



### Workshop outputs



Bio-pesticides/fungicides and bio-fertilizers are an important center component which attracted the attention of the participants.



On 20<sup>th</sup> September 2019, AFIRD hosted a team from Caritas-Tororo which was led by the Director Fa. Pius Machulu for a one day's workshop. This workshop was made possible with the help of Norbert Banio and Jennifer Okusia of Horizont 3000 under the ERI Program.

### Objectives of the visit

The visitors wanted to see AFIRD's center and to know how it is organized.

They requested to know the different innovations at the center including the bio pest and disease management, organic fertilizer, confined space farming, value addition and farming as a business.

Caritas Tororo wished to share knowledge about Permaculture and using the ILUD approach in schools.



Participants got to know how AFIRD is working together with farmers on the bean research.



Maximum utilization of the available resources is crucial. This involved many confined space technologies including; spice, herbs and medicinal plant growing as a hedge/boundary.



Bio-gas and bio-slurry production for environmental friendly energy conservation and soil fertility improvement was highly recommended to the participants.



Participants learnt, in whichever space we are, we can grow enough food and rare small animals like rabbits.

