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## WORLD PEACE DAY

Céu do Mapiá celebrated World Peace Day on January 1st, with an oração led by Madrinha Júlia in the village square, a speech by **Padrinho Alfredo**, dances, gymnastics, contests and a music show put on by the children. This was followed by a feast in the Community Kitchen. This lovely gathering, organized by AMVCM and the Event Planning team, included the participation of Padrinhos and Madrinhas, locals and visitors. It marked the official opening of the Year of the Centennial of Padrinho Sebastião and affirmed Love, Harmony, Truth, Justice and Peace. Our wish for all the irmandade is a year filled with light, prosperity and the practice of the teachings of our beloved Padrinho. Viva 2020!!





## PADRINHO ALFREDO'S 70<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY

The year 2020 arrived, and with it the 70th birthday of **Padrinho Alfredo**, president of the Santo Daime in Brazil and worldwide. The greatest gift was the presence of Madrinha Rita in the church during the celebratory hinário, an unforgettable moment! The year continues, with many commemorations.



PADRINHO ALFREDO'S 70<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY



## NEW CHURCH PROJECT



The construction continues. The sewage treatment station was installed. Currently under construction are the electrical rooms, the solar power system and the security-related structural reinforcements.



CÉU DO MAPIÁ'S ANNIVERSARY



# VILA CÉU DO MAPIÁ'S 37<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY





## “GREEN” COMMUNITY CURRENCY IS BEING TESTED

Last month, in December, testing of the ‘VERDE’ community currency system began in Céu do Mapiá. The creation of a community currency is part of the strategy for strengthening the economic solidarity of Mapiá, by means of the FORTES network. The VERDES are already accepted for purchases at the Community Farmers’ Market, at the Community Kitchen, at the ‘Vendinha da Floresta’ store and by numerous producers and providers of services affiliated with the Network.

LINK TO MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE FORTES NETWORK:

**FORTES NETWORK**





## DHARMA INSTITUTE VISITS CÉU DO MAPIÁ AND FAZENDA AND PUBLISHES REPORT

In August 2019, Céu do Mapiá received a visit from member of the **Dharma Institute**, an NGO that attends to areas that have limited access to Public Health services. Over a two-week visit, physicians from several specialties along with dentists and a psychologist attended to residents in the Vila and in the Fazenda São Sebastião. With the support of the Residents' Association of Céu do Mapiá, they cared for over 100 residents and have planned to return in 2020. See the complete report at the following link.

TO SEE THE LINK CLICK HERE



## VOLUNTEER OPHTHALMOLOGY CLINIC IN CÉU DO MAPIÁ

The ophthalmologist **André Born** visited Céu do Mapiá in December. The physician was accompanied by his friend Zerivan de Oliveira, from the Flor do Cajueiro Church in Ceará. On the first day, he attended to 34 patients at Madrinha Rita's house. In total he saw over 240 residents, including children, adults and the elderly. The initiative was completely voluntary. Dr. André brought all of the necessary equipment and instruments needed for the clinic and was assisted by various members of the community.



## FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN ACHIEVES FSC CERTIFICATION

The certification process for the **Community Forest Management Plan** of the Vila Céu do Mapiá was completed under the guidelines of the FSC (Forest Stewardship Council). COOPERAR received the certification on January 13. An important victory for Céu do Mapiá, the certification recognizes that the efforts made have contributed to conservation of natural resources, allowed for fair and appropriate conditions for the workers and have promoted good relations with the community.





## VISIT CÉU DO MAPIÁ DURING THE CENTENNIAL YEAR OF PADRINHO SEBASTIÃO

For those who plan to visit Céu do Mapiá in this commemorative year of the Centennial of **Padrinho Sebastião**, please remember that completing the visitor registration form is of fundamental importance. The form should be completed for visits during any part of the year.

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

For more information, please contact:  
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## DAIMISTA CALENDAR FOR 2020

The calendar of events for 2020 is now available for sale, having been published by the AMVCM Event Organization team and with a selection of photos made by **CEDOC**. The calendar lists all of the events and spiritual works that are planned in Mapiá in the Centennial Year of our Padrinho. All funds raised by the sale of the calendar will be utilized by the Event Organization team for funding the celebrations, meetings and events during this special year.

**Cost:** R\$ 30,00 per unit.

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Any churches that wish to order calendars for their community, please contact:  
[secretaria@iceflu.org.br](mailto:secretaria@iceflu.org.br)



## THE JAGUBE CHANNEL RELEASES MORE VIDEOS

**“Procession of Nossa Senhora Aparecida”**, one of the most traditional rites in Brazil. Many religious movements participate, including followers of the Santo Daime. The 26th annual procession in the Daime tradition was held in July of last year and was organized by the Céu da Mantiqueira community in Camanducaia, Minas Gerais, and is documented in this video

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Link to video: <https://bit.ly/2RFt0it>





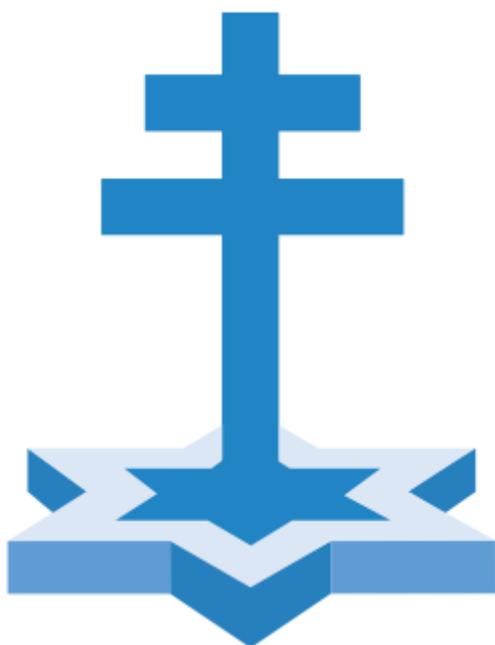
## EDITORA YAGÉ WORKS IN NEW PUBLICATION

Fernando Ribeiro, has just completed his work "From Vilcabamba to Céu do Mapiá," the second book in the trilogy "Ayahuasca, the American Ceremony." The author recounts memories and episodes from his travels and experiences in support of the expansion of the Santo Daime, from stories of the Incas to episodes from his time living in the forest with the people of Padrinho Sebastião. Along with this new book, the first volume of the trilogy is also being re-released- "The Incas, Plants of Power, and a Spanish Tribunal." Both books are being published by **Editora Yagé**.

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