**Catholic Diocese of Same, Tanzania**

Fr. Mansuetus Setonga works in the Pastoral Services and Development Office of the Diocese of Same, Tanzania. He speaks on behalf of the inhabitants of the Diocese of Same, who are mainly peasants and practice subsistence agriculture. Tanzania is one of the poorest countries in the world where about 1/4 of the people live in absolute poverty. The Diocese of Same has a population of approximately 750,000 people and the standard of living there is even below that of most Tanzanians. In addition, 62% of the population has no access to clean water. So, we ask for support to drill a well in Mwembe Village. Mwembe is Swahili for mango as they grow mangoes there. A well will bring clean and safe water for drinking, cooking and washing. People will no longer suffer from illnesses and have a better life. Please help us offer this life-changing service.