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## ACK St Luke Parkishon Consecration

We joyfully announce the consecration of St. Luke's Parish Church in Karare, Marsabit Archdeaconry. Our Sunday service featured confirmation of over 70 candidates, communion, and vibrant choral performances. Heartfelt thanks to all who contributed, especially Bishop Qampicha Daniel Wario, Bishop Robert Martin, and Rev. Patrick Nayaba.



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# FIRST DIOCESAN GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL



Celebrating a momentous occasion, January 16, 2024, at Ack Elazar Girls High School in Karare! We proudly welcomed 49 girls as our inaugural class. The event was graced by esteemed Diocesan leaders, including Bishop Qampicha, Diocesan Education Secretary Ven. Michael Araru, Mama Bishop Safi Dida, Area Vicar Patrick Nayaba, Area MCA Hon. Leruk, along with Diocesan staff, teachers, parents, and guardians.

We are filled with gratitude to God for transforming our vision from a nursery and primary school into the realization of our first Diocesan Girls High School. This marks a significant step in providing quality education, particularly for the girl child. A proud moment indeed for Ack Elazar Girls Karare. Special thanks to our development and education partners, Cargo Human Care, for their invaluable support.



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# THIRD INTAKE OF 80 BOYS AT ACK ST ANDREWS BOYS BADDASA

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15/1/24, a remarkable historic day at Ack St. Andrews Boys High School in Badassa! Over 80 students, selected from last year's national exams from Marsabit County, Isiolo, and Samburu, reported to school. Accompanied by proud parents and guardians, they received a warm welcome from our Diocesan leadership led by Bishop Qampicha, Diocesan Education Secretary Ven Michael Araru, Principal Silvester, dedicated teachers, and departmental heads.

These new students, forming the third batch, join their counterparts in Form Two and Three, making history with two streams—a true testament to the school's growing reputation and commitment to providing comprehensive education. We are grateful for the success of this day and extend our heartfelt congratulations to the students. Special thanks to the parents who have entrusted Ack St. Andrews with the education and upbringing of their children, nurturing them to become productive members and future nation builders.



## OUR STRATEGY

Ack St. Andrews Boys High School's strategic approach prioritizes nurturing future leaders. With over 80 students selected annually from diverse backgrounds, guided by Diocesan leadership and dedicated faculty, our two-stream system ensures comprehensive education. Grateful to parents for their trust, we're committed to shaping tomorrow's leaders.



# MINISTRY TRAINING

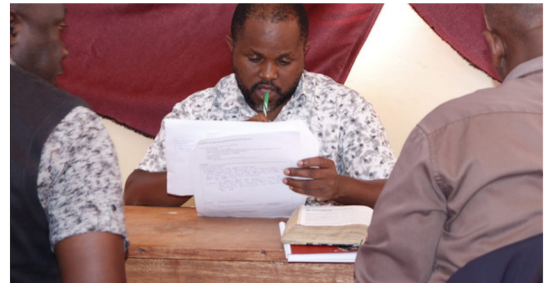
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Join us in celebrating the fruitful collaboration between the Diocesan Mission Department, under the guidance of DYO Rev. Jomo Nderitu, and esteemed trainers Misheck from Nairobi and Thorburn from the USA. For a whole week Ack St. Stephen's Guest House and Training/Conference Centre hosted a dynamic ministry training program.

A dedicated group of 13 clergy members engaged in an intensive week-long workshop focused on enhancing their ability to interpret Scripture effectively and imparting the art of preaching the gospel accurately to apprentices. This immersive experience aimed to empower participants with the necessary tools to spread the message of hope and salvation more effectively.

As we reflect on this training, let us unite in prayer, asking for divine guidance and blessing upon the knowledge gained. May this endeavor strengthen our collective mission to advance the Kingdom of God and equip our ministers with the skills needed to touch hearts and transform lives. Together, let us strive to be faithful stewards of the gospel, earnestly seeking to win souls for Christ.



*Proverbs 27:17 (NIV) - "As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another."*



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# PRAISE REPORTS AND THANKSGIVING

"We offer praise reports and thanksgiving, inspired by Psalm 100:4: 'Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.'"

## Praise Reports:

1. Celebrating the consecration ceremony at St. Luke's Parish Church, confirming over 70 candidates and vibrant choral performances, reflecting Psalm 98:4.
2. Acknowledging Ack Elazar Girls High School's inaugural class of 49 girls, a testament to Proverbs 22:6.
3. Commending Ack St. Andrews Boys High School for welcoming over 80 students from Marsabit County and neighboring areas, echoing Isaiah 54:13.
4. Praising Ack St. Andrews Boys High School's comprehensive education through its two-stream system, aligning with Proverbs 9:9.
5. Rejoicing in the dedication of Diocesan leadership, teachers, and parents in shaping future leaders, reminiscent of 1 Thessalonians 5:18.
6. Our heartfelt condolences go out to Diid Boru, the Archdeacon of Isiolo Archdeaconry, who recently lost his mother. Let us unite in prayer, lifting up his family and all those experiencing the pain of loss. May the Lord bring them comfort, strength, and solace during this difficult time, enveloping them in His love and grace as they navigate through their grief.



## Thanksgiving Statements:

1. Expressing gratitude to God for guiding the consecration ceremony at Ack St. Luke's Parish Church, echoing Psalm 118:1.
2. Giving thanks for the establishment of Ack Elazar Girls High School and providing quality education to girls, reflecting Psalm 127:3.
3. Thanking God for providing over 80 students for the 3rd intake at Ack St. Andrews Boys High School, recognizing His faithfulness as in Psalm 36:5.
4. Expressing gratitude for parents' trust in choosing Ack St. Andrews Boys High School, echoing Psalm 37:3.
5. Giving thanks for the wisdom and dedication of Diocesan leadership, teachers, and staff, reflecting Psalm 9:1-2.
6. Thankful for the clergy training conducted by the Mission Department. Lets pray for all the workers we have in the field toiling for Gods Kingdom.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

1. ACK Alazar Girls official opening
2. Clergy Chapter
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