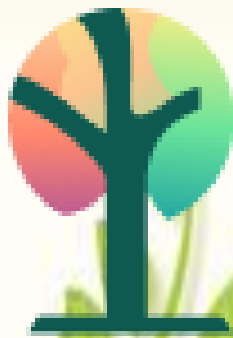




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ARO'S Commitment

to



LAUDATO SI'
Action Platform



During the course of the Year, Auxilium Reach Out undertook various environmental related activities keeping in mind the **Laudato Si' Action Platform**. As an Organization, ARO has done its best to carry on the prophetic message of **Pope Francis' Laudato Si'** to all our beneficiaries scattered in the four States of **North East India** namely **Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur and Nagaland**.

Highlights of the activities carried out so far:

➤ **CELEBRATION OF THE SEASON OF CREATION:**

From September 1 to October 4, 2021 the Season of creation was celebrated in many of our Project Regions. At ARO central office, it was celebrated on 5th September, 2021 with the women beneficiaries who had come from different parts of Assam. The need to celebrate the gift of creation was highlighted while also focusing on



responsible and sustainable use of the natural resources available for daily existence.



➤ **COMMON ACTION PLAN:**

On 27th November, 2021 **"A Laudato Si' Plan of Action"** was formulated. Women, youth and children in our regions received clear information about the Laudato Si' Goals. The Action Plan was shared with various groups of women, youth and children.



➤ EARTH DAY

On 22nd May, 2022 members of Neighbourhood Children Parliament (NCP) observed “Earth Day” at Auxilium Home Campus. 25 trees were planted around the School campus that day. The motivation was to save the **MOTHER EARTH** from all kinds of pollutions and destructions.



➤ WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

All 10 NCP Centres celebrated the World Environment Day on 5th June, 2022.



NCP members took action plan to protect “The One Earth” for a better future.

Children sought the help of various Forest Department for sapling plantation. Some 200 and more saplings were planted by NCP members in their

neighborhood. A “**GREEN PLEDGE**” was introduced and taken in all the 10 project areas.



➤ **CLEANLINESS DRIVE**

2 days of Cleanliness Drive was organized in Auxilium Bordumsa Centre. The NCP members under the guidance of the local animator and coordinator took the initiative to reach out to 3 villages namely:

- Kumung Pathar I
- Kumung Pathar II
- Kumung Pathar III



Children's felt need for a clean and safe environment was realized.

➤ **RALLY**

Rally, posture making were organized on care for the Environment in project areas wherein children, youth, parents involved actively.



➤ **DRAWING COMPETITION**

Drawing competition was organized in different NCP centres on topics such as Care for Environment, Child Labour, promotion of peace, Education. Such competition improved children's creativity and love for the Environment.

