



## ANGLICAN CHURCH OF TANZANIA *DIOCESE OF MASASI*

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Father Henry  
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Dear Father Henry,

Our greetings to you Father Henry in Jesus Mighty Name! It is our joy to greet you, your family and all at St John's Olney.

It is with great joy and thanksgiving to Almighty God that I can write today to express our deep and sincere thanks first to Him and then to honour the work of the group of women who played their part to ensure that the Application for a Grant from the United Thank Offering Fund was correctly, clearly and appropriately completed on our behalf.

It is abundantly clear now that they did this work wonderfully well. Their expertise and care in the work to which they gave so much time in the preparation of the application on our behalf was successful in the award of the Grant of \$66,868 that we have been awarded. Thanks be to God.

Yes: with all the glory to God the application was successful. We give Him the praise and say "Asante sana Mungu Baba" - "thank you very much, Father God" together with your Team. God has answered our prayers.

He is eternally Good and you have all expressed that Goodness in your love and care for us in Masasi and we can complete the building of St Catherine's Secondary School for Girls. You will remember our conversations about this work and the hopes we have for the girls of our Diocese and indeed the nation.

You know us well and as I write to you now the recent memories of my time with you last year are very special and important to me now. Again: my thanks to you and all your congregation at St John's.

You know we welcome visitors to Masasi. So, I close my letter of thanksgiving in again inviting you to visit us in Masasi Diocese. We say to you, "Karibu sana": "you are very welcome". We will be greatly blessed in welcoming you here. Please: we invite you to come and experience the very generous hospitality of our people of Masasi Diocese.

We also send our love and greetings to Lori, Rebecca, Mathy and others! Mama Askofu Veronica sends her greetings to you also.

My prayers and my thanks again.  
May Almighty God bless you and all the Fellowship of believers

Yours in Christ Jesus

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James B. Almasi". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial 'J'.

Rt. Revd. Dr. James B. Almasi  
**BISHOP OF MASASI.**

**"I am with you always, even to the end of the age" (Matthew 28:18-20)**