

## Abundant Life Living Hope International Missions



The current academic year in Uganda is just coming to a close and children in all year groups have sat their end of year national exams. For pupils in Primary 7 the results of these examinations will determine whether or not they are able to progress to secondary education in February.

Many thanks to all our sponsors for your continued support. Thank you too to those who have increased their sponsorship contributions enabling their sponsored child/ren to continue their education, moving from primary to secondary school, or from secondary school to college. Your commitment is greatly appreciated, both by the charity and especially by the children themselves.

**EDWARD KAVUMA**, a very talented boy, had missed out on his education due to lack of financial support. Sponsored since 2014, he completed his secondary education and is just coming to the end of a 2 year electrical engineering diploma. In his last letter to his sponsor during summer 2017, he writes, "… *Thank you so much for the great aid you have given me. May God richly bless you beyond measure. I have maintained my first class for the last 3 semesters and was always the best in the electrical department. You have really made my academic life to be so remarkable. Despite all the challenges and hardship I now see a light at the end of the tunnel.* 

Actually, if you have any electrical work, I am the best engineer you can think of. Just give me a try – you won't regret it"(!)

Having received this help Edward, in turn, has been coaching secondary pupils with their holiday work and revision. This is typical of youngsters in Uganda who, having received support themselves, want to give something back to others they can help themselves. Edward has a vision, once qualified, to set up his own electrical company to support young, talented, but financially unstable children, to enable them to have the same opportunities he himself has received.









Last year, once again the ALLHIM charity received an amazing response to the appeal made for a plate of food at Christmas. Several hundred people were again able to receive a nutritious Christmas meal.

Are you able to help us this year? We are again requesting your contributions towards a plate of food to make the orphans' Christmas special. There is also a continuing need within the village of Mukoko and it is hoped that your generosity



will provide sufficient funds to enable food to be provided to the villagers. We are requesting £4.00 per plate of food. Your donations would be hugely appreciated and should be received by no later than Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> November.

For sponsors who would like their sponsored child/ren to receive a Christmas gift, please write cheques to ALLHIM and send them to the Charity address by no later than Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> November, indicating the name of your sponsored child. As in previous years, the charity will liaise with the head teacher on the most suitable gift to the value of your donation.

Apologies for the early request for donations but, as mentioned in previous newsletters, those involved in the processing of gifts received – both here and in Uganda – all work in excess of fulltime hours and schedules get much too tight closer to Christmas. Also, the pupils at Mother Janet leave school at the end of November for their home villages, as school finishes then until they restart in February. Early receipt of gifts will ensure they are received in time for the recipients to take their gifts home when they leave.

Thank you.



# PRAISE AND PRAYER

### We praise God for:

His ongoing protection and guidance for those in great need in Uganda;

Support provided by sponsors, both financially and prayerfully.

#### Please pray for:

All those we support - children and adults alike - in dire need;

God's continued provision and strength.



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#### EARLY CHRISTMAS WISHES TO ALL OUR SUPPORTERS

#### FROM ALL AT ALLHIM CHARITY

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