



*catering class*

## Dear Friend and Partner in Ministry,

There has been a keen interest and relevance in the words of Psalm 121. We have shared this passage more than once in the morning devotions in June. We lift up the eyes to the huge mountains of inflation of costs, but with faith in God we are encouraged that our help comes from Him who does not sleep or slumber and will see us through.

**At the Center;** A total number of 35 girls, 4 young mothers with babies and there were 10 new admissions including a 15 year old, 6 months pregnant girl who smokes marijuana, sniffs petrol and takes glue to get high! She demanded that we take her back as she viewed herself as a misfit. The resettlement of 8 girls with their families was carried out. Two non admissions have been visiting the Ministry for counselling.

## VALUABLE SPONSORSHIP AFTER COVID

Wakisa young mums in school are enjoying their studies and count it a great privilege to have resumed school as a number of their agemates and friends' parents cannot afford to pay thier school fees and so girls have stayed at home. Scholastic materials and requiremnts have hiked in cost. We are so grateful to you for the financial support towards a mum's education. Education is the only way to go in such a competitive world. Many school drop outs have gone for labour in Saudi Arabia to earn a living .

The candidates in senior 4 and 6 are seriously revising for good grades in the national exams a few months away.

Please pray for Lillian who is sponsored in school by the HOPE VENTURE. She is often taken to a clinic near the school and Wakisa Ministries had to meet the cost due to swollen painful breasts ,she is also HIV positive and on RETROVIRAL treatment. She never breast fed and her child is 3 years now.

The clinic bills have to be met by Wakisa Ministries whenever she taken to the hospital. The breasts are oozing blood as well as pus and we need to take her for more medical attention and tests. Please do pray for her and for the provision of the treatment .

Agromax girls were visited in June and they seemed to be enjoying the urban Agriculture course they are doing



Visitation at Buloba Primary



### SARAH - Agromax

Sarah is one of the girls who went through the AGRICULTURE COURSE for 6 months and now employed at Agromax . She is able to take care of her daughter; has managed to pay her daughter's tuition who has just started school. Sarah is happy and is overwhelmed with gratitude for the support Wakisa has given her.

## OUTREACH with Start Up Kits

One of the activities we did in the month of June was visiting the young mums who were resettled in their families. 6 of the young mums who were reached out to are in dire poverty .Wakisa Ministries social worker took 2kg sugar,2 kgs rice and 2Kgs of posho and 2 packets of pampers for each .

While the six were accepted fully back ,one Dorcus with a 5 months old baby still suffers rejection in the home and in the community because the father ,her abuser is still in prison for incest. She is being blamed.

As for Agnes, her father has not fully forgiven as he makes her the topic for discussion at home most times.



Leona Receiving her sewing machine

Linda had successfully made it in making and selling food . She learnt while in cookery classes, skills of making various snacks which attract the local people. She is thankful to Wakisa Ministries for training her while was at the center.

The girls who are in employment are able to earn an income to support themselves and their babies. They are benefiting from the skills they acquired while here.

Leona with a one year old baby received a sewing machine as A START UP KIT. She has a one year old baby and now back home in Kisoro. Her parents who forgave her could not afford for a sewing machine while Leona yearned for one .Wakisa Ministries managed to visit her in Kisoro and gave her one to start a small cottage business.





## Deliveries

A total of 5 babies, four boys and one girl have been born this month. All mothers and babies are in healthy. We appreciate the good work done by the medical team. 12 pregnant mothers went for ultrasound scan, 11 had good reports and 1 pregnant mother has cervical incompetence please keep her in your prayers.

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| Bebina    | 16 years | baby girl | normal vaginal delivery |
| Gloria    | 15 years | baby boy  | normal vaginal delivery |
| Daphine   | 18 years | baby boy  | normal vaginal delivery |
| Barbra    | 17 years | baby boy  | C/Section               |
| Priscilla | 19 years | baby boy  | normal vaginal delivery |



*a resettled young mother with her baby*



*girls with some of the pieces made*



*visitors at the center*



*greens from the garden*

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## Parents' APPRECIATION

A crisis pregnancy greatly affects girl as well as the family (parents or guardian). This was clearly brought during a meeting which we held for the parents. Tears streamed down the parent's eyes as they narrated and thanked Wakisa Ministries for coming to their rescue during the time of crisis. This meeting was supported by (A3U) Australian Alumni Association on 9th of June was successful with 80% of the parents in attendance. The parents were counselled on self awareness as parents, seeking help as parents, gaining knowledge on parenting skills, loving and supporting their daughters, guiding their daughters and guarding against

child marriage and improving communication with their children. Parents were very grateful for the efforts Wakisa Ministries is putting in to transform their daughters.

The A3U project with entrepreneurial skills for teenage mothers spent the month of June bring in professionals to teach the girls. The project ended on the 28th of June with a closing ceremony graced by a Wakisa Board Member Dr Florence Banoba, as a Guest of Honour and the President of A3U. The A3U donated sewing machines, cooking utensils, handcraft items to the top 5 pregnant girls in each vocational class as Start Up Kits.





## HEALTH CENTER CONSTRUCTION

We are excited that the construction of the Health Center has commenced with raising the foundation and we are grateful to God. It is my prayer that you kindly donate towards the \$ 65,000 that we will need to be able to utilize the medical facility .

***WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR GREAT PARTNERSHIP AND PRAY FOR A BLESSING UPON YOUR FAMILY AND WORK***

**In Christ**

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