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**Name** : Midlands Orphanage &  
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**Bank** : First National Bank

**Branch** : Estcourt

**Branch Code** : 220325

**Account Number** : 62044325448

**Swift Address** : FIRNZAJJ

### Registration Certificate for a Place of Care

Reference No. 10/1/7/1/2 - 03/03

### Reg. Section 21 Non. Profit Company

Registration No. 2002/009330/08

### Tax Exemption Public Benefit Organisation

Registration No. 930001347

### Fund Raising No:

022670

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## A ministry of MIDLANDS CHRISTIAN CENTRE

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### Our staff requirements are as follows:-

- Preferably a married couple, who we can mentor to manage the operational side of Ikhaya Lethu.
- A young person, who can plan daily activities for the children.
- Volunteers who can come for short periods to be temporary house mothers to relieve the permanent house mothers. We have found that performing this function has been a life changing experience for volunteers.

### Our financial needs:-

- Playground equipment for the children.
- Funding for our Grace nursery.
- Ongoing operational funding for Ikhaya Lethu.

### Our Spiritual needs:-

- A spirit-filled born again Christian, preferably Zulu speaking, who can take care of the spiritual needs of the children.
- Fervent prayer as we are constantly in spiritual warfare.

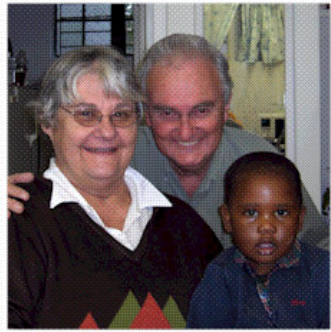


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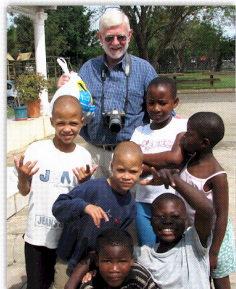


# IKHAYA LETHU (OUR HOME)

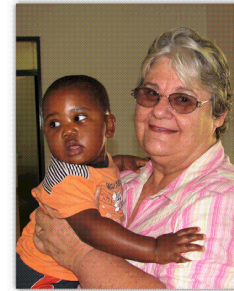
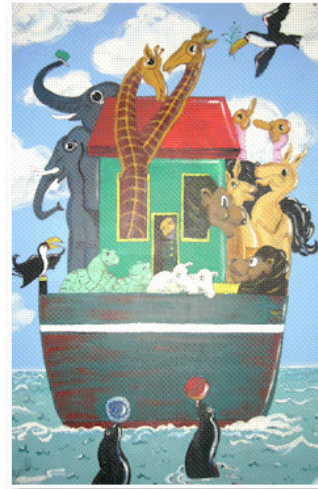
There is an urgent need for the many orphans in our area and beyond to be cared for in a loving, Christian environment and, in this regard, God answered prayer and an ideal property in Colenso became available, which we purchased in October 2001. This property is now called Ikhaya Lethu (Zulu for "Our Home"). It took 3½ years to negotiate and build before we were certified as a registered child care centre in July 2004.



We are presently at our capacity of 100 children, which includes babies. Application has been made to increase our capacity to 150, as approximately 80 children had to be turned away in 2007.



Our Grace nursery capacity is 22 babies and, as they grow older, we introduce them into house families. A general kitchen serves the babies, as well as our visitors and volunteer workers.

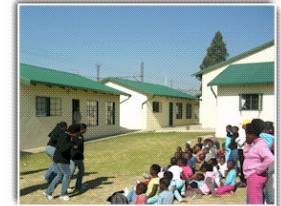


We have a High Care Centre, which we have equipped to care for HIV+ children who are in the last stage of infection. Ten percent of our children have been identified as HIV+. Fifty percent of our children are orphans, mainly as the result of HIV/AIDS, while the remainder come from backgrounds of abuse, neglect or abandonment. The children are placed at Ikhaya Lethu by a

magistrate's order for a period of 6 months, 2 years or longer, depending on the government assessment.



We have 10 fully equipped, 3-bedroomed houses, each to accommodate a house mother and 8 children.



A hall takes care of the children's recreational needs, as well as providing a working area for them to do their homework each day.



God has opened the doors for us to be given a double storey building on a large piece of land in the centre of Colenso, where we will be able to build additional houses, as well as using the property for other God-given plans in the future.

We are a registered Section 21 Company, governed by a Board of Directors. Our auditors are Lee Oosthuizen Inc.