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READING PERIOD



Lancaster, England

A DIFFERENT SEASON

Ephesians 3:20-21 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

Greetings from Slough, England, where I've been residing since leaving Kenya in April. As I briefly mentioned in my last newsletter, my visit to the UK is primarily focused on fundraising for our ministry work with Kusoma Tu and Open Schools, while also raising personal funds. It's been a busy period as I continue to homeschool the children virtually, while simultaneously engaging with potential new partners and exploring new revenue streams for Kusoma Tu. Our organization has developed an incredible catalogue of books that are instrumental in promoting literacy among nomadic and rural communities. Additionally, I recently started an Environmental Health and Safety Consulting role that allows me to work remotely, and I pray this opportunity will pave the way for further work in Kenya.

I'm grateful for our dedicated team on the ground in Kenya who help manage the Open Schools program. We are currently praying and planning to launch a new project in the Kiandutu slum in Thika.

We've witnessed the Lord's provision, especially in the life of Abigael Cheptoo. She is now living with Irene Kiror, receiving medication, nutritious food, and continuing her basic literacy and numeracy education, thanks to Irene's loving care and attention.

In July, Irene will visit the children and families in Chesitet to assess the situation at the school. We continue to keep the children of Chesitet Primary in our prayers. Kusoma Tu will also be hosting the ‘Women in Missions’ in Chesitet, spending time with the children as we pray and trust the Lord for a lasting mission solution in the community.

THANKSGIVING PRAYER POINTS

1. For new connections being made
2. A new job role
3. Abigael Cheptoo's health
4. Safe delivery of my nephew Ashantu Dachi
5. Grace and strength needed in this season.



Myself with Dana Neff and Amanda Ferris at the TeachBeyond Global office in Horsham, England



RUN, WALK OR BIKE TO GIVE MARGINALIZED CHILDREN AN EDUCATION



Irene Kiror with a transformed Abigael in Thika

PRAYER REQUESTS

1. Kusoma Tu is looking for board members in the UK if you are interested or know of anyone who could help kindly drop me an email.

2. Open doors of opportunity as I look for publishers who can market the Kusoma Tu literacy books.

3. Every year Open Schools runs a fundraising event called Kilometers for Kids 2024 where you can run, walk, or bike several kilometers by yourself or together with others, and join together with hundreds of others to help bring hope through life-changing learning to children with no access to schooling. Check out; www.osww.org/km4k . Would you pray for the Lords provision for this event and for as many people to join in?

PHOTO-GALLERY



In April Sam, Mark, Esther and Abi attended camp in Sagana with the youth from Journey Village Church Kikuyu. Thank you JVC



What does virtual homeschooling look like when you are over 4300 miles away from your student's? Well thanks to google classroom, lessons still go on, with abit of fun with avatars!



The photo to the right is me with Liz Hosker in Lancaster visiting the TeachBeyond UK office.



Two Saturdays ago the children together with their homeschooling friends in Nanyuki spent the afternoon distributing food parcels to the elderly.

Join me in welcoming to the world my nephew baby Ashantu Dachi!

