

STAPLEFORD - NACHINGWEA LINK NEWS

May 2025

An exciting visit coming soon!

THE Link committee is delighted to share with our readers some exciting news about an upcoming visit to Nachingwea. A year or so ago the Link committee was contacted by Robert and Liz Claiborne-Dixon, who Googled 'St Andrew's, Nachingwea' and were intrigued to discover that Stapleford



Keith and Joselyn on their wedding day, 24 October 1952, outside St Andrew's Church with the Rev Ronald Cox

was linked to Nachingwea.

Robert and Liz wish to visit Tanzania as Liz's parents were married in St Andrew's Church Nachingwea in 1952 by the Reverend Cox who instigated our Link. Liz's parents worked in various places in Southern Tanzania and Liz and Robert thought they would like to visit the locations in the area where they worked.

Having made contact with the Stapleford Link committee they have now very kindly offered to stay several days in Nachingwea on our behalf, hosted by Kevin and the Link Committee, to visit the Church, meet the new Priest, Rev Phares Lihewe and to see for themselves some of the projects that we have sponsored.

You are most welcome to come to St Andrew's on Sunday 4 May when Robert and Liz will introduce themselves to the congregation at the 10.30am Service and talk about their plans for their visit in September. **St Andrew's Stapleford Link Committee**



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Forthcoming events

We do hope you will be able to come to these two events in May and we look forward to welcoming you.

Nachingwea





Join friends and neighbours for the May Lunch and Jazz Concert on Monday 5th and Friday 9th May, to support education and health projects in the village of Nachingwea, Tanzania.

No booking necessary. Both events free to attend but your donations welcomed!

For more information please email: nachingwealink@ standrewstapleford.org



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Bank Holiday Monday May 5th 12-2pm Jubilee Pavilion, Stapleford Rec

> Get together with friends, family and neighbours and enjoy a fabulous homemade lunch in the Jubilee Pavilion

Friday May 9th 7.30pm St Andrew's Church, Stapleford

A varied programme of light music from the Duxford Workshop Jazz Band and 440 Jazz, followed by refreshments









