

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION 2015

Scripture says, "See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do not perceive it? I am making a way in the desert and streams in the wasteland" (Isaiah 43:19).

Dear Partners,

We greet you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We have come to almost to the end of 2015, and we have many things we want to thank God for His blessings and all of our partners for the supports they have continually given to the ministry of the Diocese of Aweil, to further the Kingdom of God, in Aweil and beyond.

Also, the purpose of this letter is to inform you on the following Projects:

1. Sawing Machines- have not yet bought because of the increase of the dollar in South Sudan which also increase the goods in the market. Also, the roads from Juba and from Sudan to Aweil are closed because to heavy rains and they will be opened in January 2016, and its will reduced the high prices of goods in the market.

2. Dormitories have not yet been constructed due to issues of high prices of construction materials and heavy rains that make the roads to be close but the School will be open in January 2016, as a day school for the first semester.

To Complete the Dormitories **\$25,000**. This is because the construction materials are very expensive in these days in South Sudan because they are transported from Kenya, Uganda and Sudan. But the dormitory is very important for girls.

Single bed 1000 SSP X 200 students=200,000SSP, which is **\$13,500**.

Single mattress is 500SSP X 200 Students=100,000SSP which is **\$8,000**.

3. Diocese of Aweil's Missionary House is a five bedrooms which will be used by the missionaries when they visit the Diocese. This house is not yet start because of the rains and inflation of the dollar in South Sudan. To complete this Missionary House need **\$12,000**.

The whole total is \$25,000+\$13,500+\$8,000+\$12,000=\$58,500.

Peace-peace agreement has been signed in August to end almost two years conflict in South Sudan, which has killed thousands of people and displaced million of people from their homes.

Pray for the Church leaders to continue working together for peace, peace is the Spiritual mandate for the Church leaders from our Lord Jesus Christ, **2 Corinthians 5: 18-20**. The Church leaders are Ambassadors for peace!

Even though it always seems impossible to have a peaceful, South Sudan again, our dreams and prayers remain same of South Sudan which will one day be in peace in herself (citizens). We still ask for your prayers for the implementation of the peace agreement and pray for the political leaders to except and put peace as priority in their plans.

Moreover, we wish to give special thanks and recognition to our partners, for the outstanding assistance that you have given to us for the above projects. We wish you a blessed Thanksgiving celebration! Please may you bless the Diocese of Aweil with your Thanksgiving offerings, so that we can finished the above projects, anything you will give will make a different.

Finally, thank you all, our partners, so much for your dedicated supports. Your supports are blessings unto us and we hope to give unto others as we received. We wish you all a Merry Christmas and happy new year, 2016. God bless you all, your families and your ministries.

Yours in Christ's service,

Bishop Abraham Nhial