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God's heart hurts when children's hearts hurt!



"Not one of all the Lord's good promises... failed; everyone was fulfilled!"

Joshua 21:45 is one of NLF's favorite verses. It reminds us of God's faithfulness when things are not seeming to go our way – and urges us to be thankful when they are! What God has promised to us will surely come to pass.

This month we focus on two members of our newly instituted A-level program at Fountain of Hope. We now have 17 students enrolled in it, most of who graduated from Fountain of Hope's Form Four class last year.

Save the Date!

Graduation Day

Saturday, Sept. 22
Fountain of Hope
will graduate
around 50 students
during their 6th
annual graduation.

NZ Visitors

Saturday, Sept. 22
8 visitors from
PIPC in New
Zealand will visit
NLF for ministry
for two weeks.

Norway Trip

Friday, October 5
NLF President, Rev.
G. Shoo, and SAO
Mr. Y. Tito will visit
our Norway office
this October.

President's greetings!

Dear friends,

This past month has found me meditating on the true meaning of love; without a renewed mind it is hard to comprehend true love. Romans 5:5 says, "...the love of God has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit..." This unconditional love is called "Agape." That is the love that Christ gives.

Leo Buscaglia says, "Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around." I thank God for having about 500 students now recipient of Christ's love through you.

In a lecture toward the end of his life, Aldous Huxley – the great English writer - said: "People often ask me...what is the most effective technique for transforming their lives?" He then said, "It's a little embarrassing that after years and years of research, my best answer is - just be a little kinder." When we walk in true love we will change both our lives and the lives of those we touch daily.

Thank you for your love and continued support of this ministry.

Glorious & Josephine Shoo





“This place may look dry but do not fear, I will make it very prosperous!”

Before joining New Life, Rose Swai had a decade of teaching high school Geography behind her. On an otherwise normal day she had a vision so vivid it redirected the course of her life. She saw in the vision a dry and dusty pathway, which winded its way to a place she could not recognize.

A voice said: “This place may look dry but do not fear, I will make it very prosperous.” In that moment, a thirst to find this place began. She had a vague feeling that this place was an orphanage and an urge that she should find and devote herself to it. After sharing this with her husband, they both set out looking for the place. Months later, they located NLF, sent in job applications and were immediately offered

positions as teachers there. Also immediate, however, was a creeping doubt. Rose stayed on as a teacher at her former school for six more months, initially turning down the offer to work at NLF. Her heart would not allow her any peace these six months, she says. Her and her husband finally accepted New Life’s offer to work as teachers here and, she adds, her life has not been the same!

Responsibilities – and the challenges that come with it – soon followed. These she faces with the certainty that God’s promises never fail. His promise to make this place “very prosperous” has only just begun through her.

How faithful is our God!



Mrs. Rose Swai

Fountain of Hope’s A-Level Headmistress

Rose has been instrumental in setting up Fountain of Hope’s Advanced Level High School Program (equivalent to freshman college). In Tanzania, High School is divided into Ordinary Level (Grades 9 through 12) and Advanced Level (A-Level: an additional two pre-college grades). This is Fountain of Hope’s first A-Level class. Rose has been doing an amazing job setting it up – leading both the students and teachers toward new frontiers. Read her full story above!

Student Spotlight



Dickson in action preaching to a group of Primary School students at a recent outreach event!

Dickson Mwafifi joined NLF as a timid 11 year old 3rd grader. Before he joined NLF, he had already smoked cigarettes, drank beer and was close to drug addicts in his area. His mum brought him to NLF hoping his character would change. And it did! When he went home for the holidays, he had become a good boy and no longer fought or argued with other boys. He also left the company of wrong gangs. On 12th January 2008 while in 9th Grade, he made a personal decision to follow Christ. His academic performance shot upwards and he was always among the top three students in his

class. He also became very bold and can stand before people and talk and even share testimonies.

Dickson aspires to be a Civil/Mining Engineer in future. There are so many mines in Tanzania and he feels he would make a great contribution in controlling their operations.

He loves children's ministry and during holidays he teaches the word of God in government primary schools and in children's church.

Dickson takes a deep breath and says "Thus far the Lord has brought me".



Dickson Mwafifi

Aspiring Civil/Mining Engineer

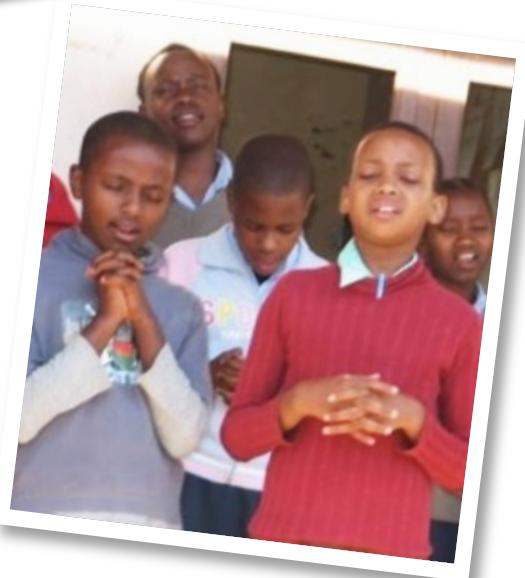
Dickson, one of our A level students who graduated from last year's pioneer 12th Grade, did us proud by attaining the highest honors (Division One) in his national exams and being one of the top ten performers in a national Mathematics contest held by the University of Dar es Salaam.

Dickson wants to be a civil or mining engineer in the future, and the combination of Physics, Geography and Mathematics he receives here is great preparation!

August News!

Ministerial Visit from US Pastor

Gary Hay, the pastor of Hope Community Church in the Springfield, Missouri came to visit NLF while on his way to Ethiopia. He brought lots of medical supplies and stationery for the school. He also brought messages from the word of God both to the staff and to the students. We thank God for this wonderful man of God who also contributed his money for the food container that's to be shipped to NLF.



Zoe Babies Visited

A group of 160 boys and girls from Mlama Secondary School in Moshi chose to spend their public holiday on 8th August 2012 at the babies centre. They played all sorts of games with the children, carried them on their backs, sat and had time to chat with them and gave them each several lollipops. You should have seen the satisfaction on the kids faces. They also did the laundry, cooked a sumptuous meal for them, cut the hedges, replaced burnt out bulbs, cultivated in our farm and cleaned the centre. At the end of the day, everyone was in tears as the visitors didn't want to leave the center and the children also were sad to let them go. They gave lots of foodstuff and toiletries for the centre.

May God bless these heavenly visitors.

Prayer Requests

1. General financial breakthrough for:
 - *Two dormitories.*
 - *Finishing of additional classrooms for the High School Library*
 - *Regular staff salaries.*
 - *School bus and pickup.*
 - *Fencing of our school.*
2. True divine transformation in all NLF members!

Praise Reports

- Our second graduating High School (Form Four) Class will graduate this September
- We have secured partnerships with several US Christian Schools (e.g. Wheaton Academy)



Thank You!

New Life Foundation appreciates your continued interest and support as our organization grows forth. We would love to hear from you and see your friendly faces. Your time, expertise, donations and – above all – your hearts and prayers are what keep God's work at this organization rolling!

Stay blessed!



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NB: In this newsletter you will realize that there are changes in its format. We want to thank God for Princely Glorious, who is now volunteering at NLF. He is giving his great input in the area of graphic designs and communications.