

# PROFILES OF ACMGS OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION

YENAGOA BRANCH



# **SCHOOL ANTHEM**

Elelenwo, Premier School
Fondest Alma Mater, hail!
Pioneer academy:
Records which none can assail!
Hail, Elelenwo, we sing!
Source of knowledge, source of bliss:
Ever shall we think of thee:
"Fidelis in Minimis"

"Fidelis in Minimis"!
Faith in service, great or small:
Work or play, at school or home.
Orders simple, orders tall:
Serve with faith in all good things,
Still shall we remember this:
Let us then our motto sing:
"Fidelis in Minimis:!

Hail Archdeacon Crowther, hail!
Dear-held thy memory
A.C.M.G.S. shall stand
Strong `against Satan's armoury
Hail, Elelenwo, we sing!
May God always grant thee this,
Still to lead in all things good:
"Fidelis in Minimis"!

Written by Mrs. Beatrice C. Ekwueme (nee Nwajagu) and composed by Dr. Laz E.N Ekwueme.



### 1.0 INTRODUCTION:

### 1.1 About the Association

The Archdeacon Crowther Memorial Girls' School Elelenwo, Old Girls Association (ACMGS OGA) is an association of ex-students of the school irrespective of duration. ACMGS, Elelenwo is a premier institution established in 1943 by the Anglican Church Mission with the ultimate aim of providing post-primary education for girls, comparative to that provided for the boys. The school (ACMGS) has over the years contributed to the emergence of OLD GIRLS' who have made giant strides in all of human endeavours. The old Girls wherever they find themselves at work or play, stay true to the school motto Fidelis in Minimis (Faithfulness in Little Things). Membership of The Association has a world-wide spread and in Nigeria has branches in eight (8) states including the Yenagoa branch.

### 1.2 The Aims and Objectives of the Association:

- (a) To reunite all the ex-students of the Alma mater.
- (b) To establish close relationship with our Alma mater.
- (c) To project and protect the image of our Alma mater.
- (d) To create a forum for members to exchange ideas and have social recreation.
- (e) To encourage the education of young girls, through occasional scholarship or prizes to outstanding girls.

### 2.0 Inauguration of Yenagoa branch, Bayelsa State.

The National body officially Inaugurated branch the Yenagoa in 2003 the during 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration at Port Harcourt, Rivers State courtesy of Prof. Ayebaemi I. Spiff. *OON* and Dame Ella Douglas who pioneered it's establishment.

The following were elected officers of the first state executive:

- 1. Mrs. Binauge Nengi-llagha President
- 2. Mrs. Patience Ben-Dikuro Vice President
- 3. Mrs. Laura Davies Treasurer



4. Mrs. Elizabeth Allagoa - Secretary
The following are the names of the Presidents and Secretaries of the Yenagoa branch Since inception,

### 2003-2010

Mrs. Binauge Nengi-Ilagha - President Mrs. Patience Ben-Dikuro - Secretary

### 2011-2015

Mrs. Patience Ben-Dikuro - President Mrs. Elizabeth E. Allagoa - Secretary

### 2016 - 2018

Prof. Onyaye E. Kunle-Olowu - President Mrs. Beauty Nasson Adike - Secretary

### **Current Branch officers**

Prof. Onyaye E. Kunle-Olowu Ms. Cleopatra Amakiri

Mrs .Blessing Golden Aye-Dikuro

Mrs. Beatrice Kikile Mrs. Pere-ere Kainga Mrs. Beauty Nasson Adike

Mrs . Pamela Seibidor

President

Vice President

Secretary

**Assistant Secretary** 

Treasurer

Financial Secretary
Publicity Secretary



### 3.0 Some activities of ACMGS OGA, Yenagoa Branch

- I. Adoption of "BRING BACK THE READING CULTURE" campaign.
- II. Drafting of Byelaws of the Branch.
- III. Attendance of National Executive Committee and Annual General Meetings.
- IV. Promotion of general interest of her members and fostering friendship by attending ceremonies hosted by them.
- V. Compilation of members' profile.

Prof. Onyaye Edgar Kunle-Olowu.

President

Yenagoa Branch.



# MEET THE JEWELS OF INESTIMABLE VALUE, ACMGS OLD GIRLS'ASSOCIATION, YENAGOA BRANCH.



## **DAME MILDRED OCKIYA**

WASC: 1957 | SRN, SCM, | DTN, RMT
CHIEF NURSING TUTOR. | RETIRED CHIEF NURSE TUTOR



# Ayebaemi Ibuteme SPIFF, OON; FICCON, FCSN, JP OMBU

**BIRTHDAY:** 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 1943 **WORK & EDUCATION** 

i.Basel Mission Primary School, Victoria, Cameroun; 1952 - 1957 (among others)

ii.A.C.M.G.S.,ELELENWA, RIVERS STATE, 1957-1961 WASC iii.A.C.M.G.S.,ELELENWA, RIVERS STATE, 1962-1963, HSC iv.UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN; 1964-1968; B. Sc. 2<sup>nd</sup> Upper v.UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN; 1973 Ph.D. CHEMISTRY vi.PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY, 2006

vii.LECTURER IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY viii.RETIRED MARCH 2013 (UPH)BIRTHDAY OF SPOUSE: DR. EDWARD DANDESON SPIFF

27<sup>™</sup> APRIL, 1941TELEPHNE No.: +234 803 309 5183 +234 807 277 0468E-MAIL: emispiff@yahoo.com

ayebaemispiff@gmail.comPROFESSIONAL SKILLS:

**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:** UNIVERSITY LECTURER AND RESEARCH **INTEREST/HOBBY:** MENTORING, SINGING, COOKING GARDENING

KEY SKILLS: COOKING GARDENING SINGING FAVOURITE COLOURS: GREEN PURPLE KEY

ACHIEVEMENT & CONTRIBUTIONS: i.ENJOY TEACHING WITH PASSION AS A CALLING

ii.REASEARCH iii.PHILANTROPY (HAVE A SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION AT SSC LEVEL

(since 2000, ongoing) iv.NATIONAL HONOUR: OFFICER OF THE ORDER OF THE NIGER (OON 2008)

v.LAY READER, OF THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION, 1992

vi.THE ONLY TITLED WOMAN IN NEMBE NATIONALITY (GO DIRI EDE III

vii.SEVERAL RECOGNITIONS AND AWARDS IN THE ANGLICAN CHURCHFAVOURITE QUOTE: Psalm 27: 1

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid of.





### DAME ELLA OTONYO DOUGLAS

### MANGETE

# BIRTHDAY: May 11<sup>th</sup> EDUCATION:

M A - Librarianship University of Sheffield UK BLS - Library Science Ahmadu Bello University Zaira WASC - Archdeacon Crowther Momerial Girls School, Elelenwo FSLC - St. Lukes School Nembe

### WORK:

Assistance Librarian - Ag University, RSUST, Rivers State University of Science & Technology PH Director Library Services Bayelsa State Library Board Permanent Secretary - Bayelsa State Retired.

Appointed Commissioner 1 Civil Service Commission Bayelsa State.

Appointed Member Library Board, Rivers State Appointed Member Library Board, Batelsa State Appointed Librarian's Registration Council of Nigeria Appointed Member Federal Government Accreditation Panel to Federal College of Education (Technical) Asaba

Tel: 08035501338

E-mail: ellaodouglas@yahoo.com

**Professional Skill:** 

Collection Development / Selection, Indexing Searching and Bibliographical control

Interest and Hobbies / Key Skills:

Cake baking / decoration, cooking flower decoration

### **Key Achievements:**

Establishing the State Commission for Women now Ministry of Affairs at the creation of Bayelsa State in 1996 Produced the 1st Investment Guide for Bayelsa State, distributed to all foreign Embassy in the United Kingdom Establishing Mother's Union in St. Peter Church Yenagoa 2000

Investing Knight of the Blessed Virgin Mary of the Anglican Commission, Diocese of the Niger Delta West Bayelsa State. 2011

Favourite Colour - Peach

**Favourite Quote** - "When aggrieved, pour out your grievances. Do not bottle them up lest it explodes to harm all concerned





NAME: Felicia, Edoni.

**BIRTHDAY: November 15** 

TEL NO: 08134492720

PROFESSIONAL SKILL: Teaching

### Dr. (Mrs) Dorcas Dauta S. Bawo

■ Diete- Spiff

**BIRTHDAY:** 22<sup>nd</sup> April

**SPOUSE BIRTHDAY**: 1<sup>st</sup> October

TEL NO: 08037055333

EMAIL:dorcasbawo@gmail.com

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Research, Teaching and

leadership.

**WORK AND EDUCATION:** University lecturer at Niger Delta University, Wilberforce Island, Bayelsa state, Ph.D.

(Entomology)





Mrs. Akono, Stella

Yousuo

**DATE OF BIRTH:** 6<sup>th</sup> September. **FAVOURITE COLOUR:** Blue.

**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION:** B.Ed.

WORK: Classroom Teacher, Retired as Assistant
Director of the Isaac Jasper Boro College of

Education (IJBCOE) Bayelsa State.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Highly skilled in child education, Baking and cake decoration.

INTEREST/HOBBIES: Travelling and listening to

Christian music.

# Lucy Watari Nelson

Inatimi

DATE OF BIRTH: 7<sup>th</sup> September 1956. ADDRESS: No 14, Chief Barugu Street, EtegweYenegoa, Bayelsa state.

**SCHOOL:** ACMGS 1970-1974, R/S School of Nursing 1977-1980, School of Midwifery 1983-

1984, Public health 1986-1987, Imo state

University 2000-2001.

**ACHIEVEMENT**: Retired as Director of Women affairs in 2012.







### Mrs .Pamela O. Seibidor

Eseimokumoh

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Red

**EMAIL:** None

BIRTHDAY: September 28, 1956.

BIRTHDAY OF SPOUSE: January 31, 1956.

TEL NO: 08064802086 KEY SKILLS: Writing Articles

**HOBBIES**: Reading, Swimming, Studying the Bible. **WORK AND EDUCATION:** Bayelsa State Newspaper

Corporation Editor- In- Chief.

**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:** Oversees the entire Journalists

in the Editorial Department

# Pastor (Mrs) Davids, Laura Izonbuodei Inokoba

WORK: Deputy Director Ministry of Education (Retired)

QUALIFICATION: B. Sc Business Education PGD Human Resource Management BIRTH DAY: 25<sup>th</sup> December, 1959 BIRTH DAY OF SPOUSE:17<sup>th</sup> June, 1952

PHONE NO: 08035425208 EMAIL: izonbik@gmail.com

**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**: Preaching & Teaching

KEY SKILLS: Making of Liquid Soap, Bleach, Disinfectant and

Air Freshener, etc
Reading and Travelling

INTEREST: Reading and Travelling FAVOURITE COLOUR:Lemon Green

 $\label{eq:QUOTE: "Challenges makes life beautiful, but overcoming them} \textbf{QUOTE: "Challenges makes life beautiful, but overcoming them}$ 

makes life meaningful"







### Elizabeth Preye Joseph.

CEO Collective Capacity for Peace and Development. (COCPED-NIG )

**Year:** 1976 set 1. Accountancy;

2. Post Graduate Diploma in Cross Sector

Partnerships: Cambridge University. LONDON U

3.Conflict Resolution Expert (UNICA.) Hobbies: READING, Traveling, Cooking.

### Allagoa, Elizabeth Ekidiekuma (Mrs)

### Ombu

BIRTHDAY: 12th December **SPOUSES BIRTHDAY: 2nd August** 

**HOME TOWN:** Okpoama in Brass LGA

**KEY SKILLS:** Cooking, Giving a helping hand.

**FAVOURITE COLOUR**: Purple **FAVOURITE QUOTE: 2Cor 12:19** 

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Special Educationist, Early Childcare

Specialist.

**HOBBIES:** Cooking, Reading, Travelling, board games. **EDUCATION:** BSc & MSc in Education

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS: Building up of the Special Education

Services in Bayelsa State. Establishment of early child care centers in hard to reach areas within the State.







Prof. Onyaye E. Kunle-Olowu. Edgar

**BIRTHDAY:** May 5<sup>th</sup>

**BIRTHDAY OF SPOUSE**: September 3<sup>rd</sup>

**WORK AND EDUCATION:** 

WASC 1978, MBBS (1987), FWACP(2001)

NIGER DELTA UNIVERSITY, NDU TEACHING HOSPITAL,

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Medical Practitioner involved in medical education and Clinical Services.

**KEY SKILLS**: Home Makeover

TEL NO: 08033168551

EMAIL: otuafebo@yahoo.co.uk, otuafebo@gmail.com FAVOURITE QUOTE: Eph 3:20

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Champagne INTEREST/HOBBIES: Reading, Inspirational books, Hosting talk

shows.

### MRS. PATIENCE, BEN-DIKURO

### MADUME

WORK AND EDUCATION: WASC-1978

**B.Sc.** Accountant

Retired







### Bamugha, Faith Bakare

### Jacob

**BIRTHDAY:** 03/06/1959

**BIRTHDAY OF SPOUSE: 22/07/1943** 

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Blue KEY SKILLS: Counselling

INTEREST/HOBBIES: Travelling

**FAVOURITE QUOTE:** "let us not be weary in well doing"- Galatians 6:9

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Social scientist /
Social Worker

### **KEY ACHIEVEMENTS & CONTRIBUTIONS:**

35 years active service in both Rivers/ Bayelsa States Civil Service.

Empowering women and the less privileged.

### Hannah Binafeigha Amasuomo

### Binafeigha

**Birthday:** 5<sup>th</sup> August **Birthday of Spouse:** Work and Education:

Ministry of Education, Yenagoa, Bayelsa State. Qualifications: WASC 1978, B.A Ed. M.Ed, **Present Rank:** Director, Department of Primary/

**Teacher Education** 

TEL: 08033601298

Professional Skills: Teaching

Key Skills: Baking

**Key achievement and contributions:** Egberi Foundation, An NGO for the elderly

Favourite Colour: Brown

Favourite Quote: He makes everything beautiful in his time





Mrs. Elsie Osiomasi Adika

Jonah

**BIRTHDAY: 25-05-1960** TEL NO: 08035006408 **HOBBIES:** Reading.

**FAVOURITE COLOUR: Pink** 

FAVOURITE QUOTE: Luke 1:37-"With God all things

are possible".

**KEY ACHIEVEMENT:** Rose up to the position of

deputy director in the State Civil

Service.

### Binauge Nengi-Ilagha

### Alazigha

**BIRTHDAY**: 13/10/1960

**BIRTHDAY OF SPOUSE: 18/12/1963** 

EMAIL: binailaghagmail.com

**QUALIFICATIONS:** 

West African schools certificate (1997), Bachelor of Arts

(B.A) ENGLISH (Literature emphasis)

Pioneer President, ACMGS Old Girls Association, Yenagoa

Branch.

Author of four books

scrpt writer presenter and producer (NDTV)

Professional Skills:

Presentation, Editing of Script, writing program.

**Key Skills:** baking, Skill Life Drawing, Song Writing/Composition.

Recipiant of Numerous Awards including outstanding literary achivement and Special Literary Role Model Award by

NewsRay Magazine/(2006).





Mrs. Beauty. Nasson. Adike

Lazarus

**BIRTHDAY:** July 12<sup>th</sup>

BIRTHDAY SPOUSE: January 26<sup>th</sup> EMAIL: naasonbeauty@gmail.com FAVOURITE COLORS: Blue and Brown.

WORK: Niger delta television.

**EDUCATION:** BSc & MSc in Mass comm.

INTEREST/HOBBIES: writing, singing and travelling.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Writer, Radio and TV presenter;

Achieved – published two books and magazines for kids and

teens; Annual and teens Christmas fiesta.

### Seitongha Vickymaky Onibiyo

Maky –Yasoro

**BIRTHDAY:** 01/09 **TEL NO**: 08032326272

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Purple, Cream, Black.

EMAIL: makyvic@yahoo.com

**INTEREST/HOBBIES:** Artist (Painter and Art Historian) Niger Delta University Wilberforce Island. B.Ed. - fine and applied art university of education, Rivers state.

MSc- Art history university of Ibadan.

**KEY ACHIEVEMENT**: establish single forums, organize counselling sessions for single ladies and teenagers, Talk

shows on societal issues.

**KEY SKILLS:** Sewing, Singing, Talking, Counselling. **FAVOURITE QUOTE:** "One yes from God is more than a million no"







### MARIA E. OLODI-OSUMAH

### • OLODI

**Birthday:** April 14, 1971 **Birthday of Spouse:** 

Work and Education: Broadcast Journalist
Works at Niger Delta Television, Bayelsa State
St. Andrews State School I FSLC (1983) Diobu,
Port Harcourt. Ignatius Ajuri College of Education
B.Ed English (1995 1998) International Institute of
PGD Journalism Journalism (IIJ) 2014
Professional Skills: Information Gathering, Dissemination,
and Management

Tel no: 07030073468 Email: ebieregold@gmail.com Interest/Hobbies: Swimming, Reading, Cooking and

Listening to Music

Favourite Colour: Green Favourite Quote: Psalm

**Key Achievement And Contribution** 

Using The Nigeria Association of Women Journalists (NAWOJ), Platform as Chairperson to impact lives positively through advocacy and sensitization

**Key Skills** Catering and Event Management

# Beatrice Esueme D. kikile Tonkumor

Birthday: 2nd October Spouse: 21st May

**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:** 

A) Chartered institute of taxation B) B.sc in accounting

C) Senior school certificate

Work: A) Bayelsa state Ministry of Special Project

B) Bayelsa state Ministry of Trade Industry and Investment

C) Bayelsa state Treasury D) Bayelsa state civil service commission E) Rivers state transport company

Tel: 08034012047

Email: Beatricekikie@gmail.com

Favourite colour: Green

Favourite quote: The Lord is my light and my salvation

psalms 27:1

Year of graduation: 1990.

Attachments area







### NAME:Stella. Malachy Peter

Birthday: 27-01-1973,

Place of Birth Port Harcourt.

**WASCE:** 1991 set

### Idumangi. Tarinyo, Joy

**BIRTHDAY**: 25/9

**EMAIL**: kasoebi@gmail.com **KEY SKILLS**: Investigating

**ADMISSION YEAR:** ACMGS (1991) set. **FAVOURITE COLOUR:** white and black.

QUALIFICATIONS: BSc. Sociology University of Ibadan
HOBBIES: Embarking on field work in social related activities.
KEY ACHIEVEMENT: Solving marital and family problems.
PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: social work and journalism.
FAVOURITE QUOTE: "The construction of the mind is not







Harriet, Ebikobowei-Okoya

Kalama

**WORK:** NDDC

**QUALIFICATION: B.A honors and MBA** 

BIRTHDAY: 15<sup>TH</sup> April Spouse Birthday: 20<sup>th</sup> April PHONE NO: 08033922097

EMAIL ADDRESS: harrietokoya@yahoo.com

**KEYSKILLS**: cooking and events planner / management.

**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:** Computer literacy, conflict resolutions

and youth management.

**INTEREST/HOBBIES**: Farming & interacting with youths. **KEY ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONTRIBUTION**: Effectively

engaged in fishing and poultry

Omiete, Alfred. Ekpi

Nee Briggs

**BIRTHDAY**: 6/10/1974

**SPOUSE BIRTHDAY**: 18/2/1972 **EMAIL**:omieteekpi@gmail.com **HOBBIES**: Cooking and Reading

**TEL NO:** 08036721690 **KEY SKILLS:** Cooking

FAVOURITE COLOUR: peach PERSONAL SKILL:Organisation

**QUALIFICATION**: BSc Computer and Mathematics

UNIPORT.

**WORK**: Administrative secretary PDP Bayelsa state. **FAVOURITE QUOTE:** In his time, he makes all things

beautiful.

**ACHIEVEMENT**: Ensures the party wins in all election.







Mrs Douglas, Grace. D.B

Igodo

BIRTHDAY: August 24th

SPOUSE BIRTHDAY: January 22<sup>nd</sup>

TEL NO: 08133729940

INTEREST/HOBBIES: Singing
KEY SKILL: Commercial activities
FAVOURITE COLOUR: Pink

KEY ACHIEVEMENT AND CONTRIBUTION: Counselling kids

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Economist/ head, commercial

division

Blessing, Golden Ayedikuro.

Ipregha

**BIRTHDAY**: 16<sup>th</sup> November

**SPOUSE BIRTHDAY**: 7<sup>TH</sup> November

**TEL NO**: 08033149077

EMAIL: blessinggolden16@gmail.com

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: Guidance counsellor

**KEY SKILLS:** Public speaking **FAVOURITE COLOUR:** Green

INTEREST/HOBBIES: Cooking, travelling, reading,

motivational books &life coaching talks

FAVOURITE QUOTE: The lord is my shepherd, I shall not

want.

**ACHIEVEMENT AND CONTRIBUTION**: President of the Rotary club of Yenagoa (2015/2016), first female assistant

governor of district 9141, Zone 10. (2017/18).







### Pere-ere Rosemary Kainga

BIRTHDAY: December 12th

PLACE OF WORK: Niger Delta University

**POSITION:** Senior confidential secretary

**UNIT:** Senate

**KEY SKILLS**: Cake making and other Sweet treats

# Cleopatra, Ayebainaemi Amakiri Piri

**TEL NO**: 08037947423 **BIRTHDAY:** DEC 23<sup>RD</sup>

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS: financial analysis

**KEY SKILLS**: HOME MAKEOVER

WORK & EDUCATION: Basic (Banking and Finance)

**EMAIL:** Piricleopatra@gmail.com

INTEREST/HOBBIES: Reading, Baking, Gardening,

Travelling.

FAVOURITE COLOUR: Green.

FAVOURITE QUOTE: Let go and let god, what you cannot

do, leave it for God.







Debo, Inodu Emi

Inodu

**BIRTHDAY**: April 28<sup>TH</sup> **TEL NO**: 08037834004

INTERESST/HOBBIES: Baking

**FAVOURITE COLOUR:** Cream White

FAVOURITE QUOTE: "If God Cannot Fail I Will Never Fail."

**KEY SKILLS:** Self-Motivation

WORK AND EDUCATION: N.C.E Fine and Applied Art

Ikan, Okwe Esther Maxwell

• Ikan

**BIRTHDAY**: April 11<sup>th</sup> **TEL NO:** 08168669656

EMAIL: etherikan@gmail.com GRADUATION YR: 2002

**KEY SKILLS:** Bead making and marketing

FAVOURITE QUOTE: John 3:16
FAVOURITE COLOUR: Blue

**INTEREST/ HOBBIES:** Swimming, Reading **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**: forester and marketer

**KEY ACHIEVEMENT:** Forest guard, Business networking.



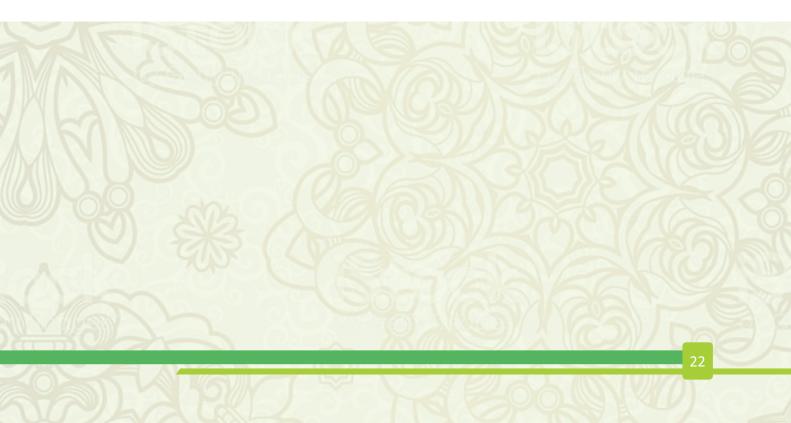


### YOUSOU OBUNONYUN CLARIBEL

1980 – 1985

Education officer

Children Instructor





Celebration of Associate Member, Dr. E.D. Spiff (Prof. A.I Spiff's Husband) 75th Birthday



National President, Prof. Stella Ogbuagu giving her acceptance speech during the Annual General Meeting (2017)



Members of ACMGS OGA Yenagoa branch, celebrating with a Member, Mrs. Omiete Briggs during her Child's Dedication



Christmas Party 2016 at Prof. A.I. Spiff's Residence, Yenagoa



Dame Ella Douglas Honoured as Mother of the year (2017) by St. Peter's Church, Yenagoa.



Members of ACMGS OGA, Yenagoa Branch



Prof. A.O. Kunle-Olowu's 70th Birthday at Ibadan



Having fun, Christmas Party (2017)





ACMGS Students at the AGM (2017)





