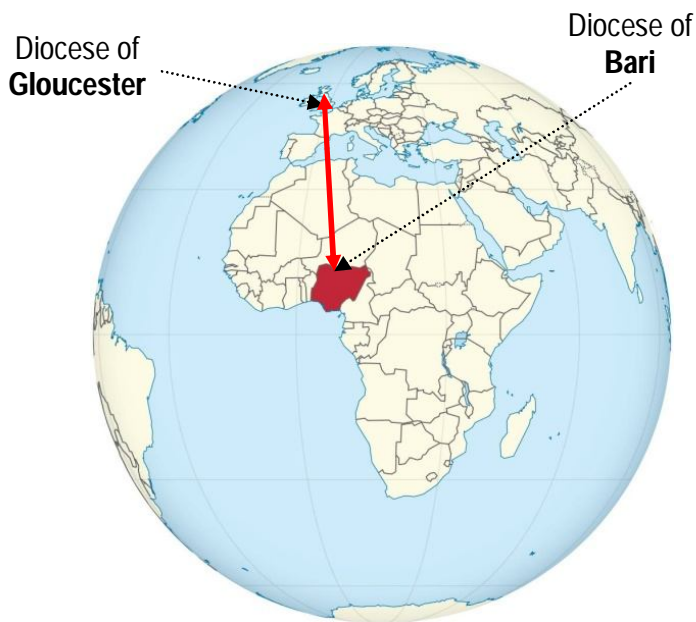


We give thanks to God for being united in prayer with the

Diocese of Bari in the Province of Nigeria

Bishop of Bari: the **Rt Revd Idris Zubairu**

Diocesan Mothers' Union President: Mrs **Saratu Zubairu** [who is the Bishop's wife]



**Bishop Idris Zubairu by brick-making equipment
at school in Bari, Kano State**



**Mothers' Union members
attending Second Session
of the
19th Synod on 20 May 2013**



Information below received from the Mary Sumner House on 13 August 2015:

The Diocese of Bari is located in northern Nigeria. It was officially inaugurated in May 2008 as a missionary diocese within the Church of Nigeria. The Anglican Cathedral Church of St Paul is in Gidan Mato, Bari.

Mothers' Union members in Nigeria support families in a variety of different ways including vocational training, marriage counselling and parenting skills support.

Activities in Niger West include Bible study, prayer and fellowship meetings, evangelism, income generating activities, skills development and outreach to the vulnerable and needy.

Mothers' Union in Bari also work very closely with the Women's Guild and Girls' Guild.

The Bible verses selected by Mary Sumner House for this diocese:

³⁰***I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by our Lord Jesus Christ and by the love of the Spirit,
to join me in earnest prayer to God on my behalf,***

³¹***that I may be rescued from the unbelievers in Judea,***

and that my ministry to Jerusalem may be acceptable to the saints,

³²***so that by God's will I may come to you with joy and be refreshed in your company.***

³³***The God of peace be with all of you. Amen.***

Romans 15: 30–33

A prayer for the diocese of Bari:

Father in heaven, we express our gratitude and praise

that Mothers' Union members in the Diocese of Bari can declare like the Psalmist:

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? [Psalm 27: 1] Amen.