

# People of Hope Carrying on Our Mission in Difficult Times

## The Province of Portugal

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In Lisbon, community of the Infant Jesus works in collaboration with the city. Sister Maria Bela and volunteers prepare food baskets for distribution at the center and for delivery to the homebound. The sisters also do shopping for the home bound, delivering medication and other purchases to them at home.

Together with volunteers the sisters prepare and distribute 100 meals per day.

In the Azores, Sister Domingas and the sisters make soup to distribute to those living on the streets. Sisters and students pack food the students contribute and take it to the children's home.

In Valtorno, the sisters also shop for the homebound, and deliver medication and other purchases to them at home.



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Row 1: Sister Irmã (left) preparing meals and Sister Lenor (right) filling the take-out meal containers; Sister Irmã Salete delivering to the homebound. Row 2: Sisters Beatriz and Lurdes with volunteers putting food baskets together (left); Sister Beatriz giving out baskets (right).