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English Project Title	Program Area	Grant Amount
<u>Episcopal Conference of Benin</u>		
Study session for the Bariba language	Leadership Formation	\$15,000
Catechetical Pastoral Project - Diocese of Lokossa	Leadership Formation	\$19,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Burkina-Niger</u>		
Equipment for new accommodations of 32 rooms	Operations	\$40,000
Construction of a residential building for seminarians	Construction	\$30,000
Project for the Acquisition of Equipment of the Mother Radio (headquarters) of the Catholic Radio Network of Burkina Faso and Development Strategies for a Pastoral and Institutional Impact	Communications	\$30,000
<u>Conference of Catholic Bishops of Burundi (CECAB)</u>		
Support for raising awareness among consecrated persons in promoting pastoral care for peace and reconciliation in Burundi	Justice and Peace	\$16,000
Project to build a wall to protect the offices of the diocesan curia of Rutana	Construction	\$35,000
Closure of the diocesan synod - Diocese of Ruyigi	Justice and Peace	\$9,600
Strengthening the organizational capacity of the Conference of Catholic Bishops of Burundi	Operations	\$30,000
Hospice for Elderly and / or Ill Priests of Bubanza	Operations	\$15,000
<u>National Episcopal Conference of Cameroon</u>		
Healing the wounds of Trauma through scripture in the war torn English speaking regions of Cameroon	Justice and Peace	\$20,000
Phase 2: Completion of Academic Block including Chapel for St. Anthony of Padua's College, Banya	Construction	\$59,000
Phase I Equipment Project of the Diocesan Visitors Center in beds, tables, chairs and wardrobes	Operations	\$25,000
<u>Central African Republic Episcopal Conference</u>		
Appreciation and Assistance for the Jan 2020 USCCB Staff Visit to Central African Republic	Operations	\$1,000
Construction of a residence for the religious sisters in charge of a Catholic primary school	Construction	\$48,000
Rehabilitation of Building No.2 of the Charles Lwanga Centre	Construction	\$20,000
Equipping of the Diocesan Catechetical Center in Bossangoa	Operations	\$40,000

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<u>Episcopal Conference of Congo (RC)</u>		
Appreciation and Assistance for the Feb 2020 USCCB Staff Visit to Congo	Operations	\$1,000
Construction of the enclosure wall of the Catholic educational establishment, Father Paul Marie Mopiako	Construction	\$23,500
Construction of the Saint G�enevi�ve Primary School in Makotimpoko for out-of-school children	Construction	\$40,000
Training session on self-financing of CEC Episcopal Commissions	Leadership Formation	\$20,000
<u>National Episcopal Conference of Congo (DRC)</u>		
Construction of a Rectory for Saint Louis Gonzaga Catholic Church - Diocese of Tshumbe	Construction	\$30,000
Great Pastoral Assembly for New Evangelization - Diocese of Bondo	Evangelization	\$30,000
Appreciation and Assistance for the Feb 2020 USCCB Staff Visit to DRC	Operations	\$1,500
Exchange workshop and training of Bishops of CENCO and Major Superiors of religious congregations on leadership and the protection of minors as an outcome of the meeting between the Holy Father and the Bishops Presidents of Episcopal Conferences	Child Protection	\$45,000
Strengthening the study and analysis capacities of evangelization agents in the face of pastoral challenges in the Archdiocese of Kisangani	Evangelization	\$42,900
Support to the Training of Seminarians of the Grand Interdiocesan Saint Augustine Seminary of Kalonda (from 5 dioceses: Kenge, Inongo, Idiofa, Kikwit and Popokabaka) through drilling for a water supply and installation of an internet antenna	Operations	\$35,800
<u>Assembly of the Catholic Patriarchs and Bishops of Egypt</u>		
Establishment of the Catholic Media Office in Egypt	Communications	\$10,000
<u>Catholic Eparchies of Eritrea</u>		
Youth Faith Formation	Youth Ministry	\$17,000
<u>Catholic Bishops' Conference of Ethiopia</u>		
Standardization and Systematization of Catechetical Program in the Ethiopian Catholic Church	Operations	\$20,000
Establishing Family Apostolate department of Catholic Bishops' Conference of Ethiopia and Building the Capacity of Pastoral agents on Family Apostolate	Operations	\$16,000

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Upgrading and Digitalizing of Communication Department of Catholic Bishops' Conference of Ethiopia	Communications	\$40,000
<u>Ghana Catholic Bishops Conference (GCBC)</u>		
Relocation and Refurnishing of the Conference Room of the Ghana Catholic Bishops' To Make It More User Friendly: Phase Two	Construction	\$45,000
Call to Mission beyond Covid 19	Leadership Formation	\$20,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Guinea (Conakry) (CEG)</u>		
Solar installation for the diocese of Kankan	Operations	\$31,000
Printing and Diffusion of the CEG Canonical Directives	Child Protection	\$17,000
<u>Catholic Bishops' Conference of Liberia (CABICOL)</u>		
Training of 50 Religious Education Teachers and Curriculum Development of Religious Education for Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Cape Palmas	Religious Education	\$20,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Madagascar</u>		
Construction of a residence for ongoing formation of priests and religious in the diocese of Miarinarivo - Madagascar	Construction	\$40,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Malawi</u>		
ECM Sustainability Project - Construction of an Office Complex	Construction	\$50,000
Development of guidelines and ethical code booklet for all the Chaplaincies	Operations	\$31,000
Revitalizing Small Christian Communities Through Enhancement of Participation of Men and Youth Through a Pastoral Research	Evangelization	\$29,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Mali</u>		
Appreciation and Assistance for the Jan 2020 USCCB Staff Visit to Mali	Operations	\$1,000
Sex education in Catholic primary schools	Catholic Schools	\$17,000
Solar Energy for the Catholic University of West Africa/University Campus of Bamako	Operations	\$40,000
Financial assistance request for the 10th Plenary Chapter of the Congregation of the Daughters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (DIHM)	Operations	\$17,000
Printing of 5,000 Holy Bibles in Bambara	Evangelization	\$25,000

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<u>Episcopal Conference of Mozambique</u>		
Ongoing Formation For Diocesan Priests Up To 10 Years Of Priesthood	Clergy/Religious Continuing Ed	\$27,700
Formation of pastoral leaders in different communities of the diocese of Tete	Leadership Formation	\$20,000
Rehabilitation of infrastructure for the establishment of the Court of the Ecclesiastical Province of Nampula and its pastoral commissions	Operations	\$30,000
Training for Pastoral Care in Cases of Sexual Abuse Against Minors and Vulnerable Persons	Child Protection	\$22,000
Installation of Solar Panels	Operations	\$10,000
<u>Episcopal Conference of Rwanda</u>		
Endow the Bishops conference of Rwanda and its dioceses with a policy of organization and management of IS and ICT	Communications	\$18,200
Educating Rwandan families to uphold marriage and family values to prevent frequent marital separations	Leadership Formation	\$24,600
Catechetical activity for student volunteers at the University of Rwanda	Youth Ministry	\$24,300
<u>Episcopal Conference of Senegal, Mauritania, Cape Verde and Guinea-Bissau</u>		
Grant Request for the Program of activities of the Pastoral Year 2020-2021	Leadership Formation	\$15,000
<u>Southern African Catholic Bishops Conference</u>		
Continuing Education of Clergy, Religious, and Lay Leaders	Clergy/Religious Continuing Ed	\$21,300
<u>Sudan and South Sudan Catholic Bishops' Conference (SSSCBC)</u>		
Request Financial Assistance for 65 Diocesan Seminarians	Vocations	\$35,000
On-Going Formation of Priests in South Sudan	Clergy/Religious Continuing Ed	\$30,000
Formation of Full-Time Catechists of the Diocese of Rumbek	Leadership Formation	\$20,000
<u>Tanzania Episcopal Conference</u>		
Drilling a Borehole for Water for The Sisters' Convent - Mbeya	Construction	\$40,000
Renovation of Chapel, Houses and Recreation Building of the Priests and Nuns Taking Care of Deaf-Mute Children at the Deaf-Mute institute Tabora	Operations	\$25,000
Roofing of the new Parish Church - Diocese of Geita	Construction	\$45,000

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Completion, Refurbishment and Furnishing of Priests Presbytery, Retreat and On Going Formation Centre at Itete - Diocese of Mahenge	Construction	\$29,000
Funding request for the University Internet, electronic library and online services provision	Communications	\$25,000
<u>Bishops Conference of Togo</u>		
Capacity Building Project for Judge Members of Interdiocesan and Diocesan Ecclesiastical Courts in Togo (PRCJE - TOGO)	Leadership Formation	\$15,000
<u>Zambia Conference of Catholic Bishops</u>		
Capacity Building of Pastoral Agents in Kabwe Diocese	Leadership Formation	\$19,000
Construction of the New Holy Trinity Cathedral in Monze Diocese - Steel Structure	Construction	\$65,000
Celebrating the Year of the Word of God through the Bible Congress and Biblical Seminars	Evangelization	\$23,000
Orientation Courses for Chaplains in Different Apostolates	Leadership Formation	\$22,000
Training Church Leaders in Conflict Transformation and Synodality	Leadership Formation	\$25,000
<u>Zimbabwe Catholic Bishops' Conference</u>		
Setting up of Office to Foster Synodality Between the Young and the Leaders of the Church as Recommended by Christus Vivit and Youth Behavioral Change Programme	Youth Ministry	\$22,000
Solar Installation and Establishment of an ICT center at Chinhoyi Diocese Pastoral Centre	Youth Ministry	\$23,000
Support Covid 19 Capacity Building Workshop	Leadership Formation	\$20,000
<u>Association of Regional Episcopal Conferences of Central Africa (ACERAC)</u>		
Purchase of IT equipment at the ACERAC General Secretariat	Operations	\$10,000
Training session for diocesan treasurers and fiscal managers of the ACERAC Episcopal Conferences	Leadership Formation	\$30,000
ACERAC Bishops Plenary Assembly in Mongomo, Equatorial Guinea	Operations	\$12,000
ACERAC Bishops Permanent Council Meeting in Brazzaville, Republic of Congo	Operations	\$9,000

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<u>Association of Episcopal Conferences of Central Africa (ACEAC)</u>		
Priests Formation on socio-pastoral challenges of the Great Lakes sub-region and publication of the Church Social Teaching Manual	Clergy/Religious Continuing Ed	\$24,000
Support for the experiences sharing project of ACEAC pastoral agents on Peace and Reconciliation	Justice and Peace	\$24,000
<u>Association of Consecrated Women in Eastern and Central Africa (ACWECA)</u>		
Monitoring and Evaluation Program	Leadership Formation	\$33,000
Financial support towards Administrative expenses at ACWECA Secretariat During the Coronavirus Crisis	Operations	\$30,000
<u>Association of Member Episcopal Conferences in Eastern Africa (AMECEA)</u>		
Transforming Chaplaincy: Forming the Conscience and Converting Hearts in the AMECEA Region	Youth Ministry	\$26,000
Training of Producers on Creative Story Telling Methods for Catholic Radio and Television Stations in the AMECEA Region	Communications	\$15,000
Living the Laudato Si; Nurturing Our Common Home	Justice and Peace	\$20,000
<u>Regional Episcopal Conference of West Africa (RECOWA)</u>		
First joint workshop of the major stakeholders for Catholic Education and Catechesis in West Africa	Religious Education	\$20,000
<u>Inter-regional Meeting of Bishops of Southern Africa (IMBISA)</u>		
Symposium on Evangelii Gaudium, its reception and implementation in the IMBISA Region	Evangelization	\$35,000
IMBISA Christus Vivit manual	Youth Ministry	\$20,000
<u>USCCB Office of National Collections</u>		
African Bishops and Leadership Trips to U.S. 2020	Leadership Formation	\$25,000
Grand Totals		\$2,237,400