



From Moderator's Desk... Becoming salt and light

You are the salt of the earth... You are the light of the world...(Matt. 5:13-14)

We are a church based organization. We have our vision. It is based on the Bible. In simple and biblical language we say it as: becoming salt and light to the suffering masses.

It is adding meaning in the life of people so that they

may live quality of life. It is like giving our shoulder to a person who could keep his head on it and cry out to express his feeling of losing his dear ones, it is like standing beside a woman who is facing domestic violence, it is giving opportunity to a rag picker child to learn and play. We may have and may not have resources with us, but a com-

mitted life and heart of compassion is enough to become salt and light to the suffering masses.

May God use us as salt and light in this world for those who have lost the taste of life and are living in complete darkness.

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Towards Self Sustainability

The development staffs of Machhilipatnam have come up with a new way of self sustainability and supporting the Program activities. They have started a transportation business.

HCC has contributed Rs. 1,75,000 for this initiative. Rev. Yeshudas, the Development Officer, along with Mrs. Suvarna, the Community Organizer, have bought a three wheeler good carrier (Piaggio Ape) and let it for local transportation.

The vehicle is earning for them a profit of Rs. 200 per day. The Development Officer is able to generate the

salary of the Community Organizer and to run the Balwadi classes for the children in project location.

The field staff express thankfulness for the contribution made by HCC for the purchase of the vehicle. The parents of the children

also express their thankfulness for continuing the Balwadi Classes.

Actually thanks goes to Pastor Lars Leven of furuhjds kyrkan in Sweden, who have financially supported for this initiative.

Please Pray for:

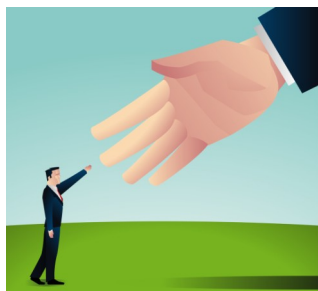
- Church Council to be held on 6th Aug 2011
- Evangelical & Church work in Pune.
- Ordination of 29 pastors on 7th Aug 2011
- Staffs initiating self sustainable projects
- CSWs initiating business on Holy Communion wafers making



Ongoing projects...

At present HCC/CSS is successfully implementing 11 projects. Those projects are:

1. Rag Pickers' Project, Mumbai
2. Restoring Lost Childhood Project, Pune
3. CSW Rehabilitation Project, Pune
4. Micro Finance Project, Pune
5. Alcoholic Rehabilitation Project, Supa
6. Boy's Hostel Project, Rampurwadi
7. Tribal Development Project, Dang
8. Tribal Development Project, Chopda
9. Rehabilitation of Persecuted Christians, Kandhamal
10. Women and Youth Empowerment Project, Shrinagar
11. Program 09-11 (Continuing with its own resources)



News updates

1. HCC English Medium school had 100% result in SSC board examination
2. HCC EMS is initiating junior college this year
3. HCC St. John's School Gulbarga shifting to its new premise on 15th August 11

Construction work at Saharanpur

HCC plans to construct a church in Saharanpur for the new believers so that they come together to worship. So far these 195 members are meeting for worship at the house of the HCC Pastor. It has been difficult to make sitting arrangements when all the members are present for worship.

The Pastor lives in a rented house which is in a residen-

tial area, therefore some of the neighbour oppose to conduct worship service at home.

Thus, there is a need to construct a church building so that almost 300 members come together for worship. It is also used in week days for conducting prayer meetings, women's meetings, Sunday school and youth meetings. It also will provide space for parsonage.

If possible, this construction can be used for initiating a pre nursery school for poor small children, who cannot afford high fees of standard schools in the city.

HCC has contributed Rs. 6,00,000 for the purchase of land for the construction of Church building and seek financial support for the construction work.

Involve yourself in the evangelical work at Saharanpur

A volunteer from North Park, USA

Root, Hannah Joy, from North Park USA is involved in ongoing work of HCC and she says, "It has been a great joy to spend the last five weeks becoming acquainted with the families and teaching the children in Ramtedki. The same can be said about the fellowship I

have had with the women in the CSW Rehabilitation House. HCC has welcomed me like a close family member. And I am very grateful for the kindness everyone in HCC has shown me. I am excited for all the wonderful ways God is using HCC here in India."



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