

Hope for the Destitute

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Matthew 25:40

June 1, 2026

Dear Friends in Christ,



Pastor Omolo and his lovely wife, Ruth, are healthy and doing well. Pastor came to the States and visited churches in Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, and Ohio. He is very grateful for the kind welcome and care that those folks showed him! He did 14 services or presentations between the time he arrived in the States on April 16 until the time he left on May 19th, plus all the travel between those places! He even spoke at the Iowa District East Spring Workers' Conference and got a standing ovation!



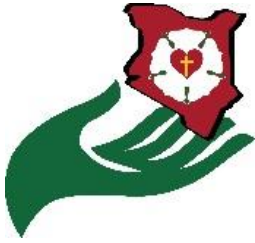
There were generous donations to the major projects that Hope is in need of right now. See below for more information on proper **toilets**, a **generator** to run the school's power and the **next phase of the building program**.

Toilets... Right now, the "toilets" include 4 pit latrines, holes in the dirt that need to be emptied every 3 months, and it is quite expensive. A septic tank is not attached. There is a definite odor because of these. To make matters worse, they had more rain than normal so these "holes" backed up! They need a real toilet system – as was explained by Pastor. Generous donors contributed to these to make them a reality. What a blessing! He was looking forward to getting back to get the project going! This picture is a rendering of the what the housing for the new toilets will look like. One building for the boys and another for the girls.



Generator... The local power to the school is frequently out, sometimes for days at a time. An updated amount for the generator is just over \$30,000 USD. Again, generous donors contributed to this cause and it appears that it too will become a reality allowing school to run without electric interruption.

The **next phase for the building program** will include a more workable kitchen. Right now the cooks heat food with firewood in a hole in the dirt floor. As you can imagine, the rain backed up in this hole, too! With over 200 children plus more adults to feed daily, there is much cooking that must be done and during the rainy season the children still eat outside in a covered area.



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The present kitchen



The present cafeteria



The current dorm – tin.



The rendering on the left is from the **front of the school**. The building labeled 1 is the wing that has already been built and houses some classrooms and administrative offices.

The new phase will include the wing labeled 2. At this point the plan is to pour the foundation for the entire wing's floor and then create the cafeteria in the middle of it with rooms on both sides.

The cafeteria with rooms on each side would only be on the first floor. Then later phases would include the second and third floor – similar to how wing 1 was built.

This is a rendering of the back of the school after all construction is completed. Number 3 are girl's and boy's dorms; four is the teacher's house; five is the kitchen.

**We praise God for the work that he has done in providing a Christian education for children AND for the blessings of a safe, clean structure for them. The Lord has provided and we know that He will continue.
Soli Deo Gloria!**

