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In the Anambra West Division, located in Nigeria, a fence building has been completed. This fenced land has greatly enhanced the perception of the Salvation Army as a viable and attractive movement in Otolo. It has also encouraged the local officers and soldiers to proceed in the development of the Salvation Army in their own communities and to secure the land against invaders

#### **Central Argentina**

#### Rio Cuarto

In the Central Argentina division, the Rio Cuarto Outpost has set up a sewing area in the Captain Carmen's garage where she and one of her soldiers teach Home League ladies how to sew using professional sewing machines. The officer purchased the three sewing machines and all of the necessary materials needed from Buenos Aires. The goal is to make clothing that will sell well in the area, which include: sweatshirts, tshirts, and sport jackets. Working with the Captain are two ladies and one gentleman.

Recently, a dress making course held once a week for the community and the Home League members has commenced. This project has benefited the Salvation Army greatly as a means of communication by connecting them with the community at large. The local team experienced a great deal of motivation and considered this project as an opportunity to develop their capacity and creativity. The outpost has already received the first income due to the selling of the first production of clothing!





Sewing Enterprise Ministry in Argentina

## HEAR YE! HEAR YE! IDEAS WELCOME!

Does your Corps have a unique way of raising funds for the International Self Denial World Mission fund (formerly known as World Services)? In the February 2008 issue of PARTNERS IN MISSION, we will feature your ideas. If you have any thing that you would like to share, feel free to email:

Rebecca\_Phillips@use.salvationarmy.org with a brief description of your fund raising ideas and the name of your corps. Pictures welcome! Deadline for submission is January 25<sup>th</sup>.

## CAN YOU HEAR THE CALL? HANDS ON 2008...

In June of 2008, the Salvation Army Eastern Territory will be sending two teams overseas to serve for a period of eight weeks. If you feel that God is calling you to spend a summer in service to Him in another country, call (845) 620-7234 for an application or email

Rebecca\_phillips@use.salvationarmy.org In your email, please include name, address, phone number, and age. Applicants must be 18 years old by June 1, 2008 and an active Salvationist. Applications can also be obtained from your DYS and corps officer.

For more information feel free to contact: Rebecca Phillips, Partners in Mission Coordinator at:Rebecca\_phillips@use.salvationarmy.org



The purpose of this newsletter is to inform, encourage awareness, share prayer concerns, and

According to International Headquarters, the purpose of the Partners program is two-fold:

- To facilitate the raising of increased contributions by Salvationists and the public for the International Self Denial Fund
- To create relationships whereby Salvationists can engage in mutual support in the shared task of world evangelism.

The following countries / territories / commands are Partners In Mission with the Eastern Territory:

-Brazil -Eastern Europe -Estonia -Ghana Territory -India Eastern -India National Secretariat -India South Western -Italy -Nigeria -Papua New Guinea -SALT College -Singapore, Malaysia, and Myanmar -Sri Lanka

#### **OVERSEAS MINISTRIES**

The International Salvation Army is currently functioning in 115 countries of the world. Biblical materials and songbooks are printed in 175 different languages.



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We have ministries in: 19 African countries 15 South American countries Micronesia Cuba Puerto Rico The Caribbean Canary Islands Throughout Western Europe India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh 14 South Pacific and East Asian countries Russia and Eastern Europe North America

#### Among our many social programs, the Salvation Army has :

-25 general hospitals -8 maternity hospitals -6,480 doctors/medics -44 health education programs -643 kindergarten/sub-primary schools -926 primary schools -275 middle and high schools -89 vocational training schools -746 colleges, universities, staff training and distance learning centers





### Singapore, Malaysia, and Myanmar Territory

In West Malaysia at Puchong Kuala Lumpur, a four story shop / office block was purchased as a regional centre for Malaysia and specifically for Kuala Lumpur. This building significantly contributes to the need for expansion of programs and services, and also assists in raising the profile of the Salvation Army in this cosmopolitan city.

The Malaysia Public Relations office has relocated from a very cramped condition at the Kuala Lumpur Corps to the second floor of a modern, spacious facility which provides offices, a conference room, and a meeting room. A Liason Officer for Malaysia has been appointed to represent the Territorial Commander in Malaysian affairs. This officer is also located in this building as a result of a desire to reach out in to the developing and fast growing community in the area of Kuala Lumpur. Community Services has also relocated to Puchong and their programs and services run from within this building as well.

In Banting in the West Malaysia division, the Salvation Army purchased a newly constructed terrace house in a residential development on the outskirts of Banting Township. The location of the quarters is in the newer area of the town and therefore is well positioned and assessable. Additional to purchasing the guarters, the Salvation Army supplied the home with furnishings. It was important that the Salvation Army have quarters to help consolidate the presence of the Army in Banting where there is a thriving Tamil speaking congregation.

The Officer can now dwell peacefully in the house and take care of the spiritual leadership of the Soldiers. Before the construction of the quarters, the Officer lived in a rental house and was a considerable distance away from the corps. This made pastoring the church guite difficult, but because of this new facility, the Soldier's and the Officer are able to be in more direct contact.

# Banting Corps Officer's Quarters West Malasya









### India South Western

In the Nedumangad division, there is a beautiful new corps in Vettampally. The Salvation Army India South Western Territory constructed this remarkable hall for worship, now known as the Perumpally corps. It has the capacity to hold two hundred people, and is decorated and furnished with fans, tube lights, and fancy lights by the people of that community. "Implementation of this project boosts the enthusiasm of the people in worshipping and serving God. They considered it an answer to their prayer for long years. This will help the future ministry of the Salvation Army. With the implementation of the project, they have a church hall having sufficient place to worship together, can gather together for home league, young people can do their meetings and programs, junior home league, and other programs can conduct. All of these activities will strengthen the work of the Salvation Army and will be a great impact in the community for Jesus Christ. Thus, the implementation of the project will be a strong support to the mission of the Salvation Army." (Commissioner Chimanbhai Waqhela)

In the Peermade division, the Salvation Army India South Western Territory constructed a beautiful officer's quarters for the Pazhayaviduthy corps. The quarters have a sitting room, three bedrooms, a kitchen, an attached bath room and a store room.

"I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that he who began a good work n you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus" (Philippians 1:3-6).



## India Eastern Territory

In Aizawl, India at the Salvation Army Territorial Headquarters, a fly over bridge has been constructed between Booth Mansion Hall and the Temple Main gate, as well as a new dining hall, kitchen, and a newly furnished guest room. These additions will benefit the Salvation Army as they host visitors in their building. The people of India Eastern Territory are quite proud of their headquarters and are grateful for the assistance of the USA Eastern Territory in this project.

In the Midland division, at the Sesawng corps, the Salvation Army is now able to have regular Y.P. meetings in their own Y.P Prayer Hall. The people of Sesawng are most thankful to USA Eastern Territory for their generous giving that has made this possible.

In the Southern Division of India, in the town of Lunglei, the Salvation Army has completed their Divisional Headquarters. Within this structure, there is a room for the Divisional Commander, the Divisional Youth Secretary, Cashiers rooms, a Council room and a DDWM and WDO room. The Divisional Commander and his family live comfortably and happily on the top of the building – and wish to thank the USA Eastern Territory for their support and willingness to help through this project.



*Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of*