



50-DAY PRAYER AND FASTING SEASON: 19th August – 8th October 2025

FOCUS ON THE GOVERNANCE SPHERE

2026 NATIONAL ELECTIONS AND THE FUTURE OF LEADERSHIP IN UGANDA

PRAYER GUIDE FOR WEEK EIGHT: 6th October 2025 – 9th October 2025

Day	Day of the Week	Date	Area of Focus
49	Monday	6 th October 2025	The 2026 Elections
50	Tuesday	7 th October 2025	The Next Administration 2026 - 2031
	Wednesday	8 th October 2025	Dedicating the Septenary Season (2025 -2035)
	Thursday	9 th October 2025	Celebration Sphere

DAY 49: 6th OCTOBER 2025

THE 2026 ELECTIONS

DEUTERONOMY 1:13-15

Choose for your tribes wise, understanding, and experienced men, and I will appoint them as your heads. And you answered me, *'The thing that you have spoken is good for us to do.'* So I took the heads of your tribes, wise and experienced men, and set them as heads over you, commanders of thousands, commanders of hundreds, commanders of fifties, commanders of tens, and officers, throughout your tribes.

PROVERBS 18:18 (NLT)

Casting lots can end arguments; it settles disputes between powerful opponents.

PROVERBS 16:33 (MSG)

Make your motions and cast your votes, but GOD has the final say.

PROVERBS 11:1 (CEV)

The LORD hates anyone who cheats, but he likes everyone who is honest.

PROVERBS 29:2

When the righteous are [increased] in authority, the people rejoice; but when the wicked rule, the people mourn.

In early 2026, Ugandans will participate in general elections to choose leaders at presidential, parliamentary, and local government levels. This moment will test Uganda's democratic institutions, strengthen or weaken governance depending on credibility, and shape the country's future.

For elections to be legitimate, both voters and candidates must meet clearly defined eligibility and nomination requirements, overseen by the Electoral Commission (EC).

Eligibility to Vote in Uganda

To participate as a voter:

1. **Citizenship** – Must be a Ugandan citizen.
2. **Age Requirement** – At least 18 years old by polling day.
3. **Voter Registration** – Must be on the National Voters' Register, maintained by the EC.
4. **National Identification** – A National ID (with NIN) or Voter Location Slip (VLS) is required for identification.
5. **Polling Station Assignment** – Vote at the station where one is registered.
6. **Compliance with Law** – Persons of unsound mind (declared by court) or disenfranchised due to convictions are not eligible.

On polling day, voters are verified using the Biometric Voter Verification Kit (BVVK), issued ballot papers, and vote in secrecy before being marked with indelible ink.

Nomination Requirements for Candidates

1. Presidential Candidates

- Must be a citizen of Uganda by birth.
- Must be at least 35 years old and not older than 75 years.
- Must be a registered voter.
- Must possess formal education of Advanced Level (A' Level) or its equivalent.
- Must gather signatures of at least 100 registered voters from two-thirds of Uganda's districts (geographical spread requirement).
- Must pay the prescribed nomination fee (UGX 20 million).
- Must comply with the Presidential Elections Act and the Constitution of Uganda.

2. Parliamentary Candidates

- Must be a citizen of Uganda.
- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Must be a registered voter.
- Must have completed Advanced Level education (A' Level) or its equivalent (unless exempted as per law, e.g., through mature entry qualifications).
- Must pay the prescribed nomination fee (UGX 3 million).
- Independent candidates must present signatures of a required number of registered voters from their constituency.

3. Local Government Candidates (LC Chairpersons, Councillors, etc.)

- Must be a citizen of Uganda.
- Must be a registered voter in the area of contest.
- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Education requirements vary by office:
 - LC III and higher usually require at least O' Level education.
 - LC I & II have no formal education requirement.
- Must pay the relevant nomination fee (amount depends on office).
- Must be nominated by at least two registered voters from the area of contest.

Governance and the Elections



Elections are governance in practice. They test whether institutions - Electoral Commission, Judiciary, Police, Media - can uphold fairness, impartiality, and the rule of law. Where these fail, mistrust grows; where they succeed, governance and stability are strengthened.

The 2026 elections are significant not only because they determine leadership but also because they will reflect Uganda's ability to uphold national values, electoral integrity, and peace in one of Africa's most youthful nations.

Election Day and Results

Election Day is the climax of Uganda's democratic process - a day when citizens exercise their right and responsibility to shape the nation's future through the ballot. It is not only a political event but also a test of national discipline, peace, and unity. The secrecy of the ballot, the fairness of the process, and the transparency of counting votes are the foundation of trust in governance.

The announcement of results is equally critical. It is a moment that can either affirm national unity or inflame division, depending on how it is managed by leaders, institutions, and citizens. When handled with integrity and peace, it strengthens democracy. When tainted by violence, intimidation, or dishonesty, it undermines the very foundation of governance.

PRAYER GUIDE: UGANDA'S 2026 NATIONAL ELECTIONS

1. Thanksgiving

- Thank God for the structures of democracy in Uganda: elections, institutions, and civic freedoms.
- Thank Him for Ugandans who are preparing responsibly to vote and lead.
- The enthusiastic way that Ugandans have generally awoken to participating in elections.
- The answers to prayer over the decades that have resulted in civil peace across the nation to the extent that Uganda now is a place of refuge for people from several troubled African nations.

2. Repentance

- Repent for corruption, violence, and manipulation that have marred past elections.
- Repent for selfish ambition, tribalism, and dishonesty in politics.

3. Intercession for Candidates

- Pray that those seeking office will be motivated by service, not greed.
- Pray that candidates will follow lawful nomination procedures and campaign with integrity.
- Pray against the rise of unqualified or corrupt leaders.

4. Intercession for the Electoral Commission & Institutions

- Pray for impartiality and professionalism in the EC.
- Pray that the Judiciary will resolve disputes fairly.
- Pray for security agencies to ensure peace without intimidation.

5. Intercession for Citizens and Voters

- Pray that Ugandans will vote wisely, peacefully, and responsibly.
- Pray for young first-time voters to embrace civic duty with seriousness.

- Pray against apathy, bribery, and violence at polling stations.

Proverbs 16:33 - “The lot is cast into the lap, but its every decision is from the Lord.”

6. Prayer for Peace and Unity

- Pray for peaceful campaigns, voting, and declaration of results.
- Ask God to heal tribal, regional, and political divisions through the election.

John 17:21 - “...that all of them may be one, Father...”

7. Blessing Uganda’s Future

- Declare that the 2026 elections will usher in a new season of justice, accountability, and unity.
- Pray that Uganda will rise as a nation of integrity and a model of democratic governance in Africa.

Isaiah 32:17 - “The fruit of righteousness will be peace; its effect will be quietness and confidence forever.”

Closing Prayer

Lord, we commit Uganda’s 2026 elections into Your sovereign hands. Guide the candidates, the preparation of voters, and the conduct of institutions. Protect the process from corruption, intimidation, and violence. Raise leaders after Your heart who will serve with humility, justice, and wisdom. May this election strengthen Uganda’s governance and unity for generations to come.

We commit Uganda’s election day, into Your hands. Grant peace across the nation, safety at every polling station, and order in the entire process. May the Biometric systems, polling officials, and all procedures work smoothly without manipulation. Protect voters, especially first-time youth voters, from fear, intimidation, or bribery. Let every ballot cast be a true voice of the people, and let Uganda shine as a nation of peace on this day.

Father, we pray for the delicate moment of results announcement. We ask for calm in every community and city. May leaders, whether victorious or not, act with humility, restraint, and respect for Uganda’s unity. Guard the Electoral Commission with integrity, so that truth is proclaimed without bias or corruption. Silence voices of violence and confusion, and let citizens accept outcomes with maturity, pursuing peace and justice above all. Amen.

A PROPHETIC DECLARATION OVER UGANDA’S ELECTIONS AND LEADERSHIP

THE RISE OF RIGHTEOUS LEADERSHIP

*As Ezekiel spoke to the valley of dry bones, so we speak to the electorate of Uganda: Out of you, God is raising righteous and just leadership for this nation. As the Lord visits Uganda in a profound way in the coming years, **righteousness, justice, mercy, and truth** shall be established as pillars among you, the citizens, and will become the true measure of leadership - just as they are foundations of God’s throne.*



From among you will arise servant leaders, men and women who govern not as masters but as servants of the people. Like Jesus Christ, the Servant-Leader par excellence, they will lay down their lives for the good of those they lead.

Leaders of Vision and Integrity

At all levels of society, Uganda will see the emergence of qualified, visionary, and foresighted leaders like Joseph in Egypt. Joseph received from God a 14-year national plan, interpreted it correctly, and implemented it with wisdom. Likewise, leaders in Uganda will receive divine foresight, crafting plans that secure the nation's future.

Like Joseph, they will be a hiding place from the wind and a covering from the storm. They will transform barren wildernesses and desolate institutions into fruitful fields. They will shelter Uganda from political, economic, social, and international storms, protecting her people, resources, and institutions.

These leaders will refresh the nation like water to a desert traveler. They will open the eyes of citizens to truth, cultivate honesty, and inspire new horizons of possibility. Foolishness and wickedness will be despised and overthrown.

They will also be like the sons of Issachar, discerning the times and guiding Uganda to align itself with God's purposes in a globalized world. Leadership with no vision, that serves only selfish interests, will be swept away.

Transformational leaders of the caliber of David will emerge - leaders after God's heart, who shepherd with integrity and skill. They will steward Uganda as God's inheritance, not as an opportunity for self-enrichment. Like David who empowered the distressed and indebted into mighty men, these leaders will leave their communities and institutions better than they found them.

Others will arise like Daniel - incorruptible, wise, and faultless. Like Esther - courageous in confronting evil for the sake of the nation. Like Nehemiah - selfless, sacrificial, and committed to rebuilding the land without burdening the people. They will unite Uganda, heal wounds, and lead with dignity, vision, and sacrifice.

Judgment on Wicked Leadership

The corridors of leadership will no longer belong to those who exploit, oppress, or manipulate. The schemes of the crafty will be exposed; the devices of the wicked will be frustrated. Bribery and deception will be despised by the electorate.

God will close the doors of power to those who operate under wicked spiritual altars - witchcraft, idolatry, corruption, immorality, injustice, and oppression. Wicked scepters of leadership will be broken over Uganda.

Specific patterns of corrupt leadership will fall:

- *The **Jezebel company** (those who manipulate and usurp power).*
- *The **Shephatiah company** (abusers of power who persecute the righteous).*
- *The **Johanan company** (rebels against God-ordained authority).*
- *The **Ahithophel company** (advisors giving wicked counsel, even religious leaders).*
- *The **Absalom and Adonijah companies** (those scheming to seize power through manipulation and alliances).*

But the righteous will flourish, and Uganda will rejoice instead of groaning under oppression.

The Transformation of the Electorate

The Spirit of God will awaken the electorate to value uprightness and despise wrongdoing. Citizens will:

- *Shun bribery and falsehood.*

- *Resist deception by crafty politicians with empty promises.*
- *Reject sectarianism, tribalism, and petty material gain.*
- *Vote based on principles, not partisanship.*
- *Value integrity, competence, and God-fearing character in leadership.*

Ugandans will demand transparency, equal access to campaign information, and accountability.

The righteous will be emboldened to step forward into leadership.

The Integrity of Elections

Uganda's elections will align with Heaven's calendar. The processes of nomination, campaigning, voting, and results announcement will be marked by peace, transparency, and justice. Candidates will be protected, and the nation shielded from violence, terrorism, and foreign or internal interference.

The Electoral Commission will fulfill its mission with professionalism, impartiality, and fear of God. The voters' register will be clean, ballot papers will be printed and distributed with excellence, and polling kits will be properly allocated. Elections will be free from miscoding, manipulation, and fraud.

The Commission will act as a fair umpire, and players in the political space will respect the rules.

Freedom of speech, assembly, association, and movement will be upheld. The results will be decisive, avoiding prolonged disputes. Winners and losers alike will show maturity, embracing grace in victory and humility in defeat.

The Promise for Uganda

Uganda will be delivered from leaders who pursue selfish ambition and raised into a new era of righteous governance. The chosen leaders for 2026 and beyond will govern with justice, mercy, and truth as their foundations. The nation will experience healing, unity, and renewal. Uganda will step into her prophetic destiny as a nation of peace, purpose, and prosperity, standing as a testimony to God's faithfulness on the continent of Africa.

AMEN