

# BURUNDI

**Q. RANGO, COMMUNE GITEGA, PROVINCE GITEGA**

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## **LEADERSHIP TRAININGS:**

- 10 Leadership Trainings
- 15 Conferences
- 25 Workshops
- Countless Classes
  - Total Participants: many

## **COUNSELOR TRAINING SERVICES:**

- 4 Counseling Training Services
  - Number of Participants: 110
  - Number of Graduates: no graduation
  - Number of Training Meetings: many

## **COUNSELING SERVICES**

- Many counseling services have been provided in centers, homes, and churches
  - Number of Counselors: 20
  - Number of Clients: 1073
  - Number of Participants in each group: many

## **OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED WITHIN THE COUNTRY**

- **Widows:** GSM BURUNDI has helped 25 widows by providing food, health care, and building their houses
- **Orphans:** GSM BURUNDI has helped around 50 orphans by providing school fee, school materials, and medical assistance
- **Children Education:** GSM BURUNDI opened 2 new nursery schools, now GSM has 6 nursery schools and 559 children.
- **Agriculture/Water Projects:** GSM BURUNDI has provided teachings and skills in modern agriculture. We did not done water projects
- **Microcredit Projects:** GSM taught people to do savings and giving small credits to people
- **Other:** home building projects, community development program, farming project, and women's ministry

## **2023 SATELLITE UPDATES**

- This year, we started 2 new centers: center of **Rutonde**, center of **Ceru**



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## CURRENT ACTIVE CENTERS

- Mugoboka
- Nyanza-Lac
- Minago
- Mwaro
- Ngozi
- Karusi
- Bubanza
- Nyanza-Lac
- Minago
- Mwaro
- Ngozi
- Karusi

## PUBLIC GROUPS OFFERED

- Prison's Ministry
- Pygmy Ministry
- Medical Assistance
- Hospital Ministry

## 2023 BOARD MEMBERS

- **EDDY BUKEYEZE**, National Director
- **PASCAL HAVYARIMANA**, Assistant Director
- **CHANTAL NEZERWE**, Secretary
- **THARCISSE BIGITMANA**, Counselor

## 2023 STAFF MEMBERS

- **Fabiola Nzobonimp**, Director of Charity Ministry
- **Delicia Sabimbona**, Director of Children's Ministry
- **Marie Goreth**, Teacher
- **Alexis Sabiyumva**, Director of Pygmy Ministry
- **Diane Mwiseneza**, Teacher
- **Suzane Nahimana**, Teacher
- **Vianney Bikorimana**, Teacher
- **Mireille Ndayishimiye**, Teacher
- **Innocent Mpawenimana**, Teacher
- **Francine Nsengeyezu**, Teacher
- **Anitha Mukeshimana**, Teacher

## 2023 PARTNERSHIPS / FUNDRAISING PROJECTS OR EVENTS

- Yes GSM BURUNDI did receive outside funding from other organizations and churches in partnership
- Samaritans and friends of GSM made contributions and donations of funds and gifts for ministries

## NATIONAL/CENTER CHALLENGES DURING 2023

- National Director does not have a office. It's challenge that he has.
- GSM centers have challenges of funds for projects and different ministries.

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## UPCOMING PLANS FOR 2024

- To build GSM classrooms
- To open other centers
- To create a GSM children's education center
- To build a GSM counseling & training center
- To help many orphans and widows in need.

## OUTSIDE FUNDRAISING SUPPORTING YOUR SATELLITE

- Yes GSM BURUNDI did receive outside funding from other organizations and churches in partnership
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## PRAYER REQUESTS

- In my country, you can pray for economic development
- For centers, you can pray for funds for projects
- For me, you can pray for my trip to the US, in the Beaverton office, I plan to come in June 2024

## TESTIMONIALS

1. My name is SIBOMANA Consolate and I am 86 years old I am a widow. GSM has helped me this year in many things. I got a medical insurance card from GSM during the year 2023 that I use when I am sick or when I go to the hospital. GSM gave me also new clothing and food. Therefore, I would like to thank the leaders of GSM who like to help me when I have different problems. May God bless this ministry!
2. My name is CISHAHAYO Etienne. I am 35 years old. GSM has supported me in farming projects. They gave me a goat and after multiplication goats became many and I started to sell them to build a new house because I was very poor and homeless. Now, I have a good house for my family. I thank GSM for helping me to get a house and also I thank the leaders of GSM who like to support me in different ways May God bless GSM!
3. My name is sabimbona Delicia. I am 29 years old and I have 3 children. GSM has helped to fight poverty in my family by giving me a small capital in my business of selling bananas. The business was very good and after I decided to start a small restaurant. Now I gain profit, I pay school fees for my children, I can feed very well my family and also I can provide all my needs for my family. May God bless you!

**EDDY BUKEYENEZA**

BURUNDI'S NATIONAL DIRECTOR