



Oscar- our new hydrocephalic baby



Thanks for the dresses and quilts!!



Hope - a new little girl



A weekly children's meeting

Dear Welcome Home Friends and Family,

Life is busy at Welcome Home. There is always a lot of activity no matter where you look on our property except at nap time. Even then there is still movement as our staff gather each day for a time of worship and prayer of thankfulness for God's provision, also thankfulness for the health of the children and all the staff. After this prayer time is a bit of much deserved relaxation and a meal for the adults while all the older children are resting. There is nearly always a little one being fed in the preemie house.

Care International, a Hospital in Mbale near Mt. Elgon plays an important role in the lives of many of the village children that we help who have **Hydrocephalus** "water on the brain". This month they have started to treat our new baby Oscar. <on Left>. With the help of one of our staff who knew his very distraught mum we were able to persuade her not to abandon him but to work through the right channels with us so that he could be admitted to the home and receive treatment. Because he is receiving care at such a young age he should recover well.

One of our village boys Noah about 4 years old (he had surgery at about 2) was visiting in July when our California team volunteered. Noah was at the main entrance of the home greeting several of us when he noticed a very tall man with a limp, the one visible reminder that just 3 years ago this man was a quadriplegic unable to move a finger. When Noah recognized this man as one of his own (an overcomer), he with great determination and using his 2 walking sticks went to greet Jamie with a big smile and a "Hi Five". Both Jamie - Noah are reminders of Gods love, grace and healing. (see <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DivRJM65ADc>)

Baby Hope <Left>. Was brought to us by the police for her care and protection because her mother was mentally ill an unable to care for her. She will soon thrive with the love and a stable home.

A Forever Family!!!. Something so desired by all children



Alex and Olivia finally arrive home with mum and dad to Canada after a 10 month procedural delay at the Canadian High Commission.

Blessings from Your Welcome Home Family



Our preschoolers leaving class



Susan above & below (right)—new life.



Ruth and Susan -mum and dad in album



Changing a village with weekly adult study

PREEMIES (13) Annamie, Andrew, Caroline, Evelien, George, Henry, Hope, Jacob, Joseph Julius, Marlinde, Oscar, Ronald **BABIES (19)** Adam, Agnes, Christine L, Christine N, Christopher, Davina, Dean, Esther, Esther N, Nickolas, Ian, Joshua Gimeyi, Josiah, Katrina, Martina Nakato, Megan, Naomi Gift, Patrick, Ruth. **TODDLERS(38)** Allan M., Benjamin, Brenda, Brian, Charity, Charles, David, Edwin, Elizabeth, Emmanuel, Faith, Gloria Misaki, Grace Kisakye, Henry, Immaculate, James K, James Waiswa, Jessica Pretty, Joel, Jonan, Joram Latif, Martin, Mary, Mercy, Nick, Onduro Gloria, Owen, Paul (Nino), Peter (Kayita), Resty Kako, Ryan, Samuel, Shiba, Spencer, Susan, Tonney, Victor, Wilson [NEW (bold), MOVED (Underlined) Twins not Identified]

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