



News & Updates

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Utengo faithfully manages contributions from caring persons to support effective but under-funded Christ-based Kenyan ministries and youth-centered organizations.

Books for Boruma

Support from Utengo has enabled Boruma Secondary School to expand from 192 to 360 students. Now we are poised to help Boruma obtain needed learning materials and fulfill their desire for a library. Three U.S. organizations, Africa's Children's Fund, Hands Across the Water, and Textbook Recycling Center, have donated and offered to ship over 15,000 used library and textbooks to Kenya for Boruma Secondary School and the surrounding primary schools. The quality and number of books donated have the potential to make a huge impact on the education in this area. We expect to have all the shipping details finalized soon.



Students relax outside the Boruma Secondary School building that was funded by Utengo



Living Way Foursquare Orphanage

Pastor Zachariah Shahasi (left) reviews the second building he recently completed with support from an Atlanta area Foursquare Church. He reports that they have added 2 more children and are now caring for a total of 12. He is now working to complete a well and to acquire a used van for transportation. Contributors to Utengo continue to provide the living expenses of the children at the orphanage.

Thank you for the gifts that have made these and other good works possible. If you would like to support the work of Utengo in Kenya, please complete and return the form on page 2 and return it with your contribution to the address at the top of this newsletter.

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Bibles for Meru Kenya

Can you imagine being a Christian for 10 years without ever owning a Bible? Sadly, this is the situation for many Christians in Kenya who are simply unable to afford something that represents a week or more of food and living expense. Lasting change in Kenya must be built on a foundation of the Word of God. For this reason, one of our priorities is to ensure that every person at our partner churches has a Bible. On our last trip to Kenya, many shed tears of joy when for the first time in their lives, they received their very own Bible. This summer we expect to deliver over 300 Bibles to 10 churches in Meru Kenya. Our cost per Bible is \$8.00, partly due to the added expense of obtaining Bibles in the local dialect. If you would like to help us share the real Bread of Life, complete the form below or contact us for more information.



Pastor Fidelis (back, center with tie) and New Covenant Foursquare Church

Pastor Aid

Life is difficult for pastors of rural churches. Pastor Fidelis Wandera attended our training in Nakuru last summer and shared his perspective in a recent letter:

“...When we came here three years ago, we were so discouraged...it was a time in the wilderness. Seeing our own children starve, unable to go to school and we were tempted to quit. But God remained our only hope and source of strength until now we can see what His plans were. He promised us that He's going to make this place a joy of many generations. We thank God for you who are standing with us in prayer and encouragement...”

- Pastor Fidelis Wandera

Utengo eases the burden for pastors like Fidelis with gifts such as a leadership Bible, bicycle, and a cow or goat to provide milk for their families. Many choose to attend the leadership seminars we conduct on our occasional trips to Kenya. We still require additional funds to assist the 10 pastors we are working with this year. I hope you will consider helping us to support these valiant men and women. of God.

KENYA 2006!

In July 2006, a team of 5 persons will travel to Kenya. Activities include joint ministry and delivering several hundred Bibles and other ministry support to the 10 partner churches in Meru. We will also visit and evaluate current projects at Boruma Secondary School and the Living Way Orphanage. For more information on our ministry trips to Kenya, please email Leon@utengo.org or call 678.642.1797.

**YES! I WANT TO HELP! HERE IS MY (ONE-TIME/MONTHLY/QUARTERLY/ANNUAL)
_____ GIFT OF \$ _____ TO SUPPORT (CHECK ONE):**

UTENGO MINISTRY NEEDS:

- Clothes for orphans (\$300 outfits 12 children)
- Bibles (\$100 supplies 12 Bibles, 300 are needed)
- Pastor aid package (\$500 supplies a bicycle, cow, and leadership Bible - 10 are needed)
- Tank to collect rainwater at Boruma Secondary School (\$2400.00)
- Best use as determined by Utengo Ministries

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