

The Agbodo Family Your Missionaries to TOGO (West Africa)

"Peace be to the brethren, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all them that love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity." Ephesians 6:23-24

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Dear Pastor and Friends,

We are so thankful that God is faithful in spite many troubles we are going through not only in Togo but in the world. Missions work is becoming more difficult in West Africa.

The phenomenon of jihadism (general insecurity in Burkina Faso where terrorists control 2/3 of the territory) has led the military to take power on January 24, 2022. The temptation to impose radical Islam that started in northern Nigeria has now reached more countries. In Mali, the terrorists control 80% of the territory. The target is now the coastal states of Benin, Togo, Ghana, and Ivory Coast. The north of these states is becoming a war zone where the respective government is preparing to stop these different attacks. In this troubled time, God is moving, souls are saved all the time.

Missionary work is becoming more difficult in these areas where the fear of attack and kidnapping forces the population to migrate to safe areas. The young people who are the core of the churches are migrating to the safest cities to avoid being enrolled by force by the terrorists.

I enjoy letting everyone know that our government has finally opened all the churches that were closed almost two years, but the borders are still closed. That situation led to have a high inflation rate. The cost of living became expensive. Everything costs a lot of money now.

For example, the piece of land we want to buy for the church to build the Temple, which was \$30,000 is now \$56,000. The price of everything is behind every imagination. With this inflation, it is become very difficult to start major projects.

Do we need to stop doing what we must do, the answer is no. Our heavenly Father is not broke and will never be broke.

We finished in month of February putting a new front door on our church and our next plan is to start the building process in the month of July when the students are going on vacation.



We held our first marriage ceremony in Burkina Faso. Brother Frederic, one of our preacher boys was married this March 5.





Thank you for your continual prayers and support. Serving Him Together,

> **The Agbodo Family** Missionaries to Togo, West Africa