

# Catholic Diocese of Ndola

Bishop's Office

## FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR FR. ISRAEL MWABA MALISENI



Due to the cause of his death: Covid - 19, the funeral arrangements and gathering for Fr. Israel Mwaba Maliseni have been restricted. Thus, the Diocese has put up the following:

Funeral Gathering is at St. Patrick, Dola Hill Parish in Ndola restricted to a few selected parishioners and invited people. The Parish Executive of St. Patrick, Dola Hill Parish are tasked to regulate and limit the number of parishioners to be found at the parish premises for the funeral.

### 1. Thursday, 1st July, 2021

Mass at St. Patrick, Dola Parish - Ndola in memory of Fr. Israel Mwaba Maliseni

Time: 17:00hrs

Celebrant: Vicar Forane of Ndola (Rev. Fr. Francis Mukosa)

This is only for a limited number of people who will be accommodated in the Church according to the full sitting capacity of 1-metre apart to maintain the social distance.

#### 2. Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2021

Vigil Mass at Francisdale Parish, Ndola (Without the body of Fr. Mwaba)

Time: 17:00hrs

Celebrant: Director - Pastoral Programmes (Rev. Fr. Matthew Mumba)

Kindly note that this is restricted to the family members and a few invited people. Dola Hill Parish combined Choir to lead at Mass.

#### 3. Saturday, 3rd July, 2021 (Burial Day)

Requiem Mass

Venue: Fatima Secondary School Chapel, Francisdale Ndola

Time: 10:00hrs

Celebrant: Vicar General of the Diocese (Very Rev. Fr. Christopher Chowa)

Kindly note that this is restricted to the family members and a few invited people.

Sts. Michael & Noah, Chamboli Parish combined Choir to lead at Mass.

NB: The Bishop has directed that instead of all the faithful gathering at Francisdale, All parishes of the Diocese celebrate a Mass in their respective Parishes in honour of Fr. Israel Mwaba Maliseni.

No Body viewing will be done.

Eternal Rest Grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace! AMEN

Announcement from the Office of the Director of Pastoral Programmes