

# **CHRISTIAN HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF KENYA**

# CHAIRMAN'S REPORT 2024

#### Introduction

HAK Strategic Plan 2023-2028 which was in its second year of implementation guided our programmes, facilitated by a new organizational structure and support from members and partners. Ongoing HIV/TB, non-communicable diseases, maternal and child health and health systems strengthening programmes were scaled up in collaboration with partners and the Ministry of Health.

Through the efforts of CHAK Secretariat technical teams coordinated by the Business Development Unit which is steered by business development lead Peter McOdida, CHAK acquired new projects funded by Ecumenical Pharmaceutical Network (EPN), Africa Christian Health Associations Platform (ACHAP) and Gates Foundation.

These new projects are supporting capacity building for MHUs in maternal and child health, medical education towards improving quality of care for cardiometabolic diseases, working through Medical Training Colleges, and eye care services by providing screening and reading glasses.

The Secretariat also received project approval by Gates Foundation for an evaluation of integration of HIV and NCD services in collaboration with MOH, CDC, UON and counties.



Eva Klitzch from BfW Germany speaking with pregnant mothers during a visit to AIC Olasiti Dispensary, Narok County. She is with CHAK RMNCAH Coordinator Jane Kishoyian.

The partnership with ACHAP and Restoring Vision has provided two containers of reading glasses which are being distributed through member health facilities selected from all the four CHAK regions.

The membership also received support through the MHUs Development Assistance Fund which was established by EXCO in 2023. Several health facilities from all four CHAK regions were supported following recommendations by the RCCs and approval by EXCO. This support ranged from infrastructure improvement to supply of essential medicines through MEDS.

CHAK Business Services Ltd (CBSL) has been operationalized to drive domestic resource mobilization initiatives through strategic investments with the aim of raising unrestricted funds that will be employed to support organizational growth and sustainability and facilitate equitable support for MHUs. The company branding, communication and marketing policies were developed and approved by EXCO. Medical equipment, dosimetry and Hospital Management System (CHMIS) products and services are now marketed and offered to members and clients through CBSL.

CHAK Secretariat completed implementation of Microsoft NAV 365 ERP including the HR module. The ERP has enabled integration of all organisational operations and enhanced efficiency. All financial management, procurement, projects management and human resources management processes are done on the ERP.

CHAK is grateful to Donor Partners for support to the organization and projects. We are grateful to the Board of Trustees, Executive Committee (EXCO), Management Team, Secretariat, guest house and project staff for their commitment and support to the organisation's programmes throughout the year.

We thank the Government of Kenya at National level through the MOH, County Governments and Council of Governors (COG) for recognition and support to CHAK and member health facilities.

We appreciate our Development Partners for their faith in CHAK, generous funding and technical support. We also acknowledge and appreciate all MHUs for their commitment and contribution to the healing ministry despite the major health care financing crisis occasioned by the accumulated unpaid claims by NHIF/SHA.

Our partnership with Bread for the World, Germany has continued to thrive and enable CHAK to continue supporting MHUs in capacity building and health systems strengthening with focus on women's and children's health. Eva Klitzch from BfW Germany visited AIC Olasiti Dispensary, a programme implementation site in Narok County, and experienced first-hand the impact of CHAK work in rural communities.

The Partnership for Education of Health Professionals (PEP) project funded by Novo Nordisk Foundation through AMREF has engaged CHAK-affiliated Medical Training Colleges towards enhancing capacity for delivery of quality education towards improving services for cardiometabolic diseases.

During the AGM of 2024, CHAK held a colorful launch of the new Africa Clear Sight Partnership Project which is being implemented in partnership with Restoring Vision of USA and ACHAP.

Restoring Vision has donated to CHAK 250,000 pairs of reading glasses for men and women. The project is supporting screening for presbyopia and provision of reading glasses to patients to improve their vision.

Improving Pharmaceutical Access through Continuous Training (IMPACT) project is implemented in partnership with Action Medeor and EPN, and is supporting capacity strengthening of rural lower level health facilities to improve pharmaceutical services for rural populations.

The USAID Jamii Tekelezi Project and CDC CHAP Stawisha Project have continued to expand CHAK work in the HIV and TB prevention, care and treatment services and support for orphans and vulnerable children (OVC) across several counties.

CHAK Secretariat has done well in coordinating critical advocacy engagements with National Government and, MOH, NHIF and Social Health Authority (SHA), through a joint approach with other faith-based health service providers from KCCB, SUPKEM and MEDS under the framework of the Kenya Faith Based Health Services Consortium (KFBHSC).

CHAK facilitated several high-level advocacy engagements for religious leaders with H.E.The President, the CS-MOH, chairman and CEO of NHIF Board and Parliamentary Health Committee.

Senior religious leaders from CHAK, KCCB, MEDS, NCCK and EAK participated in a successful partnership engagement with H.E.The President, Dr William Samoei Ruto, on March 25, 2025, at State House Nairobi. The meeting addressed the financing crisis facing faith-based health facilities due to accumulated unpaid claims held by NHIF, SHA and MAKL. The President made a commitment for SHA to make timely payment of all cleared claims and for eventual payment of old NHIF claims upon verification by a special vetting committee appointed by CS-MOH and allocation of budget by Parliament.

## **Governance of CHAK**

#### **CHAK Annual Health Conference and AGM 2024**

CHAK Annual Health Conference and AGM was held on April 23-25, 2024, at the Kenya School of Government, Lower Kabete, Nairobi. The Conference theme was "Transformational health sector reforms for Universal Health Coverage; role of faith-based health facilities".

The conference objectives were as follows:

- I. Sensitization on the new health sector legal framework and their implication for the health sector; Social Health Insurance Act 2023, Primary Health Care Act 2023, Digital Health Act, and Facility Improvement Financing Act 2023
- 2. To review the Primary Care Networks (PCN) new model for delivering Primary Health Care in Kenya.
- 3. To discuss health care financing reforms; transition from NHIF to Social Health Authority (SHA); opportunities and potential challenges
- 4. To share costing models to inform service packages pricing and evidence-based advocacy

Delegates were well engaged on these critical legal and policy reforms that have the potential to markedly transform the health sector in the journey towards UHC. Guest speakers came from MOH and NHIF and candid discussions were held on the challenges facing faith based health facilities due to delays in payment of claims by NHIF and MAKL. The delegates made recommendations for strategic advocacy to address these health care financing challenges.

During the AGM of 2024, elections were held for the position of RCC Chair for Western/North Rift and Mrs Ruth Nabie elected to serve a second term. The EXCO members who served in 2024 were:

- Rt. Rev. Charles Asilutwa Chairman
- Mr James Maina Vice Chairman
- Ms Christine Kimotho Treasurer
- Mr George Opundo Vice-Treasurer
- Joel Jamhuri RCC Chairman, Central/Nairobi/South East/Coast Region



EXCO members with incoming General Secretary Dr Chrisostim Wekesa Barasa and outgoing General Secretary Dr Samuel Mwenda, at CHAK Secretariat.

- Mrs Ruth Nabie RCC Chair, Western/North Rift Region
- Rev. Samson Musyimi RCC Chairman, Eastern/North Eastern Region
- Mr. Eric Lang'at RCC Chairman, Nyanza/South Rift Region

EXCO held two governance retreats during which they worked on major review and/or development of several policies. The policies completed include HR Management Policy, Financial Management Policy, PSEAH Policy, Child Safeguarding policy, Data Protection Policy and Disability Inclusion Policy. The statutory EXCO business meetings were held quarterly to review programmatic performance and financial reports and provide oversight.

In the last quarter of the year three special meetings were held to process the management succession roadmap for the General Secretary.

EXCO was supported to undertake it's mandate by the following sub-committees;

- I. Finance Committee
- 2. Programmes and HR Committee
- 3. Audit and Risk Committee
- 4. Tender Committee
- 5. Guest House Management Committee

#### **CHAK Trustees**

CHAK assets are held in trust by a team of Trustees made up of senior church leaders of integrity and national stature.



CHAK Trustees with incoming General Secretary Dr Chrisostim Wekesa Barasa and outgoing General Secretary Dr Samuel Mwenda, at CHAK Secretariat.

The Trustees who served during the year were:

- Rt. Rev. Charles Asilutwa Anglican Church of Kenya (ACK) Chairman
- Rev. Dr. Robert Lang'at Africa Gospel Church (AGC)
- Rt. Rev. Joseph Wasonga Anglican Church of Kenya (ACK)
- Rev. Prof. Zablon Nthamburi Methodist Church in Kenya (MCK)
- Very Rev. Dr. Julius Mwamba Presbyterian Church of East Africa (PCEA)
- Pst. Dr. Samuel Makori Executive Director, Seventh Day Adventist (SDA), East Kenya Conference
- Rev. Paul Manyara Bishop AIC, Kijabe Region

The Trustees held two meetings during the year in which they reviewed the status of CHAK assets, partnerships and legal matters. The Trustees are also supporting the process of registration of Christian Health Association of Kenya Trust which is at an advanced stage. The Trust will be the custodian of CHAK shares in CHAK Business Services Ltd (CBSL).

The Trustees were instrumental in leading high-level advocacy to address NHIF/SHA transition challenges and the huge accumulated unpaid bills. The Trustees and heads of churches supported engagement with H.E. The President on the financing crisis facing faith based health facilities due to unpaid bills by NHIF and MAKL and slow payment of claims submitted to SHA.

Three of the CHAK Trustees also serve as Trustees of MEDS. The current CHAK representatives on MEDS Board of Trustees are:

- Rt. Rev. Charles Asilutwa
- Rt. Rev. Joseph Wasonga
- Rev. Dr. Robert Lang'at

#### **CHAK Guest House and Conference Centre**

CHAK Guest House has continued to provide quality services to CHAK events and external guests including international mission teams from USA and Europe.

The guest house achieved business volume totaling Ksh42.9M in 2024 compared to Ksh37.4M in 2023. Due to high cost of goods and depreciation of the old equipment and plant, the overall performance was a surplus of Ksh715,634. This was an improvement from a deficit of Ksh1.9 million recorded in 2023.

The legal process of transitioning CHAK Guest House to operate as a business entity under the CHAK Business Services Company Ltd was underway in 2024. CHAK completed installation of a solar power system for the Guest House and Secretariat offices towards saving on power bills and bridging power outages.

# **Regional Coordinating Committees (RCCs)**

CHAK national network of membership is assigned into four geographic regions, namely:

- i. Eastern/North Eastern chaired by Rev. Samson Musyimi from Tei wa Yesu Hospital, Mwingi, Kitui County
- ii. Central, Nairobi, South East & Coast chaired by Mr Joel Jamhuri from PCEA Kikuyu Hospital, Kiambu County
- iii. Western/North Rift chaired by Mrs Ruth Nabie from ICFEM Dreamland Hospital, Bungoma County
- iv. Nyanza/South Rift chaired by Mr Erick Lang'at from AIC Litein Hospital, Kericho County

Each Region is coordinated by a Regional Coordinating Committee which meets at least three times a year. The chairpersons of the RCCs are members of EXCO.

A joint meeting was held at CHAK Guest House for all RCCs chairs, Vice Chairman of CHAK and Secretariat which reviewed progress towards enhancing collaboration for support to MHUs through RCCs. Support allocated in the MHUs Development Support Kitty was discussed and recommendations made to EXCO.

The RCCs provide strategic fora for networking of MHUs at regional level and an avenue for dissemination of information from the Secretariat. They also provide feedback from the members on priority advocacy issues that require collective action within the region and those to be taken up by CHAK Secretariat for national level advocacy.

The most critical advocacy issues were reconciliation of claims owed by NHIF before transition to the Social Health Authority and advocacy for payment of unpaid bills by NHIF.

#### Management succession of the General Secretary

Over the past two years, EXCO has managed succession of two senior Heads of Department; Mr Patrick Kundu and Dr Cyprian Kamau who headed Institutional and Organizational Development and Health Programmes Departments respectively.



CHAK Trustees, EXCO members and Senior Management Team with new General Secretary Dr Chrisostim Barasa and out going General Secretary Dr Samuel Mwenda, after induction prayers led by the Trustees on March 21, 2024.

In the last quarter of 2024, EXCO developed and implemented a roadmap for succession of the General Secretary who is due to retire on June 30, 2025. The position was advertised in October, shortlisting done in November and interviews conducted on January 10, 2025.

Through this competitive recruitment process and after due diligence by EXCO and Trustees, Dr Chrisostim Wekesa Barasa was recruited and reported to start serving CHAK on March 17, 2025. Induction prayers were conducted by the Trustees accompanied by EXCO and Senior Management Team on March 21, 2025.

Dr Barasa is a committed professional Christian leader from the Anglican Church of Kenya who brings to CHAK a wealth of expertise and experience in clinical (obstetrics and gynaecology), public health, projects management and health systems governance. He has worked in the public sector, NGOs, UON and faith-based organizations.

We welcome Dr Chris Barasa to the CHAK family and assure him of our prayers and support as he drives CHAK to greater heights of influence and prosperity.

At the AGM of 2025, CHAK will bid farewell to long-serving General Secretary, Dr Samuel Mwenda, who has steered the organisation to great heights with passion and deep commitment over the past 24 years. The CHAK family and stakeholders in the faith-based sector are grateful to Dr Mwenda for his services and stewardship of CHAK, which recorded tremendous growth in membership, assets, projects, donor partners, influence and recognition in the health sector, including securing an MoU with the Ministry of Health and Council of Governors. We pray for God's blessings upon him and his family as he transitions to the next phase of service to humanity.



Out going General Secretary Dr Samuel Mwenda welcoming new General Secretary Dr Chrisostim Barasa to the GS office as CHAK Trustees look on.

# Health financing reforms and challenges in transition from NHIF to Social Health Authority

A major transition of health care financing from NHIF to SHA took effect on October 1, 2024. The transition involved sudden withdrawal of the familiar NHIF IT system and introduction of a new system by SHA. Registration of beneficiaries, accreditation of health facilities and authorization for provision of services all experienced technical hitches.

Withdrawal of outpatient services from hospitals had a huge direct impact on NHIF contributors who would previously access OPD services under capitation with cash payment.

Hospitals lost a large population of clients that they had been serving daily, leading to sustainability concerns.

CHAK stepped forward to organize strategic advocacy engagements through the Kenya Faith Based Health Services Consortium (KFBHSC). In consultation with KCCB and MEDS, CHAK held several advocacy engagements with NHIF/SHA and MOH.

A Religious Leaders Advocacy Forum was convened at Ufungamano House on October 14,2024, to deliberate on the dire challenges that came with the transition from NHIF to SHA and the looming threat of collapse of faith-based health facilities.

The grim reality of the technical challenges of the SHA system were presented to the PS-MOH Harry Kimutai, who committed to work directly with CHAK and KCCB secretariats and member health facilities to progressively address the issues and ensure timely payment of all claims appropriately submitted to SHA.

CHAKVice-Chairman James Maina was appointed to join a multisectoral team led by the PS-MOH to support review and ensure fair allocation of payments to service providers.

Advocacy engagements were intensified at both technical and leadership levels. Despite frequent changes in Health Cabinet Secretaries, CHAK will not relent in driving intense advocacy for member health facilities and towards improving health service delivery for the people of Kenya.

Despite promises by Government leaders that SHA would make payments of all claims promptly, faith based health facilities have cumulatively received only 50 per cent of total claims submitted to SHA as at the end of February 2025.



Delegation of religious leaders from CHAK, KCCB, MEDS and SUPKEM who held an engagement meeting with the President at State House, Nairobi, on March 25, 2025, to discuss the health financing crisis facing faith-based health facilities and the challenge of unpaid bills by SHA and the now defunct NHIF.



CHAK General Secretary and Chair of the Kenya Faith Based Health Services Consortium joined private sector representatives to engage the Parliamentary Health Committee on SHA challenges.

CHAK General Secretary and Chair of the Kenya Faith Based Health Services Consortium engaged the Parliamentary Health Committee together with private sector representatives to address the challenges health service providers were experiencing with SHA. The engagement also included discussions on improving primary health care and social health insurance under SHA.

# Mission for Essential Drugs and Supplies (MEDS)

Mission for Essential Drugs and Supplies (MEDS) is a joint Trust of CHAK and Kenya Conference of Catholic Bishops (KCCB) established in 1986, that provides high quality services in health commodities supply chain, health advisory services and medicines quality assurance.

MEDS is driven by quality and has attained several national and international quality accreditations (ISO 9001:2015; USAID/OFDA; DG-ECHO; WHO prequalification of the quality control laboratory).

MEDS has grown to become a leading supply chain organization in the region with a reputation for quality, efficiency and affordable services. It serves faith based health facilities, charitable NGOs, county government health facilities and charitable organizations in neighbouring countries.

From 2021, MEDS was awarded Dawa Za Ubora Project which is providing supply chain services for the USAID-funded essential medicines and other health commodities for HIV,TB, malaria and maternal and child health. The USAID Dawa Za Ubora Project has given MEDS responsibility for supply of HIV, malaria and TB commodities to over 3,000 health facilities in Kenya and has consistently recorded performance above targets set by MOH and the donor.

By December 2024, MEDS Trustees purchased a five-acre piece of Land in Kusumu County valued at Ksh69M for development of MEDS Kisumu Branch warehouses, a manufacturing plant and other amenities. Construction work is planned and budgeted to start in 2025. To strengthen brand visibility and marketing, MEDS Board approved purchase of 11 branded pickup trucks to be used across all counties in Kenya.

MEDS Business volume/turnover recorded growth to Ksh5.89 billion in 2024 compared with Ksh5.74 billion in 2023. The Revolving Drug Fund has grown to Ksh992.9M. Net Assets were at Ksh6.24B up from Ksh 5.67B the previous year.

Debts continue to present a major challenge for MEDS due to huge amounts of money held by health facilities.

During the year, the debt burden by faith based health facilities increased due to the cashflow crisis caused by accumulated NHIF Debts. Total creditors increased to Ksh1.82B from Ksh1.56B in 2023.

CHAK strongly urges all MHUs to utilize MEDS pharmaceutical services which guarantee reliable access to quality and affordable medicines and other essential health commodities.



MEDS Chairman Bishop Charles Asilutwa and Board Member from KCCB Bishop Cleopus Oseso flag off a fleet of 9 Isuzu D Max Double Cab Pickups for MEDS field marketing in all 47 counties.

#### **CHAK Pension Scheme**

CHAK Pension Scheme was established in July 2014 to provide dependable retirement security for staff as part of their welfare and retention strategy.

It is a contributory scheme regulated by RBA, which receives contributions from both the employer and employees monthly. It is aligned to the NSSFAct and is authorized to manage tier 2 retirement contributions.

The scheme has attained a total membership of 211 (135 active members and 76 deferred members). The annual external audit was conducted by KKCO LLP Auditors for the period ended December 31, 2024 and the returns filed as per RBA Regulations.

The scheme managed to attain a total fund value of Ksh450.5M having recorded a net investment income of Ksh61.2M in 2024.

There was commendable improvement in the value of the assets due to a positive revaluation gain of Ksh48.3M, compared to a revaluation loss of Ksh 42.4M the previous year.

The CHAK Pension Trustees chair is Mr George Opundo. Other Trustees who served during the year were Rev. Samson Musyimi, Jack Odhiambo, Edith Gitobu, Grace Kiiru and Nicholas Karanja.

The scheme service providers are:

- Enwealth Financial Services Ltd Fund Administrator
- CFC Stanbic Bank Fund Custodian
- Co-op Trust Investment Services Ltd Fund Manager
- KKCO Auditors LLP Auditors

The Trustees held quarterly meetings through which they conducted governance oversight including regular monitoring of the fund performance and statutory compliance as per RBA regulations.

The fund has attained self-sustainability and was able to pay for its operational expenses during the year totaling Ksh7.5M.

#### **HCTS** medical equipment programme

CHAK Medical Equipment Services does medical equipment installation, repair, maintenance and quality assurance. Our highly experienced technical team has cut a niche in calibration and maintenance of anaesthesia equipment and radiology (x-ray and ultrasound) units and radiation monitoring through accreditation by the Kenya Nuclear Regulatory Authority (KENRA).

CHAK has a well-established dosimetry lab based at the Secretariat and licensed by the Kenya Nuclear Regulatory Authority (KENRA) to provide radiation exposure monitoring services for hospitals and other institutions.

The HCTS services were restructured and renamed CBSL-Medical Equipment Services (CBSL-MES). These services will be provided through a network of bio-medical engineers who have been contracted by CBSL. The business model will focus on growth and sustainability. We appeal to CHAK members to utilize CBSL-Medical Equipment Services and ensure they make payments within reasonable credit period.

#### CHAK assets and financial status in 2024

#### Net assets growth

The Association's Net Asset value recorded an increase of Kshs 31.4million from Kshs 509.4 million in 2023 to Kshs 540.9 million at the close of 2024. After accounting for depreciation, we recorded a surplus of Kshs 31.4 million.

## Net worth in Ksh 600,000,000 500,000,000 400.000.000 300.000.000 200.000.000 100,000,000 0 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024

#### CHAK net worth in 2024

The main contributor to this increase was growth in fixed deposits, cash and bank balances. After accounting for depreciation, we recorded a surplus of Kshs31.4 million.

#### **Total revenue**

The Association's gross revenue increased from Ksh1.32 billion in 2023 to close at Ksh1.68 billion in 2024, representing 27.2 per cent increase. The increase was as a result of two new projects funded by the Gates Foundation, ongoing USAID Jamii Tekelezi Programme (USAID-JTP) and CDC funded CHAP Stawisha Project. CHAK Guest House revenue also increased.

The other key funding sources were Bread for the World, Novo Nordisk Foundation, ACHAP, EPN/Action Medeor and MEDS.

CHAK is grateful to the donor partners who continue to entrust us with their resources and wish to assure them of our commitment to compliance with their funding requirements and delivery on the agreed performance indicators.

#### **Development partners**

#### **Bread for the World - Church Development Services (BftW)**

CHAK is grateful to Bread for the World - Church Development Service (BftW) for the long-term partnership and funding support. We are implementing a new three-year program focusing on women and children's health for the period 2023 to 2025.

#### **United States Government Funding**

#### **USAID** Jamii Tekelezi Program

CHAK is implementing a five-year project funded by USAID for HIV prevention, care and treatment and OVC support named USAID Jamii Tekelezi Program, in the four counties of Meru, Embu, Nyandarua, and Tharaka Nithi. The project is in its fourth year of implementation.

#### **CDC - CHAP Stawisha Project**

This project was awarded to CHAK by CDC for implementation over the period September 30, 2022, to September 29, 2026. The second year of the project implementation started on October 1, 2023, to September 30, 2024. The project scope was expanded to 15 counties and the budget increased to \$4.9M..

#### **Gates Foundation**

CHAK is pleased to have two new funding opportunities from the Gates Foundation.

We have received direct funding to support evaluation of HIV and NCDs services in collaboration with MOH, UON and CDC. The two-year project started in November 2024 to October 2026.

Through partnership with EPN, CHAK has been funded to implement a project that seeks to build capacity, strengthen systems and ensure access to modern technologies for prevention of Post Partum Hemorrhage (PPH).

# **Novo Nordisk Foundation**

# Partnership for Education of Health Professionals (PEP)

The Partnership for Education of Health Professionals (PEP) project is funded by the Novo Nordisk Foundation of Denmark through Amref Health Africa. The purpose of this two-year project is to strengthen capacity of Medical Training Colleges and their faculty to provide quality education on cardiometabolic diseases in Kenya. Discussions have been initiated to expand the scope to include CHAK affiliated universities with increase in funding and extension of project period.

# **ACHAP/Restoring Vision**

# **Africa Clear Sight Partnership Program**

The project, implemented in partnership with Restoring Vision of USA and ACHAP, aims to increase awareness on presbyopia, screen 400,000 people for vision and provide reading glasses to 200,000 people, improving their eyesight and quality of life.

CHAK has received a donation of 250,000 reading glasses from Restoring Vision. The glasses were cleared with support from Kenya Society for the Blind (KSB) and we are truly grateful.

# **EPN/Action Medeor IMPACT project**

CHAK is working in partnership with EPN and Action Medeor of Germany to implement initiatives to improve pharmaceutical access through continuous training. The training will focus on medicines supply chain

management and rational drug use/dispensing. In Kenya the project is being implemented in Kakamega County.

#### **C**onclusion

We thank all our partners for their partnership and support in 2024 as we embarked on our journey of promoting access to quality health care for all guided by our Strategic Plan 2023 - 2028.

We are particularly grateful to the US Government for the projects funded through USAID and CDC.

We thank our new partner the Gates Foundation for funding our two new projects, MNCH and Evaluation of Integration of Health Services. We also thank Novo Nordisk Foundation for funding the PEP Project.

Bread for the World (BftW), EPN/Action Medeor and Restoring Vision/ACHAP are appreciated for the ongoing partnership and projects.

We thank God for His faithfulness in providing for the healing ministry at CHAK and MHUs. The people God has provided to work with us are our greatest strength. We thank all health workers in faith based health facilities for their compassion, dedication and resilience even during the hard-economic times. Serving in Church health facilities is a noble calling to a compassionate ministry. It is our prayer that God will keep them and their families blessed, encouraged and in good health.

Finally, I wish to thank the Trustees, EXCO, management, staff, partners and members for their prayers, commitment and dedication to the mission of CHAK. The achievements accomplished in the year 2024 were possible through our collective effort. Let us keep up our faith, commitment and good work in Christ's healing ministry as CHAK continues the journey of implementation of the Strategic Plan 2023 - 2028.

Jeremiah 29:11 "For I know the plans I have for you, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future"

May God bless you all. Rt. Rev. Charles Asilutwa, CHAIRMAN