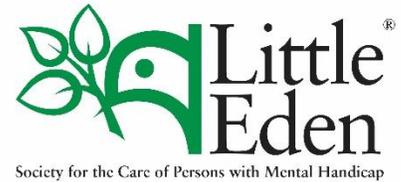


# Harvesters of Jesus



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The Association of the Harvesters of Jesus was established in order to provide the regular daily spiritual needs of the LITTLE EDEN Society. It is firmly believed that without such support, LITTLE EDEN would wither.

## A solid foundation



Phase one of the LITTLE EDEN building upgrade project commenced recently at Elvira Rota Village in Bapsfontein. A few rosaries, previously used by the residents, were placed in the foundations of the new building. This act was carried out as a continuation of Domitilla's (Founder of LITTLE EDEN) tradition which she practised from the early days.

Domitilla was known to be a woman of strong faith, one who believed with all her being that she was serving Jesus through the work of LITTLE EDEN. Her tradition of placing a rosary in the foundations of every new structure at LITTLE EDEN was symbolic of building a strong foundation anchored in faith and by doing so, inviting God to continuously watch over the missionary work of the Organisation and guide the decisions of those responsible for the daily activities there.

Those who worked closely with Domitilla as she journeyed through the work of service at LITTLE EDEN, often share incredible stories which can only be attributed to Divine intervention.

In some instances, "a solid foundation" is symbolic in itself. Before they go to war, soldiers are trained to ensure that they are physically and mentally ready to fight the enemy. When we learned about how the coronavirus can viciously attack the human body, especially those with pre-existing conditions, many people began eating with their health in mind, taking supplements and exercising to boost their immune system. New healthy habits were formed to ensure that, in the unfortunate event that they become infected with the virus, the impact of the virus would not be as severe on them.

Let us take a leaf out of Domitilla's life by putting our faith and trust in God and make Him the foundation of our lives.

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### **Daily prayer for the needs of LITTLE EDEN Society**

*Jesus, Great Harvester, who desires the salvation of all mankind, accept the offering of my life and work in assisting You to help garner the fields for the harvest. Teach me compassion, understanding and love for those most in need. Bless our Association; strengthen the bonds of love and charity amongst us, so that with hearts united we may say "Thy kingdom come". Mary, comfort of the afflicted, pray for us.*