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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 from India Centre Province:



The **Goaltuli** community (INC) took the initiative to plant 25 different kinds of tree plants in our own land recently. The sisters have cultivated some vegetables for daily use such as ladyfingers, yam, chilly, bitter gourd, beans, etc. Our land is a very low land and during the rainy season, the grass grows very fast and thick. Therefore very often we have to cut or pull out the grass and weeds.



We also take care of our flower garden at both the house and school. Sisters take care of them with much love, care and interest.



We guide the students on the theme of care for our common home. The earth is God's gift to us, full of beauty and wonder, where the fruits of the earth belong to everyone.

We teach the children to take care of the school premises, picking up plastics, papers, etc. They are also given the awareness to bring home-made Tiffin to school instead of purchasing them from the shops packed with papers and plastics. We also train them to conserve water and natural resources. We educate the children about the values of plants since they have life. It is our responsibility to protect the earth; our common home.



*"The **harmony** between the Creator, humanity and creation as a whole was **disrupted** by our presuming to take the place of God and refusing to acknowledge our creaturely **limitations**." [\(Laudato Si', 66\)](#)*