



**About the Diocese of Marsabit**  
 The Diocese was formed in 2011, and seeks to bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the people of Northern Kenya. It currently has 19 parishes, 63 congregations, 36 clergy, 11 senior and 8 junior staff, 6 ordinands and 55 evangelists serving the Rendille, Burji, Gabra, Samburu, Turkana, Borana, Meru and Masai peoples who call this desert region home. The Diocese has been led by Rt Rev Daniel Qampicha since 2016.



### About the Friends of Marsabit

The Friends of Marsabit was formed in 2014 and seeks to raise support and awareness of the issues faced by the Diocese of Marsabit, and to encourage people in the UK to Partner with the Diocese as it seeks to make Christ known across Northern Kenya.

If you would like to support this work and become a Friend of Marsabit, please email:

## Friends of Marsabit

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### Particular Prayer Items

- . **Peace in 2023**, sporadic outbreaks of violence cause fear and grief.
- . **Thanksgiving for Rain** which finally came in April. But it did cause severe flooding and destroyed 800 homes. Ongoing need for famine relief, restocking and support for school fees
- **National Education** system has been changed. Our schools are now developing 4 Junior Highs
- . **Our new St. Andrew's** High school has 82 pupils; **Land for Girls' High schools** has been bought in Karare. School now needs developing
- . **Ongoing warm relationships with Chelmsford**, and + Guli. Thanks for productive visit by +Qampicha and wife Safia to UK in June 2023
- . **Threat** of serious financial loss from 2015 car accident be finally removed.

## Prayer Card July - December 2023

*Pray in the Spirit on all occasions,  
 with all kinds of prayers and requests.  
 Be alert and always keep on praying  
 for all the saints.*

**Ephesians 6:18**

**WEEK 1 Diocesan Office. Please pray for**

**Bishop Daniel Qampicha**, and his wife Safia, i/c ICU in Marsabit hospital. They have a large family, living in a small house. Very productive visit by both to England in June.

**Rains** in North have finally come, hallelujah!, though brought some flooding; **urgent need for** help in restocking + school fee support  
**Security is volatile**, usually good, but with occasional attacks. Pray for ongoing healing of relationships between ethnic groups, especially between Gabra and Boran.

**Admin secretary**, Ven. Mark Kargi, and Rev Jeremiah Omar, Development and International Relations Officer; Nathan the accountant; Mission: Norm and Janelle Gorrie (CMS) - their health; August missions; training of trainers, and of evangelists

**Mothers Union** - Rev Elema John; the 5 Talents Project to empower women, and encourage literacy, managed by Joseph Humbe, and the AID programme supporting the Diocesan SACCO (savings and credit) under Gabriel Guyo.

**Youth** - Jomo Nderitu, youth worker summit and missions in August; new teens ministry. **Sunday school** - Lilian Lule, with Children's Seed Project; **Communication** - Daniel Huqa, responsible for the Voice of Hope magazine.

**Education Officer**, Ven Michael Araru; our 6 primary academies and 9 sponsored schools. Academies developing Junior High Schools. St. Andrews High School now has 82 pupils. Land has been bought for a Girls High School at Karare, using our FoM 10th anniversary grant! Second Girl's High School planned at Sololo

**WEEK 2 Marsabit Archdeaconry. Please pray for**

**Archdeacon** Joseph Kesho, also Vicar of Sagante

**Provost**, Ven. Kennedy Akhongo, and the clergy and people of St Peters Cathedral, + Holy Trinity Ula Ula. Development of Petero Oche Academy

**Major developments** - MU Plaza project after successful March fundraiser; St. Matthew's Laisamis consecrated in April

**The clergy** and people of the parishes of Kargi, Karare, Laisamis, Sagante, Badassa, Bubisa, Maikona and Torbi.

**Ongoing reconciliation** between communities after recent insecurity. Perseverance and patience of the multi faith peacemakers

**New church** communities in the Chalbi desert and new christian families, ongoing witness of the 17 new Chalbi evangelists

**Anglican Academies** at Karare, Laisamis, Marsabit Centre, and Maikona. Sponsored schools at Sagante, Badassa, Bubisa and Balesa  
New Girls' High School at Karare



**WEEK 3 Sololo Archdeaconry**

**Please pray for**

**Archdeacon** John Maganjo and the clergy and people of the parishes of Sololo, Moyale, Anona, Uran and Walda.

**St. John's Sololo** needs extending as congregation is expanding rapidly!

**New Walda Parish**, based at St Paul's, Walda, with vicar John Wato.

**The rains finally came, hallelujah!** Need for restocking and relief till harvest

**Ongoing Reconciliation** between Gabra and Boran, especially in Moyale and Torbi

**Academies** at Moyale (St Paul's) and Sololo (Tumaini); Mado Adhi School. New High School planned near Sololo

**New proposed Parish, Bori** to be led by Rev Wario Galgallo.

**WEEK 4 Isiolo Archdeaconry**

**Please pray for**

**Archdeacon** Did Borisso and the clergy and people of parishes of Isiolo, Waso, Ngaremara, Lowangila and Archers Post.

**Consecration** of St. Andrew's Church of the Cross, Archers Post took place in Jan! need to complete Ngaremara church.

**Vicarages needed** at Isiolo, Lowangila Ngaremara, Daaba and Kampi ya Juu

**Schools** at Lowangila, Isiolo (for the hearing impaired) and Kampi ya Juu (unit for the visually impaired).

**New church, Burqa (Spring)**, + their two pastors joining ACK. Pastors need training

**Proposed Parish of Daaba** under Rev Lobei and church plants at Akili and Maili Tano in Waso parish.

**Ongoing reconciliation** between ethnic groups (Turkana, Samburu, Boran) and need for famine relief and more rain.