



Care for Our Common Home

RNDM News

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide news of RNDM involvement in actions and activities related to our ministry of Caring for Our Common Home.

Good news story from India Central Province:

“Daily duties are the same for all, but the way of doing them differs from one to the other. That is why we carry out our ordinary responsibility with all the care and attention possible. GOD and GOD ALONE is the principal motive for all our actions”.
Euphrasie Barbier 1870

Here in Park Circus Community, we have a dedicated gardener who takes great interest in tending to the potted plants with love and care. In the month of January 2025, she planted lettuce seeds in disposable plastic drinking cups. Within 7 to 10 days, once the seeds sprouted into seedlings, she enthusiastically transplanted them into small pots. She nurtured them using fermented fruit and vegetable peels, rice water, used tea leaves, and crushed egg shells – adding them little by little each day.



Within a month, we had fresh lettuce ready for salad in our chapel garden. The teachers who visited the chapel daily admired the gardener’s wonderful work.
Rita Marak

Gift Of Mother Earth Cherished With Gratitude

“Imagine the Earth saying thank you while the wind whispers through the leaves, sharing her joy in giving us so much. She is happiest when we cherish her gifts”.

October to February are good months for growing vegetables. We are blessed with a good piece of land, where we grew many types of vegetables such as tomato, radish, French beans, cow peas, bitter gourd, cabbage, peanut, yam and many leafy greens. Our Aspirants and sisters worked hard to produce these vegetables.



We took keen interest to prepare natural fertilizer with vegetable peels, dry grass, leaves, and cow dung. Even though we do not have cows, yet we got enough cow dung. Our aspirants faithfully went to the paddy fields and collected it, which later transformed into a potent fertilizer, which enriched the soil’s fertility. We feel a profound connection to mother Earth as we dig, plant, water, and nurture her with love and care.

We enjoyed fresh vegetables for almost six months. The more we cared for the plants and land, the better our harvest became. We shared our vegetables with our neighbor communities, spreading the joy of nature’s gifts. Connecting with nature brought us peace and fulfillment.



As stewards of the RNDM Earth community, we continue our journey of small, loving steps each day, nurturing our precious planet with tenderness, gentle care, and deep respect for the free gifts of Mother Earth. Anima Lakra

