

**EVANGELICAL LUTERAN CHURCH IN TANZANIA  
NORTHERN DIOCESE**

MONGAI LUTH PARISH  
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Dear Pastor Andy Ballentine and the people St. Stephen Lutheran Church. I salute you in the Precious Name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

We hope that Everything is going on well at St. Stephen I am writing express our very sincere appreciations for your nice greetings to the dedication day of mount Kilimanjaro Vocational training centre. He letter was read by Pastor Dwayne .J. Westermann, The Bishop, Pastors and the more than 1500 gatherers worshipers received by clapping hands joyous response.

So you can imagine how special was 27<sup>th</sup> June 2010 to the people of Mongai .The Parish took a video shoutings, together with snaps (photos) and together I send to you through Pastor DJ. Westermann . So that you view the whole occation.

The Parish prepared some gifts to each guest. Also the parish prepared a special gifts for St. Stephen Parish I.

- (1) The First one is for Church alter for candles. The carving symbolizes the birth of Jesus, so there is Joseph and Mary, The child Jesus, The shepherds and the sheep. I hope you will like it.
- (2) Is a drawings of Mount Kilimanjaro, the National Park and the wildlife
- (3) Also we prepared a small gift for you and your family, I hope you will also like it. While our distinguished visitors are still in our country, we received good news that St.Stephen church raised 8,000, USD for the Mount Kilimanjaro V.T.C – Glory to God and thanks to the people who made it possible.

The Mongai people will continue to thank God for you and we propose that we can have one Sunday in each year where the two partner parishes can present to almighty God special prayers for , the Mission and Vission of our partnership.

***It is our very sincere hope that God will grant you another day for you and the people of St. Stephen Church to visit Mongai.***

**WE PRAY THAT GOD WILL CONTINUE TO BLESS YOUR PARISH**

In Christ Jesus.

  
**REV.AMINIEL A.P.S.MINJA  
PASTOR INCHARGE**

