

Hard to compare!



When there are school holidays, Maisha has about 55-60 people living in the house. The current house has 3 small bedrooms with one for the nanny, house mother and the babies. The other two bedrooms have 3-sets of triple bunk beds for the girls. Often they have to move the furniture out of the living room onto the veranda and lay out mattresses on the living room floor and/or sleep two girls in a bed.

The new house has a total of five bedrooms with 1 on the ground floor, 3 on the 2nd floor and 1 large bedroom on the 3rd floor.

The current house has one bathroom with a portable potty in the outside yard. The girls get up early to heat water and go outside before dawn to bathe with tubs of water.

The new house has three simple bathrooms with a toilet and shower (sinks are in the halls) and one master bathroom with a shower and toilet and lots of floor space. If the funds allow we can add another shower and sink to the master bathroom.



Kitchen

The new kitchen is large enough for several people to help prepare meals.

In the current kitchen 2 people are about the most you could fit in the kitchen.

There is lots of cabinet space.



Living Room

With the dining room connected to the living room there is enough room for all the girls to gather for a whole house meeting.

The current living room is only half the size of the new living room.



Dining Room

The new house has a small handwashing sink in the corner of the dining room. There is also a large pass-thru to the kitchen.

There are some large built-in cabinets that will be removed and sold. That will give us more floor space in the dining room and living room.