

### THE POVERTY

The people living in Kware, Kenya, face the harsh realities of poverty every day. Of the 35,000 residents, 64% are children with a staggering 45% being homeless.

What is more, the community is affected by HIV/AIDS, cholera, typhoid, alcohol and drug abuse, and crime. A lack of formal infrastructure for sewage and garbage control creates unacceptable living conditions.



### VICODEC: RESPONDING TO THE NEED



**Victory Community Development Center (VICODEC)** is designed to act as a beacon for the community of Kware. VICODEC strives to help community members address their issues of poverty and work toward the elimination of social and economic divisions. Focusing on children, VICODEC provides food, medicine, education, and empowers the children and the adults to change their lives.

#### JOIN US

VICODEC cannot undertake this mission alone. *They need our help.*

Please, consider sponsoring a child for just \$300 per year. This donation will ensure the care every child needs starting with food and education. Lessons taught in the classroom are brought home creating a strong foundation for positive family and community growth. Help the children of VICODEC improve their lives, their families, their communities.

### THE BENEFITS

Child sponsorship provides resources that will help children grow and become engaged in improving their personal situation and the community around them.

For \$300 a year, a child in need receives:

- School uniforms, fees, books and tuition
- Morning porridge and lunch
- Basic health care for the child and guardians
- Additional food supplies and counseling services for their guardians
- Food, medical resources and support programs to ensure healthy development even after they leave the VICODEC classroom

### HOW IT WORKS

Three easy steps to helping a child in need:

- View the child profiles of those in need of your support: [www.usventure.com/VICODEC](http://www.usventure.com/VICODEC)
- Select a child (*note we cannot guarantee a specific child's availability*)
- Complete the Child Sponsorship Pledge Form

As a sponsor, you will receive:

- A welcome message from U.S. Venture including additional information about the program and a picture of your child
- Personalized greetings from your child and their family throughout the year
- A tax deductible donation confirmation