

Hands of Hope November Newsletter – 2011

"Then these righteous ones will reply, 'Lord, when did we ever see you hungry and **feed** you? Or thirsty and give you something to drink? Or a stranger and show you hospitality? Or naked and give you clothing? When did we ever see you sick or in prison, and visit you?' And the King will tell them, 'I assure you, when you did it to one of the **least** of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!' Matt 25:37-40

Feeding the 2,000!

You probably remember the historic accounts of Jesus feeding the 5,000 and 4,000! HOH has the privilege through local Zimbabwe churches to feed **2,000** children at risk every day. The pastors along with their feeding



project teams are able to provide hope, comfort and instruction through God's Word. We have 6 preschools 5 of them are in rural areas. One of the children pictured in the Mwanza preschool is a 6 year old girl by the name of Tadiwa Chere. **Tadiwa** lost both parents and is staying with her maternal grandmother. She lives in a very challenging set-up since the grandma's source of income is brewing illicit liquor called *kachasu* (a beverage with very high alcohol content). Her grandma has been arrested several times by the local police thus adding to little Tadiwa's plight. Pastor Sikiyana and his church body love Tadiwa by providing food and daily instruction via the preschool. We praise God for such dedicated church workers!

Shalom adds Children

Perhaps you remember that Social Welfare shut down the "Shalom" home quite some time ago. Shalom was finally granted their official registration recently. I just received an email from the Greystone Park Church team and they have just welcomed 3 new children. One is an **8 week** old baby, who was very sick. However she is almost sleeping through the night and is starting to settle into her new home. The two older children (4 and 6) go to the pre-school at the church each day and are enjoying the stimulation through friendships they are making. We hope to provide some more details about these **precious little one's** in the near future!

We are amazed at what our gracious Lord is doing in rescuing orphans through His humble Zimbabwe servants! We are also **thankful** for all of you who make it possible to love and feed children in Jesus' name. Thanks!

For Him and for the children,
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