

“The Good Samaritan Sponsorship Project”

NEW LIFE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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Matthew 11:28-30

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.”

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

EXAM TIME

As we minister in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in Ft. Portal, we are often faced with challenges concerning the children. We are always encouraging them to do their best not for us but for the glory of God. As the time moves closer to the testing time for P-7, their Primary Leaving Examination, and for the High School students in their S-4 student testing, we ask for your prayers for them. This program requires them to pass in Divisions 1 or 2 in order to advance into higher education. This is both a difficult time for them and us. So, please pray for these students as they prepare for their testing:

P-4 Tests November 2nd & 3rd:

Medruth Neema, Judith Kobusinge, Topi Njungwa, Rose Karungi, Christine Kembabazi, Annet Tusiime, Violet Kabahuma, Robert Mugume, Derrick Kamulindwa, Harriet Namara, Ronald Mugume, Christopher Kisembo, Patrick Businge, Sara Kem-

S-4 Tests October 13th - November 10th:

Anna Basaliza, Charles Kahnmuza, Robert Kalenzi, Moses Bwango, Derrick Mwanguhya, Irene Kemigisa, Charles Tusiime, Stella Kawiidi, Isaac Rubaale, and Mary Asiimwe.

Appreciation Time

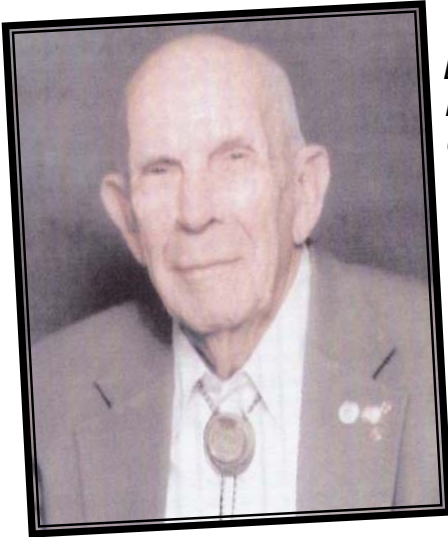
We love to hear from the students as they show their appreciation to God for His blessings in letters to their sponsors. Such is the case of Patrick Nyakoojo to his sponsor:

“Let me first greet you and your family in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. How are you there in America? Back to me at Christ School, I am very fine and studying very well. I would like to thank you for all what you are doing there in America and to thank you for what you have done for me here in Uganda and I really don't know how I can thank you because you got me from very far and now I see where I am now. I really thank you and the almighty who gave you that good heart for helping an orphan like me. And I would like to inform you that I did well in Primary Leaving Examination and I for fourteen aggregates (Second grade) thank you for your prayers. And I would like to

send greets to friends and to the church there in America. I send this scripture to you: Psalms 10:11-32. I am remaining praying for you here in Uganda so that God would keep



Time Honored Test of Faithfulness



It was our honor to be invited to the Dedication of the Bernhard E. Laugesen Memorial Pavilion at Camp Shands in Melrose, Florida in mid-September. Bernhard was the charter Scoutmaster of troop #113 in Weirsdale, Florida who has helped the Boy Scouts at Hope Primary School and the surrounding community of Busoro in Uganda. Bernhard started troop #113 in Weirsdale in 1942 with nine boys. May the history of troop #113 at Hope School be so faithful? The Boy Scouts were first organized in Uganda by Baden Powell of England and has a rich tradition. Even as the country endured treachery it emerged from this oppres-

Psalm 116:15

"Precious in the sight of the Lord, is the death of His godly ones."



Time for Christmas in the Village



This is a reminder of the special Christmas party for the 155 children of the Good Samaritan Project. Last year there were over 400 children who attended which included the students, guardians/parents, and special guests. This year we would like to present to them a flask (for keeping water hot for tea), a new blanket and soap. These are all very practical and useful items. The cost will again be \$25 per student and please mark your checks for GSSP Christmas party. We fully appreciate your faithfulness in this Christmas Project each year as all who attended have had a full day of excitement and as Pastor Sam would say, "we wet our throats and fill our stomachs." The children also prepare a drama skit, sing, recite memorized scripture and give testi-

Thank you for your faithfulness.

In His Arms,

Dick & Barbara