



NEW LIFE FOUNDATION



Greetings from Pastor Glorious & Josephine Shoo

Dear friends and Supporters of New Life Foundation (NLF),
We are so glad when we can use the opportunity of investing in the lives of our dear children.
We want to thank you for all that you are doing by touching the lives of children in various ways. Your love and the expression of it through your support means a lot to us. When we look at the staff, volunteers, sponsors and supporters, and even all the projects we see one thing " TRANSFORMATION OF THE FUTURE TRANSFORMERS".
We want all of you friends to know, that we value and honour you for being a great instrument that God is using. We can't imagine how it would have been if it was not for people like you.

This year God spoke to us that he will be taking us higher " SOARING WITH WINGS AS EAGLES"
We are believing God to take us to new heights, new dimensions, for new buildings and new and fresh ways of doing things. Each one of you is a (great instrument) in making the dream come true.
We are so blessed to have you in our lives.



Glorious & Josephine Shoo



New Life in images ...

Fun, laughter, games, prayer, worship, life skills training and more all rolled into four days...this is Form One camp. It's an important start for our Form One students as they enter secondary school. Our camps help them to grow spiritually and to build unity as a class. They also learn about becoming adolescents and managing life in secondary school. Form One is shaping up to be a great class in our school!



New Year ... new faces ... new positions ...



We welcome Highness Kasasa into a new position as Projects Manager.



Meet our new Public Relations Officer Neema Edward from Kilimajnaro



Josephine Shirima has recently joined us as our Assistant Fountain of Love Coordinator

Our long time serving couple Martha and Joseph Hizza have taken on new positions. Joseph is now our Secondary School Principal and Martha has moved from her role as Secondary Principal to be the Head of our Primary School.



Melanie Bell from New Zealand is a missionary serving with us in Fountain of Love, heading up the sponsorship programme and our international communications writer.

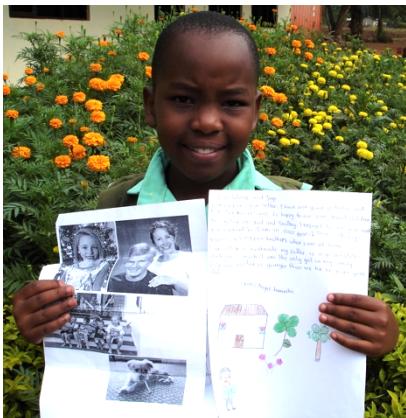
SPONSORSHIP –

Love goes both ways



We can never find the words to express our gratitude to our sponsors, and how much their support means to our children and our school. Our sponsors are part of our New Life family. We feel a close unity with them as we share together in helping children realise their dreams and destinies. In the past few weeks students have been writing letters to their sponsors. Others have been receiving letters. You will see Angel below who came into my office to receive her letter and photos from her new sponsors. The delight on her face was really something special. As these kind of moments unfold in front of me I've come to realise one thing. Sponsorship here at New Life is about relationship it's an exchange of love and joy....and it goes both ways

Melanie Bell
HOD, Sponsorship, New Life Foundation.



Ten year old Angel recently met her new sponsors from America via a letter and photos, it made her day....

I had been waiting to get a sponsor since I was in Grade Two, I saw my friends writing letters and I really wanted to write a letter to somebody too. When I saw the letters and photos I was so excited to see my sponsor family I ran to my friends and showed them. I wanted to tell my sponsors that I have five brothers and about my village, it's called Kwakanoti.

Angel Kimambo
(Grade Four)



Sponsorship: Face to Face (USA)

I had always thought of Africa as a long way off. There were oceans and seas to cross and continents to span, to take me to a place called Tanzania. Those still life photos of our sponsored children taped to our icebox (fridge) were just that - real but still. The collection of letters that were gathered over the course of more than a decade shared heart but lacked voice. I had longed for years to know what it would feel like to give a hug to these children that my husband and I had grown to love. At best, I could only touch a finger to their paper image and say a prayer for them.

We had wrestled with the dilemma of the expense spent on such a journey. Wouldn't New Life Foundation benefit much more from the donation of the thousands of dollars that it would take to fly us all those miles? How could a mere two or three weeks spent there justify the investment? Pastor Glorious Shoo, who founded New Life with his wife Josephine, answered that question for us when he explained the impact a visit to see the children would have upon their lives. What he didn't tell us was the impact they would have upon ours.



The day I had envisioned for years became reality as we met face to face with our daughter Helen who we had sponsored since she was in Nursery level and was now a nineteen-year-old graduate of New Life. I couldn't help but have tears of joy and and she gently wiped away my tears with her finger. She called us Mom and Dad as she had been orphaned long ago. Suddenly the still picture took on breath and life and the letters had a voice. We also were privileged to meet six other little ones that God had laid on our hearts. My husband Curt, and I gathered them all in our arms and kissed them. Each precious child had a story and a need that God had chosen us to be a part of. We had never felt more honoured or more grateful to be part of God's plan.

Excerpt written by Suzy Allen following her 2015 visit with her husband Curt. Suzy and Curt are long-time sponsors and friends of New Life Foundation.

Face to Face (STH KOREA)

Rim and Kim, our dear friends from NLF South Korea recently came to see us. We enjoy their regular visits to our school. They always take the opportunity to visit the families of their sponsored children and bless them with items they need.

On this visit, they blessed us too with fresh bread for lunch and dinner. We will always remember this as 'Bread Day' and what a treat for us, we have never seen so much bread - more than enough for everybody.



I am sure you can all just imagine our primary school full of delighted children and satisfied tummies.

We thank you Rim and Kim for your love and kindness to us all..



NLF Interview

Arriving in New York in the middle of a massive snow storm wasn't a planned part of Pastor Shoo's trip to USA in January. Even more unexpected was a chance opportunity to meet one of his students who is currently on a high school scholarship. Pastor Shoo had many memorable moments on his trip including meeting with old friends and ten new sponsors joining New Life in supporting students. There was one moment however that stands out - Pastor Shoo, a spiritual father meeting his spiritual daughter in a church in Wisconsin.

In this interview Pastor Shoo shares his experience in America:



What was it like meeting one of your students in America?

Actually it was very unexpected. I was visiting the Central Assembly of God Church in Superior, Wisconsin, and I discovered Evagrace was only two hours down the road. She was very excited to see me, for her it was like seeing part of New Life. I've been like her father in a way, we often spend more time with our New Life children than their actual parents do.

How is Evagrace coping with life and High School studies in such a different environment?

She is doing very well. Her English is now perfect. I remember she talked about her favourite American food and the exposure of learning things she has never thought about before. A wonderful testimony is how she is praying for and encouraging her new American sister at the home where she lives. It's like she's being a light in her new family and sharing love and who Jesus is.

Tell us about God's perfect timing on your trip.

There were two things that were really significant. One was that the roads in New York were closed due to the snow and I was even advised not to fly into New York at all. But I felt God wanted me to be there. So on the very day I arrived they had just opened the roads again. The timing was perfect also for the church members in Wisconsin to meet a New Life Student, and that was Evagrace. Actually some church members themselves sponsor Fountain of Hope students. I was to be a guest speaker at a meeting there but what they really enjoyed was meeting a sponsored student in person. Evagrace has been with New Life since nursery level so it was so wonderful to have people there experience her loving and happy nature.

BLESSINGS –

Food, food, food!



Nutrition from the USA

Thanks to the efforts of supporters of New Life and the NLF Board in America, this container full of food will be bound for Tanzania soon. This is a big deal for us.... two year's worth of food and it's highly nutritious - rice, dried carrots, lentils and soy beans. John and Debbie Kiehl took Pastor Shoo to see the container on his recent visit to America and have been crucial in helping with this project. With heartfelt thanks to Alex Scott who has also been working so hard to get this food for us. We so appreciate your love and care for us!

Sustainable & Organic

The rains are coming. It's the time of the year when everyone is getting ready for planting, and we are too. How to grow maize in the best way possible is learning for life for us. Our recent farm day was literally a 'field trip' to prepare our land for this year's maize. It was hard, hot work but worth it as Mike our agricultural expert guided the students in a practical learning experience. One thing we know is that New Life students will be future leaders in organic farming methods.

It's planting time also for our vegetables and our 860 vegetable beds are now being prepared.





As Svein learned about our water shortage he set out with his team to discover what more water could mean for our massive vegetable project. Mike showed the development of our vegetable farm; simple but effective irrigation methods and the nine acres where our vegetables will be grown. And so it was decided...one new borehole to be drilled with support from Norway friends.



As the beds started to take shape we came to realise that our single borehole was not enough to provide water for the number of vegetables we aim to grow, eat and sell for income. We pray often for God's perfect timing and He is faithful. Evangelist Svein Magne Pedersen from Norway came to Moshi town recently to lead a crusade. Many of our staff were involved and we were delighted to see so many salvations and people healed.



We are so thankful to God and to Svein and his team for this provision.

Thank you so much!

We are so appreciative of the support that you give to New Life Foundation. We exist because of your prayers, time, love and gifting. We love to hear from you and if friends and family want more information please direct them to our website www.newlifetz.com Thanks again for partnering with us, as together we make a difference - one child at a time...



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