

Recabites Youth Ministries International



Dear friends/sponsors of the Recabites,

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Here an update again from our organisation. We will share with you what has been going on the last few months in our ministry and will mention points of thanks and prayers.

Piggery project

In the last newsletter we shared that a piggery disease was spreading in the region of our project. Over the course of numerous months, many pigs died because of this virus. We thank the Lord that as an organization our pigs have not been affected. The last few weeks the piggery disease in the region has reduced greatly and right now it has almost disappeared. As it was not clear in which way the piggery disease was spreading, we decided that only a few of us would visit the piggery



project and only if it was necessary, because we did not want to risk taking the virus with us. As the situation has improved, we have now been going to the project again for a bit over a month. We are



glad the situation is normalizing so again we can invite youth to the project. Also, we are glad we managed to build a new piggery house. The piggery house that our pigs used to stay in was made with a wooden floor, which needed to be maintained almost every two months and it was more difficult to keep clean. Now we built a piggery house with a concrete floor, which makes it easier to clean and it needs less maintenance. The pigs have been shifted and everything is moving on well.

Tailoring project

The tailoring school has been closed the last few months because of the Covid regulations. The students were sad that the school had to be closed and every time asked us when the school will open.

The tailoring school is beneficial to the girls, as it is common in Uganda for young ladies to get pregnant when they do not have a job or school to go to. With the school we thus want to teach them skills, but we also want to keep them busy so they will stay on the right path. Last week the Ugandan president held a new press conference and alleviated the regulations. We are happy that because of this the school can now reopen again, so we hope that next week we will be able to start teaching.



Savings group project single moms



The single moms have continued to save every week. It has not been possible to gather with a lot of women at once because of the corona crisis, but we did manage to stay in contact with the ladies and to monitor the project. As we have the desire to get to know the ladies that we work with better, we decided to start visiting the ladies at their home to spend some one-on-one time with them. In these visits, we discuss the family situation, possible issues, and dreams for the future amongst other things. It gives us a better picture of the situation that the ladies go through and which possible



investments they need to be more successful in life. Also, we are glad to share that we managed to hand out food in July, because of a generous donation. During the lockdown many families were struggling to feed their families, so we are thankful that by handing out food we managed to relieve the struggle a bit. Of course it is a temporary solution and that is why we keep on partnering with the ladies to look for more structural solutions. We ask your prayers for the single moms who have taken out a loan, that their investments will have positive results on the long term.

In conclusion

All in all, the Lord has been faithful to us. We are glad that our pigs are still alive and healthy, and that they have a new house which will be beneficial for our organisation for years to come. We are glad that soon the tailoring school will resume and that the ladies can gather again to save together.

Thank you for reading this newsletter and for your continuous prayers. May God bless you.

Connected in Christ,
Anifu, Ben-Alex, Elise, Joel and William



Thanking:

- For the pigs as they survived the piggery disease
- For the commitment of the single moms to the savings project
- For the possibility to open the tailoring school again

Praying:

- For the businesses, which the single moms have invested in, to flourish
- For enough fabric and materials to run the tailoring school
- For some of our ministry members who are struggling financially

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