

### **The Center mourns a close friend Darek**

On Tuesday, November 12, 2019, the Senfo Cultural Center team remained speechless on learning of the death of a friend, collaborator and missionary from Poland, Father Dariusz Zielinski familiarly called "Darek". A member of the Society of Missionaries of Africa (White Fathers), Darek played a big role since the beginning of the computerization of our Cultural Center.

Ordained priest in 1995 in Poland, Darek worked in Algeria, then in Italy (Rome), Poland, Mali (Kolongotomo, Bamako, Kadiolo-Sikasso) and finally in Burkina Faso (Ouagadougou) from where he was surprised by the dengue fever that took only a week to terminate his earthly life.

A prayerful vigil for the eternal rest of his soul was organized on Sunday, November 17, 2019 at St. John XXIII Parish in Ouagadougou. On Monday, November 18, 2019, after a requiem mass presided over by Cardinal Philippe Ouedraogo, in the presence of Darek's young sister Bozena Zielinska and many friends, Darek was buried at the missionaries of Africa formation house in Kossoghin (Ouagadougou). Sleep in peace Darek, faithful servant of God.

Sikasso, November 25, 2019  
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