# Saint Agnes Mission Circle

#### **African Missions**

St. Christopher's Catholic Church - Kakata, Liberia

Rev. Father Peter Paase - Missionaries of St. Paul

Type of Mission: Parish & School - Year Support Began: 2010

Mary Ellen Seaver (Mission Circle) served in Liberia with the Peace Corps in 2009/10 and attended this church. Rev. Paase's mission serves parish of 500+.

Kriste Mambo Mission - Rusape, Zimbabwe

Rev. Owen Kudumba - Order of the Carmelites

Type of Mission: Parish & School - Year Support Began: 1979

Our first mission. Fr. Conall Collier, Fr. Mel Collier's brother served in

Zimbabwe from 1958 to 2007. Mission boarding school for 500 students.

HIV/AIDS Mission and Hospice - Game City, and Gaborone, Botswana Sister Nalini Meachariyil - Sisters of Charity

Type of Mission: HIV/AIDS Mission/Hospice - Year Support Began: 1979 In Botswana, Fr. Brendan Butler was adopted by St. Agnes until his death in

2005. Sr. Nalini, who visited St. Agnes in 2008. Fr. Butler referred us to her.

See: www.scnfamily.org.



### **South American Missions**

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Parish - Jamundí, Colombia Fr. Luis Alfonso Segura - Missionaries of the Sacred Heart Type of Mission: Seminary, Parish work and school

Year Support Began: 1979

See: www.colombiamsc.org (in Spanish)

Asuncion, Paraguay

Rev. James Feehan

Made a mission appeal here while Fr. Mel Collier was pastor (they served together in Paraguay from 1967-1971).

Type of Mission: Parish

Colombia

Colomb

### **Philippines and Asian Missions**

St. John the Evangelist Cathedral, Dagupan City, Philippines, Fr. Alvin Platon, O.P. Order of Dominicans

Type of Mission: Parish & School - Year Support Began: 2009 Fr. Alvin assisted Fr. Mel Collier here at St. Agnes in. Fr. Alvin is a young priest who hosted the Archdiocese of Lingayan-Dagupan youth day 2009. See:

http://www.cbcpworld.com/sjcs/stjohnchurches.htm for more information..



# South Dakota, U. S. A. Mission



Father Phil Cooke - Jesuit Fathers and Brothers
Type of Mission: Parish and School - Year Support Began 1978
Ruth Cummings and Roberta Spencer spoke at all masses here
October 2009 grateful for our years of support for the poor on their
Lakota Sioux Indian Reservation. Both women are helping the young
people in their isolated lands find a spiritual base. Fr. Cooke says

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mass at 3 small mission churches on the reservation.