

MYANMAR (BURMA)

Since September 15, 2007 our friars have been living in the diocese of Yangon. The Bishop of Yangon is **Charles Maung Bo**. The most recent statistics tell us that there are 81,565 baptized Catholics (.5% of the population). There are 47 parishes with 79 diocesan and 4 religious priests. There are 235 women religious.

Servites

1 community (Yangon); 2 friars. The Servite Sisters of India have been in Myanmar for years: they presently have 23 communities and 120 sisters.

General Information

Area: 676m756 sq km; population: 48,698,000.

Religion: Burma is a religiously diverse country. Bhuddists 89%; Sunni Muslims 4%; Baptists 3%; Catholics 1%.