



WAKISA MINISTRIES NEWSLETTER

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A Caring and Training Ministry

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Dear Friend and Partner in Ministry

We give thanks to God, our Maker and sustainer for all that He has done at Wakisa Ministries, for the spiritually transformed lives of the young girls.

We give thanks for the skills learnt and the meals shared at table. We give thanks to God for lives saved, both babies and their mums. Thanks be to God for the 5 Year NGO RENEWED Certificate which was at last signed and given to us.

We give thanks to Him for you, your kind heart and generosity towards the Ministry. May His blessings be yours especially this season of Thanksgiving and may He reward you.

With all the challenges that we have encountered financially in the month of November, the good Lord has been so faithful during the bad times and the good times.

May His name be praised.



GIRLS SHOWING OFF THEIR HAND MADE NECKLACE FROM THE CRAFT CLASS

FINDINGS

When interviewed by a University student doing her practical's at Wakisa Ministries, all girls were able to open and say that their most favourite subject was the Bible study!

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Asked about what ought to be change at Wakisa Ministries to improve the girls lives, all girls were happy and contented with the services. They were thankful to the Ministry for the counselling services, the antenatal visits, the food set at the tables and the vocational skills training and material stuff given them at the center

Two young mothers, namely Bella with her 3 year old son and Nakayima with a 4 year old visited the center and gave good talk and encouragement to the girls who had lost hope.

Bella who is doing a catering course at Diploma level, said that the cookery class at Wakisa was the kick start of the Catering Diploma Course she has embarked on. Dr.Tadria who founded a girl's empowerment organization called MEMPROW took on Bella and is sponsoring her in the catering course.

Nakayima, full of enthusiasm told the young mothers to be that God will give them as second chance as He did to her that she went back to school and is now pursuing a course in Procurement.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY IS HERE

The young school mothers are so grateful they are supported in school, one of them said; GOING BACK TO SCHOOL HAS MADE FEEL NORMAL LIKE ANY OTHER GIRL AND GIVEN ME HOPE TO ACHIEVE MY LIFE'S GOAL AND I HAVE DEVELOPED SELF ESTEEM"

There is a long waiting list of young mothers who would love to back to school but are unable because parents can't afford. Please pray that God will open doors for them.



ST. MICHEAL GIRLS ON VISTATION

The number of girls is 23 but each one is a unique person with unique problems which must be handled with and by God's wisdom and prayers.

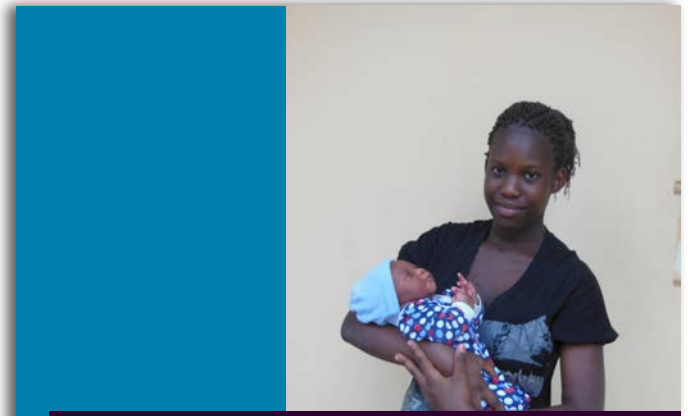
Among the three 14 year old girls is one Aisha who has shown deep signs of emotional trauma. She was brought two weeks ago by the police and her mum after mum found out that Aisha was made pregnant by her father. The mother who works in Sudan is often away and so the father has been sexually abusing her on grounds of protecting her from child sacrifice!

It was hard for me to see Aisha and her mother crying in the office and to learn that this young girl was first raped by the father at 9 years but could not disclose this to her mother. Well the father is in prison and will not harm her any more but she is hurting emotionally and needs prayers as she carries her father's baby.

The average year of the girls is 16 years, two of the new girls are full blown HIV/AIDS and are on retro viral drugs. They both look fine and have no complications.

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Elizabeth an orphan is still with us and will probably stay until a safe home is found for her .She with her little sister were fostered by a single lady who had grown up children. Her son started sexually molesting and abusing Elizabeth and she reported him to the staff members of her organization that sponsored her .They did not any measures to protect her and so she conceived .We will work together with this organization to find a safe haven for Elizabeth and her baby.



ELLA WITH BABY JEREMIAH



FIONA WITH HER BABY BOY

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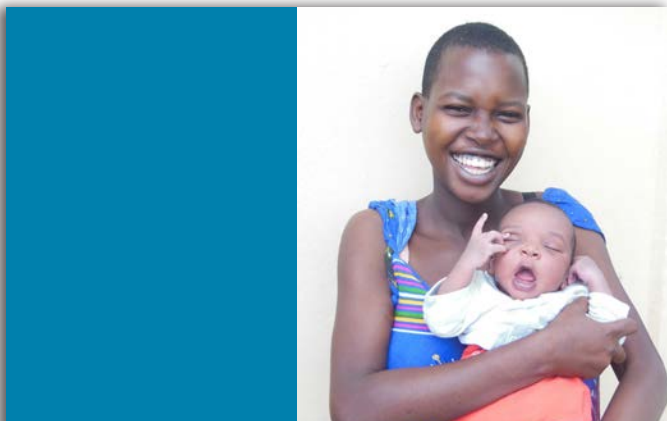
Skills training is designed to help our girls acquire hands on skills for generating an income ,life skills however lead them to self-respect and acceptance while the word of God cause healing and love and accept the One who died for them. I thank God for making the once very difficult girls turn to Him through Jesus Christ. I pray that Ella who has gone will stay focused to Christ.

Volunteers namely Ann, Kattrin and Lianne from the Netherlands and Germany have done a great deal in improving the relationships between the girls through their well-planned group training.

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The candle making and paper bead making have supported our financial basic needs

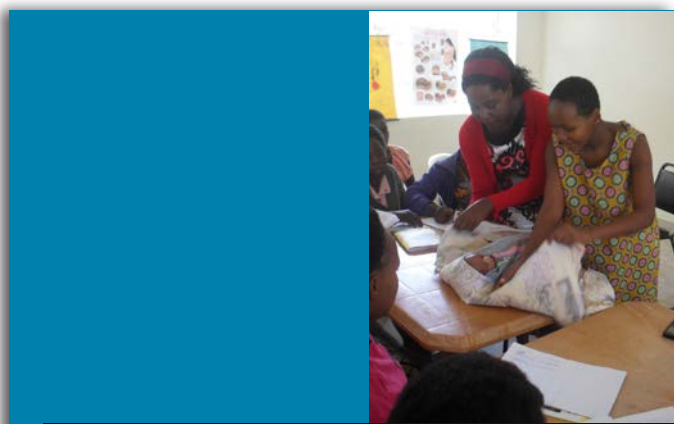
The new tailoring teacher has taught more of hand sewing than the machine this month which has made her unpopular among the girls.



ELIZABETH WITH BABY DAVID



GIRLS DIGGING IN THE GARDEN



PREGNANCY AND INFANT CARE CLASS

FAMILY

It was a hectic month for me and family as we made preparations for Tim and Ruth’s official Introduction, wedding eve dinner and wedding itself!

The wedding day was fabulous and both looked gorgeous .Little Ezra was the page boy! I am so grateful to God and to you for your support and prayers to make this day successful .Tim ad Ruth are back and will soon start work.

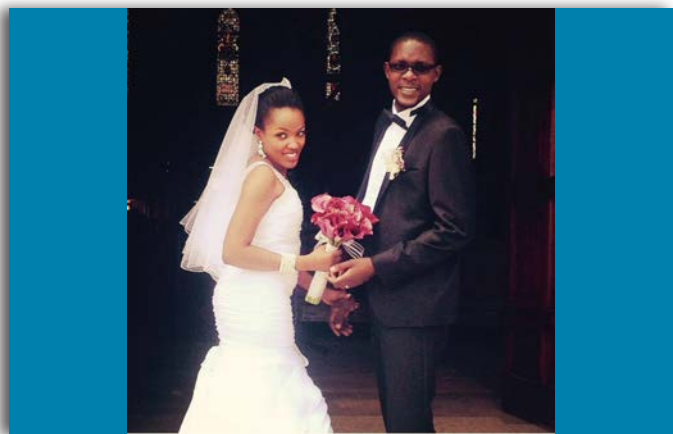
Paul and Susan have settled in now in their new country home. Susan is quite heavy and though we would like to have Christmas as family in their home, we will have to plan for next year.

Paul seems to like his new job as farm manager though it is quite demanding.

School holiday has begun so Dora, Dorcus and little Ezra are home and hope they will enjoy their holidays.

May the Lord touch your heart to give a generous gift towards Wakisa Ministries during the Christmas Season to continue to noble work to shelter the rejected young pregnant girls?

Please support me to enable me buy a new vehicle as the one is failing me despite the numerous repairs.





Merry Christmas

In Christ
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