

Reaching The Unreached

G. Kallupatti, Near Batlagundu, Theni Dt. 625203

Happenings of February 2011

Dear Well-wishers,

Greetings from RTU.



This month we had our Inter-departmental committee (IDC) meetings. It was a time of renewal for all the departments. Since the evaluators are aware of all the factors, their judgements are more mature and progress oriented. This time we scheduled our meetings only in the afternoons. The beneficiaries especially the children from child-care programme and schools expressed their opinion very spontaneously.

We had half a day of finding our areas of improvement of RTU under animation of Mr. V.C. Nadarajan. It was only a diagnosing meeting. We have planned series of meetings for the first and second level staff in the future.

Child Care:

A meeting for the parents and relatives of the 12th standard girls was organised. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss with them about the future possibilities for their children and made aware of their responsibilities and cooperation while the girls are in other institutions for their professional courses.

The mothers and the wardens went out for a day of picnic to Dindigul. They had very good time of coming together to relax.

13 of our children completed their professional training. 11 have completed General nursing and 2 Auxiliary Nursing. We wish them very bright future.



Education:

Our 12th standard students finished their final practical exams. They have done excellently well and are preparing themselves for the theory exams in March. The children of 5th, 10th and 12th standard were taken for a day of outing to Madurai. They enjoyed the trip and happy to see many places in Madurai.

Our educational institutions have become a centre of learning. We had three trainees from the neighbouring college for a month long placement training in our preschools.

5 extra classrooms are being built in Nirmala Middle School, of which three would be used for Science Lab and Library and Computer Centre.



Home Sponsorship Programme (HSP) and AIDS Home Sponsorship Programme (AHSP)



There were three youth seminars. Altogether 85 youth participated in them. It is a chance for them to learn more life skills.

Housing and Water:



Another four houses have been completed in Kullapuram. In Soolapuram the construction of 50 houses are nearing the end. Another village called Karattupatti has been selected by Brother and now providing basic facilities, like water etc. are on.

You might have received our annual report 2010 by now. If you have not received them yet please contact us. Your support and encouragement push us forward to serve the needy in our target area.

May God bless you all!

Yours fraternally
Fr. J. Antony Paulsamy, OFM Cap.
Secretary.