



SRI SATHYA SAI CENTRAL TRUST
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With the Blessings of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba Varu



Construction of Abodes of Happiness
...The Abounding Grace of Sai to Odisha

In September 2008, a severe depression in the Bay of Bengal led to heavy rains and floods in coastal region of the State of Odisha. Hundreds of the villages were inundated badly affecting the lives of thousands. Bhagwan was moved by the suffering of people who had been rendered homeless due to the floods and announced to construct new concrete houses for them on 7th October 2008, the sacred day of Ayudha Pooja. As per Bhagwan's Divine Sankalpa, around 700 houses and 2 schools were constructed in 16 villages in the three districts of Cuttack, Kendrapara and Puri in a record time. The first batch of beneficiaries were handed over houses by Bhagwan on 3rd April 2009, on the occasion of Shri Ram Navami.

In September 2011, flood's fury in Mahanadi and other rivers again wreaked havoc in Odisha submerging hundreds of villages spread over various districts affecting the lives of thousands. In order to provide solace to the most affected people, Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust, with the cooperation of Government of Odisha commenced the Housing project with Bhoomi Pooja on 17th January 2013. The Trust has undertaken the humanitarian task of constructing 300 pucca houses in 8 villages in the districts of Keonjhar, Kendrapara and Jajpur of Odisha. The houses will be constructed before the onset of monsoon, i.e., by the end of April 2013.

Odisha Housing Project completed by the Trust in 2009



Odisha Housing Project under progress in 2013

