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Father Micheal Lapsley, SSM,
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P.O. Box St 156,
SOUTHERMON,
Harare, Zimbabwe.

Dear Father Lapsley,

I hereby gratefully acknowledge your letter of 17th April
inviting me to attend your Ecumenical Liturgy on May 25th,
Africa Day.

Owing to previous, unbreakable commitments, I shall,
regretfully be unable to attend. Your letter has therefore
been placed before the Secretariat of the National Executive
Committee who are charged with the responsibility of
finding a suitable substitute from among the leadership.

Again my sincere regret, that I shall not be able to share
this occasion with you.

With best wishes for your continued good health.

Yours sincerely,

O.R. TAMBO
President