

# **Christ Hope Orphanage**

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### **Updates and Upgrades**

In our last newsletter, we mentioned some urgently needed repairs to parts of orphanage wall that have been damaged or weakened due to the large amount of water that collects around the base of the wall during Tanzania's rainy season. Repairs and installation of a drainage system have begun, and we thank the Lord for provision of funds to start this project.

We are also working toward building a fence alongside the busy road adjacent to the orphanage and church since our children often play in this area. As traffic increases in this area of Arusha, a protective fence will help keep the children from wandering too close to the road.





Repairs to the orphanage wall

Of the estimated \$18,000 to complete these projects, we have received \$12,600. Please join us in praying for the remaining funds.





## **Special Graduate Fund for Young Adults**

As the orphans who came to CHO as young children have grown up and completed their secondary education, we strive to ensure that they are positioned for success in their young adult lives. In order to meet needs ranging from college text books and lodging to starting new businesses, we have special funds set aside for our graduates.

Thanks to donors who have recently felt led to contribute toward making sure these young adults are well established in their higher education and lives beyond schooling, as well as to sponsors who have continued to send monthly support for their grown-up children, we are able to help cover extra or unexpected expenses as they arise.

The goal is to guide these young adults toward sustainable independence, which our first college graduate, Happy Hussein, has achieved by finishing her education and obtaining a great job in Zanzibar. What a joy it is to know she is thriving and serving the Lord!

If you feel led to contribute toward this fund, let us know that you'd like your donation to go toward our "graduate fund."



CHO graduation party

CHRISTHOPE ORPHANAGE MAY 2022

#### **Praises & Prayer Requests**

Our nine college students are doing well, as are the two boys in trade school and the four girls who finished trade school last year and now have their own businesses (salon and sewing shop).



Ayubu

Ayubu, our child with albinism, lives at the orphanage but is now attending a special school closer to the orphanage where he can be cared for and watched more closely. The Tanzania government required this change both for his physical protection from those who could intend to harm him and to

ensure that his skin and eyes are protected since he is more prone to extreme sun damage. His new school's staff is equipped to assist him with his special needs as he grows.

After the needed repairs at the orphanage have been completed, we will be able to welcome around 20 children to CHO as their new home, Lord willing. Please join us in praying for these children and their future sponsors. Would you also seek the Lord about sponsoring a new primary school student for \$60 per month or becoming a second sponsor for a Hebron teenager to help them thrive into adulthood?

Thank you for your faithful support and prayers!



CHO children care for orphanage pets, including rabbits and a variety of birds.







#### **Shoes That Grow**

We recently purchased a pair of shoes for Eliudi to take to ChristHope Orphanage when he returned to Tanzania—but these aren't just any shoes. They're called the Shoes That Grow, and they were specifically designed for children living in poverty. These shoes grow 5 sizes and are made



of durable materials that last several years.



CHO Director Steven Issangya was impressed when he received the shoes and said he would love for each of the children to have a pair. Since there is a distribution center in Kenya, we can get the shoes shipped directly to Arusha. The total cost per pair will be \$25. Would you consider purchasing a pair of Shoes That Grow for your sponsored child or buying a pair of

shoes in lieu of giving a friend or family member a birthday gift? If you'd like to

contribute toward purchasing these shoes for all of our primary-aged children, please designate your donation accordingly.

To learn more about the Shoes That Grow, visit the website at because international.org/the-shoethat-grows.



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