

ABOUT REV FR GEORGE NKEZE JINGWA (PhD)

Rev Fr George Nkeze Jingwa is a Priest of the Diocese of Buea, Cameroon, West Africa. He was ordained on the 6th of December 1992. Currently he is the President and Pro-Chancellor of the Catholic University Institute of Buea, the Growth Mindset Entrepreneurial University, Cameroon. At the International stage, Rev Nkeze is one of the Vice Presidents of the Prestigious International Federation of Catholic Universities (IFCU) with its headquarters in Paris and the IFCU Regional President for Africa. Rev. Nkeze is also Bishop's Delegate for Foreign Missions for his home Diocese in Cameroon since 2006. He visits the US regularly to build meaningful partnerships with US Catholic Dioceses and Universities with those in his home country, Cameroon. Rev Nkeze is a motivational speaker, writer and spiritual coach. He is founder of the Catholic Berakah Ministries, Cameroon, whose mission is to foster authentic Catholic Eucharistic Worship in Africa. In December 2018, Rev Nkeze celebrated his 25th Anniversary as a Priest and published one of his books *Berakah! An Authentic African Eucharistic Spirituality: The Silver Jubilee Spiritual Reflection of the Drama of God's faithful Love in the life of George Nkeze Jingwa, an African, Catholic and Diocesan priest.*

OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

NAME: GEORGE NKEZE JINGWA

DATE OF BIRTH: 15 NOVEMBER 1963

PARENTS: MICHAEL WENGEM NKEZE (OF LATE) & AGNES MENYI NKEZE

SIBLINGS: Justine, Fidelis, James, and Therese living in Phoenix; Emmanuel and Joe, living in Seattle, WA.

SEMINARY STUDIES: ST THOMAS AQUINAS' MAJOR SEMINARY BAMBUI, BAMENDA, CAMEROON (1986-1992)

ORDINATION: 6TH DECEMBER 1992 AT ST CLARE'S PARISH FONTEM - LEBIALEM DIVISION, SOUTH WEST REGION OF CAMEROON BY BISHOP PIUS S. AWA

CERTIFICATES OBTAINED

- BA PHILOSOPHY – Pontificia Universitas Urbaniana – Romae(Pontifical Urban University Rome)
- BD Theology – Pontificia Universitas Urbaniana – Romae(Pontifical Urban University Rome)
- PHD, SCIENCES OF EDUCATION – PONTIFICIA STUDIORUM UNIVERSITAS SALESIANA – ROMAE (SALESIAN UNIVERSITY ROME) – 28TH June 2007

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES

- Catholic Education Secretary for the Diocese of Buea, Cameroon – September 2006 – 2010
- Pioneer Director of John Paul II Institute of Theology – JOPASIT, Buea Cameroon, 2007-2009
- President and Pro-Chancellor – Catholic University Institute of Buea, The Entrepreneurial University – 2010
- Bishop's Delegate for Foreign Missions (2006 – Present)
 - Missions in Spain – Diocese of Calahorra y La Calzada – Logrono, Spain.
 - Diocese of St Petersburg, Florida.
 - Diocese of Charlotte, NC, USA
- Founder - Catholic Berakah Ministries, Cameroon.

US Missions

- Served in the Diocese of St Petersburg, Florida – 2002-2007
- International Member President of the Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities, USA.
- President & CEO – Catholic University Institute of Buea Foundation – US Florida based 501© 3 Foundation.

INTERNATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

- 2018 – Elected Vice President of the International Federation of Catholic Universities (IFCU) in Dublin, Ireland.
- Also current IFCU Regional President for Africa

LANGUAGES

Speaks English, French, Italian, Pidgin English and local Dialect(Mother tongue). Also understands basic Spanish and can follow up conversation in Spanish.