



FOCUS
SOCIAL & ECONOMIC

LOCATION
NYANZA REGION, KENYA

LEADER
DANIEL OCHIENG

OUR MINIMUM ANNUAL TARGET
£2000

Within the different activities of this varied project is a sewing centre. The programme lasts for a year and although it is mostly ladies who come to be trained, some men are involved in the training programme. There are two sewing teachers and one of them was the first orphan boy to be taken in by Daniel and his wife at the outset of this ministry. On one of our visits to this project the two members of our team who visited were measured up and given a shirt each the next morning. This was both a welcome gift but also evidence of the capacity of the teachers.

As is the case in most developing countries a sewing skill is something that can be used either in a commercial environment or in the home. This means that a lady, in particular, with her own sewing machine can be available to look after her children but also work at the production of garments that help to generate finance to pay for meals for the family and education for the children.

Daniel Ochieng, who is the founder and driving force in this project, has been heavily engaged over the years, together with a team of men, in planting churches. Together they have planted a significant number of local churches in the last two decades. Daniel, however, has a heart for the practical needs of those in his community and in particular for the widows and orphans.

Daniel has shown himself over the years to be both committed to the community and effective in his efforts.

The location is remote and it is a generally deprived area with little or no economic development.

