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**Dear Fr. John Judie,**

Praised be the Lord Jesus Christ.

It is my prayer and hope that you are doing well after the celebrations of the Silver Jubilee of John Judie Ministry for the mission in East Africa and Africa in general last year.

Congratulations for the Jubilee and retirement from the active ministry.

I may lack excellent words to appreciate the valuable and supportive work of your ministry to the Archdiocese of Dar es Salaam. There is much to thank you for St. Mary's Junior Seminary-Visiga by then during my service as a Rector between 1997-1999, and between 2003-2008. All this time and thereafter you worked tirelessly to successfully keep your ministry growing.

I am profoundly touched by your heartfelt commitments and dedication in supporting youth from economically poor families to respond to the priesthood call in African Church and Tanzania in particular. I feel extremely grateful that the Archdiocese of Dar es Salaam is lucky enough to have you supporting priestly formation at St. Mary's Junior Seminary-Visiga since then.

We really appreciate your hard work and sacrifice to the Archdiocese of Dar es salaam. As we wish you all the best at your retirement, be assured of my prayers. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you always.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

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