

Karamoja Update and Prayer Requests – November 2007

Karamoja Supper: This will be held at Four Marks Village Hall on Friday 16th November at 7pm. Please pray for the preparations and that those attending will feel called to support the link in whichever way God leads them.

Schools: Bishops James and Joseph have met with other Ugandan Bishops in Kampala to discuss the management of church schools. At present there is a shortage of Christian head teachers. Please pray that the meetings will bear fruit and that God's will be done in Christian schools.

Confirmation Camp: A camp is planned in the Northern Diocese for those who have recently been confirmed. Topics will include Christian teaching, HIV and the issues surrounding marrying early in life (e.g. 14 years of age). Please pray that God provides for this camp and for its success.

Roads: After several weeks of flood damage, the roads which were closed in Northern Karamoja are beginning to be re-opened. Please pray that they will suffer no further flood damage.

Diocesan training centre (DTC): The new term has now started with 15 new students: 3 ladies and 12 men. The students' educational backgrounds vary considerably. Some left school at the end of their primary years while others completed their secondary education. New tutor, Zobock Okello has been appointed to help run the course. Please pray for Zobock and the principal Rev Simon Aisu Akol as they teach the students with their various learning needs.

The student's details are:

NAME	PARISH	DIOCESE
1 Abura Jakson	Kiru	North Karamoja
2 Aguma Joyce	Kangole	South Karamoja
3 Okech Innocent Dickens	Kanu	North Karamoja
4 Siloi Joshua	Kabong	North Karamoja
5 Timothy Ocheru	Atunga	North Karamoja
6 Ayenget Samson	Lotome	South Karamoja
7 Ongom Sewanga	Rachkoko	North Karamoja
8 Samuel Lobuu	Lorengechora	South Karamoja
9 Paul Koriang	Tokora	South Karamoja
10 Lotyang Zackaria	Kabong [Ik Tribe]	North Karamoja
11 Kodet Michael	Iriir	South Karamoja
12 Akullo Margrate	Awach	North Karamoja
13 Akol Samuel	Lotome	South Karamoja
14 Kuno Kevin	Iriir	South Karamoja

(We will provide the 15th student's details when we have them. Please pray for this person anyway. God knows who they are!)

Some students in this list are still in need of sponsorship. If you would like to help, please contact a member of the Karamoja Link Committee, or Andy and Alison Vaughan (prayer@karamoja.info).

The Rev Simon Aisu Akol would particularly like us to pray for his eldest son who is about to receive his O-level results. He hopes to continue studying for A-levels. Please pray that God will be with him at this time.

Peace: Please continue to pray that the tribes in Karamoja will be disarmed peacefully so there can be peace in the region.

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