

## Serving the Poor and Hungry as Famine continues...

Dear Nekesa (Harvesters),

Due to the locust plague that hit Kenya earlier this year and again resurged this summer, famine has plagued our people. This is causing a surge of homelessness. Many children are sent from their homes because families are unable to provide for their children. This has increased the number of street children that we are working diligently to reach with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

It is a harsh reality that famine sets into motion waves of inflationary problems. Due to this surge in prices on food many of the other local ministries who were also feeding the street kids have been unable to continue due to the lack of funds. It is the offer of these small meals that opens the door for the Gospel. We are experiencing this increase of demand as we are paying more for the food, but we will not stop



Street Kids

feeding the street kids food for their bodies **and** the food, the Manna, of the Word of our Lord Jesus Christ.

We have been so blessed to watch our older boys from the Children's Home. They have stepped up to help with cooking of the food and feeding the street kids. They are learning to be servants of all just as our Lord and savior Jesus Christ came to serve.

The boys in our Children's Home will be completing their school for this year with us at the Home. We are continuing to



Childern's Home Boys

pay for a tutor who works with the boys that are home from school. We simply should not not lose a year of their education. The government has said they will re-open school for us in January. In the meantime, we are doing our best to discover activities that will keep the children engaged and safe. They are unable to have any visitors in the Home or go into the town, as we are not permitted to gather in crowds. While this has placed extra work on our staff, we are hopeful that this season will not last much longer.

We are very happy to announce that we are now given permission to open the doors of the church after 16 weeks of having only online church. We are following the mandated protocol from the government to have the church fumigated before and after every service, having the congregation distanced out at 6ft apart for seating, requiring everyone to wear masks, and meeting only for a maximum of one hour to limit the time together in a confined space.

We understand that this worldwide pandemic has effected every person in different ways. We continue to pray for each of you - for your health and for your prosperity that you may not lack, but rather continually trust the Lord our Saviour Jesus Christ to provide all your needs according to His riches in Glory.

Romans 8:28 "And we know that God causes all things to work together for good for those who love God...". He knows your love towards Him. He has pleasure taking that which was designed by His enemies for evil and making it good - even very good.



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We thank you, from the depths of our heart for your continued to support of Bungoma Bible Ministries through this season of uncertainty. Your financial support and prayers make **the** difference.

Galatians 5:13 "For you are called to freedom brethren... through love SERVE one another." As Kings and Priests we all lead and serve one another together as His Body.

Thank you for serving the the poor and hungry as famine continues in Kenya.

Forever Grateful, Justus Ochuro



Justus and Margaret Ochuro

