



KENYA CHRISTIAN PROFESSIONALS FORUM



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# Who We Are

**K** Kenya Christian Professionals Forum (KCPF) brings together Christian Professionals from various denominations sharing common values on Life, Family, Religion, Value-Based Education & Governance. We provide technical support in influencing the development of a legal and social environment that is supportive of biblical values in society through research, advocacy, mentorship and witnessing. Our key partners are the Kenya Conference of Catholic Bishops (KCCB), National Council of Churches of Kenya (NCCK) and the Evangelical Alliance of Kenya (EAK).

## Core Values

- These are our foundations that shape organizational culture and guide daily behaviour of members and employees.
- Accountability: being responsible and transparent in our actions, conduct and management of our resources.
- Professionalism: adherence to standards, conduct, methods, levels of excellence and competence that is expected of a professional.
- Courage: being bold, steadfast, firm and consistent about our Christian faith and doctrinal basis and standing for what is right.
- Integrity: commitment to virtuous, moral, ethical and biblical principles for the good of all. It includes having honesty, truthfulness, consistency and moral character both in private and public life.
- Stewardship: prudent management of people, resources, finances, talents and skills.

## OUR VISION

An impactful community advancing biblical values in the society.

## OUR MISSION

To be witnesses contending for biblical values through advocacy, research, networking and mentorship.

## Our Priorities

- Strategic Pillar I: Preserving and Protecting Life
- Strategic Pillar II: Promoting and Protecting the Family
- Strategic Pillar III: Promoting Value Based Education
- Strategic Pillar IV: Defending and Promoting Religious Freedom.
- Strategic Pillar V: Promoting Good Governance, Leadership and Integrity



# AUGUST HIGHLIGHTS

# LIFE COMMITTEE

The Life Committee in partnership with Pro-life Kariobangi and other Pro-life organization under Linda Uhai Consortium had an eventful August in line with the KCPF Version 2.0 of the 2023/27 Strategic Plan.

## 1.Missionary Youth Movement [MYM] Week

This is a program for teens [13-17 Years Olds] that happened from 19th to 23rd August 2024 as follows:



(In picture; World Youth Alliance trainers - Members of KCPF Linda Uhai Consortium)



( In picture; Teens in the training in Kariobangi)

The sessions were impactful, and the teens were challenged to make the right decisions about their sexual health and emotional wellbeing. This will enable them to become good role models to their peers at home, in school and the society at large .They are looking forward for sessions in future.

DAY	FACILITATOR	TOPIC	Attendance
DAY 1: Mon 19th August	The Arch Diocese of Nairobi Youth Office	Decision Making	56
DAY 2: Tue 20th August	Pearls & Treasures	Sexuality & Abortion	85
DAY 3 : Wed 21st August	Human Life International	Mental Health & Emotional Intelligence	65
DAY 4 : Thur 22nd August	World Youth Alliance	Human Dignity	63
DAY 5 : Frid 23rd August	World Youth Alliance	Human Dignity	71

# LIFE COMMITTEE

## 2. Community Health Promoters Seminar

The seminar took place on 29th August 2024 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church Kariobangi. A total of 76 CHPs attended the seminar (72 females and 4 males) out of which 66 were from Kariobangi ward while 10 were from Korogocho. The facilitators challenged the CHPs to put into practice their Christian faith in their service to humanity.



*(Community Health Promoters in the training in Kariobangi)*

**The facilitators who were present handled the following topics:**

Facilitator	Topics/activity
Patricia, Cynthia and the team World Youth Alliance	Fertility Education and Medical Management [FEMM]
Dr. Gideon Mutua Christian Obstetricians & Gynecologists of Kenya	Levels of patient care, Basic Screening, Linkages, Referrals, and Christian approach to family planning, contraceptives and abortion matters.
Ann and Georgina Prolife Kariobangi	A brief of Pro-life Kariobangi and vote of thanks



*(World Youth Alliance team and Dr. Gideon Mutua*

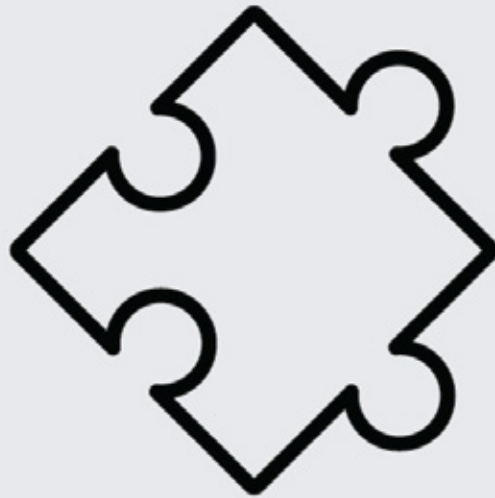


*( From left to right; Steve Aomo - KCPF Secretariat, Georgina Pro-life Kariobangi, Dr Gideo Mutua -Christian Obstetricians & Gynecologists of Kenya, and Ann pro-life -Kariobangi , all members of KCPF linda uhai consortium)*

## LIFE COMMITTEE



# KCPF MEMBERSHIP PLUGIN



## WOULD YOU LIKE TO PLUG?

1. **Mentors:** Several schools (primary and secondary) under Kariobangi Parish are open for mentorship. More mentors are needed to effectively walk with primary and high schoolers.
2. **Counselors:** There are Teen Mums who need counselling services to help them get back to normal life.
3. **Financial Support:** To be able to do more seminars and trainings, your financial support for this particular project will go a long way.

# GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE KATIBA DAY.



The 2024 Katiba Day came at the height of conversations around the state of the Nation, with issues such as the Gen Z movement revolution, Leadership and Integrity, human rights revolving around police brutality orchestrated during the nationwide demonstrations, the question of sovereignty of the people, etc. The Katiba Day seminar was to be an avenue to assess the state of constitutional implementation, particularly chapter 6, based on the aspirations of Kenyans for a government based on the essential values of human rights, equality, freedom, democracy, social justice and the rule of law as enshrined in the preamble of the Constitution.

KCPF partnered with various organizations to commemorate the 14th anniversary of the promulgation of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010. These organizations included:

- 1.Law Society of Kenya
- 2.Transparency International Kenya
- 3.Catholic Justice and Peace Department
- 4.Institute of Certified Secretaries
- 5.Institute of Certified Professional Accountants
- 6.Hope Media
- 7.FOCUS Kenya



# KATIBA DAY 2024 SEMINAR



*( In picture ; Faith Odhiambo, President of the Law Society of Kenya)*

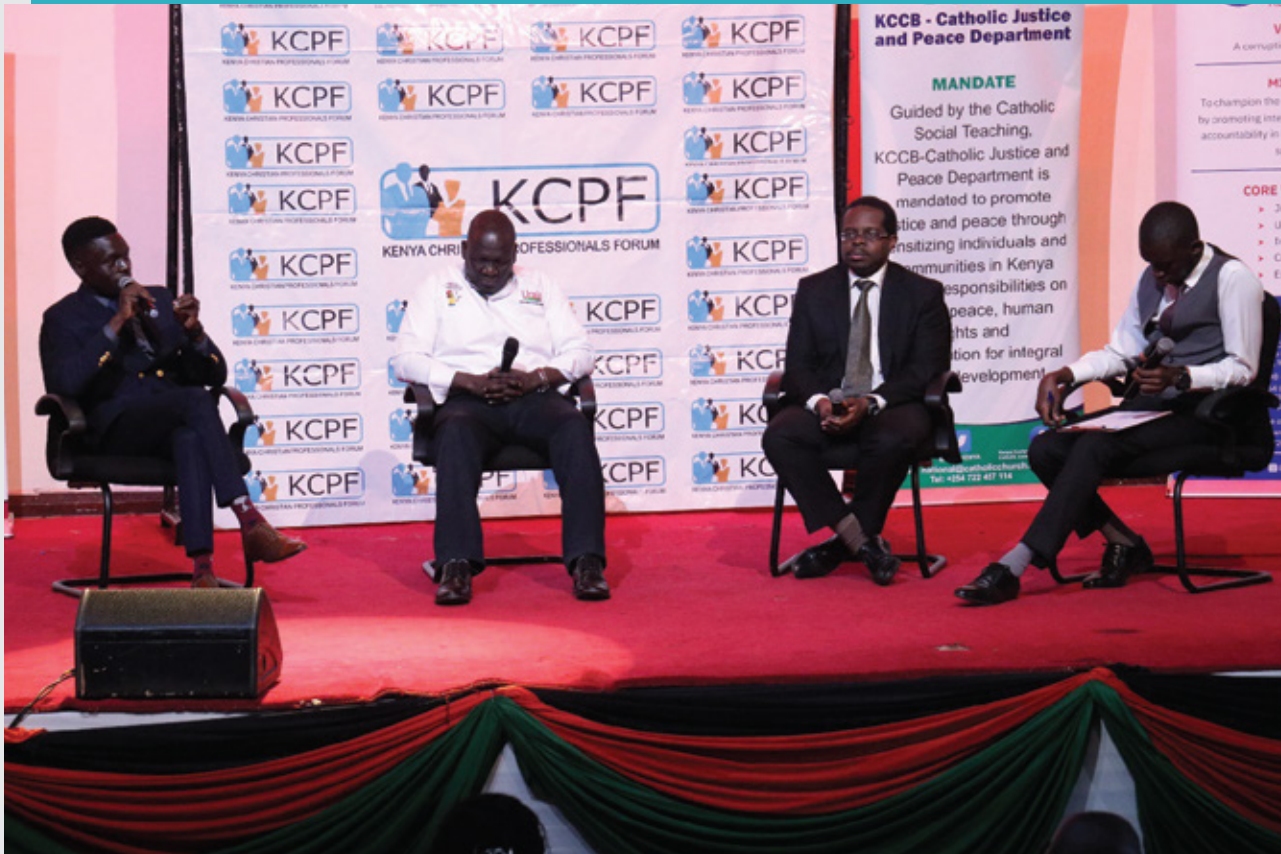
This was held on 27th August 2024 at Ufungamano House. The theme of the event was “Leadership and Integrity: The Promise of the Kenya We Want.”

The Chief Guest was the LSK President, Madam Faith Odhiambo. She gave a keynote speech on the theme, noting that the citizens have a very critical role in the push for constitutional implementation as leadership has been the greatest Achilles heel in the implementation of the Constitution.

We also had two panel discussions to shed light on governance issues. The first panel discussion was on the topic “State of the Nation: Reengaging the Bill of Rights and the Rule of Law.” The panelists were SC Charles Kanjama, Dr. Oliver Muindi (CEO Uraia Trust) and Joshua Okayo (KSL President). They discussed the state of Kenya’s constitutional implementation based on the aspirations of Kenyans in the preamble when they passed the Constitution in 2010.

It was noted that much is yet to be done with the political class showing no fidelity to the rule of law. Issues like freedom from torture, freedom of the media, right to assembly and to hold peaceful demonstrations, implementation of the two thirds gender rule, etc. are still to be fully realized. Ultimately, we need a united citizenry to push for adherence to the rule of law and full implementation of the Constitution

# KATIBA DAY 2024 SEMINAR



( From left to right panelists; Joshua Okayo (KSL President), Dr Oliver Muindi (CEO Uraia Trust), Charles Kanjama, SC Kingsley Oluoko ( Pearl Radio and Panel Moderator)

The second panel discussion was on the topic “Leadership and Integrity: Way forward towards full implementation of Chapter 6 of the Constitution.” The Panelists were FCS Jeremiah Karanja (CEO ICS), Hon. Okiya Omtatah (Senator Busia) and Sheila Masinde (CEO TI Kenya). They noted that a foundational mistake had been made in 2013 when Uhuru Kenyatta and William Ruto were allowed to vie for presidency despite facing criminal charges at the ICC. They also interrogated the role of EACC, IEBC, ODP and the church in promoting chapter 6 of the Constitution. They suggested tougher measures to be taken in punishing those found guilty as well as a moral reset for the Citizens so as to promote a culture of integrity in Kenya.



( IN PICTURE from left to right; Hon.Okiya Omtatah (Senator Busia), Edna Samba(co-convenor KCPF governance committee and panel moderator), Sheila Masinde (CEO TI Kenya) and FCS Jeremiah Karanja (CEO ICS)

The targeted attendance was **300** people but **288** people attended physically, a rise from the **76** that attended in 2023. Additionally, **620** people watched the Katiba Day conference on YouTube.

**Incase you missed the event, you can watch the whole event on youtube**  
**<https://www.youtube.com/live/-B5sDoCA10Y?si=XOjIXtyZGX80XIU8>**

# UTUMISHI BORA AWARDS 2024



## Know Your Mtumishi Bora? **GEORGE KAGORU** *Media Champion*

George Kagoru, a seasoned media professional, stands as a nominee for the prestigious Media Category Awards. With a comprehensive background spanning over a decade in the industry, George has excelled in various roles, showcasing his versatility and adaptability. Holding a Bachelor's degree in Entrepreneurship and a Master's in Strategic Management, he has seamlessly blended theoretical knowledge with practical expertise, making him a respected figure in the field. George's career trajectory reflects his commitment to pushing the boundaries of media. From his early days to his current position, he has demonstrated an unwavering dedication to journalistic integrity and excellence. His innovative techniques, adept use of emerging technologies, and a keen understanding of media trends have not only garnered professional acclaim but have also contributed to shaping the narrative in contemporary media landscapes. George is a visionary leader and has managed to start and lead broadcast systems integration organization, tower rental and two FM radio station in Nairobi and Coastal region. He is also the director of Broadcast Solutions International Ltd. He loves creating opportunities for others to grow in order to realize their potential and has done it successfully over the years through the Dream of a Child International where he serves as the board chairman. George's nomination in the Media Category underscores his significant impact on the industry, highlighting his role as a thought leader and influencer in the ever-evolving world of media.

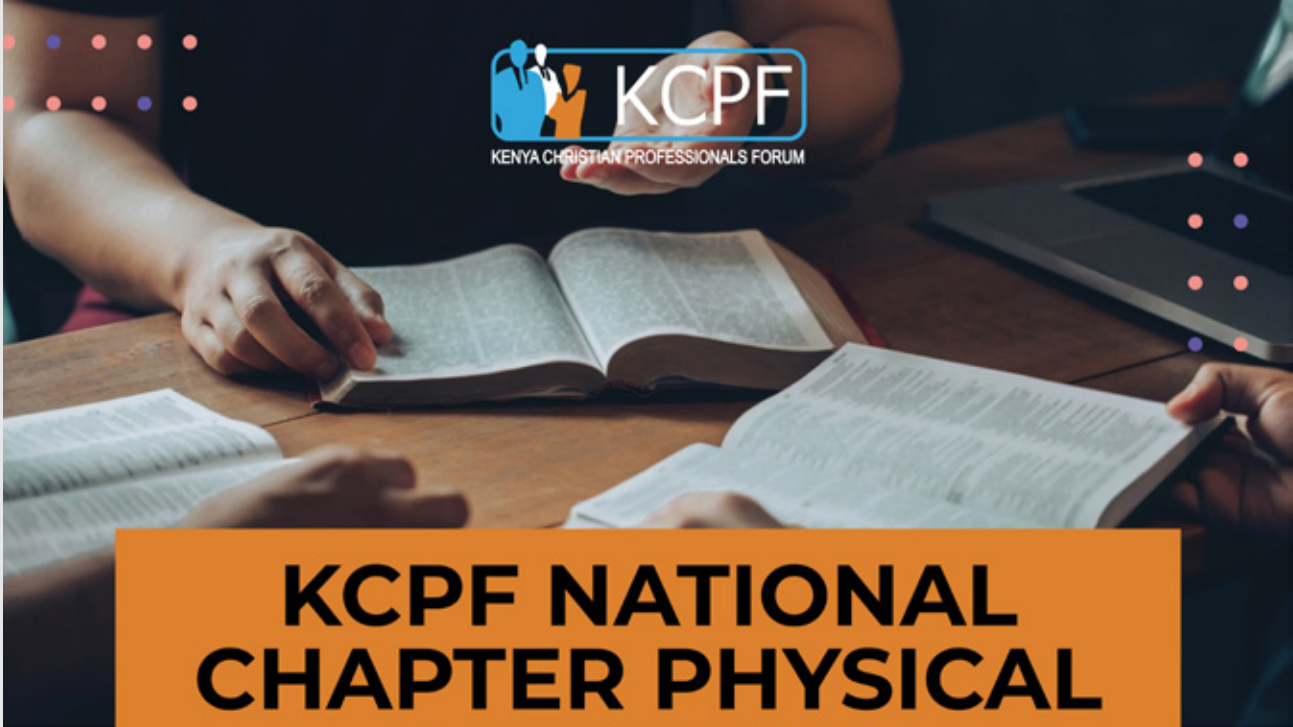
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**U**ba 2024 preparation is going on and the event will happen on 30th November 2024. The nominees have submitted their self-evaluation documents and awaiting jury decision on the shortlisted nominees in due course.





# KCPF NATIONAL CHAPTER PHYSICAL MEETINGS

Thursday  
19th

5:30 - 7:30  
PM

Muma and Kanjama  
Advocates Boardroom



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**KCPF National chapter invites all members, every Thursday of the month for a time of fellowship and networking.**

# KCPF MEMBERSHIP

To join KCPF, you are expected to select at least one area of interest where you can serve also you'll be required to fill the Membership form.

## Why join KCPF?

- **Opportunity to influence the implementation of the Constitution, National Values and policies (Article 10)** revolving around Life (Article 26), Family (Article 45), Religion (Article 32), Good Governance (Article 6) and Social Justice. Advocacy is most successful in the context of coalition building and collective voice. The Forum creates such a platform for collective, consistent and constructive advocacy engagement to influence laws, policies, bills, court cases and lobbying for moral values in all spheres of the society.
- **Equipping:** KCPF is engaged in Action Research to facilitate effective responses to contemporary issues so that church leaders and Christians speak from a point of understanding and with authority.
- **Networking:** The Forum is an excellent space to meet with other professionals across many divides: professional, denominational, generational, ethnic, political affiliations, etc. and freely share challenges, experiences, encouragement and connect as Christians in the market place.
- **From Impotence to godly Influence:** Sometimes as a Christian, you may feel impotent to stem the flood of obscene content on mass and social media and this can be frustrating. At KCPF you meet with other Christians who share your values, concerns and frustrations, and best of all, you have the opportunity to join hands and promote and protect godly values in the legal-social framework.
- **From Apathy to Movement:** Your Church or institution, or even yourself as an individual, can join a caucus and become part of the Movement to stand up and be counted for speaking out against moral corruption of our society
- **Whistle Blowing:** KCPF is a Watch Tower and considers whistleblowing quite in order. If as a Christian you need to raise the alert on something being planned or done against public interest, you have an empathetic audience to guide, help and support you get the attention of the relevant authorities.
- **Giving Back to God and Society:** As Christians, we are called to live not unto ourselves but to put others' interests, and especially the vulnerable first and in so doing, model Jesus' life and glorify God.



## THERE ARE FOUR KCPF MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES;

Membership	Registration	Annual Subscription
Individual	1500	2500
Students	NIL	NIL
Associates	NIL	NIL
Corporates	10,000	10,000

*\*Associates shall not pay any registration or annual subscription fees. Their signing up is a test of commitment to KCPF values. They are not entitled to attend or vote at the A or be appointed to the Board or to a Board Committees but may enjoy other benefits the organisation.*

## MEMBERSHIP PAYMENT DETAILS:

Paybill No: 750407  
Acc Name: 1. Your Name  
2. Membership  
No for renewal  
of membership

## TO GIVE/ SUPPORT:

Paybill No: 750407  
Acc Name: SUPPORT

# Process of becoming a Member

**Fill Membership Form**



**Sign Statement of Faith**



**Pay Membership Subscription Registration Fee**



**Attend Membership Induction**



**Integration into Committees/ Chapters**



**Update their profiles on the Members' Portal and interact with profiles of other members.**



## KCPF MEMBERSHIP

# Thank You

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