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FOCUS ON: LFSM EDUCATION

Living Spring Campus Fellowship

LSFM Education Fund

Happy Valentine's Day from LFSM, Cape Town, South Africa

While February in the U.S. may mean Groundhog Day, Presidents Day, Valentine's Day, and some more cold weather...February in South Africa means ONE THING.....SCHOOL REGISTRATION!

In South Africa, once February registration fees are missed, a student cannot enter the second semester and misses the school year. College-bound youth face high registration fees (\$150-200) and books (\$300-500). Private companies offer bursaries but there is no government financial aid system. Primary and secondary education is subsidized in SA, but it is NOT free. Food and transport are NOT provided and there are compulsory registration fees and uniforms (shoes and blazers, too!). For unemployed township parents and child-headed families the average of \$500 per child per school term is unattainable. THERE ARE IMMEDIATE NEEDS and these disadvantaged students do need help!

You can help! Go to www.lsfmusa.org and DONATE TO THE LFSM EDUCATION FUND!

We are in love with our new ministry arrival! February saw the launch of Living Spring Campus Fellowship (LSCF) at the University of the Western Cape (UWC) as an LFSM ministry initiative to holistically transform South African communities. LSCF meets on twice a week and provides students with spiritual, social, and academic support (computer literacy, test-taking, etc.) to help them achieve success!



ltoR: UWC, Gabriel & Worship leader Kwang Woo, Gab at LSCF, UWC students at Orientation, LSCF Info table, UWC students, LSCFvolunteers, Deb & Fred Kory

