



## ACTS MINISTRY – Burkina

### Faso

*“Providing love and hope for  
mother and child”*

## May 2006 News’ letter

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«Today, with the assistance we receive through ACTS Ministry, I can say that what was a problem for us is not one anymore because we are privileged to have at least a daily meal”. This is the testimony of one widow, mother of three children who is supported by ACTS feeding program. Mary has lost her husband and was left with three children, no job to earn money to be able to live. She could not afford paying the rent of a house to stay with her children. Since ACTS began the feeding program for orphans, Mary has joined the cooking team and receives a salary; her children receive food every day. She has also received funds to help her generate income to support her children. Even if it was only for Mary and her children we are very grateful to God who is slowly bringing people our way to support the Ministry in Burkina Faso for the benefit of the vulnerable and needy ones.



*Distribution of food to the orphans.*



*Orphans eating beans mixed with  
couscous made with corn.*

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A recent financial support has enabled us to give immunization to all the orphans to be able to fight against meningitis. Thank God because these children have been privileged to get this prevention because up to the month of May the news about meningitis in the country are still dreadful and ourselves are witnesses of children who are victims of it in our neighborhood.



*Medical assistant for ACTS giving shots the orphans.*



During that ceremony the widow who have been taking the first level class in four literacy program will also have a closing of their program as we are entering into the raining season and they need to work on the fields for the rest of the season to grow

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Publications on the way :  
 Foundations for Christian living in french.  
 Micro credit, AIDS, hygiene and sanitation in Dioula.

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In total we have five books to be published and our deadline is the en of July. Please pray that the publishing companies do not fail us in our plans.

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Prayer requests:

The crucial need for the well for clean water and for the programs such as vegetables growing and livestock farming.

HCJB is planning for a team to come to Burkina to build a dormitory and kitchen on ACTS site for the orphans. Pray that they get people who will be wholeheartedly involved in the project.



*View of the orphans receiving shots.*

Another recent event is that we have preparing a ceremony which will be the closing time for school. For this event measurements of the orphans have been taken to make new outfits for them as this planned official ceremony will be placed under the headship of the Minister of Social Action in Burkina. The presence of UNICEF Representative and other International organizations or local governmental authorities will be honoring this ceremony due for June. Before that, please pray for wisdom for organization and provisions to meet the needs of the orphans before that and the special day.