



# NEW LIFE FOUNDATION



## *Dear Friends,*

Our sovereign God, who entrusted Josephine and I with this ministry 16 years ago, has been faithful to provide for all our needs. For us at NLF, it has been 16 years of seeing God's favour, experiencing his faithfulness, the power of his transformation, miraculous provision, divine connections and above all seeing God rescue, change and save lives of children and other members of the NLF community. None of this could be truly fulfilled if it wasn't for God's hand through donors and sponsors from around the world. In this newsletter, we share with you some of the testimonies of God's faithfulness to us.

In April 2018, God enabled me to visit USA and share His Word and wonderful testimonies about what He is doing here at NLF Tanzania.

I visited Reach Church in Austin Texas. This church funded the purchase of our school bus.



To God's glory, this time, Reach church raised \$8,000 to support our building project at NLF. God's hand didn't stop there. The church pledged to raise an additional US\$50,000 in the future so we can complete the payment for the entire 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the new building. In addition to that, Reach church purchased 15 new laptop computers for a school computer laboratory. This will enable us to offer a digital boot camp course for Form Four leavers. Our children will be forever changed by this new addition to their lives.



During my visit to Promise church in New York, a potential partnership was born and we are now looking into creating a Promise Church sponsorship package.



I also saw the hand of God during my visit at Madison Christian School in Ohio. The school offered to donate their former science curriculum materials to NLF. Also because of their participation in the Association of Christian Schools International –ACSI, there could be support for us in educational materials. We are looking forward to exploring further partnerships with Madison Christian School and possible short-term mission trips to NLF in 2020 .



Lastly, on this visit the University of North America from Washington DC informed me of the decision to award Josephine and I a Global Leadership Award. In June I returned to USA and was so grateful to receive this award. We feel we do not deserve such an honour, however God has done it in His own way and fashion.



Our hearts are filled with gratitude towards Reach Church, Promise Church, Madison Christian School and everyone I met. God is using you to enable the children at NLF to break away from the cycle of poverty and reach their God given potential for the glory of God.

We are filled with praise of the faithfulness of our good, good Father God. Our hearts cannot contain all that he is doing and all that he is yet to do through you. May His name be praised!

Blessings from  
Glorious and Josephine Shoo  
New Life Foundation

## *New Life in Images ....*

Meet our new nursery and pre-unit children coming from four different villages in the Moshi district. In December staff members visited family homes finding children who would most benefit coming to our school. We work with families facing hardship and poverty and also cases where children are abandoned or without parents. Nursery teacher Sara Chedi says “these children would never have the chance to get a good education and for some even to eat a decent meal a day, we really build their future here”.



To sponsor a child at NLF please visit [www.newlifetz.com/sponsorship](http://www.newlifetz.com/sponsorship)

## Touching lives

*Alumni NLF student Holder Peter is now in her final year of university study finishing her Bachelor of Information Systems and Network Engineering. She is one of many who have a deep gratitude for their sponsorship while at New Life Foundation. Holder says "sponsoring children/ students at NLF has been a great opportunity for sponsors to reap blessings and touch the lives of so many people even the 'unreached'.*

*In this newsletter we're celebrating the love shown by so many of our NLF friends and supporters. These testimonies are just some examples of how these precious lives have been touched by you.*

Name: Vicky Ntandu

Age: 10

Grade: 3

*Vicky is one of our students who is full of love and encouragement for others. She was brought to NLF through Social Welfare escaping life as a house slave with no schooling. In the space of only one year and three months Vicky fast tracked through three grade levels. In 2017 one of her greatest delights was to be sponsored by two students from New Zealand. Vicky comments below on how she is doing now and what has changed in her life.*



### **At school....**

When I came I didn't know how to write the letter 'y' in my name, I only knew how to count numbers and some ABCD.

Now I love to study mathematics, I'm understanding well, even science

I'm understanding and English writing and reading. I am thanking God I know Him because I didn't know Him before. That's why I love this school so much I know how to pray and to know God, I'm so thankful.

### **In the future....**

When I grow up I will find the work I will do, even to be a Grade two teacher. I would like to help people who don't have a house. I will build even two houses, one for them and one for me.

### **Being sponsored...**

I was asking why don't I have a sponsor and other people have a sponsor so I prayed and prayed, I even said can I get two sponsors...and I did. They carry me well in their heart because they pray for me, and every day I pray for them, I pray for their exams too.

### **A piece of advice for readers...**

Tell their daughters good words and encourage them.



Name: Esther Mmari

Age: 11

Grade: 6

*Esther came to NLF as a baby. She had a big challenge with her health as a result of a birth defect. Supporters from US and New Zealand helped Esther with financing and organising an operation that completely turned her health and well-being around. Nothing could stop Esther now from thriving at school. The good news kept coming as she got a sponsor and also a NLF staff member decided to welcome Esther into her home as one of the family. Esther has experienced real love from so many people and her life is really something to celebrate as Esther shares below:*



### **At school...**

I'm celebrating because I'm playing netball and sometimes football and skipping rope. I love mathematics and science because if you come to be an accountant you need to be a person who knows mathematics. I want to help people to count their money.

### **Being sponsored..**

I'd like to tell everyone God bless you and thank you. Now I can study, I can play, I can look after my personal cleanliness by myself. My sponsor sends me things I need and I feel so good.

### **In the future...**

I've grown up with a good life, and my studies are going well. The teachers encourage me how to be a big person. I want to be kind to people, and help people who don't have a family - I will visit them and give them things which they need.

### **A piece of advice for readers...**

Be good people and kind and listen to the voice of God.

Name: Joseph Dominic Kway  
Alumni NLF Student - studied at NLF 2003-2015  
Age: 24 years

*I am currently a third year student at International Medical and Technological University taking Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of surgery, hoping to be a doctor and paediatrician one day.*

*I don't have enough words to express how I have been transformed through NLF but I am so grateful, I never deserved that but I know it was God's plan before my birth. There are some people of my age who are not aware of their dreams or visions. Through NLF I was able to know my dream for the future, I was able to be praying for it and live a life of my dreams. I am from a poor family but through what I got from NLF I am thinking big; I have great vision and poverty is no longer an obstacle to my destiny.*

*During my time at NLF God provided a sponsor for me by the name of 'Bibi' Betty Kitty. I am so grateful before the Lord for this great servant of God. Wherever you are Bibi Betty Kitty just know I love you so much and I am so grateful for the impact that you have caused in my life, I am no longer the same - through you, your finance and encouragement I was able to attain primary and secondary education. I performed well qualifying me to pursue medical studies to be a medical doctor in the near future to come. Through your obedience to God, kindness and love you have touched and helped me personally. You have also helped my parents and my community too, because when I graduate I will serve the community as a doctor. I am encouraged to be one of the local sponsors at NLF in the near future. — Joseph Kway*



*Asanteni to all our supporters -  
we are so grateful for your  
love, time and prayers - they  
mean the world to us ...*



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