

Catholic Diocese Bukoba. 795-7 P.O. Private Bag: Bukoba, Tanzania, East Africa. 28th:April 1977

Rev.P.Luciano Paulo Guerra,

Rector: Sanctuario de Nossa Senhora da Fatima, Fatima, Portugal.

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Dear Rev. Father.

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RE: 60th. ANNIVERSARY OF OUR LADY'S APERITIONS FATIMA 19TH SP 

I am very pleased to write, in advance, to congratulate you and all you Staff and Institutions at Fatima, upon the occassion of the Celebration of the 60th Anniversary of Our Lady's Apparitions at Fatima: on every 13 day of the Month: May to October 1917-1977.

Since we cannot all come to Fatima to celebrate, at least one apparition, we intend to make our celebrations here in Bukoba Diocese, at the proposed site of our Shrine, called Bulamago, where we have already built a small temporary Chapel of Apparitions, as you can see it in the enclosed small picture.

On every 13th, day of the month (May to October), we shall organise Pilgirmages and processions to the small shrine. On each 13th. Day of the month, we shall have a general intention for the pilgrimage. I am sending herein this letter, our Intentions for eachmonth; kindly asking you to place them, with this letter, at Our Lady's throne in the Chapel of the Apparitions at Fatima: asking her her to hear and to grant our prayers: b working the same wonders for us, in soul and body, like those wonders she works for pilgrims who are privileded to come there on every 13th day of the month, to commemorate her apparitions.

OUR INTENTIONS FOR OUR PILGRIMAGES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:-

- 1. On May 13th, 1977: To ask Our Lady of Fatima to destroy the pest of our banana-plants.
- 2. On June 13th, 1977: To ask Our Lady of Fatima to cure the sick of soul and body.
- 3. On July 13th, 1977: To ask Our Lady of Fatima to good marriages and to rectify bad ones.
- 4. On August 13th, 1977: To ask Our Lady of Fatima to bless the chidren and youth.
- 5. On September 13th, 1977: To ask Our Lady of Fatima to help Bukoba Diocese to build her Shrine in the Diocese.
  - 6. ON OCTOBER 13th.1977: TO CELEBRATE THE 60th.ANNIVERSARY OF OUR LADY'S APPARITIONS AT FATIMA. On this occasion we intend to invite our Bishop to bless the little temporary chapel of the Apparitions at Bulamago and to present to him our 1977 Collections and Funds for the building of the Shrine.

Dear Father, will you kindly present all those, our proposed plans, intentions, pilgrimages and processions to Our Lady of Fatima, as you know better how.

I hope you got my letter dated 24th March 1977 acknowledging with Many Thanks your 2nd gift, for our Shrine

Hoping to hear from you again,

I beg to remain: Yours devetely in Our Lady of Fatima:

Fr. John Joseph Rwechungura: To A Rwechungura

Copy to: The Most Rev. Nestor Timanywa: Bishop of Bukoba.

Mr. Albert M. Zetzen-Degen: International Secretary: Bile Army of of Our Lady of Fatima: Switzerland.