## India - Well #13 - Thatipadu Village

## Final Report Thank You Letter

There are about 2000 families in and around the village of Thatipadu; all of them are daily wage workers. They have been asking for a long time to provide them with a source of potable drinking water. It is one of the dry areas and they have to walk far distances to get a pot of water from the river. When the river dries, they dig holes in the river beds for a little water. This village is close to Nandikotkur, a major government center yet the people of this village receive little or no benefit from the government. Fr Shoury, our Indian coordinator for this project, knows the condition of this community since he served as pastor in the region for four years. He is delighted to have an opportunity to help them to overcome this problem with the financial support of donors from One Family International (OFI) and Haiti Mission, Inc. (HMI). To paraphrase Fr. Shoury, "This is how the low caste people can raise themselves and restore their dignity. Giving them drinking water and improved education, particularly in hygiene, are the main areas that can help these people and give them hope. "

## Prayer and dedication ceremony in Preparation for drilling



**Drilling has begun** 



Plaques on completed Well Pump



Community members filling water containers

