

GLOBAL DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES & HANDS OF LOVE FOUNDATION, INC

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KAMPALA – UGANDA, EAST AFRICA.

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(PASTOR ELIJAH SEBUCHU & EMANUEL MUKISA)

Please most welcome to sponsor at least one Child. ONE CHILD

1. SPECIAL THANKS.

Special thanks to God and all of you our faithful partners for your support and prayers throughout 2011. We look forward to serving God with you in 2012 and beyond.

Please know that certain things make our ministry /organization unique:

- ❖ We do everything for the Glory of God – we have God as our number one.
- ❖ Our excellent team has become bigger and we all look at ourselves as ministers of God- we sacrifice everything to serve God and His people.
- ❖ Every dollar invested in our ministry goes very far. Please visit us and see it by yourself.

2. SEBUCHU FAMILY.

- ❖ Ruth is doing well.
- ❖ Our boy Daniel was successfully operated on of Hernia on January 21st.
Special thanks to Ric & The Titans: You are Champions indeed!

3. KAMPALA INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN CENTRE (KICC)

- Please be reminded that Kampala International Christian centre (KICC) is the foundation and base for all our ministries in Uganda.
- The Lord is adding to our number, our Home cells are multiplying almost every month. Part of this growth is being attributed to our Powerful National Radio ministry and of

Course being the ministry that serves the “little one of these” makes a huge difference.

- In order to release Pastor Elijah to be more effective as the head of our ministry, we have restructured the leadership of our Church. Two Pastors have been acquired.
Pastor Bernard is to head the Children ministry and **Pastor Richard and Rose Kisakye** shall serve as the Resident / Believers care Pastor – Richard & Rose are going to be responsible for the day to day ministry and administration of the KICC affairs. We need your prayers and support for their compensation.



Pr. Richard & Rose Kisakye

4. HANDS OF LOVE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL KITEEZI - KAMPALA

- ❖ The General welfare of the children has so much improved. Special thanks to the sponsors, the onetime donors, our BOD in US, UK and Germany for your prayers & Support.
- ❖ **Health updates:** On the side of the healthy of the children, most of the children who were reported to be very sick have recovered. The hernia operation of Emmanuel Mukisa and Renitah Nakito on Jan 21st went very successful. Richard Kayinja still requires more examination for the doctors to determine the best way to help him. Updates will be given to you as we get to know the next stage.



(Sarah – The Principal with Emanuel and Renitah celebrating their healing from Hernia)

- ❖ Special thanks to Lisa Hankins for her quick response to the people. Special thanks also to the Pope family and all of you who responded with love & generosity. Thank you our dear friends for serving us even in this great time of need.
- ❖ **Academics:** The children academics is improving every month. Special thanks to the sponsors who are helping us to buy textbooks and other scholastic materials.
- ❖ The grade seven (7) candidates will sit for their 1st National exams (tests) during the 1st week of November 2012. Our sponsorship co-ordinators will send a special report of this in which she will explain the financial requirements involved.
- ❖ A new toilet building with 10 stanzas has been completed and is being used. Special thanks to our partners who gave in anonymous donations last year that have enabled us to put this important facility in place.
- ❖ **We have a huge need for space:** We have come up with a semi-permanent shelter to accommodate three (3) class rooms. Special thanks towho blessed us 1/5th of the required money for this important facility.
- ❖ **New staff** –we have recruited eight (8) new members of staff at Hands of Love Kiteezi - Kampala. The purpose for this is for us to be more effective in implementing our Vision of Educating &

Empowering National & International Christian Leaders that will cause transformation. Most welcome to sponsor **JUST ONE OF THESE WHO SERVE THE CHILDREN WITH THEIR ENTIRE ALL!**

5. THE MULTI- PURPOSE FIVE STOREY BUILDING.



This building is now at a stand still due to lack of money. We need your help. To complete the ground floor, we need an est of \$ 90,000.

- ❖ This is a very important building that is built to accommodate at least fifteen hundred (1500) children.
- ❖ This same facility is going to have seventeen (17) classrooms, laboratories and computer Labs, seven different offices and other usages.
- ❖ For all people who feel called to serve with us to make this dream a reality, please let us know. Our prayer is to have the ground floor completed. We are in a great need for more space for these precious children.
- ❖ **Electricity:** We would love to connect electricity at Hands of Love orphanage and international school Kiteezi –Kampala. With this electricity, the children & staff will be saved from the present total darkness.
- ❖ Electricity will enable them read their books at night, be able to use computer, staff members to charge their phones etc.
- ❖ With electricity, it will be easier for the staff to be more effective in their work of trying to look after these children.
- ❖ It will also help to preserve medicine for the children who frequently fall sick. We need your financial support to make this possible. **We are left with a balance of \$2000 to complete this project.**

6. HANDS OF LOVE ORPHANAGE AND SCHOOLS-NAMADHI.

- ❖ We have had wonderful academic performances for the grade seven (7) candidates for 2011.
- ❖ Out of the forty three (43) candidates, thirty nine (39) passed very well and they are eligible to join secondary school (junior high). So we have thirty nine (39) more teenagers joining Hands of Love community senior secondary school this year.
- ❖ A teacher's house where five (5) of them will be accommodated is under construction at Hands of Love – Namadhi.

7. THE NATIONAL RADIO MINISTRY

- ❖ This is our Mega-phone to the entire Nation through which we reach at least 30 million people.
- ❖ God has continued to bless this ministry up to this day with more people becoming Christians, more healings & transformation of lives.

- ❖ Special thanks to Greg & Carol Smith who have enabled us to pay for this airtime until June 30th, 2012. We are looking for a sponsor for the last part of 2012 at \$ 4500.
- ❖ This year, we are looking for an investor/donor to support us establish our own Radio Station at Kampala International Christian Centre (KICC). This will be a big platform to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout Uganda and also a big avenue to bring in an income to support the ministry.

8. HANDS OF LOVE HOSPITAL.

- ❖ As some of you may know, in Uganda we literally have hundreds of people who die because they have no access to any medical help.
- ❖ We hope it is important to have a good medical facility to enable us provide medical care to the thousands of home less orphans in Uganda and the adults who have no access to medical care.
- ❖ **Hands of Love clinic** – Our clinic is fully operating now with Sophie (The Nurse) and Stephen (The Nursing assistant) serving hundreds of children and adults every day from the orphanage and community.
Special thanks to the Latshaw family for facilitating Sophie to be able to serve.
- ❖ Special thanks also to the Hankins family for always providing us with some drugs. The need is still huge. We need more medical Partners.
- ❖ Our big Hospital is under construction. This hospital is going to be the medical answer to the over 36,000 people in our community who have no medical touch. We need your prayers & support.

9. SPONSORSHIP

- ❖ Obviously, the need for children has always increased as they grow. Our Ugandan team has therefore come up with the following plan:
 - (A) **Child sponsorship** : to be only for those children in Kinderten /Nursery (3- 5 year)
And also those from Grade 1-7 / Primary 1-7 (6-13 years).
 - (B) **Secondary students sponsorship**: For those from Senior 1-4 (Junior high)(14-17 years)
 - (C) **High school sponsorship**: For those in High school. (18- 19 years).

The purpose of this system is to be able to serve these Champions more effectively. This is especially because the bigger the children grow the bigger their needs.



Pastor Elijah Sebuchu, with some of the big boys i.e. Rogers, Emmanuel and Eric. These boys could do with at least \$40 a month when they were 10 years, but now they need at least \$ 100 to get their basic needs, good Secondary education, beddings and FOOD.



Hands of Love International School Choir, Kiteezi – We need your help to have them visit USA- October 2012.

- ❖ Our sponsorship co-ordinator will give more details on this.
- ❖ We also have **Staff sponsorship** and **Pastor’s sponsorship**. These are opportunities to serve those who serve.

10. PRAISE REPORT.

- ❖ We praise God for the successful mission visit for Jerry Slade and Bill Hickner from Dec 27th 2011 – 3rd Jan 2012.
- ❖ Glory be to God for the successful mission for Rev. Terry Nutter from 27th – 5th February
- ❖ We praise God for the two (2) motor bikes that have been purchased for two of our staff.
- ❖ We praise God for a very successful Christmas party in 2011 that we had at Hands of Love Orphanages & at Kampala International Christian Centre (KICC) .Special thanks to the dear friends who sponsored the feeding of the non-sponsored children in the month of December. Over 200 children received special gifts for Christmas. Special thanks to all sponsors from United States, United Kingdom, and German who bought special Christmas gifts for the children. Indeed you helped to convey the love of God to these children. Thank you so much.

11. UPCOMING EVENTS.

- ❖ Our 5th International Marriage convention 2012 (IMC2012) with Prof. Barrie& Eileen Jones from 15th March- April 5th is on, we are going to have a Big Marriage Convention at KICC from March 15th -18th, 2012.
- ❖ We shall have 3 different Time out for Pastor couples in a Kampala hotel, Mubende hotel and a Kayunga hotel. We need your prayers and support.
- ❖ The Servant leader’s training conference with Dr. Jim Ellison, May 17th – 11th 2012. 100 Pastors are going to be trained.
- ❖ The Women Empowerment Conference June 2012.
- ❖ The 11th Youth Ablaze International convention. August from 21st- 27th 2012. We need your prayers, guest speakers and financial support.

12. PRAYER REQUESTS.

Please pray:

- ❖ For the Construction of Kampala International Christian Centre (KICC) Church building.
- ❖ For provision to complete the Multi – purpose five (5) storey building at Hands of love International school- Kiteezi- Kampala
- ❖ For sponsors for secondary students, High school students, Pastors and more staffs.
- ❖ For the stability of the Christian Church in Uganda.
- ❖ For families in Uganda to overcome the culture of polygamy, poverty and HIV/AIDS.
- ❖ That child sacrifice will be completely eliminated from Uganda.
- ❖ For us for good health and security.

❖ For God's abundant provision and favor upon our entire ministry.

"Together we can make all the difference"

Your friend & His Servant,

Elijah Sebuchu.

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