



NAMIREMBE DIOCESE BISHOP'S Newsletter



Diocesan Theme 2023: Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace at all times and in every way....." 2Thessalonians 3:16

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FIGHT POVERTY AMONG UGANDANS - BISHOP



Bishop Luwalira in a group photo with the School Management Committee team during his visit to Masuliita... STORY ON PAGE 7

62 LAY READERS COMMISSIONED

62 Lay Readers who have been undergoing training at Uganda Martyrs Seminary Namugongo were officially commissioned into God's ministry by the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira on 5th March 2023 at St. Paul's Cathedral Namirembe. In his remarks

Bishop Luwalira appealed to the Lay Readers to be role models and good examples to all people God entrusts them to lead. He tasked them to go out and preach the word of God in its reality and turn many to Christ.

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BISHOP'S MESSAGE



Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira has urged Clergy to focus on getting Christians out of poverty through preaching the gospel that challenges their mindset to work and improve their livelihood.

My call to the fellow Clergy is to help our Christians take advantage of the Church and Government programs aimed at the economic transformation of Ugandans especially the youth who are the majority of the population. The word of God is clear that He will bless the works of our hands meaning that we should be doing something productive for God to open more doors of opportunities of earning.

I am concerned because this generation of young people does not want to work and leaders have not helped them to understand that God created us to bear responsibilities which can only be fulfilled through working. All of us leaders especially the clergy and Lay readers we have a responsibility of reminding our people that poverty is not a Godly value and God He hates the lazy people.

Preaching the gospel to a troubled person who eats once or nothing in a day, who cannot send his/her children to school, cannot afford

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BISHOP CONDEMNS CORRUPTION AND CALLS FOR JUSTICE

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira decried “the deep corruption scourge in Uganda”, especially in Government and also in the Private Sector which has undermined sustainable growth and development in the country. We cannot achieve the middle income status with this rate of corruption especially in Government, said the Bishop. He added that our National motto “**For God and My Country**” calls for ethical, committed and GOD fearing leaders who put the interests of those they serve before their own. The Bishop made the remarks at Namirembe before leading the believers to participate in the Ecumenical Public Way of the Cross 2023 organized by the Uganda Joint Christian Council under the theme “Do Good, Seek Justice, Prepare for Judgment” (Isaiah 1:17; Hebrews 9:27).

The Bishop’s concern came at a time when the country is witnessing the iron sheets saga involving high profile leaders in the Government and it’s the



Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira leading the Christians during the Ecumenical Public Way of the Cross 2023

story on everyone’s mouth, as well as drought in Karamonja where people are dying of hunger etc. The Bishop reflected on the theme of the walk and called on leaders and all Ugandans always to consider the common good of the people God has entrusted to them in leadership. According to the Bishop, the

lack of quality social services is not due to limited resources, but to sheer greediness, selfishness and corruption which is rampant. There must be consideration for those affected and the corrupt must be held accountable before the laws of our land for justice to prevail, however in most cases there’s no serious action

taken and at times the victims are instead transferred to other ministries/ or put aside without any penalties which makes us think otherwise of our leaders.

As we mark Good Friday and prepare for Easter, I call upon each one of us to reflect on the love of our Lord Jesus Christ

and the sacrifice He made for us to be the way we are today. The price we have is his blood and therefore He calls us to stand for the truth and love one another, stand with the poor and marginalized. On the way to Old Kampala Grounds, the group of believers made several stopovers and prayed for the disabled children of Kampala School for the Physically Handicapped, Mengo Hospital and the abandoned children of Sanyu Babies Home.

In participation was also Ven. Canon Godfrey Buwembo the Archdeacon of Nateete, Rev. Canon Henry Segawa the Diocesan Secretary, Rev. Samuel Muwonge the Diocesan Mission Secretray, Mr. Lule Tefeero the Diocesan Youth Secretary, The President of Mothers Union, Christian Women Fellowship, memers of Fathers Union and Christian Mens’ Fellowship, Youth of Boys and Girls Brigade, Students of Mengo Hospital and all God loving people.

BISHOP ASKS CHRISTIANS ALWAYS TO PRAY FOR THEIR LEADERS



Leadership is about taking decisions on a regular basis to solve challenges, support our people and engage in meaningful service delivery for the transformation and

development of our people, institutions and organizations etc. Being in leadership is a blessing from God and there’s a common saying that leadership comes from God which translates to the fact that a leader must always seek for God’s wisdom and guidance in every decision they take. The Bishop said leaders go through a lot while fulfilling their responsibilities that at times asks much of them. As leaders we need prayers to remain humble, to seek for guidance and direction from the Holy Spirit, for encouragement, wisdom, for protection from

temptation, remain on track, do not get weary in doing good and above all to hear the Lord speaking. We need your prayers because leadership comes with attacks, evil plans and ensuring that we make the right decisions at all times.

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The Bishop made the call while delivering his Easter message at St. Paul’s Cathedral Namirembe on 9th April 2023. He added that religious leaders spend most of their time in ministry praying and blessing others but he wonders whether Christians find some time also to pray for their leaders. As a committed Christian I wish to inform you that prayer is our most powerful tool and the only means by which mountains are moved and people transformed. I ask you always to pray for the Church and its future amidst the challenging

times we are facing when immorality, corruption, succession leadership and land scandals among others are on a rise. We pray that may God lift His own leaders in Church who will stand for His word. He quoted 1 Timothy 1:1-4 “I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—for Kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Savior, who wants all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.”

BISHOP RALLIES CLERGY ON POVERTY FIGHT AMONG UGANDANS

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decent accommodation, cannot access health care, dress his family and own any property etc may not yield any fruits if the livelihood component of our people is ignored. Our true calling is to transform God's people in all aspects of life.

The church cannot perform miracles to the lazy people who hate working and think the Church and Government will provide everything for them. We need to shape the mind set of our people to enable them understand that there's no shortcut to becoming rich but they need to be strategically positioned in work and pray to God for a breakthrough and indeed you will see his mercy upon your hard work. During my pastoral visits to communities, I have realized that some Ugandans actually are living on land with bushes

and even buy food instead of using that land to be a producer of food for domestic and commercial purposes. This is the same to some church land which is idle.

I therefore call upon Ugandans to take advantage of the resources God has given us. In Genesis 1:29, **"God said, throughout the earth I shall give you all the plants which bear seed; they shall be yours for food."** Hence the spiritual importance of hard work to a Christian life cannot be ignored. As a religious leader, I condemn wealth generated through corruption, embezzlement of funds, stealing and forceful eviction of the poor from their land, etc which are rampant with most leaders today.

My message this year is to call upon all leaders especially

our clergy to do whatever it takes to help our people escape the cycle of poverty. If the livelihood of our people is good, the future of the Church is promising and sustainable since it's our Christians and the God loving people who contribute, pay tithe and donate items which enable the Church to do ministry. Let us embrace the Government Programs aimed at supporting our people economically like the Parish Development Model, Interest people to join profitable farming, and provide opportunities for the youth to learn marketable hands on skills for self employment. An economically empowered Church and the Nation, is a strong asset for growth and development.

Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira

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The Bishop also requested the Christians to pray for their religious leaders so that God uses them according to His Will.

The Very Rev. Canon Jonathan Kisawuzi Ssalongo, Dean St. Paul's Cathedral Namirembe who was the main preacher reminded the

Lay Readers always to reflect on their calling and look onto God whom they serve. He requested them to be Holly in all aspects of life since we serve a Holy God. The service was highly attended by the Archdeacons, Clergy, Lay Readers, Christians and invited guests.



GALAMBA CHURCH OF UGANDA OFFICIALLY OPENED



The exterior look of All Saints Church of Uganda Ggalamba

It was a day of extreme happiness and joy to all Christians and God loving people of Ggalamba community when they witnessed the historical official opening of All Saints Church of Uganda, Ggalamba in Mwererwe Parish on 26th February, 2023 by the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira. The genesis for the construction of this church tracks back when Mrs. Faith Kityo Luwalira started on the process of developing Ggalamba Church of Uganda Primary School.

Bishop Luwalira thanked God for the far He has brought Ggalamba and in a special way thanked Maama Faith Luwalira for spearheading the efforts of constructing the church and all the God loving people who supported and worked with her to realize the new look of Ggalamba. He assured the Christians to disregard the talk of Maama Faith focusing on

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Ggalamba as her retirement project. He said Maama Faith has nothing to do with Galamba and her intervention in developing it was a calling that not only elevated the school status, but also transformed the community by working on the mindset of the people, teaching them to work especially using the land productively and appreciating the value of education. He said Galamba belongs to the Diocese.

Bishop requested the Christians to take good care of their Church and only use it for God's work. It's now your responsibility to use this church to continue the transformation of this community by teaching and preaching the word of God to all people, said the Bishop.

Ven. Kenneth Ssewanyana the Archdeacon of Kazo reminded the Christians always to remember the Bishop's words of using the Church only for God's work and to know that the authority over



Bishop Luwalira performing the religious rituals of opening a new a Church



this Church belongs to the Diocesan administration. He therefore urged them never to do anything that contradicts

with the values of the Diocese. The service was highly attended and attracted Christians from all over the Diocese.

MAAMA FAITH LUWALIRA FOUNDATION (MAFLF) LAUNCHED



Doing things God's way is the Guiding Philosophy of Maama Faith Kitoy Luwalira Foundation (MAFLF) a Christian charitable

organization founded by Mrs. Faith Nakitende Kitoy Luwalira wife to the current Bishop of Namirembe Diocese the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kitoy Luwalira aimed to build Godly families and restore hope among God's people.

On 9th December 2022, MAFLF was officially launched on a colourful function presided over by the His Grace the Archbishop of the Province of the Church of Uganda Dr. Stephen Kaziimba Mugalu and the queen mother of Buganda Kingdom Nnabagereka Sylvia Naginda at NDI Prayer Centre in Masuliita. Maama Faith Luwalira strongly believes that the family is the backbone of development of any nation therefore neglecting it is creating a doomed nation.

God created the family to reflect His character and be a channel through

which He can fulfill His plan and purposes. The fall of man through Adam and Eve written in the Bible coupled with the increasing man made ungodly initiatives and practices are destroying the family Unit, and the centrality of God in families is becoming questionable.

The continued neglect and abuse of Godly family values has birthed extremely serious challenges such as domestic violence, high crime rate, poverty, homosexuality, single parenting, HIV/AIDS, divorces, incest, lazy youth, conflicts, separated families, drug abuse, irresponsible parents, corruption, suicide among others. MAFLF is therefore committed to making a nationwide positive contribution in facilitating families to be grounded in Biblical Principles and values.



MAFLF Approach to work is based on God's vision for the family guided by the Bible and employs

approaches and methods in all our programs and operations that will enable us mirror Godly Principles, values and practices.

Vision: Transformed families living according to Biblical principles and values.

Mission: Nurturing, teaching and disciplining families and communities in Biblical Principled lifestyles.

Motto: The Lord is my Banner.

Core Values:

- Godliness
- Integrity
- Humility
- Stewardship

MAFLF is guided by the following objectives:

1. To sensitize communities on the plight of boys' and the need to empower them for stable families.
2. To teach and provide holistic support to every member of the family to play their role as stipulated in the Bible.
3. To influence mindset change in regard to social and cultural norms that cause family challenges.
4. To work and collaborate with Christian organizations and individuals with similar values and principles and a passion for Godly families.

Our Programmes and activities

1. Marriage ministry
2. Mentoring the Boy Child
3. Mentoring the Girl Child
4. Prayer and Intercession
5. Bible study and application
6. Discipleship
7. Life skills empowerment
8. Holiday Makers Program (EKIBAYA, CRADLE)
9. Sports and Games
10. Health Best Practices etc

Our Beneficiaries:

Children, Youth, Young Adults, marrieds, Parents/ Guardians, elderly and family support.

MAAMA FAITH SHARES THE GENESIS OF MAFLF



The Queen mother of Buganda Kingdom praised Maama Faith Kitoy Luwalira for her vision to start a foundation. She

said that MAFLF is in line with Nnabagereka Foundation aim which focuses on instilling discipline and values

MAAMA FAITH LUWALIRA CELEBRATES 60TH BIRTH DAY

The Queen mother of Buganda Kingdom Sylvia Naginda revealed that Maama Faith Kityo Luwalira has been an inspiration to her in serving God. The Queen mother said since her childhood, she grew up from a Christian family and she knew the basics of praying on Sunday, praying

before sleeping and after, praying before eating etc but it was until she met Maama Faith, she realised the power of prayer and this has enabled her to grow in faith. The Nnabagereka made the remarks at the launch of MAFLF and 60th birth day celebration of Maama Faith in Masuliita.

She thanked God for Maama Faith's life who is a blessing and an inspiration to so many people. The Queen who said she's one month older than Maama Faith congratulated her upon clocking 60 years old and wished her good health as well as many blessed years ahead. She presented her birthday gift to Maama Faith.



Archbishop prays for Maama Faith



Maama Nnabagereka presenting her birthday gift



Bishop's family choir joins with the birth day song



The excitement of cake cutting

ARCHBISHOP APPRECIATES MAFLF FOR BOY CHILD PROGRAM

His Grace the Archbishop of the Province of the Church of Uganda the Most Rev. Dr. Stephen Kaziimba Mugalu appreciated Maama Faith Kityo Luwalira Foundation for focusing on the boy child who has been neglected for a very long time. He added that neglect of the boy child is the reason why prisons and bars are full of boys, domestic violence is high, irresponsible and absent fathers are many, corruption and homosexuality etc.

He committed to support MAFLF and urged all the God loving people to join its cause of restoring hope, building Godly families and transforming communities for sustainable growth and development. The Archbishop who prayed and blessed Maama Faith also congratulated her upon reaching her 60th birthday.

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira thanked Maama Faith for the vision of MAFLF and all the people who have stood with her in realizing this vision. According to the Bishop, Maama Faith has always engaged in community activities that improve the livelihood of God's people, work on mindset change and preaching the salvation gospel to turn many to Christ. It should be noted that it's Maama Faith Luwalira who led the transformation of Ggalamba Community, started Sons' of the King Fellowship which focuses on the needs of the boy child etc. The Bishop congratulated Maama Faith for her 60th birthday.

Over Ug shs15million was fundraised in cash and 17million in pledges to support the MAFLF Programmes and activities.

MAFLF CENTRAL TO CLIMATE ACTION

The Archbishop, Queen mother, Bishop Luwalira and Maama Faith Luwalira all planted trees as a sign of addressing climate crisis to promote climate action.

Christians were therefore encouraged to emulate the good example of their leaders and plant trees to address the negative effects of climate crisis.



Maama Nnabagereka, Archbishop Kaziimba, Bishop Luwalira and Maama Faith all planted trees at the launch of MAFLF

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MAAMA FAITH LUWALIRA FOUNDATION (MAFLF) PICTORIAL



The MAFLF team



Some of the Shunamite Women



The Bishop's family join in a group photo



Clergy and their wives in one photo



Some of the guests at the launch



Maama Faith receiving a gift from her guests

A CALL FOR SUPPORT- HEAVY DOWN POUR DESTROYS MASULIITA C.O.U PRIMARY SCHOOL CLASSROOM BLOCK

Pupils, parents and staff of Masuliita Church of Uganda Primary School are stuck after heavy rains completely destroyed the roofing of one of its main structures thus affecting the school programs. The already dilapidated building was further weakened thus not fit to accommodate pupils for their own security.

The school which is located in Masuliita Parish, Kazo Archdeaconry in Wakiso District accommodates over 400 pupils from the nursery section to Primary Seven. A school Management Committee member who preferred to remain anonymous, described the school situation as “terrible” and needs immediate support for our children to access education from a conducive and an enabling learning environment.

When he visited the school on 1st March, 2023 Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira was concerned by the state of the school structures in line with the safety of the pupils. The heavy rains had totally destroyed the roofing, the building looked weak and there's fear of the collapse of the remaining structures incase the heavy rains continue. While addressing the Diocesan Synod which sat on 3rd March 2023, Bishop Luwalira informed the delegates of the damages the rain had caused to the school and requested them to pray for God's mercy upon its renovation. He appealed for support in anyway possible.

The Parish Priest of Masuliita Rev. James Kana said, there's need for quick support to roof, renovate and rehabilitate the damaged structure so that children can continue with school.

The Rev is optimistic that if action is not taken now, the damages would increase since the rainy season is still on. He appealed to the Government, christians and the general public to come to the school rescue and support in any way possible.

According to one of the passionate and optimistic teacher, at Masuliita everyday is a struggle and parents are not comfortable with the deplorable conditions of the infrastructure. The floors are dusty, the roof and walls destroyed by the rain, furniture is not

enough making the school not a safe place for the children to flourish, grow and realise their full potential through education. The situation is bad and a helping hand is needed.

A part from the dilapidated structures, The school is overwhelmed by the big numbers of pupils who come to school almost with nothing. We are committed to our calling and very much determined to teach these children regardless of the situation but sometimes the burden is too much, said one of the teachers. The

Government contribution is almost neglible to adequately cater for even a term and yet most parents have the impression that the Government pays for everything.

Therefore a part from the main activity of roofing and renovating the damaged building, we welcome any other support in form of scholastic materials, text books, computers, chalk, food, copies of new curriculum, furniture etc. **For more information about the school kindly contact the Diocesan Education Department.**



The damaged school structures by the heavy rains



Some of the dilapidated school structures of Masuliita C.O.U Primary School



Rt.. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira

BISHOP WARNS SCHOOLS AGAINST IMMORALITY

A lot of talk about our schools in Uganda rotates around the wide spread of homosexuality and related vices which acts are shameful and unacceptable in our communities since they contradict with our religious and cultural values, norms and practices. We have heard

that this vice is being smeared into educational Institutions by some promoters who might be members of the school communities and the learners. We have also read about testimonies, cases of teachers and members of support staff being agents of this sinful vice in some of our schools.

This is why I humbly ask the school head teachers and management committees to be very keen with not only the conduct of our children but also the school staff. Let us have staff of unquestionable integrity in our schools who are committed to their noble calling of teaching and helping

children be successful in life. Just like our families, schools play a very powerful role in nurturing and mentoring children since they spend a considerable amount of time there. It worries us that moral decadence is on a rise in some schools like drug use, same-sex relationships, teachers-students

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relationships, demonstrations and betting etc. Recently we heard of a school where fellow students tied their colleague and beat him to death, very sad indeed.

Schools have a significance influence on the decisions our children make in life hence they should be centers of instilling values, principles and practices that help children to develop effective, sustainable and transformative interventions to better their lives and communities. All of us have a role to play in ensuring that our schools are centers of academic excellence and discipline.

I request schools to develop posters discouraging children from drug use, homosexuality, boy-girl relationships, early sex etc and those that promote health practices like abstinence, physical exercises, personal hygiene, self control etc. In some schools, I have been impressed by the schools which have actively involved parents in the affairs of their children through organizing class days, parents meetings, whatsapp groups for parents and teachers to discuss issues to do with

children affairs etc. This will help the parents to know how their children behave, their interests and friends to their children etc.

Schools should also think of strengthening the professional guidance and counseling services in to help children who are disturbed by life challenges. Invite other stakeholders like the police, health workers, alumni and religious leaders to regularly speak to the children.

I also appeal to schools to do routine and abrupt roll calls, inspections and have enough security as mitigation measures to indiscipline. As I conclude, I salute all teachers for the great work you do amidst very serious challenges to ensure that we have responsible citizens in our country. May God bless the works of your hands.

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MENGO SENIOR SCHOOL TEACHERS START A GIRLS' HOSTEL

Teachers of Mengo Senior School have started a girls' hostel accommodated by the Diocesan Mission House on Namirembe Hill just opposite the Provincial and the Diocesan Offices. The hostel gives an opportunity to parents who would like their children to live within the school parameters and also surrounded by an enabling environment of responsible neighborhood. This also guarantees the security and safety of our children.

The hostel has saved many parents from the burden of transporting and worrying about girls' safety between school and home. The girls are well looked after by professional teachers, matrons and the presence of priests for their spiritual wellbeing. The students' welfare is a top priority and the presence of a medical worker to ensure a health and positive living environment for our children. Special in this hostel is the regular presence of teachers who give an opportunity to the students for academic consultations, discussions and night preps.

According to Rev. Samuel Muwonge the Diocesan Mission Secretary, the hostel is guided by the Christian Principles and Values aimed at instilling discipline, self control, self



Bishop Luwalira inspecting the hostel facility



Some of the students at the hostel

confidence, humility and hard work which are key to success. This hostel is unique since it intends to offer programs such as career guidance, spiritual well being, counseling and guidance etc that build the girl child into responsible and God fearing student. This is in line with the hostel Mission Statement "Nurture a girl, Nurture a Nation", he added.

The hostel started with 200 girls and intend to accommodate

over 600 girls in total upon completion. It is upon this background that we appeal to all stakeholders to give us more support so that the students can use the 2nd floor too and also support the mission and evangelism ministry through enhanced income. Take note that each student pays Ug shs800,000/=only per term and for more information, kindly visit the hostel premises for a detailed discussion.

MENGO PRIMARY SCHOOL EMBARKS ON PERIMETER WALL CONSTRUCTION



Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira marking the start of the construction process

Mengo Primary School is a Church of Uganda founded school that embarked on the construction of a perimeter wall to provide security to the pupils and their property. The wall will also help the School Management Committee to protect its land from encroachers.

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira on 23rd March 2023 presided over the official

launch of the Perimeter wall construction at the school premises. The Bishop was impressed by the school decision to fence off the school and in his remarks he appreciated the School Management Committee for ensuring safety of pupils and school property at a time when schools are being attacked by people of unknown agenda. He prayed for knowledge,

wisdom and resources to enable the perimeter wall be completed within the specified period of time.

The school head teacher Mr. Kirumira Festus thanked the Bishop for officiating at the ground breaking of the school fence. He said the school has encountered numerous challenges due to lack of a school fence and that's why we committed to have it done.

GAYAZA JUNIOR SCHOOL JJUNGO CAMPUS RECOGNISES BISHOP'S CONTRIBUTION TO ITS ESTABLISHMENT



The Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira Complex at Gayaza Junior School Jjungo Campus

In the history of Gayaza Junior School Jjungo Campus, Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira will never be forgotten for his remarkable role in the establishment of this campus. The campus's main building was named after him

“**Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira Complex**” and this will be a permanent reminder to everyone associated with this campus to know about the Bishop's dedicated support, commitment and service to its realization.

According to a staff member, who preferred anonymity in order to speak freely, said Bishop Luwalira has given everything to the School. He stood against all forces that fought the idea of having this campus and most importantly,

he helped to secure the land on which this Jjungo Campus sits today. If the Bishop had not given permission and blessed the vision of the School Management Committee, today we would be talking about something else. To have our main building named after him, is the best recognition and sincere appreciation we can afford to make him know how much we valued his ministry to this campus, she added. The Bishop presided over the ground breaking ceremony and witnessed the construction of the first structure on the site.

On 14th July 2022, the Jjungo Campus was officially opened and the colorful function was graced by the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira as the Chief Guest and preacher of the day. The Bishop on that

day officially commissioned the complex named after him and thanked the School Management Committee for the recognition of his ministry. Gayaza Junior School-Jjungo Campus has a very conducive environment for learning with modern facilities and a very competent professional team of teaching and non teaching staff that take care of the school on a regular basis. There's no doubt the strong foundation laid by the vision bearers, the School Management Committee, and all stakeholders guarantee the continuity and sustainability of the school for so many years ahead producing a complete empowered girl child.

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UGANDA MARTYRS SEMINARY NAMUGONGO HOLDS 3RD GRADUATION CEREMONY

215 students graduated at Uganda Martyrs Seminary Namugongo (UMSN) 3rd Graduation ceremony held on 17th February 2023 at the seminary grounds. The graduates were awarded Diplomas and Certificates in Theology, Christian Ministries, Child Development and Children Ministry, Guidance and Counseling, Business Administration and Management. A total of 215 graduated 119 being female and 96 male.

Bishop James Bukomeko of Mityana Diocese who represented the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira

Bishop of Namirembe urged the graduates to translate the knowledge gained into action in order to benefit the Church and their communities. He urged them to cherish our Christian values and be people of integrity and strong commitment to serve God. The Bishop congratulated them and wished them the best of ministry.

The Seminary Principal Rev. Esau Bbosa Kimanje congratulated all the graduates and appreciated them for their dedication and hard work

The Seminary Principal Rev. Esau Bbosa Kimanje congratulated all the graduates and appreciated them for their dedication and hard work that has led to their academic success. He said the knowledge, skills and excellent qualities gained equip them to make a difference by changing lives and transforming communities for better living. He appealed to them to be confident, expect the unexpected, and embrace new challenges as well as opportunities.

The Seminary also offers other programs including the **Bachelor** in Biblical Studies and Christian leadership,



Some of the graduates in a group photo at the seminary

Diplomas in Guidance and Counseling, Information Technology, Procurement and Logistics, Project Planning and Management, Social Work and Social Administration, **Certificates** in the same courses like the diplomas.

The colorful and highly attended ceremony was graced

by Hon. Dr. Ruth Nankabirwa as the Chief Guest, Rev. Canon Henry Segawa the Diocesan Secretary and also former Principal, Diocesan Heads of Departments, Officials from the central and Buganda Government, Clergy, Lay Readers, Christians and Development Partners, friends and all God loving people.

NAMUGONGO MIXED PRIMARY SCHOOL GETS NEW CLASSROOM BLOCK

Parents, learners and teachers of Namugongo Mixed School in Namugongo Parish, Luzira Archdeaconry were all smiles when Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira joined them in a thanksgiving service for the new classroom block on 30th March 2023. The construction of the new facility started last year in August and it was completed in January 2023. It accommodates seven (7) classrooms including the staff room and an office.

Speaking at the official thanksgiving service, Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira commended the school administration and all partners who supported the realization of this modern structure for the great work acknowledging that their input has made a

great difference in creating an enabling learning environment for the children. The Bishop who was impressed by the school structure claimed that it will attract more learners and he tasked the school administration to ensure effective teaching and make the learning process pleasurable and attractive to the pupils. If the academic performance is good, there's continued school development.

The Bishop also tipped the pupils to take advantage of the Namugongo Diocesan Farm and learn more skills in modern scientific farming. By doing this, the Bishop said, it will interest the young

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people in future to engage in farming not only for home consumption but also for commercial purposes thus improved livelihoods. The highly organized function was attended by Bishop Emeritus Jackson Matovu who is the Chairman of Uganda Martyrs Museum Development Committee, Ven Canon Moses Banja the Archdeacon of Luzira, Ven Canon Isaac Membe Kijjambu the Diocesan treasurer, Rev. Nathan Mulondo the Diocesan Education Secretary, Rev. Esau Bbosa Kimanje the Principal Uganda Martyrs Seminary Namugongo, pupils, parents, friends and well wishers.



BUDO FOCUSES ON CONTINUED GROWTH AS IT MARKS 117 FOUNDERS' DAY CELEBRATIONS

King's College Budo marked its 117 founders day on 26th March 2023 at a colorful service presided over by the Rt. Rev. Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira assisted by Ven. Canon Godfrey Buwembo the Archdeacon of Nateete and clergy present. The Bishop appreciated the Board of Governors, PTA

Executive, Head teacher, teaching and non teaching staff, parents, students and all God loving people for every contribution towards the daily running of the school to enable it serve the current and future generations. The Bishop said everyone's effort is fundamental towards the success of the school. He

warned the school to be vigilant and keen on discipline citing the increased cases of immorality. The Bishop called for zero tolerance to homosexuality and lesbianism among our children.

The Head teacher Mr. Fred Kazibwe pointed out that they have a big challenge of transforming Budo into

a better institution in all areas. He added that they will continue building on the already existing success, reputation and legacy to have a complete institution of learning that nurtures and prepares its students to have a remarkable contribution in society. He said the school has been on top for a long time

and it's an everyday challenge to maintain that status. The mountains to climb are high but it takes determination, courage, and the good will of all stakeholders to reach even greater heights.

The Chief Guest Hon. Olive Beti Kanya Turwomwe who is the Inspector General of Government (IGG) urged students to love their school and support all its projects in order to keep the school relevant. During the celebrations, four (4) old students were awarded with the order of merit award of King's College Budo and these included Professor Justin Bakibinga, Mr. James Mukasa Serufusa, Amb. Rosemary Semafumu Mukasa and Dr. David Byatike.



The IGG during the service and a group photo of the Bishop, IGG and the award winners

DIOCESAN TRACTOR MAKES NAMIREMBE FOCUS ON BEING THE FOOD BASKET OF KAMPALA

When the Diocese received a tractor from the Government, the Clergy and Christians especially those engaged in farming were excited and ready to take full advantage of its availability to bolster agricultural production. God gifted His Church with fertile land fit for agricultural, livestock and other related developments and therefore the Diocese must make good use of its availability through Agribusiness. According to the Bishop, one of the United Nations' Sustainable Goals, Zero hunger can only be realized if the Church working with small scale farmers' agricultural potential is harnessed. Feeding Kampala and its neighbouring communities requires the Diocese to heavily invest in productive use of its land, supporting and empowering smallholder food producers.

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira said the Diocese has got enormous potential to become the food basket of people in Kampala and the neighbouring



The Diocesan tractor during one of its field activities clearing land for farming

communities by promoting commercial farming on Church land which is not yet used and among its people. There's no reason for people of Kampala to be importing most food from the other regions of Uganda and yet we have the potential to produce enough food for our people. According to Rev. Frobia Kiyaga the Diocesan Estates Secretary, what we do with our land will determine our livelihood. It's a shame that we have people who go to bed hungry in Kampala

and Wakiso just because they cannot afford a meal and yet some of them are on idle land. The tractor which the Government donated to the Diocese through National Agricultural Advisory Services (NAADS) and the Province of the Church of Uganda has eased farming and increased food production especially from the small scale farmers. The availability of the tractor has created a strong will of the Diocese to become the food

basket of Kampala and the neighbouring communities. Dr. Fred Sengendo, the Head of Livestock and Agriculture Department said, the tractor is very effective and efficient, save the Diocese from expensive labor, delivers on time and can easily be accessed by the community and because of this reality, food production has increased. Over 40 acres of the Diocesan land is being used for farming in Masuliita, and Namayumba etc.

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira believes in a few years if the Diocese remains focused on agricultural transformation and also working with other development partners in the sector, the Diocese will be among the leading suppliers of food to Kampala and Wakiso markets such as Kasubi, Nakasero, Kalerwe, Nakulabye, Nansana, and Nakawa etc. The Bishop sees no reason why the Diocese is not supplying its own schools with food and a lot of it is imported from other regions of the country to our schools and also feed people of Kampala. With the availability of our tractor and the modern scientific farming methods including the need for mechanization, from irrigation to processing, our potential to be the food basket of Kampala is beyond questionable. We can produce enough food both for home consumption and business. The tractor can be accessed through the office of the Diocesan Secretary. Together Zero hunger.

BISHOP TASKS LIVESTOCK AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT TO SUPPORT COMMUNITIES ENHANCE HOUSEHOLD INCOMES THROUGH AGRICULTURAL INVESTMENTS



Bishop and the Archdeacons inspecting the Diocesan Banana plantations

The demand for food is extremely high in Kampala and the neighbouring communities and if our people are empowered to invest in

commercial farming, household incomes will be enhanced thus improving household standards of living. The Bishop is concerned that though many

households in Namirembe (Wakiso, Kampala & Sesse Islands) have access to land, they instead keep on buying food which comes as far as outside Wakiso and Kampala. It's upon this background that Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira has tasked the Diocesan Livestock and Agriculture Department to develop programs that engage communities in profitable farming and productive use of land at household levels so as to have a positive impact on economic growth and poverty reduction. Drawing on this, the Bishop said the new improved scientific farming methods enable one even on a small

piece of land to do meaningful farming.

The Department should pass on this knowledge and skills to our local farmers to unlock their food production potential. The Bishop also called on the Government to support the Church efforts in bolstering agricultural production and invest in resilient food systems that protect smallholder food producers.

We must strongly support our people, especially small holder farmers and get more youth into agriculture for continuity and sustainability of the sector which employs over 76% of Ugandans. The mindset of our people must

be worked on so that they take agriculture as a business that can completely transform their lives economically. In all this the Bishop emphasized the role of the Livestock and Agriculture Department in fighting poverty and influencing mind set change of our people through trainings, study visits, sharing success stories and capacity building in profitable farming for growth and development.

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DIOCESAN STAFF VISIT NAKYESASA FARM



Bishop Luwalira and the Diocesan Staff in a group photo after the study tour

Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira led a team of staff for a study visit to Nakyesasa Farm (National Livestock and Research Institute) Namulonge on 24th March 2023 with an aim of learning new best practices in livestock keeping, knowledge and exposure.

Among the staff included the Diocesan Secretary Rev. Canon Henry Segawa, the Diocesan treasurer Ven. Canon Isaac Membe Kijjambu, the Bishop's Chaplain Rev. Agnes Ssemwanga, Dr. Fred Segendo the head of

Livestock Department, Rev. Samuel Muwonge the Mission Secretary, Mr. Lule Tefeero the Youth Secretary, the farm

manager of Kyankwanzi ranch, Mr. Segawa Jonathan the I.T Specialist, Rev. George Nkonge the Parish Priest of Nansana.



BISHOP IMPRESSED BY SIGHT FARM NAMULONGE

Sight farm Namulonge is driven by the motto "Inspire to aspire before you expire" and it intends to become a powerful centre of learning in scientific methods of livestock keeping and farming. The farm has locally empowered the farmers in its locality and the neighbouring communities in modern livestock keeping and farming thus improving their livelihood. Bishop

Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira had a guided study tour of the farm with a team of the Diocesan staff led by Rev. Canon Henry Segawa the Diocesan Secretary on 24th March 2023. The aim was to learn new techniques, methods and best practices in livestock which can be integrated in the Diocesan Ranch at Kyakwanzi for continued growth and sustainability as well as for personal growth and

development of the staff who went with the Bishop.

Bishop Luwalira appreciated the great work being done at the farm and thanked the owners for opening wide the doors of learning to the community. The Bishop said the farm is an inspiration and he was impressed by its contribution to supporting the locals and building their

capacity in livestock for commercial purposes. He emphasized the need for our people to work and said this farm contributes to poverty and unemployment reduction among God's people.

It should be noted that Bishop Luwalira has supported the continued growth and development of Kyakwanzi Ranch which is on 3 square miles in Kyakwanzi District and has over 600 cattle plus 100 goats. New infrastructure has been put in place, modern farm equipments purchased solar system, water tanks, construction of valley dams, tik control plunge dip, purchase for new vehicle and motorcycle as well as increased cattle. The Bishop's passion for livestock and farming birthed the new Unit of farming which was integrated in the already existing Livestock Department headed by Dr. Fred Sengendo, the Diocesan Livestock Development Officer.



Diocesan staff at Sight Farm Namulonge for a study visit



BISHOP LEADS COFFEE GROWING CAMPAIGN IN THE DIOCESE

Many people think of Namirembe as an Urban Diocese in Kampala which cannot engage in commercial farming. However the Diocese covers the entire Wakiso district with so many rural villages, share parts of Kampala with Kampala Diocese and the eighty four (84) Islands of Sesse. Agriculture being the backbone of our economy and since the Diocese covers more rural areas than the urban towns, the importance of agriculture cannot be neglected. Its upon this background that Bishop Wilberforce Kityo Luwalira started the coffee growing campaign with an aim of interesting and teaching people to work especially the youth, promote productive use of land so as to protect Church land from the illegal encroachers and to fight poverty among its people by making agriculture a business which has so many opportunities of income generation.

Today over 40 acres of coffee have been planted in Masuliita, Sempya and Luwami as Diocesan Coffee Projects. The Bishop's campaign for coffee growing has been a success since even the local farmers have embraced it. The Diocese now looks forward to expanding it to other Parishes like Kikandwa, Mwererwe, Jjungo, Kiryagonja and Namulonge etc for increased production. Overtime Bishop Luwalira has preached the practical gospel of working among Ugandans to overcome poverty and he strongly believes that coffee growing has the power to increase household incomes and foster development. The Diocese is committed to support Ugandans to realize coffee growing through modern farming trainings, access to market and provide seedlings so that we have an economically empowered church that is capable of serving God.

On a regular basis during his pastoral work, the Bishop has visited farmers who have seriously invested in coffee growing. This has motivated and encouraged even the small scale farmers to engage in commercial farming. According to the Diocesan Secretary Rev. Canon Henry Segawa, coffee growing will not only create wealth to the Diocese but also improve the livelihoods of our people by enhancing their income. He added that this is why the Diocesan Council decided to establish a new Department of Livestock and Agriculture to ensure that agricultural programs and services can easily be accessed by the people. The Diocese is very thankful to Buganda Kingdom for donating the coffee seedlings, Uganda Coffee Development Authority, and NAADS for all the support.



Bishop Luwalira inspecting the Diocesan Coffee Projects

DIOCESAN KYANKWANZI RANCH TO ADOPT MODERN REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGIES FOR CATTLE BREEDING



One of the valley Dams at the ranch



Some of the cattle and the goats at the ranch

The Bishop's love for farming and livestock has led to the rapid development of the Diocesan Ranch which sits on three (3) square miles in Kyankwanzi

Mityana Disstrict. The ranch is a Diocesan Project under the Livestock and Agriculture Department aimed at interesting farmers especially the young people into ranching and farming through practical trainings, study visits and community ranching outreach programs.

Before Bishop Luwalira's intervention, the ranch had only 300 local cattle and this could only generate an income of 10million annually to the Diocese. However, the Bishop's commitment and hard work opened the doors of opportunities for the development of the ranch and the nearby community.

According to Dr. Fred Sengendo the Diocesan Livestock Development Officer, the Bishop's vision of increasing livestock and incomes birthed many developments among which include farm clearing. He says most parts of the ranch were busy and turned into forests but now through clearing, the land has been put to productive use. The farm managed to secure a water pump, and construct valley dams for water catchment, a modern farm house was constructed and the old one was renovated, the ranch now owns a cattle dip for tick control, a brand new farm vehicle and motorcycle were purchased to ease coordination of the farm activities. Due to the new developments at the ranch, the number of workers increased from three (3) to now fifteen (15).

Dr. Sengendo adds that the ranch now has over 680 cattle and 70 goats which enables the Diocese

to generate over Ugshs100million as income annually through cattle sale. He attributed this to cross breeding of the local cattle (Ankole) and the superior bulls birthing high quality breeds which are marketable. He also revealed that after the visit to Nakyasese Farm, Namulonge (National Research and Livestock Institute) organized by the Bishop in March, the Diocese looks forward to partnering with the Government to introduce modern reproductive technologies for cattle breeding and fattening thus leading to quality breeds. According to the ranch manager, this partnership will elevate the ranch to a greater level and it will be a centre of learning to the public. He encouraged the youth to utilize the opportunity of acquiring free knowledge and skills in modern Livestock farming by regularly carrying out study visits to farm.



The modern house constructed at the ranch

YOUTH IN TREE PLANTING DRIVE “GREENING PARISHES” CAMPAIGN



Youth of Namirembe have embarked on a campaign named “Greening Parishes” aimed at planting trees in all Parishes so as to contribute to climate action for environmental conservation. On 18th April 2023, the Diocesan Youth Department received 500 indigenous trees from Lukango Tree Conservancy in Bunjako Mpigi district as a result of our working partnership with Climate Yes Uganda. The “Greening Parishes” campaign also focuses on encouraging the youth to get involved in the sensitization,

adaptation measures and practices to conserve the environment.

While receiving the trees on behalf of the Diocesan Youth Secretary, Mr. Paul Kagga urged the youth to take the lead for conserving the environment by educating the public on its importance. He thanked Lukango tree

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Conservancy for donating the trees to the Diocese and pledged to ensure that they will be planted and well monitored to ensure their growth and realize the objective of planting them.

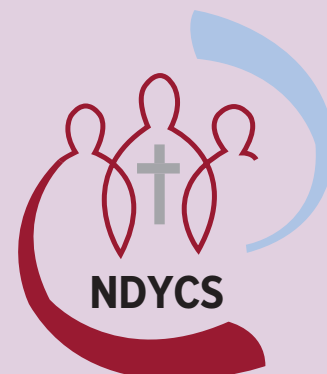
Mr. Lule Tefeero, the Diocesan Youth Secretary said the Diocese has 63 Parishes and most of them especially the rural ones have enough land for tree planting. He said, as part of our “Greening Parishes” campaign, we have to focus on the role of the youth in conserving the environment and engage them on climate change issues. He also noted that planting trees on Church land is another way of fighting off the illegal land encroachers who specifically target our land.

I call upon all the youth to join this exercise and the clergy as well as the Lay Readers to support its realization for the good of our environment. Together it’s all our responsibility to create a safe environment for human living.



The 500 indigenous trees donated to the Diocesan Youth Department

DIOCESAN YOUTH SACCO TO LAUNCH WEBSITE



NAMIREMBE DIOCESE YOUNG CHRISTIAN'S SACCO

"Abavubuka Tukole"

The fast growing youth Sacco is set to launch its website in order to ease access to information of its services to the youth, its customers and the development partners. Since its official launch early last year, the Sacco has continued to improve the livelihood of young people through enhanced savings and access to affordable and convenient credit for economic empowerment and education.

We are glad that the Sacco is serving the purpose for which it was started, said Mr. Lule Tefeero the Diocesan Youth Secretary while speaking to the youth leaders at Bugiri Youth Retreat Centre on 25th March 2023. We are documenting our success stories with the youth who have taken business loans and now they have something to do instead of lamenting.

The Sacco is also in the process of upgrading its technology and financial systems so as to ease financial transactions without necessarily visiting the Sacco office. This year, our services are going to improve and

information sharing to ensure that all youth in the Diocese have an opportunity of being part of this Sacco to improve their living standards.

We continue to encourage youth to save for their future and also take advantage of the financial trainings and other capacity building programs

The Sacco board will be calling for our Annual General Meeting very soon which was meant to sit last year but failed due to circumstances beyond our control.

The Sacco membership has continued to grow as well as its financial base and this year it targets to have a total membership of 300 youth. We continue to encourage youth to save for their future and also take advantage of the financial trainings and other capacity building programs the Sacco is offering to its members and the general public, said Mr. Mukasa Accra the Sacco Chairman.

DIOCESAN YOUTH LEADERS DENOUNCE HOMOSEXUALITY



A group photo of youth leaders with Ven. Canon Isaac Membe Kijambu the Diocesan Treasurer

The Diocesan Youth leaders have committed to do whatever it takes within their powers to fight homosexuality which is wide spread in Uganda targeting mainly the children and the youth. Homosexuality remains illegal in Uganda and is believed to be widespread than it is reported reaching in our schools, families and now churches. It's upon that background that the youth leaders during their Annual Youth Leaders Retreat at Bugiri Youth Retreat Centre in Nkumba Parish met on 25th March 2023 to deliberate on the strategies of

eliminating this vice from our communities.

According to the Diocesan Youth Secretary Mr. Lule Tefeero, youth redundancy is a key factor in rapid spread of homosexuality since young people do not want to work and yet they love good things. This is utilized by the homosexuals who use money to lure the youth into same sex relationships. There's need to encounter homosexuality by empowering and creating opportunities for young people to be busy and work for improved livelihood.

Pastor Martin Ssempana an activist who is known for

denouncing and fighting homosexuality urged the youth leaders to spend much time preaching and teaching youth about God's vision for Holly marriage. If young people understand that God's foundation for family is marriage between a man and a woman which leads to multiplication through giving birth, then homosexuals will have no space to promote their ill behaviours.

Among the steps the youth leaders agreed to take is to preach and promote the gospel of holly marriage which is blessed by God between a man and a woman, sensitizing

the youth on the dangers of homosexuality, strengthen religious and cultural values, set up youth clinics at different levels of the Diocese to act as counseling and guidance centers to the already affected ones, use social media to promote online evangelism, use music, dance and drama to pass on messages undermining homosexuality, promote positive parenting by engaging parents to present in the day to day lives of their children, call on Government to enforce the laws on homosexuality and above all Pray and fast for God to take total control of the situation.



Youth leaders in their Annual Youth Retreat at Bugiri Youth Retreat Centre

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KATWE MARTYRS CHURCH WIN DIOCESAN MUSIC, DANCE AND DRAMA COMPETITIONS FOR A RECORD CONSECUTIVE 3RD TIME

This year's M.D.D Competitions registered a record attendance of 19 Parishes which competed in various items (traditional dance, play, poem, original composition and set piece) with an aim of preaching the gospel through creative means of M.D.D, promoting youth talents and gifts, interesting young

people to engage in church activities, social interaction and team building. This is the biggest number of Parishes to participate in the competitions since every Archdeacon was represented.

The highly competitive M.D.D was guided by the theme: **"And you shall be my people**

and I will be your God" was held at Busega Martyrs Church on 28th January 2023 in Nateete Archdeaconry. Katwe Martyrs Church in Mengo Archdeaconry won the competitions for the 3rd consecutive time after putting up a highly organized, powerful and quality performances that outsmarted the other Parishes.

According to Mr. Lule Tefeero the Diocesan Youth Secretary this year's M.D.D set the bar high for the future competitions. The intention of these competitions is not just to win but to engage the youth in social activities which build their self esteem, confidence, socialize and build friendships, sense of belonging and responsibility as well as promote their talents and above all preach the gospel. We encourage the Clergy, Lay Readers, Youth Chairpersons and M.D.D Coordinators to ensure that our own youth in church are given the opportunity to actively participate since they don't remain the same in so many aspects of their lives.

I want to thank our Archdeacons, Clergy, Lay Readers and the Heads of Laity for making the youth ministry a top priority by always supporting them and this was evident in the M.D.D Competitions. We commit next year to continue building on the success of this year and elevate the competitions to a National issue. The overall winner won a cow, a trophy, and a certificate of Participation, the second runners up won a goat, trophy and a certificate, the 3rd runners up won a goat, trophy and a certificate, the fourth won a certificate and 15 Luganda hymn books and fifth won 14 hymn books and a certificate



Youth performing at the Diocesan Annual Youth M.D.D Competitions

How the Parishes performed in this year's M.D.D Competitions by rank

No	Parish	Position
1	Katwe Martyrs Church	1st
2	Kitende	2nd
3	Kiryagonja	3rd
4	Nkumba	4th
5	Busega	5th
6	Entebbe	6th
7	Namasuba	7th
8	Bbira	7th
9	Gayaza	8th
10	Maganjo	9th
11	Masanafu	10th
12	St. Francis Basirikka	11th
13	Nateete	12th
14	Mugongo	13th
15	Lutikko	14th
16	Kibuye	15th
17	Najjanankumbi	16th
18	Kikandwa	17th
19	Kavumba	18

SCHEDULE OF THE UPCOMING EVENTS

No.	EVENT/ACTIVITY	DATE	VENUE
1	Namugongo Martyrs Seminary Sunday	30th April 2023	Uganda Martyrs Seminary Namugongo
2	Consecrating of Mutungo Kitiko C.O.U	13th May 2023	Mutungo Kitikko Church of Uganda
3	Diocesan Convention	14th May 2023	St. Paul's Cathedral Namirembe Gardens
4	Consecrating Kitebi Church of Uganda	21st May 2023	Kitebi Church of Uganda.
5	Musa Mukasa Day	28th May 2023	Munyonyo
6	Uganda Martyrs Day Celebrations	3rd June 2023	Namugongo Martyrs Shrine.
7	Consecrating St. James Kisenyi C.O.U	10th June 2023	St. James Kisenyi C.O.U
8	Consecrating St. Stephen's C.O.U Mpererwe	24th June 2023	St. Stephen's C.O.U Mpererwe
9	St. Peter's Day	24th June 2023	

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