CCBIYOUTH-1	Youth Commission	Program on Faith Formation to Youth	4,75,394	Completed
TOTAL				79,65,302	



**AMOUNT
TRANSFERRED IN 2023
FOR THE PROJECTS OF
2021-22 & 2023**



AMOUNT TRANSFERRED FOR THE PROJECTS IN THE YEAR 2023

SL NO	PROJECT NO.	DIOCESE / REL. CONG.	PROJECT NATURE	AMOUNT GRANTED	PROJECT STATUS
1	2023-1-AGT-1	Agartala	Training Program for Catechists Women and Youth	4,50,000	Completed
2	2023-2-ABK-1	Ambikapur	Roofing of three village chapels intribal villages	5,00,000	Ongoing
3	2023-3-BRD-1	Barada	Faith Formation program for Children, youth and Families	5,00,000	Completed
4	2023-4-BGG-1	Bongaigaon	Renovation of a village chapel in Gandabil village	3,00,000	Ongoing
5	2023-5-CKM-1	Chikmagalur	Roofing the Pastoral centre	5,00,000	Ongoing
6	2023-6-CDP-1	Cuddapah	Renovation of a Chapel at Tenebanda at Chitoor Parish	5,00,000	Ongoing
7	2023-7-CBB-1	Cuttack-Bhubaneswar	Roofing of the village chapel at Dhurarigam of Saramuli	4,00,000	Ongoing
8	2023-8-DLT-1	Daltonganj	Purchases of Bikes for missionary priests for pastoral works	5,00,000	Completed
9	2023-10-DGL-T	Dindigul	Renovation of Our lady of good health Church at Vellianvalasu	5,00,000	Ongoing
10	2023-11-GBG-1	Gulbarga	Purchase of Motor Bike for pastoral works	3,00,000	Completed
11	2023-12-GML-1	Gumla	Renovation of a village chapel at Chatom Bemaria	5,00,000	Completed
12	2023-13-HZR-1	Hazaribagh	Program for Family Renewal	2,02,650	Completed
13	2023-14-HZR-2	Hazaribagh	Program on building up a synod church	2,96,500	Completed
14	2023-15-IDH-1	Imphal	Repairs for the Phaibung Khunou Church	4,95,000	Ongoing
15	2023-16-IPH-2	Imphal -SJSM Relegious Congregation	Educational support to apostolic Students of St. Joseph Convent	2,80,000	Completed
16	2023-17-ITA-1	Itanagar Subansin Kristu Kiran Society, OFM Cap. Congregation	Renovation of a Church at Taklingtak, Monigong Parish	5,00,000	Completed
17	2023-18-JSP-1	Jamshedpur	Purchases of Motor Vehicle for Pastoral works	1,04,151	Completed

AMOUNT TRANSFERRED FOR THE PROJECTS IN THE YEAR 2023

18	2023-20-JSP-3	Jamshedpur	Repair and Renovation of St. Teresa Church Sindri	4,00,000	Completed
19	2023-22-JAS-1	Jashpur	Renovation of St. Xavier's orientation Seminary	2,80,055	Completed
20	2023-23-JBU-1	Jhabua	Renovation of old Chapel at Choti Dhamni	5,00,000	Completed
21	2023-25-KAM-2	Khammam	Renovation of chapel at Narashimapuram	5,00,000	Ongoing
22	2023-26-KAN-1	Khandwa	Youth orientation Program	4,00,000	Completed
23	2023-30-MRT-1	Meerut Meerut Seva Samaj (Society)	Promoting spirituality through skill training for village adolescent girls	2,50,000	Completed
24	2023-31-MIA-1	Miao	Renovation of a village church at Chathong. longding parish	5,00,000	Ongoing
25	2023-32-NAG-1	Nagpur	Repair and Renovation of Presbytery at Garratola mission	5,00,000	Completed
26	2023-33-PLK-1	Palayamkottai	Program on legal and drug awareness for Catholic Youth	5,00,000	Ongoing
27	2023-34-PBL-1	Port Blair	Roofing of the chapel at Habdipur, Ferrargunj parish	5,00,000	Completed
28	2023-35-PNA-1	Pune-National Vocation Service Centre	Repair and Renovation of Fr. Zeitler Memorial Hall	5,00,000	Ongoing
29	2023-36-RGN-1	Raiganj	Ongoing formation of village catechists	5,00,000	Ongoing
30	2023-38-RAN-2	Ranchi	Installation of solar panels at the formation house	4,00,000	Completed
31	2023-39-RAY-1	Rayagada	Renovation of a chapel at Borchiguda	5,00,000	Ongoing
32	2023-40-SMP-1	Sambalpur	Repair works of New Almirahs to provide to minor seminaries	3,29,500	Completed
33	2023-41-SMG-1	Sisters Adorers at Navajyothi Nilaya Religious Congregation	Repair and Renovation of a broken compound wall for the adolescent girls	5,00,000	Completed
34	2023-42-SDG-1	Simdege	Renovation of a village chapel at Kendapani	5,00,000	Completed
35	2023-43-SCG-1	Simla-Chandigarh	Repair of St. Padre Pio prayer hall	4,00,000	Completed

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36	2023-44-SND-1	Sindhudurg	Renovation of Milagris Cathedral	5,00,000	Ongoing
37	2023-45-SVG-1	Sivagangai	Repairs in the newly constructed church of St. Annai Teresa church	4,75,000	Completed
38	2023-46-TEZ-1	Tezpur	Renovation of chapel at Majulikhuti village under rowta parish	5,00,000	Completed
39	2023-47-TUT-1	Tuticorin	To distribute of bible to materialize Foster a Biblical Movement	5,00,000	Completed
40	2023-48-VLR-1	Vellore	Renovation of a St Joseph's church at Veppampattu	5,00,000	Completed
41	2023-49-WRG-1	Warangal	Spiritual Program in Tribal villages of Banjara Mission	5,00,000	Ongoing
42	2023-50 CCBIYOUTH-1	Youth Commission	Faith formation of youth National youth conference	8,03,601	Completed
43	2023-51 CCBIWOMEN-1	Women's Commission	Pastoral program to empower women in the church and society	2,23,342	Completed
44	2023-54- COMMUNIO ANIMATION-1	Communio Animation Programs	Animation program for CCBI & Regional commissions	86,475	Ongoing
45	2023-55 CCBISUPER30-1	CCBI Strategic Planning Meeting	Communio Promotions on the methodology of the strategic planning for the CCBI	16,23,829	Completed
46	2023-56-BLR-1	Bellary	Renovation of Christ the king church, Kushtagi Taluka	7,50,000	Completed
47	2023-57-BLR-2	Bellary - Poor Clare's Monastery	Renovation of the perpetual adoration monastery	10,00,000	Completed
48	2023-58-JAS-1	Jashpur - Servants of Mary Congregation	Purchase of a vehicle for sisters of Kotba	98,000	Completed
49	2023-59-KNL-T	Kurnool	Renovation of new Chapel at Kalugotia Village	5,00,000	Ongoing
50	2023-61-SMG-1	Shimoga	Furnishing the newly constructed mother of God Church	5,00,000	Completed

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51	2023-62-SKL-1	Srikakulam	Renovation of the Chapel at Eguva Sankili	7,00,000	Completed
52	2023-67 CCBI THEOLOGY-1	Theology Commission	National Symposium on Human Dignity and Pastoral Accompaniment of the vulnerable	2,46,238	Completed
53	2023-72-VLR-1	Vellore	Faith formation program to the youth	1,00,000	Completed
54	2023-73 CCBI BIBLE-1	Jubilee 2025	Jubilee 2025	97,886	Ongoing
55	2023-75-IPH-3	Imphal	Repair and Renovation a Centre for youth Animation	35,00,000	Ongoing
56	2023-G6-CCBI-LAITY-1	Laity Commission	Laity training at regional and diocesan levels	2,82,959	Completed
57	2023-76 CCBI BEC-1	Basic Ecclesial Communities	General Meeting	35,000	Completed
58	2023-9-DLT-2	Daltonganj	Renovation of Viaaney Bhawan	5,00,000	Ongoing
59	2021-3-BRP-1	Baruipur	Formation Programs at Pastoral Centre	2,46,196	Completed
60	2022-8-KHM-1	Kohima	Renovation of St. John Church in New Vongti Village	2,50,000	Completed
61	2022-9-PNL-1	Punalur	Renovation of St. Mary's Church at Eram	5,00,000	Ongoing
62	2021-17-JAS-1	Jashpur	Construction of Village Chapel at Gondekona Madhwa	6,00,000	Completed
63	2022-16 CCBI MEDIA-1	Media Commission	Promoting the image of the Indian church through videos	82,502	Completed
64	2023-68 CCBI CANON-1	Canon Law Commission	Formation of the Judicial Vicars	2,23,305	Completed
65	2023-77- COMMUNIO- VOULNTEERS-1	Communio Volunteer's Program	Volunteer's Program for the Youths	1,93,348	Ongoing
TOTAL				3,09,11,312	

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SL. No.	PROJECT NO.	COMMISSIONS	PROJECT NATURE	AMOUNT GRANTED	PROJECT STATUS
1	2022-19-CCBIMIGRANTS-1	Migrant Commission	Outreach work for the poor in the slums of Pali, Govindapuri and Visakpuri in Delhi	3,97,600	Completed
2	2022-52-CCBIEDU-1	Education Apostolate	Capacity Building towards Education Apostolate	40,892	Ongoing
3	2023-64-CCBI BIOETHIC-1	Bio Ethics Forum	National Colloquium of the Current Issues in Health and Healthcare : Challenges for Catholic Bioethics	3,46,053	Completed
4	2023-70-CCBI-YOUTH-2	Youth Commission	Youth Social Outreach Program	6,38,000	Completed
5	2023-74-CCBI-WOMEN-2	Women's Commission	Outreach programs for Catholic Women	2,41,456	Completed
TOTAL				16,64,001	



PROJECTS APPROVED, AMOUNT YET TO BE TRANSFERRED



PROJECTS GRANTED IN THE YEAR 2023 THROUGH COMMUNIO PASTORAL SOCIETY & AVIRAL OUTREACH SOCIETY

SL. NO	PROJECT NO.	DIOCESE / REL. CONG. / COMMISSIONS	PROJECT NATURE	PROJECT STATUS	PROJECT STATUS
1	2023-53 Communio Training-1	Communio Volunteers Training	Training program for Communio Volunteers, Translators, and Collaborators	Scheduled in 2024	Ongoing
2	2023-75 Communio Directors-1	Communio Directors	Communio Directors Meeting	Scheduled in 2024	Ongoing
3	2023-65 CCBIHEALTH-1	Health Apostolate	Animation and Coordination Program	Scheduled in 2024	Ongoing
4	2023-69 CCBISOCIAL-1	CCBI Social Apostolate	Orientation- cum-Workshops of all the Regional Directors of Social Work	Scheduled in 2024	Ongoing



COMMUNIO VOLUNTEERSHIP

A MISSION ANIMATION PROGRAMME

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Be a Synodal
Missionary Leader

- Cardinal Filipe Neri Ferrão

30 young leaders, from 10 regions of India, participated and took pledge to become Communio missionaries in rural India, during the 5-day Mission Animation Programme - 'Communio Volunteership', which was organised by Communio in collaboration with CCBI Youth Commission.

The programme was inaugurated on March 19, 2024 at Shanti Sadan, Benaulim, Goa in the presence of Most Rev. Ignatius D'Souza, Chairman of Commission for Youth and Bishop of Bareilly Diocese.

The programme culminated on March 23, 2024, with the celebration of Holy Mass by Cardinal Filipe Neri Ferrão, President of CCBI and Archbishop of Goa and Daman, Chairman of Communio. Bestowing his blessing upon the participants,

His Eminence, led the participants into taking the Communio Pledge and awarded them with participation certificates. In his valedictory remarks, he urged the participants to “Be a Synodal Missionary Leader” and emphasized on the importance of walking alongside others, listening attentively and extending compassion to those in need.

The programme comprised a series of informational, inspirational and motivational talks, by different speakers. Rev. Dr. Stephen Alathara, Deputy Secretary General of CCBI and Director of Communio, gave a detailed insight into the Church in India, CCBI and its Commissions. Rev. Fr. Vignan Das, Associate Director of Communio, gave a descriptive idea about Communio, its pillars, objectives and its accomplishments.





Rev. Fr. Chetan Machado, Executive Secretary, Youth Commission, presented the stories of young missionary Saints in the Church. Rev. Dr. Cyril Victor, Coordinator for CCBI Media Apostolate, and Communion Stakeholders, Ms. Angela Nayak and Ms. Anastasia Pinto explained about how the Media in particular could be used as a tool in mission and for evangelisation.



Rev. Fr. Dominic Pinto, from Lucknow shared his testimony, narrating the sequence of his arrest-to-release, despite his innocence and encouraged participants to become prayerful, courageous and prudent missionaries. The participants themselves, also shared their own Christ-encounter stories in groups through the days.



Rev. Fr. Anil D'Sa S.D.B., former Youth Director, Bangalore Archdiocese, conducted different energising group dynamics daily, which gave participants an experiential learning platform.

Planning sessions for mission outreach were conducted, during which the participants signed-up to embark on a mission journey. Two batches, each comprising of at least 12 will venture into





mission in the months of July and August this year i.e., 2024, to two Dioceses in North-East, one in Meghalaya and the other in Arunachal Pradesh.

Utmost attention was given to conducting the programme in the ambience of daily prayer, reflection and Holy Mass. Additionally, a pilgrimage to significant missionary sites was organised, which furthered the missionary zeal and a familial spirit in the participants.

Participants were equipped with Communio Volunteer ID Cards and a Communio Kit, which contained a bag, water-bottle, T-shirts and a cap that reinforced their missionary spirit for their upcoming missionary journey.



COMMUNIO MEDIA INITIATIVES



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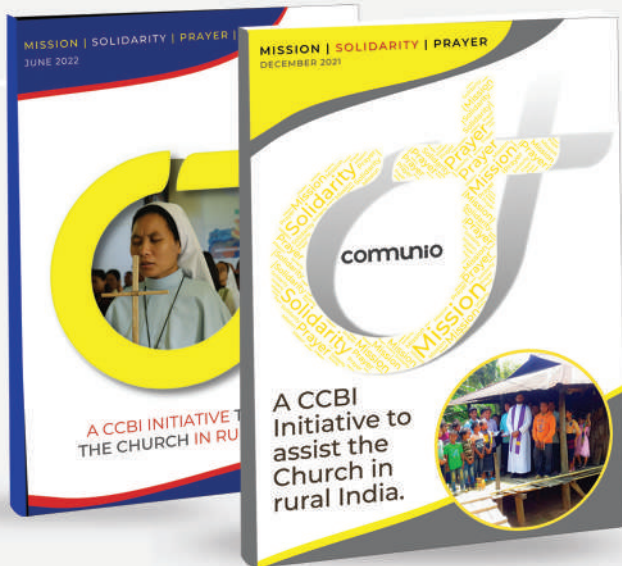
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SOCIAL MEDIA



CAUSES WE SUPPORT

SUVARTA

01



Being nourished by the Word of God, the faithful walk an extra mile to feed the other with the life-giving word. It is high time that the 'gospel poverty' ended.

CATECHESIS

02



The one who is fed with the word of God needs the sustenance, and this is done through catechesis, where an individual grows and matures in Catholic faith.

FORMATION

03



A lay person who volunteers, a religious brother / sister / father who professes vows, and a priest who is ordained have longer years of formation.

MOVEMENTS

04



Led by the Spirit, the Church moves to the realms of divine enlightenment, education, healthcare, social work, and ecological care, involving everyone.

INITIATIVES

05



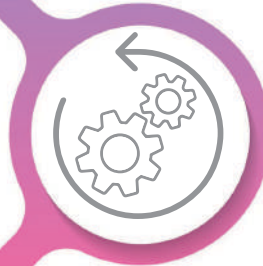
We begin small, and we begin now. Any initiative, individual or collective, will wipe the tear from our neighbor in need.

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for a specific cause

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LEAVE A LEGACY
by making a note
in your will



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the formation of a seminarian
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04
SUPPORT
a mission



05
VOLUNTEER
by giving your time
and energy

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3 PILLARS

PRAYER

“Beloved, I pray that all may go well with you!”
(3 Jn 2)



SOLIDARITY

“By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another (Jn 13:35)



MISSION

“How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news?”
(Rm 10:15)

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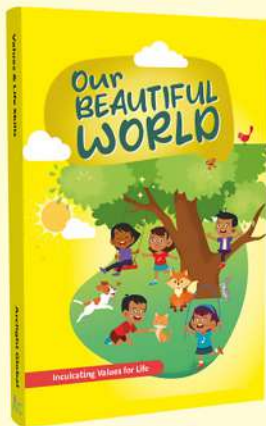
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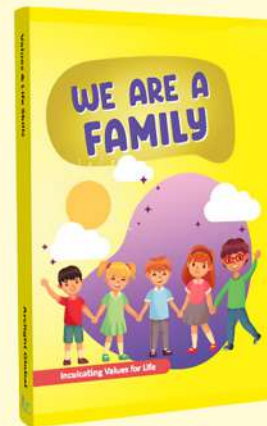
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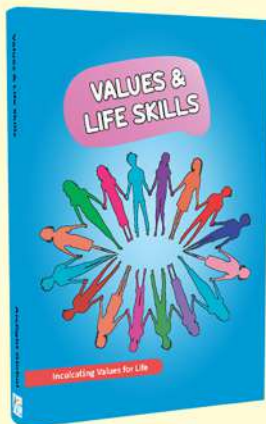
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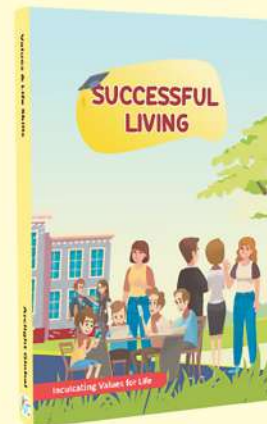
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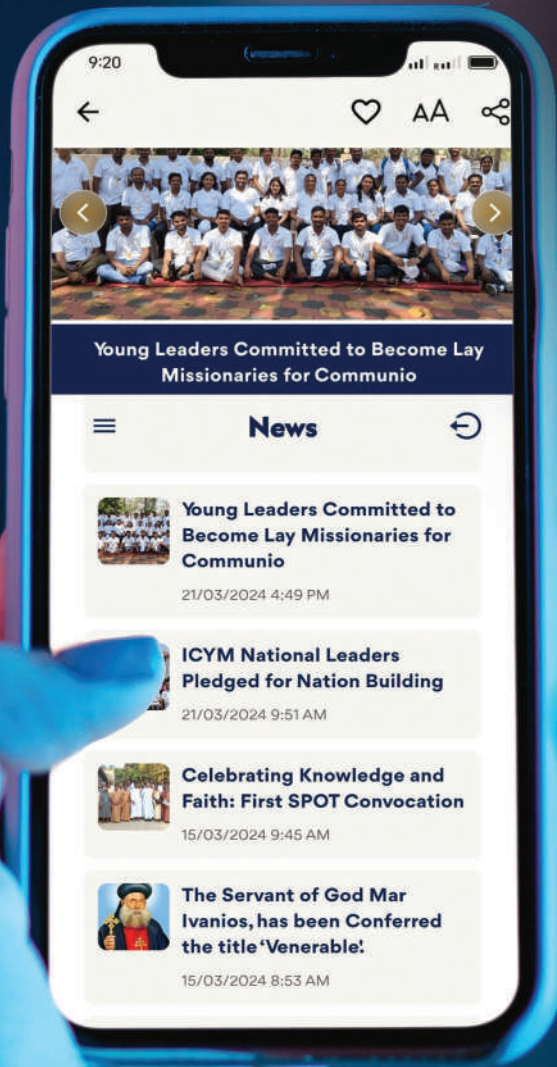
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