

Rwanda 2017 Praises and Joys

Christ has no body now but yours; No hands, no feet on earth but yours.

Yours are the eyes through which he looks; Compassion on this world.

Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good; Yours are the hands with which he blesses the world.

~~John Michael Talbot, from *The Lessons of St. Francis*



Praises for 2017

- Our Urukundo School has 570 children, preschool thru 5th. This year we enrolled 140 preschoolers.
- Lunch is provided to many of our schoolchildren, possibly their main meal of the day.
- Pastor Yves was hired to lead Sunday worship, evening devotions and minister in the community.
- 12 of our oldest Urukundo kids are attending university or technical school.
- Dental program offers free scanning for school children and free care for street girls from Kigali City.
- 25 Layette kits a month are distributed to new moms at our local clinic. Healthcare info is provided.
- Rwandan Board of Education approved our request to open a Secondary School, grades 7-12.
- Our Rwandan staff of 84 includes an executive director, HR manager, pastor, headmaster, teachers, mamas to the children, farmers, sewing, computer and dental instructors and other support staff.
- Partnerships continue with elementary and high school students, pen pals and Sunday Schools



Pastor Yves and his family



Education is their Future



Our Dental Clinic