

Countryside Conservation Funding Scheme
Research Activities on Countryside Conservation and Revitalisation

Project Number	EP86/27/24/11-11
Project Proponent	Diocesan Working Committee for “Following Thy Way” of Catholic Diocese of Hong Kong
Project Title	Sai Kung Catholic Churches and Villages Cultural Walks Construction Program
Target Site	Ten churches/chapels in Sai Kung and the routes leading to the churches/chapels including St. Peter’s Chapel, Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows Chapel, Star of the Sea Mass Centre, Epiphany of Our Lord Chapel, Nativity of Our Lady Chapel, Immaculate Conception Chapel, Holy Family Chapel, Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel, Lung Shun Wan Mission Centre and Rosary Mission Centre
Project Description*	Success of villages cultural rehabilitation depends on: local village’s recognition and participation, support of resources from government and related organization, participation and usage of society. This program aims to use our resources and experience to work together with the churches owned by the Catholic Diocese in Sai Kung as anchor points as historical, cultural and ecological resources of the location, and integrate the experiential learning of walking in order to provide experience of holistic cultivation of body, mind and spirit. The results will serve as the ground work for a master plan to develop a program to attract local and international participation which will facilitate village rehabilitation and revitalization (especially relationship between religion and society/ education), ecological conservation and tourism, school/youth and family education.
Project Period	16 April 2021 – 15 April 2023
Grant Approved	\$1,850,600

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