

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, 69 congregations, 38 clergy, 8 senior and 8 junior staff, 3 ordinands and 64+ 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:
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Particular Prayer Items

. **Peace in 2025**, despite occasional incidents. **Need for good rains in March**, as poor in November = drought. **Financial pressures severe** after failed rains

Mission: Follow up after Dec. mission; need for new Dioc Mission Officer DMO

Training: April is training month

• **Education:** **St. Andrews Boys High School** now has 170 pupils (To Form 3). **ACK Elazar Girls High School** at Karare has 55 pupils. **New High School in Sololo** for Girls is being prepared for opening in 2026. Our 6 academies with Junior High Schools

• **6 New church plants**

. **Outstanding building projects:**

Churches at Ngaremara, Karare;
Vicarages at Ngaremara, Lowangila, Daaba, Kampi ya Juu

. **Threat** of serious financial loss from 2015 car accident be finally removed.

Prayer Card January - June 2025

*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. Pray for protection/safety as he travels huge distances. Stress of financial pressures. Healing of his old back problem

Security is volatile. Generally calmer, but Kenya Government is clamping down on Oromo Liberation Front along border with Ethiopia, so risky there. Mr. Lee and M-in-law still missing after abduction

Admin secretary, Ven. Mark Kargi, and Rev Jeremiah Omar, Development and International Relations Officer; Accountant Nathan

Mission/Training: Need for new Diocesan Mission Officer (DMO) Youth Leaders Summit in April, mission in August; Rev. Jomo (temporary DMO) has been training teams; Norm Gorrie returns in June to help for 3 months

Mothers Union - Rev Elema John; the 5 Talents Project, AMWEP, empowers women - 20 adult literacy facilitators trained (total now 47), and archdeaconry couples' conferences run; AID's Inua (raise up) project empowers 51 low-income people.

Youth - Jomo Nderitu; regular visits to Academies + High Schools.

Guyo (Sagante) and Hirkena (Kargi) now training at Church Army
Sunday school - Lilian Lule, with Children's Seed Project; 60 newly trained Sunday school workers

Communication - Daniel Huqa, responsible for Voice of Hope.

Education Officer, Ven Michael Araru; St. Andrews Boys High School has 170 pupils (to Form 4); ACK Elazar Girls' High School, Karare, formally opened Form 1 (55 pupils) in April. Our 6 academies now developing Junior Highs; our 9 sponsored schools.

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, and Holy Trinity Ula Ula. Development of Petero Oche Academy

Major developments - MU Plaza project and ongoing rental houses project;

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

Ongoing reconciliation between communities. Perseverance and patience of the multi faith peacemakers

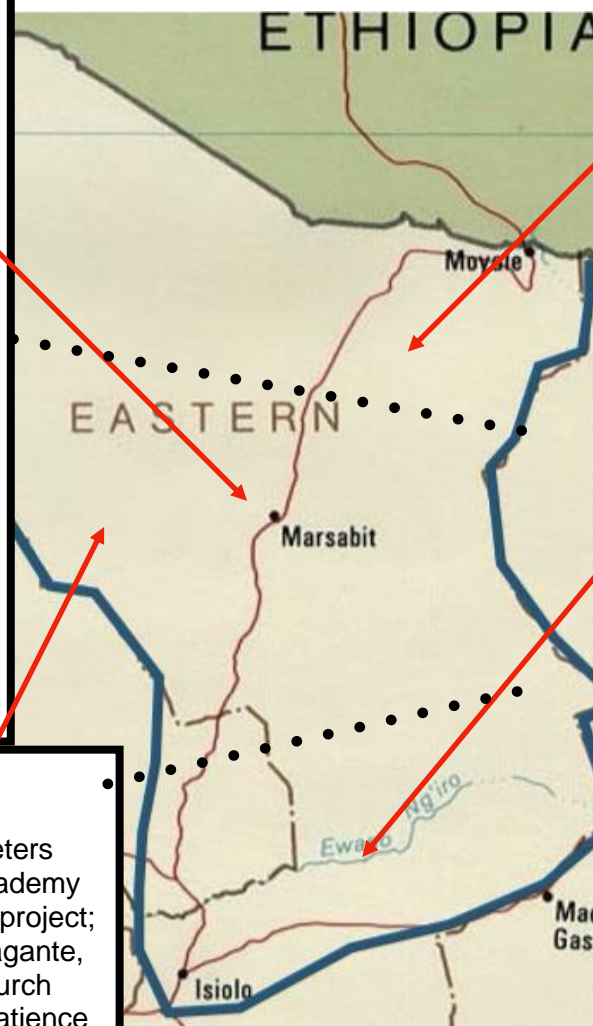
Newly planted church communities on Mt. Marsabit (Murub, Kambinyu, Mata Arba); and in the Chalbi desert (Tigo, Burgabo),

Anglican Academies at Karare, Laisamis, Marsabit Centre, and Maikona.

Sponsored schools at Sagante, Badassa, Bubisa, Balesa.

High Schools St. Andrews Boys (Form 4), Elazar Girls, Karare (Form 2)

KAMA Men's organization (like MU), strong in Marsabit



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 newly extended and rededicated. New churches: Aria, Mukh Gura

Walda Parish, in challenging other faith environment. Vicar John Wato.

Adadi Church – destroyed by high winds, now rebuilt!

Security: Dodgy – see special prayer

Academies at Moyale (St Paul's) and Sololo (Tumaini); Mado Adhi School. New Girls High School in Sololo, to open 2026

New proposed Parish of Bori to be led by Rev Wario Galgalo.

Ordinands: 4 newly ordained curates (all in Isiolo A/deaconry); 3 waiting deployment

WEEK 4 Isiolo Archdeaconry

Please pray for

Archdeacon Diid Borisso and the clergy and people of the parishes of Isiolo, Waso, Ngaremara, Lowangila and Archers Post. Family/people of **Rev. Ekai**, after his death

Churches: Ngaremara needs completing; St. Paul's, Kampi Zebra consecrated 2024

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, Rev Amos + Samson joining ACK

Proposed Parishes of Daaba with Nakupratt (120 people under a tree), under Rev Lobei and **Kampi ya Juu** with Anti-poaching and Akili (new); church plant at Maili Tano in Waso parish.

Security: peace to hold during drought.