

Uganda Girls Project

St. Mary by the Sea Parish, Rockaway Beach, Oregon

September 20, 2025



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE. . .

Dear Friends,

I take this opportunity to thank you greatly together with the Team behind the sponsorship of our girls. Your great support has enabled us to go



through the first two terms successfully with all our girls in good financial standing!

Candidates in S4 and S6 are already back from their term break. Those two levels come back early for an extra push of preparation as they prepare for their final National Exams that will begin October 13th.

Receiving your scholarship donations helps to give us the ability to be on stable financial ground with many students who rely on your help!

I hope you enjoyed our video that showed the addition of classes for our new curriculum. We have prepared for these additions well ahead of time so that we can be leaders in meeting our government's directives. Receiving your scholarship donations helps to give us the ability to be on stable financial ground with many students who rely on your help.

Thank you for all you have done for us!

Sister Maria Theresa, Principal

A message from the St. Mary by the Sea, Uganda Girls Project Team. . . September 20, 2025

Granddaughter of Bishop Desmond Tutu, Mungi Ngomane, shares thoughts she learned from her grandfather. She writes: *If we are able to see ourselves in other people, our experience in the world will inevitably be a richer, kinder, a more connected one. If we look at others and see ourselves reflected back, we inevitably treat people better! This is the African belief of Ubuntu!*

I like to think that sharing in another family's humanity by supporting their children to be educated with our scholarship donations is also a form of **Ubuntu**. We belong to each other, friends! It's more than kindness, it recognizes a child's worth as much as our own. It's Ubuntu. With humility and gratitude we thank you so much for all your support these many years!

With the coming of a change in seasons, we too will be having many changes coming. Please bear with us these next couple of months as we navigate these challenges. Because of changes in our parish, we will need to process donations for St. Aloysius through a new Daughters of Mary 501c3 and new website, beginning at the end of October. We have been patiently waiting for the website information that we will need by then. Sr. Immaculate has had some difficulties and is working to ensure the site will run smoothly very soon. For now, if you are interested in mailing a check to the new address where Sr. Immaculate lives along with four other Daughter of Mary sisters, please mail to:

Daughters of Mary Sisters
c/o Sr. Immaculate
136 Lynn St.
Peabody, MA 01960

(Make your check out to "Daughters of Mary" with "St. Aloysius School" in the memo line of your check. And please include your email address so the sisters can quickly let you know they have received your check)

You can still donate through the St. Mary by the Sea website until the end of October.

Thank you, friends, for your understanding and patience during this time of transition! We appreciate you!

Daughters of Mary convent in Peabody, MA

(Sadly, they are not allowed to fundraise where they live and work.)





As always

Thank you, friends and patrons!

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Thank you for your very generous donations! Sister appreciates all you have done for her girls. Future donation checks should be made out to St. Mary by the Sea Church. (Please write UGANDA on the memo line) and mail to:

St. Mary by the Sea
ATTN: Catherine Imbrie
P.O Box 390
Rockaway Beach, OR 97136

OR give online at: www.stmarybythesea.com click on Online Giving and under Fund choose St.Aloysius School in Uganda.

THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS!