



LIFE CHALLENGE INTERNATIONAL

2016
Newsletter

LIFE CHALLENGE MANIPUR "Hope Is Victory"

Life Challenge began its mission to Manipur in 2005. Over the past 11 years, hundreds of men, women & children have been helped through various LC programs.

Kakching Life School

Life School was started in 2013 with the purchase of a 2-acre property and construction of classrooms and office.



Residential Life School Campus

Boarding facilities were later added to provide residential school options for orphaned children and those from homes affected by addiction & HIV. Currently there are 45 children in the boarding hostels.



Sports Day at Life School

Life School provides education from kindergarten to 8th grade. Children from the community also attend Life School as day scholars. There are 14 teaching and 5 hostel staff to serve at the school.



50 feet deep tube well installed to provide clean water for the school

100 bed vision for 2017



For 2017, Life Challenge has registered with the Manipur Children's Commission to provide residential care for 100 children orphaned / affected by HIV.

Project Plan for HIV Widows



Life Challenge is in discussion with Manipur Baptist Convention (MBC) about ways to help thousands of HIV widows in Manipur. Tailoring units are currently run by MBC (photo above). LC is working to open units in 2017

Kota LC - 5th Anniversary



Staff & interns of Kota Life Challenge. Each with a powerful testimony of transformation from a lifestyle of crime & addiction.

Kota Life Challenge Men's Center located in State of Rajasthan in West India has completed 5 years of recovery for men who struggle with addictions to drugs & alcohol.

LIFE CHALLENGE PHILOSOPHY

"Transforming Lives
one life at a time"

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Kota conducts outreach inside the prisons of Rajasthan inviting men to LC after their jail terms.

Kota Life Challenge was started in 2011, when Samson Massey, a graduate of Bangalore Life Challenge had a burden to start a center in his hometown.

Samson came to Life Challenge after being in & out of jail for 6 years. A building was donated for the center and a group of local community leaders came forward to help fulfill the vision.

The 40 bed center is run in the Hindi language, with a focus on men who have spent time in jail because of addiction.



Kota Life Challenge Director Samson Massey & family.

Vellore LC - 10th Anniversary

Since 2006, more than 300 men have gone through the doors of Vellore Life Challenge.

VLC located in Tamil Nadu, South India has completed 10 years of recovery for men struggling with drugs & alcohol.

The center was started by Mrs Padmini Prasad, a retired school teacher, who recruited Vishwabrahma, a graduate of Bangalore Life Challenge to help start a men's center for the Tamil speaking population of South India.

Graduates of the 12-18 month program lead addiction-free lives with many actively involved in ministry & outreach along with their business and jobs.



Vellore Life Challenge students at the outdoor chapel of the 30 bed men's residential center.



Founding Director Mrs. Padmini Prasad & Managing Trustee Mr. PV Prasad.



VLC Outreach teams visit nearby villages twice a week conducting addiction awareness

LIFE CHALLENGE WOMEN'S PROGRAM



Free tailoring training and certification is provided for women from all religious & social backgrounds.



Women who completed the tailoring certification course at Graduation program.

Women's Center - 5th Anniversary

Red Hills Life Challenge Women's Center in Chennai completed 5 years of service through the Dorcas Tailoring Institute.

Red Hills Center

Red Hills Life Challenge in Chennai runs Dorcas Tailoring Institute to provide training for women from homes affected by alcoholism. The courses are run during the week and last for 3 months.

Over 300 women from different backgrounds have completed the tailoring course.

Some have started their own tailoring businesses while others have joined garment industries for employment.

Rajiv Gandhi Center

A counseling and community development center, for families affected by alcoholism and abuse, is run in Rajiv Gandhi Nagar in Chennai.



Director & staff at Rajiv Gandhi Life Challenge which offers free courses and computer training for children affected by alcoholism.

Chennai Life Challenge Flood Relief

Chennai Life Challenge teams provided relief services for those affected by the flood in early 2016.



Director Wesley Lucas with relief materials of kerosene stoves, mats & household items.

Children's camps & clubs bringing addiction awareness.

Chennai and South India faced one of the worst floods in recent years with many of the rural areas badly affected.

Chennai Life Challenge has 7 locations of ministry within the city and relief efforts and distribution of essentials were carried out by the teams.

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Addiction is a complicated bio-psycho-socio-spiritual disease.

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Chennai LC conducts after school programs and sports & education clubs for children of the slums & streets.

Chennai's Girls Rescue Home is a residential safe haven for children from the streets or from homes affected by alcoholism and child abuse.

Dimapur Men's center expanded

Dimapur Life Challenge in Nagaland, North East India has added a dorm to expand its capacity to 30 beds.



Barnabas Dorm that has probation room and housing for men.

The men's center in Nagaland was started in 2007. For the past 9 years, Dimapur LC has helped men from all over Nagaland and neighboring states of North East India.

Nagaland shares an international border with Myanmar and for many decades has been devastated by drugs & alcohol.

Outreach Efforts

Dimapur LC conducts active outreach programs in the border towns of Mon & Aboi through recovery camps and community outreach events.

The center has a regular outreach into Dimapur Central Jail with plans to run a 12 step program inside the prison.

LIFE CHALLENGE MEN'S CENTERS



Dimapur staff & students involved in community development work. DLC teams are actively involved in the society through awareness programs, jail visits and outreach activities



Bangalore Life Challenge new facility on the city outskirts.



Chapel service inside Bangalore LC's 30 bed center

Bangalore's New Facility

Bangalore Life Challenge has completed Phase One of a new men's residential facility on the outskirts of Bangalore.

For the past 13 years, Bangalore Life Challenge has run its program inside a 3 story facility in the heart of Bangalore city. The facility has lacked outdoor space and physical exercise options for the men in recovery.

Last year construction began for facility on a beautiful property in the outskirts.

Bangalore LC is one of the premier recovery programs of India, with men coming to the center from all over the world.

The new 30 bed facility will give residents an opportunity to interact outdoors away from the crowded city.

Being a lock-in facility, a new 8-foot fence was installed around the property and will be ready for full occupancy by the early 2017.

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