



**Sincere Thanks:** As we begin a new year, we want to take this opportunity to extend our heartfelt thanks for the support that our donors have provided to Life4Kids during the past year. We have overcome



*Female staff at Life4Kids in Nairobi, Kenya*

many challenges at the home in Nairobi: a devastating fire in the home in February; the COVID-19 pandemic that closed schools and imposed a



*Male staff at Life4Kids in Nairobi, Kenya*

curfew in Nairobi, and drought in parts of Kenya and floods in other parts that caused food shortages. But, through it all, our staff in Kenya has been wonderful and our donors faithful.

**Sponsorship Program:** We introduced a new concept in this Journal last month. And we are delighted by the response. If you have an interest in sponsoring a boy for \$170 per month (*either personally or with a group of friends*), please contact Fred Hacker at 705.526.9867 or [fred@itvision.ca](mailto:fred@itvision.ca)



**Donate Now:** If sponsorship is not possible for you to undertake, we would be grateful for your financial support. If you could set up a monthly donation, that would be so helpful in meeting rising costs. Go to [www.life4kidsCanada.ca](http://www.life4kidsCanada.ca) and click “**Donate Now**”.



*Christmas cheer from some of the Life4Kids boys*

**Christmas Greetings:** Six of the boys in Santa hats (and one with facial make up) extend Season’s Greetings on behalf of Life4Kids.

**Meet Paul VanderWel:** Our Life4Kids Canada Board has seven members, each of whom brings special skills and experience to our volunteer work. Paul is a prime example. With a background as a senior corporate executive at McCain Foods and post-retirement as CEO of an NGO, Canadian Executive Service Organization, Paul brings a wealth of international experience and insight to our Board.

