





CEO:Mission Newsletter

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# Mission Update

The work in Kenya has been called a Child Sponsorship program. And it is. However, we are coming to realize that what is needed is a Student Sponsorship program. This is the greatest path to success for the persons involved the CEO:Mission program.

This was an important revelation out of a lunch with Director Micheal Bushebi as we discussed kids in the program who are now 18 years old or older. We talked about the kids "aging out" and yet they are still sponsored. The obvious question is..."Why is that?"

For many of them, the last few years have been a struggle to stay in school. Covid created a delay but increasing school fees, struggling economy, and even other natural disasters like flooding, have made it difficult for kids to return or stay in school. However, if they are willing to complete their education, we want to continue to support them.

Thus it is necessary to begin a shift in our thinking. To help our kids survive, and especially thrive, we want to encourage and support them to stay in school.

Please continue to pray for the children of CEO:Mission, as these challenges make life especially difficult for the kids in the program.

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Making progress on the compound for the new orphan site

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Thank you to all our sponsors. Look for a special thank you to a longtime partner.

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### Building Takes Shape

Work continues as we now have a structure that can be occupied soon.

The building pictured below show the progress on the newly constructed housing facilities for the CEO: Mission kids. It now has a roof as well (not pictured below.) We are celebrating this tremendous victory and progress in journey.



Notice the exceptional building materials using stone and bricks for a building that will endure through the ages. As the work continues, the next phase will be to install doors, windows, and a smooth plaster for the interior walls.

We are so grateful to sponsors who have heard about the new facility being built and want to help. We still have a lot to do but we are Praising God for the good progress so far.

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### Sponsor Spotlight

We are grateful for every sponsor that helps the CEO:Mission. We could not do it without you. This month's Sponsor Spotlight goes out to John & Pam O. for long time support and helping to spread the word about the Mission. You are amazing!!

(...Building Takes Shape)

We could not do this without the generous support of our sponsors.



Your donations help many children like the girls pictured above who recently received supplies like bedding, backpacks for school, and the bucket to help haul water to their home. These gifts came from Child Empowerment Organization but are made possible because of your generous support.

CEO:Mission is able to provide schooling, home supplies, medical support and so much more.

With your vital help, we will continue to provide these students life giving support and opportunies. Please continue to support this vital work. To find out more or donate you can visit...

www.spokanefellowship.com/kenya

Updates will be continually available at the website along with information about how you can get involved. Thank you for all your love and care for the kids of CEO:Mission.

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