



**Purpose:** To rescue, protect, and to ensure proper physical, educational, and spiritual development of orphans

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LMO FAMILY IN MAIZE FIELD- Nov 23

Dear Friends and Supporting churches, we greet you all!

From our previous Newsletter, which was sent to you in August this year, today we have another great opportunity to come to you through this November News Letter to update you on the latest happenings and the challenges we continue to face.

It is necessary before we narrate the happenings from our side to take time to express our heartfelt gratitude to you all for the support you continue rendering to our Ministry with the orphans. Your support has kept us going for decades and is enabling us achieve our goal of rescuing, protecting and ensuring proper physical, educational, and spiritual development of the orphaned children under our care. With you by our side lives have taken new shapes, the once neglected and rejected kids are now making names for themselves in our communities and praises are coming from everywhere for this life-changing Ministry. **We give Praises the Lord!!!**

**GARDENING**



Chinese Cabbage

Bed of tomato & Onion

The Lord continue blessing the work of our hand. We have a very nice vegetable garden. After we prepared the land, we started with Chinese cabbage later on we grew Onion, tomato and okra. This garden lessens the burden of buying vegetables every day from the market.



Onion & Tomato

Okra

**MAIZE FIELD**

In early October we started with preparation of the field within LMO premise, we waited for the rains until the 22<sup>nd</sup> of November when we received good rains and managed to plant the maize seed on Saturday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of November. Our next step is to pray for more rain and good harvest while we patiently wait to see how this year's weather conditions will look like.



Kids in the field planting



## EDUCATION OF THE KIDS

We have three groups of kids in examination classes. In 12<sup>th</sup> grade we have one by the name OBRIAN KANJUNGU, in 9<sup>th</sup> Grade we have 8 these are (from left) RABECAH, PRECIOUS, LIDYA, BRINIA, OLIVER, MILDRED, MERCY and WISDOM.

In 7<sup>th</sup> grade there is only EVANS.

All these children named above are in the process of writing the final exams with the Examination Council of Zambia. Each one of them is in a high spirit and confident that they will make it. Our prayers are with them.

The 9<sup>th</sup> grade 6 girls & 2 boys



7<sup>th</sup> grade Evans



12<sup>th</sup> grade Obrian



The grades of the rest of the kids are as follow: - 8<sup>th</sup> grade 4 kids, 6<sup>th</sup> grade 3 kids, 5<sup>th</sup> grade 2kids, 4<sup>th</sup> grade 4 kids, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade 1kid, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade 3kids and 1<sup>st</sup> grade 3 kids. At college we have three boys, two in teaching training and one in Physiotherapy

LMO has a policy to reintegrate all these children at primary and secondary schools in their respective families only upon completion of high school but the sponsorship for tertiary education continues even after reintegration.

## FOOD & NUTRITION

We want to assure you that children have continued to have well balanced meals three times in a day. Meals are taken in the facility's dining room where study and devotions are also conducted at night.

## CHALLENGES

The major challenges that we face now hinge on financial resources. Gifts to LMO Ministry are slowly drying up.

The responsibility we have to take these kids to their final high school grade is huge. We cannot manage the burden if friends and supporting churches give up on Lord's Mountain Ministry.

It is true that in several occasions when the flowing of gifts on the LMO Advance doesn't take place we get frustrated to the extent of wanting to give up on the children. We lament as Moses lamented saying to the Lord "What shall I do to these people." But the Lord keeps on reminding us that the task he gave us has not finished yet.

## LOOK AT THIS PICTURE BELOW



These innocent kids are the youngest of the Lord's Mountain family. They have stories behind them of being rejected by relatives after deaths of their biological parents. Through the District Social Welfare department, Jesus brought them to us to keep them, educate them and train them in the ways of the Lord. From the time these kids are under LMO roof, the two girls are in grade two and grade three respectively, and the boys are all in second grade.

**The big challenge is when we hear the Lord saying it again and again these children have nowhere else to go, LMO is the roof I gave to them till they become the persons I want them to be.**

**It is therefore our hope that funds can be raised to enable us meet the task of caring and educating these innocent children.**

**Thank you for being so generous to the children of Lord's Mountain Orphanage.**

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