

THE VOICE OF HOPE

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Dear Beloved in Christ, Happy new year to you all.

Grace and peace to you from our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I am filled with joy and gratitude as I greet you all. We thank the lord for the past year, and the blessing of the new year. we have been able to accomplish so much in church planting, Evangelism, education, women ministry and general development. in this issue we report on our recent events, including the impactful Women's Conference and the generous contributions to ACK Bethel Church, Karra, inspiring a renewed commitment to our faith journey. Let these stories resonate in our hearts, reminding us of the collective strength we find in Christ. we were also able to hold the clergy Chapter Meeting, let us lift our clergy in prayer, recognizing their challenges and seeking God's guidance for their vital roles as stewards and shepherds. The celebration of Kenya's National Tree Growing Day underscores our call to be faithful stewards of God's creation. May our tree planting initiatives contribute to a greener, more sustainable future, aligning with God's divine plan for our environment.

May this newsletter serve as a source of inspiration, encouragement, and a reminder of the profound impact our unity and faith can have on our communities and the world. May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Yours in Christ's service,

Bishop Qampicha

INAUGURAL WOMEN CONFERENCE



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Reflecting on a Blessed Gathering: The ACK Marsabit Diocese Women's Conference

We extend heartfelt gratitude to all the women who joined us at the ACK Marsabit Diocese Women's Conference, held from December 4th to 8th at Moi Girls High School. This year's conference centered around the theme "Wholesome Health for a Wholesome Family." The conference brought together women from across the diocese to explore the intersection of faith and health, emphasizing the importance of well-being in fostering wholesome families. Throughout the event, attendees were enriched with insights and wisdom from enlightening speakers, guiding them through essential teachings that resonate with Christian principles. The serene environment of Moi Girls High School provided the perfect backdrop for reflection and learning, fostering a supportive community of like-minded women.



As we reflect on this transformative gathering, we celebrate the spiritual rejuvenation, personal growth, and strengthened commitment to living out faith in every aspect of life. The ACK Marsabit Diocese Women's Conference was a unique opportunity to connect with God, fellow believers, and gain valuable insights that will positively impact families and communities. We express our gratitude to all who participated, contributing to the success of this event. May the blessings received during this conference continue to inspire and guide us in our journey towards a healthier and holier life for families and congregations across the diocese.



ACK KARRA CHURCH DONATIONS

A BLESSED DAY AT ACK BETHEL CHURCH, KARRA: AMBASSADOR UKUR YATTANI'S GENEROUS GIFT

We rejoice to report that on 10-12-23 at ACK Bethel Church, Karra, our Diocesan leadership, led by Bishop Qampicha A/S, Canon Kargi, Archdeacon Joseph Kesho, and Parish Priest Jackson Halkano, had the honor of hosting former Governor Ambassador Ukur Yattani. During a Sunday service, our former governor generously donated musical instruments to the church. The well-attended ceremony drew participants from across the Archdeaconry of Marsabit. It was a joyous occasion that brought together a diverse gathering of locals from various backgrounds. The community engaged with the former governor, sharing moments of fellowship and breaking bread together over lunch.

The Diocese extends its heartfelt gratitude to Ambassador Ukur and his team for their benevolent gesture. Their generosity did not stop with the musical instruments; they also raised close to 1 Million Kshs for the church's projects. We acknowledge and appreciate their commitment to supporting the growth and development of God's house. May the Lord bless them abundantly and replenish a hundredfold what they have given for His church. Their contributions will undoubtedly leave a lasting impact on our faith community, allowing us to continue spreading the love and teachings of Christ.

In gratitude and blessings,



CLERGY CHAPTER & RETREAT



Grateful Reflections on Diocesan Chapter Meeting

We express gratitude that as the year came to an end clergy from our Diocese gathered for a meaningful chapter meeting. In these moments of fellowship and reflection, we give thanks to God for the dedicated stewards and shepherds on the mission field, tirelessly spreading the Gospel and caring for the flock. Philippians 4:13 resonates in our hearts as we reflect on the past year's successes and challenges. "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." These words inspire us as we look back on the journey, acknowledging both the triumphs and the trials. Now, with hearts full of hope, we plan and strategize for the new year, trusting in the strength that Christ provides.



Special thanks are extended to Bishop Qampicha and the archdeacons for their steadfast leadership. Their guidance has been instrumental in navigating the path set before us. As we unite in prayer, let's lift up these men and women who continue their vital work in the service of our Lord. May God's grace continue to empower and guide them in the coming year.

In prayerful gratitude,

Joshua 1:9—“Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.”

GREEN ANGLICAN INITIATIVES

EMBRACING GREEN INITIATIVES: CELEBRATING KENYA'S NATIONAL TREE GROWING DAY



Join us in celebrating Kenya's National Tree Growing Day, where we proudly support the government's initiative to plant 14 billion tree seedlings. Across all three archdeaconries in our Diocese, we're actively participating in this noble endeavor to contribute to a greener, more sustainable future.

Inspired by Psalm 67:6, "Then the land will yield its harvest, and God, our God, will bless us," we reflect on the blessings that come from stewardship of the earth. Led by Sololo Archdeacon John Maganjo, members of the ACK at Barnabas are actively planting trees to commemorate this special day.



Let these images of our collective efforts inspire us to grow together for a healthier planet. May our commitment to environmental stewardship reflect God's love for His creation.

THANKSGIVING, PRAISE REPORTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanksgiving

1. Women's Conference, We Thank God for transformative experiences and Express gratitude for enlightening speakers.

Thank Him for the unity among diverse women and the exemplary efforts to create awareness and uphold women and girls issues

2. **Bethel Church, Karra:

Give thanks for musical instrument donation.

- Thank God for financial support raised.
- Appreciate the positive impact on the church and community.

3. Diocesan Chapter Meeting

- Thank God for fruitful discussions.
- Express gratitude for dedicated stewards.
- Thank Him for Bishop Qampicha's leadership.

4. National Tree Growing Day:**

- Give thanks for collective environmental efforts.
- Thank God for successful tree planting initiatives.
- Appreciate community engagement in promoting stewardship.

Prayer Points

1. Women's Conference:

- Pray for a lasting impact on attendees' lives.
- Seek continued wisdom for speakers and organizers.
- Lift up women who shared insights for positive change.

2. Bethel Church, Karra

- Thank God for Ambassador Ukur's generous donation.
- Pray for blessings on him and his team.
- Pray for continued growth of Bethel Church.

3. Diocesan Chapter Meeting:**

- Give thanks for a meaningful clergy gathering.
- Pray for strength and guidance for mission stewards.
- Lift up Bishop Qampicha and leaders for wisdom.

4. National Tree Growing Day

- Express gratitude for unity in tree planting efforts.
- Pray for success in the 14 billion tree goal.
- Thank God for local initiatives and community participation.

upcoming Events

Celebrating the opening of the inaugural Diocesan Girls High School in Karare, now admitting students. Gratitude for Cargo Human Care Education partners for their crucial support in making this happen. Let's pray for ongoing educational initiatives and give thanks for the success in recent national exams across all Diocesan schools.

Bearevment



Lets pray for Revs. Nancy & Elibit families who have each lost loved ones



Bishop Qampicha confirms 21 at the cathedral on Christmas day 25-12-23



Bishop Qampicha confirms 42 and Enrolls 34 at ack st Barnabas Isiolo 7-1-24 . We thank the Lord. Amen