

Sharing Families-Rwanda

In celebration of Women's History Month, we are highlighting one of our brightest. Meet Jeannine Uwiringiyimana, a success story from the Station School. When we first started our sponsorship program, Jeannine was so grateful, she not only wrote a letter, she wrote a poem for our visit. The poem is titled: This is the Day. Here is an excerpt:



This is the day of acknowledgement.
This is the day that we are so grateful.
This is the day we wanted to welcome you.
This is the day we show how we love you.
As you loved us, we are thankful.

Thanks to the generosity of our Sharing Families, we were able to offer two high school scholarships, one of which Jeanine was a recipient. She attended a technical high school. Prior to her first day in class, she had never touched a computer. Jeanine graduated 2nd in her class, and was in charge of liturgy at the school. Her sharing family continues to fund her studies and she is now attending the university in Kigali. When possible, she goes back to the Station School to help and inspire others. Like all the students, Jeanine prays for us every day and hopes to someday come to our parish to thank us in person.

This is only one of so many beautiful life changing stories. The Sharing Families of St. Elizabeth of the Trinity are making a difference in the world.



Station School presenting poem



First day of high school



High school graduation



Back at the Station School to help plant

All the children send their love and hope we are staying safe.

Thank you to everyone who is participating in the Sharing Families Program. The children will never forget that your genericity has provided a life changing opportunity. They are forever grateful.

The cost to become a sponsor is \$25.00 per student, however, any size donation is appreciated. You can give at any time by making a check payable to St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Parish. Please be sure to mark on the memo portion of the check "Station School". You can also donate online via Faith Direct. Follow our progress on this remarkable journey at www.stelizabethtrinity.org and see the hope and smiles in the eyes of the children. We have given the gift of a brighter future and we have received the gift of an extended family.

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