



# Archdiocese of Kaduna, Nigeria

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To all the Priests  
Archdiocese of Kaduna.

Dear brothers,

**MANAGEMENT OF RESOURCES (HUMAN AND MATERIAL) DURING  
AND POST-COVID-19 PANDEMIC.**

May the peace and joy of the Risen and Ascended Lord be yours now and always.

No fully conscious person in our country today needs telling that we live in difficult and challenging times and, we know that times like this can bring out of us either as individuals, communities or institutions the best or worst. As they say, it is in war times that true and patriotic soldiers are known. More so for us as a church, the Gospel must remain good news in and out of season. If anything it is in times such as the one we live in that the gospel we proclaim should and must become a reality in the lives of our people especially the most vulnerable.

It is in this vein that I wish to express my sincere gratitude to you, brother priests, for the courageous witness that you are giving in these very challenging times. I am not oblivious of the creative efforts of many of you in keeping and maintaining the faith in your faith communities. I know how much efforts many have made to mobilize the materially blessed to help those who are less so in this regard. I am indeed very grateful.

Furthermore, I thank profoundly the deaneries that have identified needier parishes in their deaneries and made efforts to help them within available resources. This is not only in line with practical priestly solidarity but also one of the most cherished principles of Catholic Social Teaching (CST), namely, the principle of subsidiarity and solidarity. I have noted this laudable gesture and giving due consideration and attention. I know that we are all in need but we all know that some are in need more than others.

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