

"Our mission is to speak and act in partnership with others for global justice from a contemplative stance in a spirit of oneness with the whole of creation." *IPA Mission Statement*

Quote

"We consider education to be one of the most effective ways of making our world and history more human. Education is above all a matter of love and responsibility handed down from one generation to another".

Pope Francis 2020

Story of Impact: Snapshot of our work (Thailand)

The Presentation Sisters in Fang, Thailand, collaborate with the Sacred Heart of Bétharram Priests to provide lifelong learning opportunities for 70 Hill Tribe children (aged 7 - 17 years) who belong to different tribal groups.

The main objectives of the mission centre are to provide basic education, basic Catechism and to preserve tribal cultures.

IPA Strategy 2024-2026, p. 17

UN Connection

"Education is the key that will allow many other Sustainable Development Goals to be achieved. When people are able to get quality education, they can break from the cycle of poverty. Education helps to reduce inequalities and to reach gender equality. It also empowers people everywhere to live more healthy and sustainable lives. Education is also crucial to fostering tolerance between people and contributes to more peaceful societies."

Sustainable Development Goal 4: Quality Education

A Call to Action

- Take some time to help someone you know learn a new skill.
- Consider engaging in a programs or teaching a syllabus that are considered education for sustainability. Connect with a Global RCE Network
<https://www.rcenetwork.org/portal/>
- Donate a book or learning toy to a local playgroup.
- Consider engaging with a local or online University of the Third Age.
<https://www.u3aonline.org.au/home>