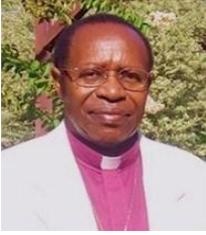


A VOICE OF ALL NATIONS

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I AM A CHRISTIAN



Today we are reflecting on the life of St Perpetua and Felicity who willingly suffered and die for Christian. Standing before court, the proconsul appealed to her sense of duty toward her aged father and her infant son, Perpetua answered the court with simple declaration: "I am a Christian." She and her servant girl Felicity, were imprisoned. While in prison, she suffered hunger, separation from her baby, pain of the swollen breast, suffering with her servant girl and beaten the bull and then before they were beheaded, they exchanged a kiss. So, the nursing mother died willingly because they strongly believed that they were Christian.

We are now in Lenten season which is the time of self-examination. This include repenting of our sin. As the collect for Lent states: "if we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us but if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse from all unrighteousness'. After confession and purification, we must be ready to do whatever Jesus tells us. When we are in Christ, we bear the fruits of the Holy Spirit which is love, joy, peace, patient, kindness, gentleness, faithfulness and self-control (Galatians 5:22). The immediate reward is in Psalm 37:4: Delight yourself in the Lord, and He will give you the desire of your heart." The desire of our heart will include abandoning the acts of sinful nature which are hatred, sexual immorality, impurity, debauchery, idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, discord, joyously, selfish ambition, envy, drunkenness and the like. By being filled with positive energy we will draw people to God and to the Church. We become the channel of God's blessing.

MOVING FROM GLORY TO GLORY

We are delighted to inform you that ANCCI is officially register in Kenya as ANCCI Institute. The major objectives of the Institute are theological education, cross cultural and economic transformation. This is a global ministry which will establish centers to facilitate its objectives. We have already established a center in Dallas, Thika, Muranga and Embu. The aim of the ANCCII is not to give fish but train people to fish. For example, in Dallas, we have Diaspora Eagle Sacco which entails members forming their own bank in which they contribute money and the member borrows at the lower rate. At Embu they buy a female pig and when it produces piglets it is prayed for in the church and then donated to another family.

MISSION TO KENYA April 24- May 4 Thika, May6-13 Murunga, May 14 Missioners departure, May15-22 Arch John & Mary, Nakuru 22-23Thika May 24-26 Embu, 27-29 Thika
The missioners will include The Rt Rev. Stephen Villaesther PhD and Ven Sonia Villaester DREd, Phd from Philippine. They are both graduate from ANCCIU. Bishop will lecture on the Power of Three and Archdeacon will lecture on Religious Education. Pray that God may Provide their air fare

We praise God for enabling us to write two books: SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY: Introducing African Theological Voice. which is being published by Evangel, Kenya and 70 SERMONS: Preaching from Lectionary which is being published by Book Fuel USA

MINISTERS OF RECONCILIATION CONFERENCE

Pray that God may give a clear vision for the conference intermarriage couples. I believe this couple can make enormous contribution in cross cultural transformation. To get all other books visit drgithiga.com.

Finally, beloved, let us claim the promises of God: *If you pay attention to these laws and you are careful to follow them, then the Lord your God will keep his covenant of love with you...He will love you and bless you and increase your number. He will bless the fruit of your womb and the crops of your land. And Thus, let us sing for joy to the Lord the Rock of our salvation Deuteronomy 7:12, Psalm 95:1*

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