

"AFRICA, KEEP THE LAMP OF HOSPITALITY ALIGHT HOSPITALIDAD"

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MISION OF THE CONGREGATION IN BURKINA FASO, literally means "Country of honest men."

In KOUDOUGOU, city located about 100 km of OUAGADOU-GOU (capital of the country) it is a small community, implanted in 1955 with the objective of accompanying the young sisters students in the nursing school, and at the same time an inclusion in the Diocesan Church, as well as our presence in the PMI-CREN Center.

CURRENTLY: Burkina is constituted by the presence of the two communities::

1A. KOUDOUGOU Apostolic mission: The sisters ensure the Apostolic mission in the P.M.I (maternal and infant protection) of NAYAL-GUE; Education and monitoring health and nutrition of the mothers and children that suffer these problems.

In this PMI:

- Check up once a week
- Collaboration with the diocese

This activity is currently ensured by a group composed of three sisters of perpetual vows.

1. Edelia BRAVO, superior
2. Ma. Covadonga Gonzalez
3. IDA Kwpanku

Are available also to welcome and accompany the youth who desires to respond to a possible call of the Lord to the Hospitalier life..

2°. OUAGADOUGOU

The Group of sisters is located in the Capital of Burkina, in a rented house. The first objective is to facilitate the formation of the sisters, living in community and being close to universities and formation center.

Encharge of this group is Ma. Dolores Fernandez. The number of sisters varies from year to year, depending on their formation needs. (those who will end and those who will start).

This group welcomes everybody (sisters, etc.) in the way to visit the communities of Togo and



Prayer for the Community and Mission of Burkina Faso

Oh God, father of believers, you multiply on Earth the sons of the promise, with gratefulness for the doption and for the Paschal mystery, you did your servant Abraham the father of all Nations, as you had promised. Today we are here before you to entrust the work of the Hospitalier Committee of Africa (CHAF). You raised in the Church, the charism of hospitality, we give you thanks for the seed planted in Africa, so that today as yesterday and forever, we commit ourselves like Abraham, out of our self interests, out of our securities, out of our personal projects to enter into the great Congregational Community project in Africa, where everyone wants to be the actors and the steward in its construction. Grant that we may hear Your voice and follow the example of our Father in faith. We ask you today **for the community and for the Mission of Koudougou - Ouagadougou (Burkina Faso)** and at the same time we ask the intercession of Mary, Our Lady of the Sacred heart of Jesus, Saint Augustine, Saint Benedict Menni, and of the sisters who have gone before us. Amen.