

Karamoja Prayer Requests – September/October 2007

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Floods: Parts of western Karamoja including Abim and Iriiri, have suffered the worst floods since 1962. Cattle have been lost and people have died as houses collapsed. Bridges have been washed away and Kotido is inaccessible except by plane. As well as the immediate problems, the crops which were almost ready for harvest have been destroyed, raising the very real prospect of starvation. Please pray that God would be somewhere in the midst of these terrible circumstances and for some good to come out of the disaster.

Security: Ambushes are still happening in several places, including the route from Moroto to Kotido. Please pray for the safety of all those who travel on the roads.

Development: Following a successful trip to Kenya, where one development office serves two dioceses, the two bishops, Rev Nelson Owilli and Oxfam representatives met to form a plan of action for the development department in Karamoja. Please pray for unity and purpose.

Malaria: Nelson and Christine Owilli's 13 year old son, Emmanuel, has a bad case of Malaria and is on a drip in the local medical centre. Please pray for his recovery. Please also pray for all the other children who contract Malaria every year.

New posts: Please pray for Rev Caleb Omwony and William Ben Loburo who have taken on the posts of Youth and Mission Co-ordinator and Diocesan Secretary for the Northern Diocese respectively.

Diocesan Training Centre: In order to enable more students to attend courses, Alton Deanery has changed its funding structure to offer student bursaries. Please pray for all involved in this change and also pray that enough bursaries may be provided and more students may be trained.

Compassion: The Development Office for Karamoja, has put together a development proposal to help children receive an education through a sponsorship programme. This would be run through the charity Compassion. Please continue to pray that this proposal is able to be put into action and benefit many children.

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