

HOW CAN I LEARN MORE ABOUT PROVIDENCE?

You can find more information about Providence by going to our website at <http://providencekenya.org> or you can contact Larry Watson, U.S. Board Chairman and Executive Director, at larry@providencekenya.org.

HOW CAN I BECOME A DONOR?

PCH does not offer individual child sponsorships. However, it is possible to be a sponsor for an orphan home family. The cost to feed, clothe, educate, house, and care for the emotional, spiritual and social needs of each child is \$150 a month. Monthly contributions can be setup through the PCH website, designated for child support. Other donations may be designated for the construction of a new girl's dorm, the clinic, the school, college/vocational costs or for general expenses of PCH. The PCH Board is committed to covering all administrative costs for the organization, so 100% of your donation goes toward the mission of the PCH ministries.

Your financial gifts can be mailed to:

Providence Children's Home
P.O. Box 1419
Claremont, CA 91711-8419



PCH is a 501(c)3 organization. All donations in the U.S. are tax deductible.

I want to make a donation to PCH in the amount of:

\$10 \$25 \$50 \$100 Other _____

Designated for:

- Orphan Support New Girl's Dorm
 Clinic Supplies/Medicines School Books/Supplies
 College/Vocational Fund General

Checks should be written to PCH. Credit Card and electronic payments can be made through the PCH website at:

<http://providencekenya.org/give-2/>



PROVIDENCE CHILDREN'S HOME



The Providence Children's Home (PCH) was started for the purpose of supporting and caring for children whose parents have died of HIV/AIDS. This devastating disease has decimated an entire generation of Kenyans and left over 2 million of their children without parents. The organization was started in the late 1990's by the late Joram Gitau, himself a Kenyan, who felt a burning passion for the children of Kenya. Through his leadership, an existing boarding school was located with 16 acres of land, its own water well, public electricity, access on a main highway, and plenty of room for expansion. Though Joram died shortly before the acquisition of this property, his vision inspired the successful purchase and the school (renamed Joram Gitau Memorial Academy, JGMA, in his honor) opened in January, 2004. Later that year, an empty house on the property was converted into an orphan home. In 2012, a second home was completed. 47 orphan children currently live in these homes.



Our campus is near Matasia, Kenya, about 20 miles west of the capital, Nairobi. A long range plan has been developed for the careful evolution of the property into a sustainable enterprise for up to 20 homes supporting 400 orphans and an expanded school. The school is Pre-K through 12 with enrollment of over 500 students. We also operate a community clinic on the campus. A 3rd home is under construction.

Look inside to see how you can help us GROW!

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PCH ORPHANAGE



The Providence Orphanage is now home to 47 girls from many different tribes, some of which do not normally speak to each other. Yet the girls at PCH have become true sisters to each other under Kagendo's (House Mother) love and care. In order to maintain their tribal heritage and familial ties, each girl is provided an opportunity to travel back to their original tribal areas during the three school breaks each year. There, they connect with their extended families and stay connected to the cultural legacy of their birth parents. They attend classes at our school, are directly involved in providing food for the campus as part of their daily chores, and have become a regionally recognized singing group.



Ebenezer Home



Rehoboth Home



3rd Home Under Construction

PCH SCHOOL



The Joram Gitau Memorial (JGM) Academy provides a rich education for over five hundred elementary and secondary school children in the Matasia area. It is near capacity as its reputation has spread. Besides the core subjects, students at Providence engage in daily Bible study, learn vocational skills and receive leadership instruction to break the cycle of poverty and create future leaders of Kenya. It is the only school in the region with internet access enabling students to enrich their learning and reach out to the rest of the world. Kenya is moving forward to become a more technologically advanced country and Providence is providing the type of education needed to prepare students for a technology rich work force. We hope to add a new girl's high school dorm in 2015. Through the vision and support of our donors and Kenyan leadership, the JGM Academy has become regionally recognized for their educational excellence.



PCH CLINIC

With the support of Dr. Peter White, a community clinic, constructed from a converted 40' shipping container, was brought to the campus from the U.S. in 2010. It was briefly opened and operated by a team of doctors and nurses from the U.S. in July of that year. Over 500 people from the nearby communities visited the clinic during its brief opening of 10 days, indicating the serious need within the area. In November 2011, with support from the Methodist Church Kenya (MCK), the Providence Clinic was opened to the public. Through this connection, PCH has gained further recognition from



the United Methodist Church (UMC) in the U.S. as one of its Advance Programs. We are also a candidate for Volunteers In Missions (VIM) work teams, which perform short term mission projects. The Providence orphan children and the local community around Matasia now have access to long needed affordable health care. PCH has partnered with the United Methodist Church to help operate the Clinic and donations can be made through any UMC church through Advance #3019212.



MISSION TRIPS



Mission trips are made annually to our Kenya campus, enabling participants to get personally involved with PCH. The focus of each trip will be based on the collective skills and interests of the participants, and may include an optional African safari package. There will be a trip from Oct 24 – Nov 7, 2015. For information, contact

Larry Watson at (919) 805-4399 or e-mail to providence@providencekenya.org. To get more information about upcoming trips, visit our website: providencekenya.org.

