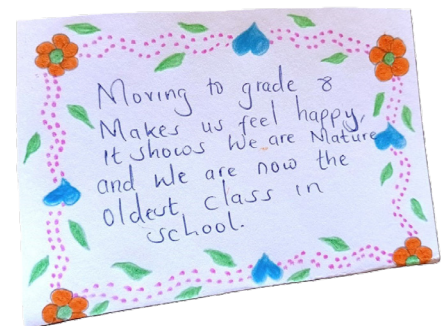
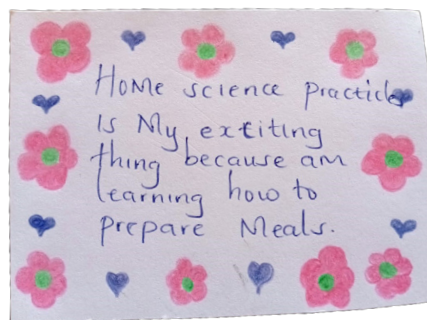
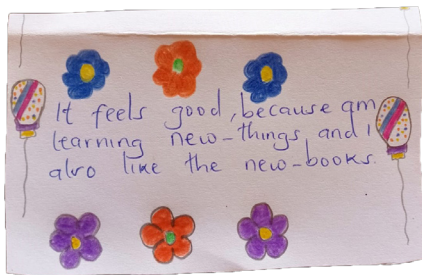


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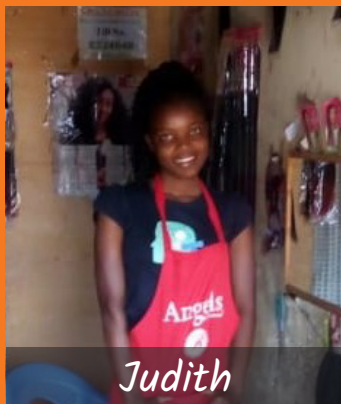
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## A NEW YEAR BRINGS NEW "FIRSTS" FOR OUR KIDS!

Each step forward for these children is huge and a cause for celebration! Our school year started in January and the kids advanced to the next grade level. We asked some of them how they felt about being in a new class, and what has been the most exciting thing so far...

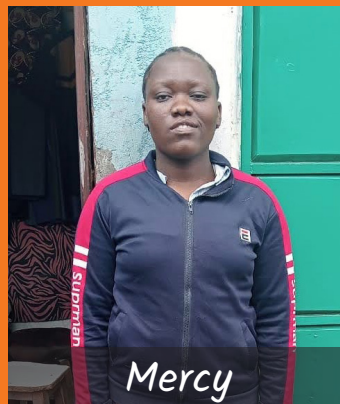


## THESE STUDENTS STARTED VOCATIONAL TRAINING!



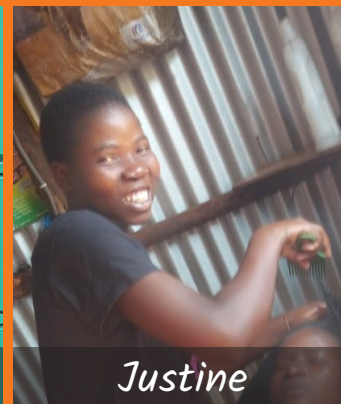
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Mercy

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Justine

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Leah

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## WE'RE GETTING A NEW LOOK!

Challenge Farm's website is getting a new look! What does this mean for you? Not only does the website have a new look, but the giving process will be much simpler and easier. Sponsors/donors will be able to log in, set up recurring gifts, give one-time gifts, and see a report of their year-to-date giving. Be sure to check out our new site [www.challengefarm.org](http://www.challengefarm.org). See all the new kids who need sponsors! Expect more details soon! Going live on March 26th!

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*Happy Easter from our Village!*



# LIFE AT THE FARM!

**WE HAVE A NEW TRUCK! THE KIDS ARE EXCITED AND SO IS THE STAFF...**



The old Mahindra truck was beyond repair. The roads and potholes in Kitale are bad and are rough on our vehicles! Thanks to our donors, ICC (International Christian Centre) Nairobi, and Globe International, we were able to purchase a used Toyota Hilux utility truck – PAID IN FULL! We will use the truck for hauling supplies and for local transportation. God is so good!

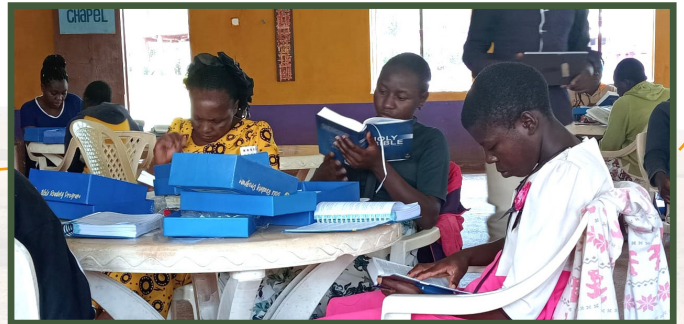
**FRESHLY PAINTED PLAYGROUND, AND NEW PLAY AREAS AND EQUIPMENT!**



We just painted the playground platform and the existing swings and seesaws. We're also in the process of building a sandpit for the little kids to play in and installing smaller swings for them. A basketball court with a paved surface is being installed near our soccer field. **Thank you, Steve & Terri Shoemaker for funding this special playground project for the kids!**



**BIBLE STUDY** - Grade 4 students learning about Jesus feeding the people from the boy's 5 small loaves and 2 fish. There was enough bread left over from Grade 4 to share with Pre-Primary 1 & 2 classes, and Grade 1 kids!



**DISCIPLESHIP** – The Discipleship group is off to a great start! The Class 7 and 8 students are reading through the Bible and journaling! We're also introducing grades 4, 5 and 6 to a Bible reading plan, since their reading ability has greatly improved through the school reading program!



Charles received Jesus as his Savior at ICC (Int'l Christian Center) Kitale! Charles recently started a 3-year course in Social Work and Community Development at a local Polytechnic.

We have a new calf named Linda!



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