



**M E E T**

**Johnson Wambua**

**H I S T O R Y**

Reverend Johnson Wambua was raised in Makueni, Kenya and graduated from Scott Christian University in 2000 with a BA in Theology. He then began work as a full-time pastor, and has planted several churches over the past 20 years. He received his MA in Christian Counseling from Nairobi International School of Theology in 2009, and is married with four adult children.

**Johnson's ministry focus is evangelizing and discipling the next generation through academics, sports, and the transforming power of the gospel.** His work is centered in two locations, in Mathare Valley Slums, where children live in poverty and lack basic necessities such as food, healthcare, and education and in Masai land, where migrating families uproot their children continuously.

In 2005, at AIC Zion Church in Mathare, Johnson began a primary school with 16 children and christened it AIC Zion Education Center. Since its opening, AIC Zion has added high school classes, and the number of students has increased to 600. Students enjoy a playground, breakfast and lunch, a health facility, modern bathrooms, and sports and drama programs. Johnson then opened Lion of Judah Wisdom School in Masai land in 2018. The primary school has 150 students, and Johnson obtained enough land to expand the existing school, add a high school, and plant crops to provide meals for the children.

Rev. Wambua covets our prayers for the continued safety, health, and educational success of the children, as their national test scores largely determine their futures.

**The Bible Chapel has partnered with Rev. Wambua since 2010.**

**October 2024**

**P R A I S E**

- **AIC Zion - Mathare Slum - Nairobi, Kenya**
  - Praise God for the insights gathered during ABTS's online education consultation last month. Thank God for Dr. Meekins and Dr Marshfield who flew to Chiang Mai to provide this pro bono training to ABTS's staff.
  - Praise God for Jim's successful trip to Nepal earlier this month.
- **Lion of Judah Wisdom School - Emali, Kenya**
  - Rev Wambua visited a poultry farm in Atlanta and learned a lot to take back to Nairobi and apply there
  - bright has received a gift for pavers in front of primary school. No more dust!
  - Bbright has received a gift for Lab equipment for girls to continue their studies

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- **AIC Zion - Mathare Slum - Nairobi, Kenya**
  - Land for sports
  - Land for construction of 12 stone wall classrooms
  - Land for construction of new church sanctuary. The existing one has become small with the increase in population
  - Church spiritual growth.
  - Great leadership skills in the church elders, pastors, etc.
  - Students academics and sports development.
- **Lion of Judah Wisdom School - Emali, Kenya**
  - Completion of the dining hall complex.
  - Needs for another better girls high dormitory.
  - Another water well to provide more water for irrigation. To grow food for the school.
- Purchase land next to borehole for irrigation and build dam \$16,000
- Purchase land near AIC Zion \$60,000