



APOSTOLIC NUNCIATURE
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE NEW BISHOP OF KABALE DIOCESE

The Apostolic Nunciature in Uganda has the joy to announce that His Holiness Pope Leo XIV has appointed Bishop of Kabale Rev. Fr. Bonaventure Bosco Gubazire, M.Af. (Missionaries of Africa), until now Rector of St. Martin of Tours Formation House in Ejisu, Ghana.

The Holy Father has also accepted the resignation from the pastoral care of the Diocese of Kabale presented by Rt. Rev. Callistus Rubaramira, for reaching the age limit, in accordance with Can. 401 §1 of the Code of Canon Law.

The Apostolic Nunciature desires to congratulate the new Bishop and invokes abundant blessing upon his pastoral ministry in that local Church.

The Apostolic Nunciature further expresses its gratitude to Rt. Rev. Callistus Rubaramira for his generous and dedicated service during these twenty-three years as the Bishop of Kabale (2003-2026). He will remain as the Apostolic Administrator of Kabale until the day the new Bishop will take canonical possession of the Diocese.

Given at the Apostolic Nunciature, Kampala, Uganda, on 15 July 2026.

Rev. Fr. Georges Kwami Kouwonou
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