

Dear John, Praise the Lord so much.

We would continue praying for your Church as will be holding its annual General meeting in April 2024.

SUPPORTING MINISTRY IN THE ANGLICAN CHURCH DIOCESE OF LAKE RUKWA-TANZANIA:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION ABOUT THE ANGLICAN CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF LAKE RUKWA:

The Anglican Church in the Diocese of Lake Rukwa- Tanzania is experiencing growth as we doing an evangelisand is working hard to train clergy, build churches, and to provide ministry to the expanding congregation.

Currently The Diocese has 10 Deaneries, 38 Parishes, 35 Priests, 71 Congregations and 61 Evangelists.

- 1. 13 Priests have theological training at the level of certificate, 4 diploma in theology, 18 not trained, they have only evangelism courses. They need to be trained.**
- 2. 3 evangelists trained at the level of 9 months courses, 15 evangelists trained at the level of 6 months courses, 43 evangelists not trained but they attended short courses through mobile Bible training.**

THE NEED AFFECTING THE ANGLICAN CHURCH DIOCESE OF LAKE RUKWA:

Very few pastors or church members own means of transport pastors often walk 10 miles or further to visit the multiple congregations that they serve. Motorcycles are extremely valuable in the Villages and Jungle areas reducing the time spent moving from one community to another. Motorcycles are needed by pastors serving communities in the mountains. The newly consecrated Bishop needs a Car to visit local churches and Missions and carry out evangelization events, and social services. We would like to have a vehicle at least for the Bishop and Motorcycles for Evangelists/Pastors to facilitate the ministries of the Diocese. These vehicles and Motorbikes are critical for the evangelization, church growth spiritual formation and social services of the Diocese of Lake Rukwa-Tanzania.

PROJECT' OBJECTIVES;

This project will enable the Bishop and Pastors of the Anglican Church -Diocese of Lake Rukwa to participate in pastoral visits to all Parishes and Missions where they will promote unity, development and education to ensure a more effective and sustained Anglican communion as well as;

- ✓ Promoting the message of hope, unity and reconciliation
- ✓ Strengthening pastoral ministry
- ✓ Facilitating interfaith and government dialogue to advance peace and justice

We expect that anywhere from 100,000 to 200,000 will be impacted through this project. Whether directly through pastoral care, or indirectly through the fruits of developing the youth, mother's union and Christian education sectors. By having a better transportation and communication with the different Parishes, this will improve the activities of the Diocese.

PROJECT'S JUSTIFICATION (GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION):

The Anglican Church Diocese of Lake Rukwa is very huge it covers two Government Administrative Regions of **KATAVI and RUKWA**. The Region of **KATAVI** covers 45,843 KM² (17,700 Sq ml)-Comparable to **ESTONIA and RUKWA** Region is also part of the Diocese. The Region covers a land area of 27,765 km²(10,720 sq ml) The Region is comparable in size to the combined land area of the Nation State of **HAITI**. This area of the Diocese is very huge, with bad roads, with no tarmac.

Currently the Diocese uses an old Land ROVER which is more than 15 years old.

The Current Car being used by the Diocese of Anglican Church of Lake Rukwa-Tanzania.



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