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Bishop of the Diocese of Ruaha



Donald Mtetemela

Donald Mtetemela is the Bishop of EI's partner church, the Anglican Diocese of Ruaha and former Archbishop of Tanzania.

Since he invited EI to come and work with the Diocese in 1994 we have enjoyed a close and fruitful partnership with him. His passion and vision for taking the gospel both in words and actions to the furthest and poorest villages has been a driving force in the huge growth of the church and many interventions in the communities which have changed thousands of lives.

He writes to tell us about his upcoming retirement and the outcome of the election for his successor as Bishop.



Joseph Mgomí

Greetings!

I hope all is well with you.

I write to inform you the results of the election of the Bishop which took place on the 29th of May. Rev Joseph Mgomí was elected to become the second Bishop of the Diocese of Ruaha.

He has been a minister since 2001. He is married to Lilian, and they have six children. Their names are Boniface (1990), Jelison (1993), Neema (1998), Musa (2001), Ruth (2005) and Josephine (2008).

Joseph is currently studying at St John's university, and hopes to finish his Degree programme in July this year. He will graduate in Nov 2010.

Kindly pray for him and his family as he plans to take this big responsibility of running the Diocese. He will have about 49 clergy working under him. Pray that God will empower him with all the gifts that he needs for this great task.

The Consecration will take place on the 5th of September, which will also be my official date of retirement. Pray for me and Gladys too as we prepare for a different kind of ministry after our retirement.

Thanks again for all your support during my ministry.

Bishop Donald Mtetemela.

Bishop Donald Mtetemela is the guest speaker at the 2011 conference!

Emmanuel International Annual Conference



**Sunbury Court Conference Centre, London
11 to 13 February 2011**

with EIUK Annual General Meeting 12 February 2011



Guess who?

Alicia Catherine Targett

The EIUK Annual Garden Party promises to be quite something this year! We are:

- Celebrating Sue's 25th EI 'birthday' - she started working for EI a quarter of a century ago!
- Celebrating EI's 35th birthday - Emmanuel Relief and Rehabilitation International (ERRI) was formed in Canada in 1974.
- Celebrating EIUK's 26th birthday.
- Having a big alumni get-together! Do you recognise any of the faces in the photographs above? They are just some of the people who will be at the garden party this year! If you know them, this will be a chance to catch up! If you don't, this is a chance to meet the EI family members that you know of but haven't met yet!



**EIUK Garden party will be held on
Saturday 10 July 2010
from 11am to 4pm
in David and Jenny's garden**

Pine Walk, Surbiton

Bring your own picnic!

***Please let us or the Bendells know
that you are coming!***

Alicia was born on 27 April at 1:35 am to her proud parents Nathan and Jo Targett. She weighed 3.33kg (7lbs 3oz). Joshua was happy to welcome his baby sister! Nathan worked with EIUK in Anaka, Northern Uganda from 1999 to 2001 and has been a member of the EIUK board of trustees since 2004.



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