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**PARISH LITURGICAL PROGRAMME FOR THE FIRST HALF OF THE YEAR 2026**

DATE	DAY	ACTIVITY	NATURE	ANIMATOR	CHOIR
1 JAN 2026	Thursday	New Year	Joint	Jose Maria	St. Gregory
4 JAN 2026	Sunday	Epiphany Of The Lord	Not Joint	Centres	
10 JAN 2026	Saturday	Deanery Lay Council Meeting	Deanery	Chiga Parish	
11 JAN 2026	Sunday	Baptism Of The Lord	Not Joint	Centres	
18-25 JAN 2026	Whole Week	Week Of Prayer For Christian Unity	Global		
25 JAN 2026	Sunday	1. Sunday Of The Word Of God 2. Parish Council Meeting	Joint	Lectors	St. Gregory
2 FEB 2026	Monday	ADOK Religious Day	Diocesan		
4 FEB 2026	Wednesday	Fr. Eric's Thanksgiving Mass			
7 FEB 2026	Saturday	ADOK Lenten Campaign Launch	Diocesan		
18 FEB 2026	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday	Not Joint	Centres	
19 FEB 2026	Thursday	Pentesia At Yao Centre			
20 FEB 2026	Friday	Pentesia At Rweya Centre			



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22 FEB 2026	Sunday	First Sunday Of Lent	Joint	RWEYA	RWEYA
27 FEB 2026	Friday	Episcopal Ordination At Tumsifu	Diocesan		
1-6 MAR 2026	Full Week	Priests' Retreat Group 1	Diocesan		
8-13 MAR 2026	Full Week	Priests' Retreat Group 2	Diocesan		
14 MAR 2026	Saturday	ADOK YCS At Nyamonye	Diocesan		
21 MAR 2026	Saturday	CMA Mass	Joint	CMA	St. Gregory
25 MAR 2026	Wednesday	Annunciation Of The Lord	Joint	Legion Of Mary	St. Gregory
28 MAR 2026	Saturday	Parish Recollection	Joint	All Christians	S. Gregory
29 MAR 2026	Sunday	Palm Sunday	Joint	AYARO CENTRE	AYARO
1 APR 2026	Wednesday	1. Pentensia: Chiga 2. Mayenya			
2 APR 2026	Thursday	1- Chrism Mass 2- Holy Thursday	Joint	All Parish Choir Members	St. Gregory
3 APR 2026	Friday	Good Friday	Joint	Liturgy	St. Gregory



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<b>4 APR 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Holy Saturday (Vigil)</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>CJPD/ CARITAS</b>	<b>St. Gregory</b>
<b>5 APR 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>Not Joint</b>	<b>Centres</b>	
<b>6 APR 2026</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>All Clergy And Religious Meeting</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>Archbishop</b>	
<b>8 APR 2026</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>ADOK Senior Citizens Mass</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>Clergy House</b>	
<b>11 APR 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK Choir Mass</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>All Choirs Of ADOK</b>	
<b>12 APR 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Divine Mercy Sunday</b>	<b>Not Joint</b>	<b>Centres</b>	
<b>18 APR 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK Marriage Encounter Mass</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>26 APR 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Good Shepherd</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>CMA</b>	<b>St. Gregory</b>
<b>2 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK CMA Mass</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>9 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK YCS Flags Day</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>16 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK PMC Animators Mass</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>17 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Ascension Of The Lord</b>	<b>Not Joint</b>	<b>Centres</b>	



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<b>23 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Ojola Deanery Family Day</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>Ojola Deanery</b>	
<b>30 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>ADOK Education Day</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>24 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>	<b>Not Joint</b>	<b>Centres</b>	
<b>31 MAY 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Most Holy Trinity</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>CWA</b>	<b>St. Gregory</b>
<b>1 JUN 2026</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Visit To St. Gabriel's</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>Clegry And Religious</b>	
<b>6 JUN 2026</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>MUHORONI Deanery Day</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>	<b>Muhoroni Deanery</b>	
<b>7 JUNE 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>All Christians</b>	<b>St. Gregory</b>
<b>12 JUNE 2026</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Most Sacred Heart Of Jesus</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>Adundo Pioneer</b>	<b>St. Gregory</b>
<b>15 JUNE 2026</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>ADOK Charismatic</b>	<b>Diocesan</b>		
<b>24 JUNE 2026</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Nativity Of John The Baptist</b>			
<b>28 JUNE 2026</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Ordinary Time</b>	<b>Joint</b>	<b>YAO AND PMC</b>	<b>YAO CHOIR</b>



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IMPORTANT TO NOTE:

1. ALL LITURGICAL ACTIVITIES REQUIRE PROPER PREPARATIONS IN TERMS OF:
  - **Lectors and readings**
  - **Those leading in the prayers of the faithful**
  - **Appropriate songs for every event**
  - **Host and wine to be booked for in good time**
  - **Other offertory to accompany the gifts of host and wine**
  - **It is encouraged to have an intention for every mass**
2. THOSE ANIMATING MASS TO CONSULT WITH THE PRIEST PRIOR TO MASS ANIMATION
3. THE CHURCH AND THE SURROUNDING MUST BE KEPT CLEAN ALWAYS
4. **EACH CENTRE ASSIGNED TO ANIMATE THE MASS WILL ALSO LEAD IN SINGING.** THE PARISH CHOIR WILL SING IN MASSES ANIMATED BY THE GROUPS. SO EACH CENTRE SHOULD PREPARE WELL.

PREPARED BY THE LITURGICAL COMMITTEE IN CONSULTATION WITH THE PARISH PRIEST

