Malawi: Sisters of the Holy Rosary, Chigwere Farm

LOAN DETAILS

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INVESTMENT OVERVIEW

ENTERPRISES
Livestock - Piggery

USE OF LOAN
- Construction of pigsty
- Construction of a borehole
- Purchase of water tanks
- Installation of solar water pumps
- Purchase of breeding stock

INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS
- Existing farm with 10+ years experience in pig rearing
- Strong demand for pork products due to limited supply in the northern region of Malawi
- Located in high impact rural region near an existing borrower, Karonga Diocese’s Chipunga Farm

CHIGWERE FARM
Location: Mzuzu, Malawi
Size: 17.5 acres

IMPACT

SHARED PROSPERITY
- Employment of 10 permanent employees including 6 new hires as a result of the loan
- Employment of 15 casual laborers including 8 new hires as a result of the loan
- Purchasing grain from 30 local smallholder farmers

RESILIENCE / LAUDATO SI’
- Using animal manure as organic fertilizer for crops and as feed for fish
- Using pig manure to produce biogas for cooking, a clean energy alternative to charcoal

FOOD SECURITY
- Providing at least one meal per day to 700 children in the congregation’s school

STRENGTHENED CHURCH ENTITIES
- Constructing a clinic to provide healthcare to the local community

MISSIO INVEST ADVISORY & SUPPORT
- Country Investment Manager will work with the Sisters to improve their financial record keeping

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Project leader - Sister Cecilia Chiiumia
Solar-powered irrigation pump
Sisters of the Holy Rosary congregation

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