



# **AUGUST 2023 NEWSLETTER**



Dear friends and partners,

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to you who have partnered with us in spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Your unwavering support always has enabled us to reach the least reached and the unreached, share the message of hope, and bring salvation to those who are seeking spiritual guidance. It is through your support that we have been working together in fulfilling the Great

Commission as we await Jesus Christ's second coming!

We are truly grateful for the funds you have sent to us in support of our vision and mission. Your generous giving has enabled us to reach individuals and

communities by meeting both their physical and spiritual needs.

Your prayers, financial support, and dedication to spreading the Gospel are instrumental in the work we do. May God continue to bless you abundantly as you continue to support us in our quest to win more souls for Christ till He comes!

- Mr. Elijah Kuria, GGFAN's Finance and Administration Officer.

# MISSION TO THE UNREACHED

#### Lolukushu Borehole

For decades, the residents of villages in Northern Kenya have been walking for miles in search of water for their personal use and their



Water fetching at the Lolukushu borehole.

livestock. The residents are pastoralists who rely mostly on their livestock for food and income. The region has been experiencing drought due to long periods of no rain; often lasting up to more than three years.

In April 2023, God's Grace For All Nations (GGFAN) helped drill a borehole in the Lolukushu village. The borehole was funded by the Wellness and Water organization through our friends, missionaries Mark and Kenzie Fogleman. Lolukushu is a village in the Laisamis District in Marsabit County that has about 215 households with a population of about 1,300 residents.

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# Found Everything!

Benson Lengamunyak's passion to reach the unreached led him to the Rusorwa village, Waso East in Samburu East. He established a preaching point near a community borehole in the village. This strategic location helped to attract villagers who gathered to fetch water and water their animals. The people were eager to know what Benson's intentions were. Women and children got saved

Benson(in a white trouser) with members of his church.

and started gathering for fellowships at the "church" which was made up of some thorny bushes and rocks under an acacia tree. The fellowship grew

stronger as the new converts invited more people to join them.

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#### **NKALUP Preschools**

Samburu County is 80% illiterate due to their nomadic life resulting in many children missing an opportunity to have formal education. In the Nkalup pre-schools, there are children as young as 2 years as well as older kids who are over 10 years. This is a result of primary schools being too far from home. Parents take advantage of the situation by sending children to herd their animals. The children unable to take good care of the cattle are termed foolish and are taken to school.



A Nkalup preschool children enjoying a meal

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#### **MERCY MINISTRY**

#### **HOTGS Committals**

In mid-2022, twenty-six children joined the Home of the Good Shepherd (HOTGS). Kenyan law requires the home to have committal documents for each child under its care. This necessitated the start of the process for the acquisition of the documents. A committal document is



File Photo: Rumuruti Law Courts.

essential to an institution as it keeps the government aware of a child's existence. The institution is therefore given the full rights to keep, care and support the child holistically.

The twenty-six children were presented to the court in July 2023 for the committal hearing. The judge asked the children if they were provided with the best care to the best abilities of the organization. After this hearing, the

presiding judge/magistrate will determine the duration each child will be under the home's care.

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The Nyahururu Expert's goat project.

## **Agriculture**

The Agriculture Department continues to work towards promoting self-sustainability through training people on best agricultural practices that increase the output while reducing the cost of the input. This is made possible through the use of agricultural experts in eleven GGFAN regions and the annual GGFAN – Laikipia

Farmers' Field Day.

In addition to welcoming a new member, the department undertook various activities such as making follow-ups with the regional experts' projects, harvesting and tending mature crops, and preparing farm materials for silage preparation.

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **Little Lambs Academy**

In July 2023, the students engaged in various projects in their respective grades. The projects saw them cook various meals, carry out computer projects and participate in music and sports.



The Grade two home science class students.

The grade seven class was taken through the whole process of preparing chicken. In an African setting, the process involves slaughtering, de-feathering, eviscerating, and cooking. The students were carefully taken through each stage of preparation to help them have a clear understanding. This was followed by munching on the cooked chicken which proved to be the favorite stage for them.

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Ongoing class in the Lchamus campus.

#### **Pastor's School**

The pastors' school has been committed to bringing better leaders by equipping them with skills to reach the members of their community with the Gospel. This is in line with our vision of being a theological institution that produces allround graduates with sound Biblical doctrines. Access to this education has seen the development of better leaders

across various denominations. It has transformed families, societies, and tribes in Kenya. The world needs selfless, servant leaders whose mission is that of Jesus.

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#### **APPRECIATION**

Our sincere thanks go out to all our friends and partners who have helped us transform lives with the Gospel of God's love in partnership with GGFAN. The lives of our HOTGS children, LLA students, and pastors from different communities have been changed by your kindness and generosity. Your continued support is always appreciated and we thank you for being a part of this life-changing journey! Your commitment to making a difference in this world is a blessing to us all! Together we are making a lasting difference in many lives!

Asante sana!

### **PRAYER ITEMS**

#### Thank God for the:

- \* People tribes that are being reached with the Gospel of God's love.
- \* Ongoing U.S. visit by Bishop Simon and Rev Julius.
- \* Emotional, spiritual, and academic improvement of our children.
- \* Pastors' school and all the students.

- \* Performance of LLA students in music and sports.
- \* Rains that helped our crops grow ready for harvest.
- \* Harvest we are getting from our farms.

#### Pray for:

- \* The GGFAN leadership, pastors, and congregants.
- \* Our missionaries and their families.
- \* The GGFAN Annual Conference in August.
- \* Bishop Simon and Rev Julius as they approach the end of their U.S. visit.
- \* The LLA students as they complete their second academic term.
- \* The LLA and HOTGS candidates as they prepare for their national exams.
- \* Our agricultural experts, their families, their trainees, and their projects.
- \* The Pastors' school and the students.

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