

DRAFT 19.07.09

**INTERNATIONAL FORUM OF CATHOLIC ACTION (IFCA)
AND
KEC COMMISSION FOR PASTORAL, LAY APOSTOLATE AND FAMILY LIFE**

JOINT FORMATION SEMINAR

**THEME: "You are the Salt of the Earth...You are the light of the world"
(Mt 5:13-14)**

VENUE: Dimesse Sisters, Karen –Nairobi – Kenya

DRAFT PROGRAMME June 2009

DAY ONE - TUESDAY 18TH AUGUST 2009

10.00 am Secretariat opens at Dimesse Sisters –Karen
Participants' arrival, registration and allocation of rooms

6.00pm Mass – **Rev. Fr. Daniel Muriithi - National Pastoral**

Coordinator

7.00 pm Supper

8.00 pm Prayers

Address of Welcome – **Rev. Fr. Daniel Muriithi, Rev. Fr. Salvator- African IFCA**
Coordinator

Introduction of Participants, Facilitators and Resource persons - Seminar

Expectations – **Mr. Cosmas Maithya – Oana Tuduce**

Sharing responsibilities -Seminar norms

Paul Mbogo Joan Wangui, Salvator Niciteretse

9.30 pm Prayers / Retire

DAY TWO - WEDNESDAY 19TH AUGUST 2009

7.00am - Mass –Official opening of the Seminar

His Eminence John Cardinal Njue

8.00 am -Breakfast

8.30 am -Working sessions - Introduction to workshops

The Seminar - an initiative of the KEC COMMISSION FOR PASTORAL, LAY
APOSTOLATE AND FAMILY LIFE and of IFCA, in Africa and in Kenya

(Mr. Cosmas Maithya- Oana Tuduce)

10.30 am - Tea / Coffee break

11.00" - Work Session-

20 years CFL – Towards 11 African Synod

Dignity , role and responsibility of Lay Faithful in the Church and in society

His Excellency Simon Ntamwana Archbishop of Gitega Burundi - ACEAC
President

Working method – individually and in groups of 3 to 4, participants prepare a
question for discussion

1.00pm -Lunch

3.00 pm -Working session

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question for discussion

Assembly - to present the questions prepared

4.00 pm - Tea / Coffee break

4.30 pm - Working session- How Lay Faithful can contribute in a Christian way towards the evolvement of the African Culture (**Mrs. Dr. Philomena Mwaura**)

6.15 pm - Evening Prayer (Prayer with saints and Martyrs)
Bishop Ntamwana

7.00 pm -Supper

8.00 pm -Sharing of experiences – **Mr. Cosmas Maithya**

9.30 pm -Prayers / Retire

DAY THREE –THURSDAY 20TH AUGUST 2009

7.00am -Morning Prayer

7.30 am -Breakfast

8.30 am - Working Session-The value of associated apostolate

CA a gift of the Spirit- **IFCA Secretariat**

* Situation of Lay Apostolate in Kenya- **Mr. Cosmas Maithya**

10.00 am - Tea / Coffee Break

10.30 am - Working Session-

* CA's situation in Kenya- **Mr. Paul Mbogo**

Working method– Assembly

11.30 am - Preparation for Mass

11.45 am - Mass – **His Excellency , Archbishop Alain Paul**

Lebeaupin Apostolic Nuncio

1.00pm - Lunch

3.00 pm - Working Session – Perspectives for Lay apostolate in Kenya today, with a special focus on ecclesial Movements and Associations

H.E. Rev. Philip Anyolo- Chairman KEC Commission for Pastoral,Lay Apostolate and Family life

Working method – groups

4.00 pm - Tea / Coffee break

4.30 pm - Working session; The challenges of the 11th African synod

Rev. Fr. Pius Rutechura AMECEA Secretary General

Contribution by representatives from the different African countries

Rev. Fr. Salvator Niciteretse - Burundi

6.15 pm - Evening Prayer

7.00 pm -Supper

8.00 pm - Sharing of Experiences – CA in the other Countries present for the Seminar (**Facilitator - Fr. Salvator**)

9.30 pm - Prayers / Retire

DAY FOUR – FRIDAY 21ST AUGUST 2009

7.00am -Morning Prayer

7.30 am -Breakfast

8.30 am -Working Session-Working together in the Church and in Society –Formation as a priority - (contents, tools, methods, in Kenya)

H.E. Rev. Peter Kihara –Bishop of Marsabit Diocese

10.00 am - Tea / Coffee break

10.30 am - The Way forward –elements for a basic action plan – **Mr. Cosmas Maithya, National Laity Coordinator**

Working method - Assembly (according to participants' experience)

Suggestions for the basic plan for formation and action

11.30 am - Preparation for Mass

11.45 am - Mass -

1.00pm - Lunch Break

2.00 pm - PRESENTATION of PROGRAMME

PROPOSALS RE AFTERNOON'S WORKING METHOD

6.15 pm - Evening Prayer

7.00 pm - Supper

8.00 pm - Seminar Evaluation - Seminar closing comments

9.00 pm - Cultural Evening

10.30 pm - Prayers / Retire

DAY FIVE – SATURDAY 22ND AUGUST 2009

7.00am - Mass

7.30 am - Breakfast

DEPARTURES