



**Today (Wednesday), World Vision is hosting the FIRST EVER “Choosing Party” in the Democratic Republic of Congo for the kids that were sponsored on Hillcrest’s Chosen Sunday!** The guests of honor at the party will be a group of children in the [community of Ledia](#). Instead of waiting to be chosen, they will walk into a room where the pictures we took on May 23 will be displayed. With smiles of power and hope on their faces, they will get to choose us!

After they decide who they want their sponsor to be, they will be invited to write a letter of why they chose us and then like any good party, spend the rest of the day in celebration with their family, friends and local World Vision Staff. They will be celebrating not only the fact that they got sponsored, but that they got to choose their sponsor!

For those of you who signed up for Chosen, be sure to stop by the lobby for Reveal Sunday where a group of pictures will hang outside the sanctuary. We invite you to come and find your picture and be introduced to your new friend. Along with the picture you will get a Chosen welcome packet which will provide more information on the child who chose you and the many ways your sponsorship not only supports your child but also the community they live in.

If you are unable to attend this Sunday, the display will stay up for a couple of weeks so you can have access to your child and sponsorship packet.