

RAMAKRISHNA MATH AND RAMAKRISHNA MISSION

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SERVICE ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission are worldwide, non-political, non-sectarian spiritual organizations which have been engaged in various forms of humanitarian, social service activities for more than 125 Years. Inspired by the ideals of renunciation and service, the monks and lay devotees of the Math and Mission serve millions of men, women and children, without any distinction of caste, religion or race, because they see the living God in them. These twin organizations have set in motion a non-sectarian, universal spiritual movement which has been silently working for more than a hundred years to catalyze the spiritual regeneration of humanity.

MOTTO: The motto of the twin organizations is *Ātmāno Mokṣārthaṃ Jagata Hitā ya Cha*, "For one's own salvation and for the welfare of the world". It was formulated by Swami Vivekananda.

IDEALS: Work as worship, potential divinity of the soul, and harmony of religions are three of the noteworthy ideals on which these two organizations are based. It is this ideal of service to man as service to God that sustains the large number of hospitals, dispensaries, mobile medical units, schools, colleges, rural development centres and many other social service institutions run the twin organizations.

HEADQUARTERS: The Headquarters of Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission are situated at an area popularly known as Belur Math in the District of Howrah of West Bengal.

VIVEKNAGAR CENTRE (with its sub Centre at the Gangail Road) is a branch centre of this twin organisations. The following service activities are rendered through this centre.

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

(For the purpose of All-round Development of the Children of the State)

- 1. Higher Secondary School affiliated to C.B.S.E. with Hostel facilities
- 2. Industrial Training Institute (I.T.I): Bagged 1st Rank in the State as per D.G.T, Govt. of India, grading
- 3. A Rubber Tapping Training School
- 4. Proven Station for Tea Plantation for Tripura
- 5. A Hostel mainly for the students of the Tribal Communities
- 6. Libraries at the Vidyalaya and ITI Complex
- 7. A free Students' Home mainly for the Tribal Students at the City Centre
- 8. Skill Development Courses: Computer Courses are taught at the City Centre

RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

(For the purpose of Spiritual and Cultural Development of the People of this State)

- 1. Daily worship at the Viveknagar and the City Centre at Gangail Road, Agartala
- 2. Conducting regular Spiritual and Value-based discourses at the City Centre
- 3. Periodical Spiritual Retreats are conducted at the Viveknagar Campus
- 4. Day long Japa Yagya- Meditation programmes are conducted at the City Centre
- 5. Celebrations of the birthdays of the Holy Trio, the Direct Disciples of Sri Ramakrishna, other Spiritual Leaders, Ram Navami, Janmashtami, Durgashtami, Jagaddhatri Navami, Christmas Eve and Shivaratri
- 6. Youth Programme: SPECIAL YOUTH CELL, Programmes on Personality Development etc.
- 7. Propagation of Ideas and Ideals: Show Room for sales of Ramakrishna Vivekananda and Vedanta Literature and Palli Mangal Products are made available at Viveknagar and Gangail Sub Centre.



MEDICAL SERVICES UNIT: NIRAMAY

(Thousands of Poor and needy people of Tripura are served through the following units)

- 1. Medical Service Unit, viz. "Niramay" provides Free Medicines to all the patients
- 2. Free Mobile Medical Unit: Mobile Medical Service provided among the poor and needy people
- 3. Conducting Free Eye Camp, Blood Donation Camp, and several Free Special Medical Camps

WELFARE AND RELIEF ACTIVITIES

(Unselfish Loving Service rendered for the benefit of the destitute people of the State)

- 1. Sarada Anna Bhandar: Daily Cooked Food Packets are distributed among the Footpath Dwellers
- 2. Gadadhar Abhyudaya Prakalpa (Integrated Child Development Project) for the underprivileged children of the localities
- 3. Ma Sarada Shiksha Sahayata Kendra (MSSSK): Supports to the underprivileged children of the Society for Educational and all round Development. Presently hundreds of poor students are being benefited through three such units at Ambasa, Amtali and Bhagavandas Chawdhury Para, Agartala
- 4. Gokul Dham and Jal Vihar: Production of Milk, Vegetables & Supply of free Water at Viveknagar
- 5. Extending Pecuniary Supports to the needy people
- 6. Relief Operations: During Calamities the RKM, Viveknagar Centre conducts the Relief operations among the distressed people
- 7. Special Welfare Projects are taken up every year:
 - Distribution of Thousands of Sarees and Dress Materials among the needy people
 - Distribution of Thousands of Blankets among the destitute people
 - Distribution of Hundreds of Mosquito Nets among the needy people
- 8. Offering of One Month Ration, Sarees and pecuniary Help among the 125 Poor Widow Mother
- 9. Distribution of 125 Solar Lanterns in the village areas of Tripura
- 10. Distribution of Dress and Study Materials among the 125 orphan students

INFRASTRUCTURAL DEVELOPMENT:

For better rendering of the services the following projects have been taken up:

- 1. Repair and Renovation of the Universal Temples in both the Viveknagar and the Gangail Road Ashrama
- 2. Repair and Renovation of the (a) School Building, (b) ITI Buildings, (c) Staff Quarters, and Construction of the Monks' Quarters' and Commencement of an Archive at the Viveknagar Campus displaying the Chronological Development of Ramakrishna Vivekananda Movement for the benefit of the populace in Tripura
- 3. Construction of (a) Kitchen & Dining Hall for the Students and (b) Monks' Quarters at the Gangail Road Ashrama

The Devotees and Admirers of Sri Ramakrishna and Vivekananda are cordially invited to join these Service Activities

GENEROUS DONATIONS ARE ACCEPTED AND FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGED

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"God is everywhere but He is most manifest in Man. So serve man as God.
That is as good as worshipping God" Sri Ramakrishna