

Christ Hope Orphanage

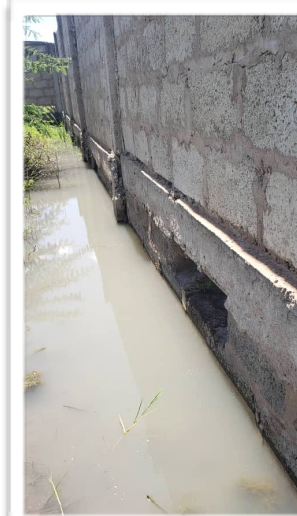
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Urgent Needs at CHO

Bishop Eliudi Issangya recently brought to the IEO board members' attention some urgently needed repairs to the wall that was built around the entire perimeter of the CHO property in 2019. The large amount of water that collects around the base of the wall during Tanzania's rainy season each year has weakened some areas of the wall considerably. It has been determined that a drainage system needs to be installed along the wall in addition to repairing several damaged areas.

The Tanzanian government regularly inspects the facility to ensure the safety and well-being of the children, and authorities now require a barrier to be built alongside the busy road adjacent to the orphanage and the Arusha International Evangelism Church since our children often play in the area between the church and orphanage on Sundays after church. With increasing traffic, a protective fence will help keep the children from wandering too close to the road.

The estimated cost for these projects totals \$15,000. Please join us in praying for the needed funds. (See page 2 for ways to donate.)



Sections in need of drainage or repair



The church property (left) and main road (right)

Preparing for Growth

With five more students moving up to Hebron Secondary School in Sakila, we have 42 children living at ChristHope Orphanage in Arusha and 27 at boarding school. In addition, 16 orphans have now graduated high school and are attending college or have completed their education and are working full time.

The past few years since our first group of CHO orphans graduated high school in 2018 have certainly been exciting! Now Bishop Eliudi Issangya and the IEO board believe it is the right time to move toward adding new children to the orphanage.

As we pray for the Lord to provide for needed repairs at the orphanage, we also trust Him to bring in the next group of children who will call CHO their new home. We anticipate being able to welcome 20 more orphans later this year. Will you join us in praying for the Lord's perfect timing and provision of sponsors?

If you would like to sponsor a new primary school student for \$60 per month, or if you would consider becoming a second sponsor for a Hebron teenager to help them thrive into adulthood, please contact Jan George at 503-769-5495.



CHO primary school students

A Christmas to Remember



ChristHope Orphanage director Steven Issangya and his wife Kierstin (pictured at left), along with all of the CHO staff, made the Christmas season of 2021 unforgettable for our precious CHO children.

The secondary students were home on break from their studies at Hebron school in Sakila, where they live during the school year, and it's always such a treat for the younger children to have their older "brothers and sisters" back at the orphanage.

Kierstin, known in Tanzania by her middle name, Hannah, spearheaded the fundraising effort and arranged for each child to receive a gift. They also enjoyed many fun games all week long as well as dancing, food, music, their own gymnastics and fashion shows, and even a bounce house!

These children whose pasts and early childhood years held pain and heartache truly have a family now and know that they are loved beyond measure by their caretakers, sponsors, and most of all, God.

We can't express enough appreciation to everyone who supports, prays for, and loves these children.



CHO staff and caretakers

For questions about sponsorship or writing to your child, contact Jan George:
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