

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

BRIEF DESCRIPTION ABOUT THE DIOCESE:

The Diocese is experiencing growth as we evangelise and 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. theological training of Priests:

4 diploma

13 at certificate level

18 not trained - they have had evangelism courses.

2. Evangelist training:

3 have had 9 months course,

15 evangelists had 6 months course,

43 evangelists not trained apart from short courses through mobile Bible training.

THE NEED AFFECTING THE ANGLICAN CHURCH DIOCESE OF LAKE RUKWA:

Very few pastors or church members own transport, so pastors often walk 10 miles or further to visit the multiple congregations that they serve. Motorcycles are extremely valuable in the villages and rural 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. 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; <PROJECT???NAME, TRANSPORT??

This project will enable the Bishop and Pastors of the Diocese 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**.

KATAVI Region covers 45,843 KM² (17,700 Sq ml)-Comparable to **ESTONIA**

RUKWA Region covers 27,765 km²(10,720 sq ml) comparable in size to **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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