

Come to Ghana with ARDF! We will be hosted by the Diocese of Accra and Bishop Daniel Sylvanus Mensah Torto. ARDF has been partnering with the Anglican Church in Ghana for over a decade. This is an opportunity to celebrate what has been done through local church leaders on the ground. We will also serve our brothers and sisters through prayer and medical assistance. Ghana is a vibrant place, full of excitement and opportunity as well as great poverty. Come and see what the Lord is doing!

- Worship with local Anglican congregations
- Attend the diocesan healing service
- Visit the ARDF-funded Youth Development Center
- Distribute donated supplies

- Partipate alongside triage medical teams in under-resourced villages.
- Experience Ghanaian culture
- Visit the famous Slave Castle in Cape Coast (for a small additional fee)

Email Christine Jones at christine@ardf.org for more information Led by Rev. Filmore Strunk and Mr. Albert Doku (All Saints Anglican, Charlotte), along with ARDF Executive Director, Bill Deiss



Itinerary

<u>Friday Oct 12</u>: Arrive Accra, Ghana. You are responsible for booking your own airfare, arriving in Accra on Friday October 12. Don't worry! We can offer flight suggestions to help you meet up with fellow team members. Lodging in the Diocese of Accra Conference Center.

Each morning will begin with Morning Prayer.

Each evening, the team will have a chance for reflection, discussion, and prayer.

<u>Saturday Oct 13</u>: Participate in a Half Day Vacation Bible School for Children. Enjoy some time shopping, exploring Accra, visiting one of the local schools.

<u>Sunday Oct 14</u>: The team will worship in different parishes to experience the breadth of churches in Accra. There is an option to travel to St. Nicolas Seminary and the Slave Castle at Cape Coast. That group will depart mid-afternoon.

Monday Oct 15: For the team at Cape Coast: visit St. Nicholas Seminary to learn about the Seminary's hopes and dreams and immediate needs. Teaching by Canon Filmore and Canon Deiss. Visit the Slave Castle before returning to Accra. The rest of the team will visit Burko, the Village Community site of 1st Medical Triage Mission. Then visit a school & church constructed earlier by the team. Opportunity for Prayer and the distribution of clothes and shoes already shipped in a container from the States in June. If there is time, stop at St. Joseph's church in the Oceanside village of Pram Pram. Two groups reconnect in the evening.

<u>Tuesday Oct 16</u>: Visit the local Prisons. Canon Filmore will preach on Forgiveness & Repentances.

<u>Wednesday Oct 17</u>: Participate in the Prayer & Medical Triage Mission. Canon Filmore will continue his teaching on Forgiveness & Repentances. Option to travel with Bill Deiss and Chas Schaffernoth of ARDF to Tamale to visit Bishop Jacob and the <u>ARDF Girls Hostel Project</u> (through Friday October 19.)

Thursday Oct 18: Prayer & Medical Triage Mission

<u>Friday Oct 19</u>: Prayer & Medical Triage Mission

<u>Saturday Oct 20</u>: Ground Breaking at the <u>ARDF Youth Center Project</u> in Accra. Meet with Bishop Daniel for a debrief. Enjoy some final shopping and sightseeing.

<u>Sunday Oct 21</u>: Again, the team will split up worship in different parishes. In the afternoon, attend the Diocese of Accra Annual Day of Prayer & Healing. That evening, depart for home.

^{**}This schedule may change slightly due to Bishops' schedules or if other opportunities arise.