From the Editor

A community at a crossroads

For more than 50 years, families have called Nsambya Estates home. They have raised children and built communities in the shadow of the Catholic Church, an institution whose teachings emphasize compassion, shelter, and human dignity.

Now, those families face eviction as Kampala Archdiocese, the land owner, pursues plans for redevelopment.

Yet even in this moment of uncertainty, there is an opportunity for dialogue, for partnership, and for a future that honours both the legacy of those who have lived here and the Church's stated mission. The residents have deep roots in this land and in the parish community. Their presence has been a part of the Church's own story.

Across the country, there are examples of religious institutions working alongside long-standing communities to create solutions that serve both the need for renewal and the value of stability.

Redevelopment does not have to mean displacement. Progress can be pursued without severing the bonds of community.

The archdiocese has an opportunity to lead with the values it has long preached; to listen, to protect the vulnerable, and to build not just structures, but a future that includes the faithful who have sustained this place for generations.

In choosing to work together, the Church can show that sanctuary is not a relic of the past, but a promise kept.



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