

ST. APOLLO KIVEBULAAYA KANSANGA C.O.U NEWSLETTER**FOR 05TH TO 12TH JULY 2026.****MINISTRY****SUNDAY SERVICES:****1ST** ENGLISH 7:00AM – 8:45AM**2ND** LUGANDA 9:00AM – 10:45AM**3RD** LUGANDA 11:00AM – 12:45PM**4TH** SUDANESE 1:00PM – 04:00PM**5TH** ONLINE 04:00PM – 05:00PM**6TH** DELIVERANCE 5:00PM – 07:30PM**WED.** ON-LINE ALTAR 9:00PM -10:00PM**FRI.** YOUTH FELLOWSHIP 6:00PM**MON. - SAT.** MORNING GLORY 6:00AM-7:00AM**NOTICES: EBIRANGO 05.07.2026**

1.Buli Wednesday tuba ne Online Altar ku 9:00pm

2.19th July 2026, Archdeaconry St. Peter's celebrations at Kawuku from 10:00AM.3. 26TH July CWF thanksgiving and serving in all services.

4.Buli Friday ssaawa 6:00pm tuba ne youth service

5.Monday to Saturday tuba ne Morning Glory. 6:00am -7:00am.

6.Tusomesa aba confirmation buli Saturday 8:00am ne Sunday 5:00pm.

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ITEM	1 ST SERVICE ENGLISH	2 ND SERVICE LUGANDA	3 RD SERVICE LUGANDA	TOTAL
EBIRABO/OFFERTORY	125,200	42,500	85,300	253,000
OBWEYAMO/PLEDGES	52,000		302,000	354,000
KIMU KYA KUMI/TITHE	13,000	88,000	14,500	115,500
OKWEBAZA/ THX-GIVING	72,000	29,000	10,000	111,000
SUNDAY SCHOOL	119,500	26,600	23,800	169,900
OMUGATTE/TOTAL	381,700	186,100	435,600	1,003,400
DEVELOPMENT	20,000	1,000	11,000	32,000
MISSION	5,000	212,400	2,000	2,000
MORNING GLORY	93,000			93,000
ARCHDEACON CAR	100,000	100,000	78,500	278,500

BIBLE READING:

1 PETER 1: 24-25

For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away:

²⁵ But the word of the Lord endureth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.

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OMULAMWA GW'OBULABIRIZI BWE NAMIREMBE

“ KINO MUKAMA KY'AGAMBA NTI, YIMIRIRA MU MASANGANZIRA OTUNULE. BUUZA AMAKUBO AG'EDDA, BUUZA EKKUBO EDDUNGI GYE LIRI, ERA OTAMBULIRE OMWO, EMMEEME YAMWE ERIFUNA EKIWUMMULO...”
YEREMIYA 6:16

NAMIREMBE DIOCESAN THEME 2026

“THUS SAITH THE LORD, STAND YE IN THE WAYS, AND SEE, AND ASK FOR THE OLD PATHS, WHERE IS THE GOOD WAY, AND WALK THERE IN AND YE SHALL FIND REST FOR YOUR SOULS, JEREMIAH 6:16...”

HOW THE BIBLE DEFINES A SHEPHERD
COMPILED BY REV. ALEX KYOBE.

In Scripture, a shepherd isn't just someone with a title. It's a role, a character, and a responsibility over God's people.

Here's the biblical definition:

1. A shepherd belongs to God first. Psalm 23:1: “The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.” John 10:11: “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.” Jesus is the Chief Shepherd 1 Peter 5:4. All human shepherds are under-shepherds. You shepherd His flock, not yours 1 Peter 5:2.

2. A shepherd feeds, guides, and protects. Jeremiah 3:15: “...I will give you shepherds according to my heart, who will feed you with knowledge and understanding.” Ezekiel 34:4: “...the strong you have ruled with force and harshness. So they were scattered...” John 21:17: Jesus to Peter: “Feed my sheep.” A shepherd's 3 jobs are, ‘Feed’ with truth, ‘Lead’ with direction, ‘Protect’ from wolves and danger. Harshness or neglect disqualifies you Ezekiel 34:4.

3. A shepherd knows and is known by the sheep. John 10:14: “I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me.” It's relational, not transactional. A hireling runs when it gets hard John 10:12-13. A shepherd has proximity, names, burdens, and presence.

4. A shepherd is self-sacrificial, not self-serving. John 10:11: “...lays down his life for the sheep.”

1 Peter 5:2-3: “...shepherd the flock... not under compulsion, but willingly... not for shameful gain, but eagerly; not domineering over those in your charge, but being examples to the flock.” Motivation matters. A shepherd serves, doesn't dominate. He spends himself for the sheep, not uses the sheep for himself.

5. A shepherd is accountable to God for the flock. Ezekiel 34:10: “...I will require my sheep at their hand and put a stop to their shepherding...” Hebrews 13:17: “...for they are keeping watch over your souls, as those who will have to give an account.” Leadership is stewardship. God will ask, “What did you do with the people I entrusted to you?”

Who qualifies as a shepherd?

A biblical shepherd is God-appointed, under Christ, who feeds, leads, protects, knows, sacrifices for, and answers to God for God's people.

Pastors, elders, parents, ministry leaders, mentors, anytime you have people you're responsible for, to nurture, you are shepherding.

Where do you see yourself in that picture right now - feeding, leading, protecting, or needing a shepherd yourself?

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