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As if terrorism and poverty were not enough, Burkina Faso was the first West African country to record Covid-19 cases. However, the government does not have accurate numbers to track how many cases or even how many deaths, so, the women and sewing school graduates have been making face masks.



What's New in Burkina Faso?

Thanks to an unspecified grant, a new ministry has been planted in an important city with no Christian witness. Women had to walk five miles to get water, so we dug a great well there with a holding water tank; and the well is powered by a solar panel. But most importantly, a new church has been planted there. The best way to lead people to Christ is to provide them with the things they need, so after the church and the well, we will also be building schools to provide education.



The pastor is a graduate of our Elim Bible Institute and his wife is a graduate of our secondary school.

What else? Five of our churches were located in the areas where terrorists have been making living very dangerous, so we took out some of the church members to learn to read the Bible. Most of the people in the terrorist areas are illiterate. This is just one of the groups.



Finally, we are thanking the Lord for progress in building a school for the



Yeguere neighborhood. The land has been bought and construction begun, but since the soil in this neighborhood is very sandy and we wish to construct a two-story school, we will need \$100,000. We can't do this alone. We need your help! We have an additional avenue for giving.

You can now donate stock. Contact us for information on how to do this.



We are very happy to have a Burkinabe contractor and construction workers. They know just how to build for the needs of the school children. (Yes, they prefer pit latrines, not flush toilets!) And Burkinabe builders are happy to get work so they can support their families.

So, there is lots for us to pray for and to thank the Lord for.

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