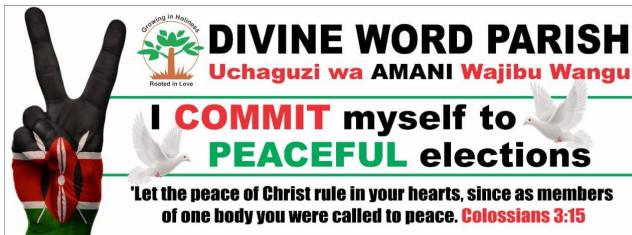




Pastoral Province

SVD and Kenyan Elections



PEACE CARAVAN

For a number of times Kenyan Elections have been known to be invite unrest. However, this year's elections that were conducted on August 9, 2022, Kenyans have demonstrated a lot of political maturity by voting peacefully. The electoral commission is being praised for the transparency in the process. Divine Word Parish Kayole conducted a peace Caravan a few days before the election to urge tolerance before, during and after the elections.

Upcoming



Good Shepherd Parish Simanjiro

Good Shepherd Parish, Simanjiro, Tanzania is celebrating 20 years anniversary of the Presence of Divine Word Missionaries in the Parish. They will also be fundraising to renovate the Parish Church building. During the same day more than 100 children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. On September 11, 2022. All are welcome. The climax will be Singing completion that will involve choirs from 30 outstations.



Provincial Visitation August 2022

Last week the Provincial and his council conducted Visitation to all SVD communities. The provincial visitation is an opportunity for the provincial superior: (1) to minister in a pastoral way to the needs of individual religious, (2) to help heal those confreres and communities which have been wounded or disoriented, (3) to renew the sense of spiritual purpose of both members and communities, (4) to challenge both individual members and communities by raising questions that need to be raised, (5) to look ahead creatively and cooperatively to the future of the province (cf., Handbook for Superiors, D20).

Silver Jubilee



Bro. Lawrence



Bro. Mike

The SVD Kenya-Tanzania province was established in 1984. The province started receiving local vocations in early 1990s. This month, two of them Bro. Mike Gichuki and Bro. Lawrence Kibaara, marked their Silver Jubilee in vows. We congratulate them.

