

CTN HALF YEAR REPORT

INTRODUCTION

The CTN (Church Transformation Network) program began in the DRC in October 2021, when Bishop William was invited by the CTN team for a meeting which brought together some church leaders in Kampala. A meeting that brought together some bishops and archbishops from Rwanda, South Sudan, Ethiopia and Uganda. And since he had been asked to leave with a priest who could, after the partnership, be responsible for CTN in Congo, this is how Bishop William placed his trust in me, Ven. Ndakala Mastaki, for this responsibility. After the meeting, we were asked on our return to plan for the start of the activities of this program in the DRC, a program which started with the two dioceses, namely Boga and Aru. Now, in the Anglican Church of Congo, we have formed a Champion who has his vice-champion who is at Aru Rev. Etsegeri, then we trained 20 coaches including 10 in the diocese of Boga and 10 in Aru. From this, we have just trained 152 facilitators out of the 200 we had planned. This following the insecurity which did not leave us the accessibility of Komanda and Boga where we should train the rest. Finally, we have just created 152 groups which with 1520 members. So for next year, we plan to train coaches for the remnants of our dioceses, this activity asks for your prayers.

Our report consists of the following points: Acknowledgments, activities already carried out from October 2021 until September 2022, an overview of the training, finance, difficulties, suggestions and a conclusion.s

1. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We thank the Lord for his accompaniment along these activities. We also thank the unwavering support and advice of our Bishop of the Diocese of Boga Mgr William and all the team who kept us company. Finally, our gratitude to the diocese of Boga which provided us with a motorcycle to facilitate our movement within our range of action.



2. ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

- Development of the 2022 strategic plan Translation of two books in French and Swahili, this work began in January 2022 and will end in August. This work was done in three rounds including: the translation by a small group of two people, the correction by the members of the diocesan office finally formatting it for production. - Printing of two books in French and Swahili, this work was done in Kampala and the Swahili version had posed a few problems because it would have to be corrected again. All this contributed to the delay in starting the training of facilitators which was scheduled for July 2022, although this phenomenon was not the only problem that caused this delay, as there was also insecurity. - Training of Coaches from the diocese of Boga and Aru, we trained 20 coaches,

including 10 from Boga and 10 from Aru. The training took place in Kampala by the CTN team from the United States.



Transport of books from Kampala to Bunia and Aru, a work supervised by the Champion.

- Training of facilitators, this work had two axes in its realization.

– Diocese of Boga:



-Diocese of Aru:



- Formation of the groups, this work has already started however all the groups are still in the first module. Here some pictures:

3. Training Overview

	Number engaged	Number of pastors who received training	Minimums of chapters studied	Maximums of chapters studied
Coaches	-Boga: 10 -Aru: 10			

	TOT: 20			
Facilitators	-Boga: 70 -Aru: 82 TOT: 152			
Groups	-Boga : 70 -Aru: 82 TOT: 152			
Pastors	-Boga: 700 -Aru: 820 TOT: 1520			

COMMENT

We think that with the 152 facilitators that we have just trained who will in turn form 152 groups which will be made up of 10 people per group, so we will have equipped 1520 members. As soon as calm returns to the places where we had not had access due to insecurity, we will do everything to form the remaining groups. We didn't give the impact of the lessons to people because we sent out this report before the groups that have already started have completed the first module. We hope that next time we will not fail to provide you with the impact of these teachings to pastors.

4. Financial overview January-September 2022

N°	Activities	Amount received	Expenditure	Balance
01	Translation of books into French and Swahili	\$3,800	Before we received the 3,800 as of 04/20/2022, we had started planning and translation activities in January. That's how we borrowed money. - In December 2021: \$30 including \$20 for the monthly connection and \$10 for catering and transportation of two people to the workplace. - January 2022: \$30 including \$20 for the monthly connection and	

			<p>\$10 for catering and transportation of two people to the workplace.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On 07/02/2022: 1,380,000 Ugandan sh at the rate of 3600 sh per dollar, so \$383.33 to buy us a computer to facilitate the translation. - In February 2022: \$120 including \$20 for connection, \$50 transport, catering and fuel. Finally \$50 in support of translators - In April 2022: \$100 Champion (survival, rental and schooling) - In April 2022: \$40 including \$20 for connection and \$20 for reprogramming our computer <p>SUBTOTAL: \$703.33</p> <p>After receiving the fund allocated to the activity, we had to first honor this debt. So: \$3,800- \$703.33= \$3,096.67</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Restoration of the diocesan team for the last corrections for two and a half months: \$1200 - Encouragement of members of this team (9 	
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			people):\$1896.67 TOTAL: \$3,800	
02	Printing of books	\$8,000	- Printing of the book: " Feeding the flock of God " in French and Swahili (2000 copies) for the two dioceses Boga and Aru: 7,200,000 sh - Printing exercise book in French and Swahili (2000 copies) for the two dioceses Boga and Aru: 18,000,000 sh - Printing of Items, T-shirts (30 copies), Bags (30 copies), pens 30 copies, notes books 30 copies: 2,205,000 sh	
03	Transport of books from Kampala-Bunia	\$2,000	- Loading in Kampala: \$25 - Kampala-Bunia: \$1600 - Unloading in Bunia: \$30 - Bunia - Aru: \$300 Communication: \$45	
04	Coach Training in Kampala -	\$5,760	Transport of 20 coaches - Aru-Kampala: \$1350 - Bunia-Kampala: \$900 - Catering: - Materials Lodging :	

05	Training of facilitators	\$2,000	<p>For the Diocese of Boga: \$1,000 For the diocese of Boga: 1000\$ - Return fuel for Gety and Kasenyi trainers: \$130 - Communication and training materials: \$180 - Driver: \$50 - Catering in the sites of: Gety site: \$262 Kasenyi site: \$120 Bunia site: \$150 - Transport of two trainers from Kasenyi to Bunia: \$30 TOTAL: \$922 - For this account, we are left with \$78 while we still have two sites left for training. This is said to the insecurity in the middle, because we had planned to train all 100 facilitators together in Bunia as we did in Aru. However, insecurity has blocked this possibility and now we don't know what to do with the remaining \$78 for the two sites because calm is starting to return.</p> <p>- For the Diocese of ARU: \$1000 1. Soficom transfer: \$30</p>	
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			2. Catering: \$700 3. Transportation: \$150 Materials: \$120	
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5. DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED

In carrying out these activities, there were several difficulties that tended to block us, such as: Hence the need for the translation of the book "Feeding the flock of God" into this language is important for next year . And this could also help us in other dioceses of the same language.

- The insecurity that prevents us from reaching the site of Boga and Komanda in the diocese of Boga. And in the diocese of Aru the insecurity which has meant that the expected number of Kpadruma does not arrive in full.
- The correction of the Swahili book created us a delay in starting the training of the facilitators.
- In the diocese of Aru, the Lingala language is still a permanent problem.
- The large percentage of books in Swahili posed difficulties for us in Aru where a large number wanted the book in French and a certain number (18 facilitators) wanted the books in English. Especially some servants of Aru from the Ugandan Republic.

6. SUGGESTIONS

- The need to translate the book into Lingala and Tshiluba before the training of Coaches from all Anglican dioceses in Congo.
- We suggest that CTN does not often standardize its decisions on all the churches where it works, this because all the churches do not have the same strength. The strength of the church in the United States is not equal to that of the church of Rwanda, of Uganda even less the church of the DRC

CONCLUSION

Since January until today, we have received: \$22,940 and have used \$21,560 so in cash we are left with: \$1,380 sum reserved for monitoring which begins in early October of this year. The translation work meant that we were producing this report late, as it took us a long time, from January to August/2022.

DONE IN BUNIA, on 10/17/2022

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