



*Witness Always. **MERCY FOREVER.** Life Together.*

CHRIST'S CARE FOR CHILDREN: KENYA/PROJECT 24



Catechetical Club Competition

This last week, we were able to gather all of the children from the six Project 24 sites as well as the staff members for our Catechetical Club Competition. We began the festivities with John Kissinger, our director, leading everyone in a procession, singing all the way to the event site (seen to the left). The ELCK Acting

Archbishop Rev. Dr. Ochola opened the ceremony with ribbon cutting and prayers for the event. It was a great two days of performances from all of the children. The performances included recitation of the Sacrament of the Altar from the small Catechism, memory verses, poems, hymn singing, as well as a drama telling the story of Elijah and the prophets of Baal (seen below to the right). The children always look forward to this event as it is a time for all of them to come together and have fun with one another. It is also nice for the site managers and the ELCK leadership to come and meet once again. This network has helped improve the overall care for the children. We thank God for His continued blessing upon this program.



“But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ” 2 Peter 3:18

This Bible verse was the theme for our Catechetical Club Competition this April. We are always encouraging the children of the Project 24 sites to continue learning more about God through Bible reading and church attendance. They also partake in daily devotions at the sites. We were recently given a few gifts from Concordia Publishing House and Mr. Al Schreiber from Ida Grove, IA. Through these gifts, we were able to purchase children Bible resources through CPH and Luther's Small Catechism through LHF for each child. We pray that the children use these gifts to further their knowledge of their Lord and Savior.



Baptisms and Confirmation

We are happy to announce that in the last month, several of our students were baptized and confirmed in the faith. We praise God and celebrate these milestones in the children's lives. Thank you to our partner church, the ELCK, for continuing to nurture them in their faith.



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Project 24 Sites

Total Number of Students at the P24 sites: 190

Lenkishon: 25 Tumaini: 40

Othoro: 25 Udom: 50

Rongo: 25 Nyambiri: 25

Children in Secondary School: 70 students

Number of Students Sponsored as to date: 145