

### 1. What is the City on A Hill project?

Twenty-eight years after Karura Community Chapel's launch, we are still "dwelling in tents!" From our humble start at Gigiri Kindergarten with borrowed tents for fewer than 100 attendees, we have grown step-by-step, buying our first tent and chairs, moving to our land in 2002, and expanding into a mega-dome tent in 2006.

In 2018, we began the City on a Hill building project, launching pledging campaigns to fund a worship and community center. Since then, God has enabled us to build a children's facility serving over 800 kids every Sunday. Construction of the main structure began in April 2023, and by 2025, we achieved all 8 key portals to the glory of the Lord.

A City on a Hill will be a beacon for Christ, mobilizing an equipped and passionate people to engage the world. This discipleship center will serve as a hub for spiritual, physical, psychological, and social healing, fulfilling God's call to our community and beyond.

#### 2. What is the progress so far

We thank God for the progress made and appreciate all teams involved.

- Main Sanctuary: Roof steel structure in progress; budget KSh 20M.
- Gallery: Awaiting redesigning by the engineer; initial costing was KSh 34M.
- Toilets: Foundations excavated, steel procured, and samples sent for lab testing. Budget for superstructure: KSh 8.7M.

#### 3. Who is the Guest of Honor for the September 7th fundraiser?

It has been six years since we broke ground, and by God's grace, we have made great progress. In the past, individuals have graciously served as Guests of Honor, and we deeply appreciate their contributions.

This year, we believe God is reminding us that this work is a shared responsibility, and so, every member of the church will be the Guest of Honor.

### 4. Why was the fundraiser moved from December to September?

The current needs of the project guided the decision to move the fundraiser forward to September. As the construction progresses, we have reached a critical phase, roofing, where continued work depends on the availability of funds.

Initially, we had planned to hold the next major fundraiser in December. However, due to the pace of construction and the financial demands of this key stage, it became clear that waiting until then would slow down the momentum we've worked so hard to build.

By coming together earlier, in September, we hope to raise the necessary support to allow the contractor to continue without disruption and keep the project on track. This is a pivotal moment, and with your continued commitment, we believe we can push through this next phase successfully.

# 5. If KES 20 Million Is Needed for the Roofing, Why Are We Targeting a Total of KES 30 Million by December?

While KES 20 million is urgently required to complete the roofing works, the full fundraising goal of KES 30 million has been set to ensure that we don't lose momentum once the roof is completed.

The additional KES 10 million is meant to give us a head start on the next phase of construction immediately after roofing. This allows the contractor to continue working seamlessly without unnecessary delays, helping us stay on track toward the timely completion of the sanctuary.

## 6. Can I give in-kind donations towards the project instead of cash?

Yes. You can contact Eric on **254724103472** for more information, including the list of required items and verified suppliers.

# 7. How much do I need to contribute during the fundraiser period?

Giving is a very personal and intimate encounter. This is truly up to you based on your personal alignment or commitment to what God and the Holy Spirit spurs you to give. We encourage you to consult with God in prayer.

### 8. How do I give?

You can give in cash or through the following channels

**Bank: KCB** 

Branch: Village Market Kes. A/C No. 1104059983

USD – GT Bank Account no. 2250007814

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