

# GLOBAL HUMANITARIAN MISSION

## PROJECT PROPOSAL

### QUEEN OF HOPE MISSION

*Compassionate Franciscan Sisters of the Poor*



Buruburu Farmers, Nairobi  
KENYA

# Overview

The **Compassionate Franciscan Sisters of the Poor** is an international religious community of dedicated Missionary Sisters of the Roman Catholic Church, which was first jointly founded in 1996 in the Philippines and Jamaica, by Rev. Mother Joan Clare Chin Loy, OSF, and The Very Rev. Fr. Richard Ho Lung, MOP.

Inspired by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and the life and Charism of their Patron, St. Francis of Assisi, **CFSOP** has been humbly and freely offering their works of mercy and compassion to the least of their poorest brothers and sisters.

In the slums of Chokaa, Nairobi, The **CFSOP** community has established a vital new mission, with the help of Rev. Fr. Brian Kerr (MOP Founding Member and CFSOP Co-Founder), where currently there are over **15** young vocations, serving impoverished children, unemployed abandoned mothers, and the elderly.

The Sisters provide daycare and evening assistance with full meals and educational stimulation and evangelization for **25** young children, babies and two special needs children, as well as several *ShoShos* (elderly grandmothers). The Sisters also help at their Hope Centre, providing breakfast and lunch for **50** young students - the only meals that they can be assured of each day.

Recently, two children tragically burned to death when their single mother was forced by her factory to work in the nights, so now, the **CFSOP** have opened a care center for infants and young children, to enable their mothers to work, day or night, confident that their children are safe and lovingly cared for by Sr. Davina.



*"The Lord is good to all; He has compassion on all he has made."*

Psalms 145:9



# Where They Are



Coordinates: 1.2553° S, 36.9623° E



# Project Snapshot

**Global Humanitarian Mission** as a Christian organization, recognizes the vital mission the **Compassionate Franciscan Sisters of the Poor** is offering humbly and freely to the least of their poorest brothers and sisters in the slums of Chokaa, Nairobi.

**GHM** is establishing the ***Queen of Hope Convent & Mission Center*** project to provide **58** Sisters with a decent home and a Mission Center, in which to carry out their mission of mercy. Currently, they live in a small rented 2-bedroom house, and classes are taught in an old converted chicken coop shed.

The 3-story complex will be built on land gifted to the **CFSOP**, with the potential for adding another floor. It will be equipped with the following:

- Convent
- Formation house for all stages of early formation, up to First Profession of Vows, including
  - A separate floor for Senior Professed and Junior Professed Sisters
  - Headquarters for Kenya and Africa
  - Volunteer lodgings, including oversees friends, Associates, and family members attending retreat
- Mission center, including school/daycare center

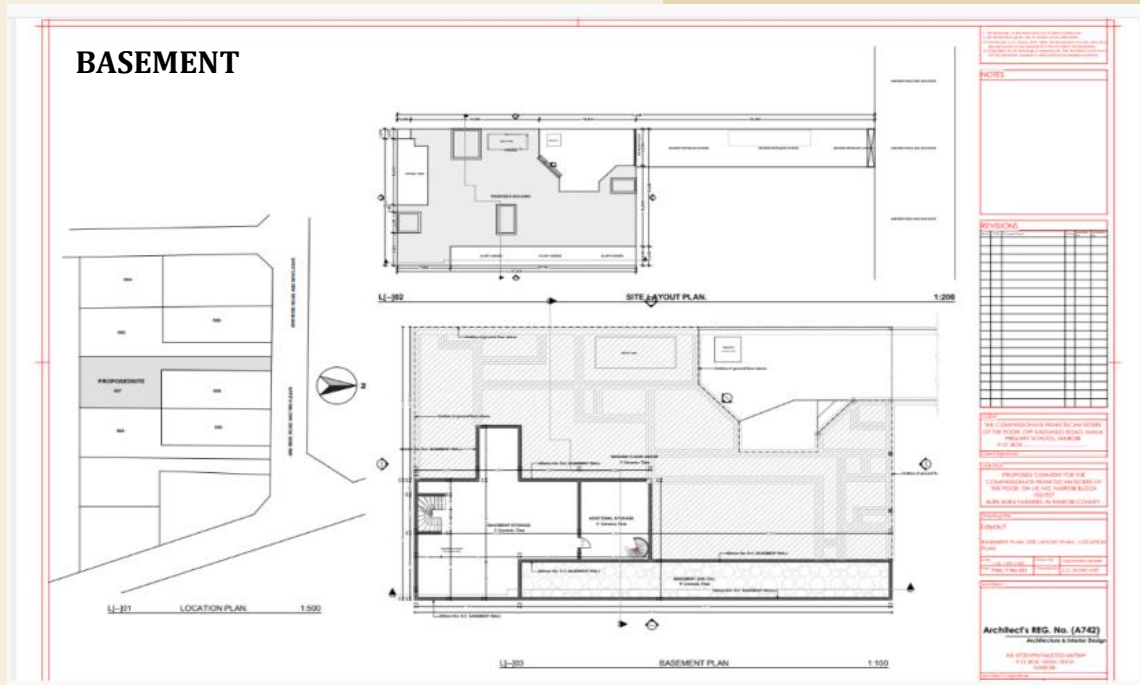
**640** individuals will directly benefit from this project, including Sisters, Apostolate Ministries, Lay volunteers and Associates.

**TOTAL COST: \$534,523.00**

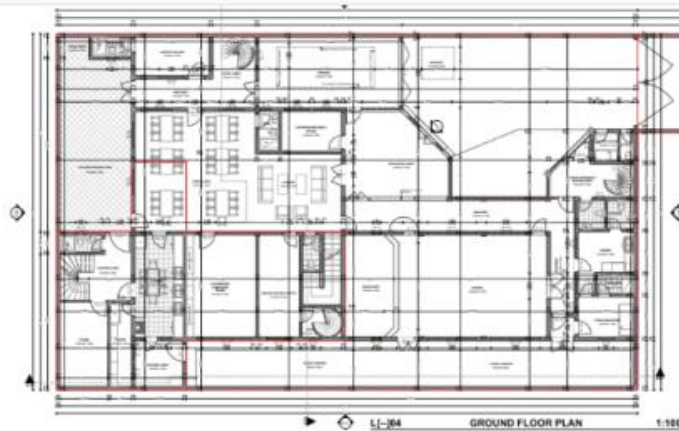


*Recent groundbreaking on the future site of the Queen of Hope Mission Center*

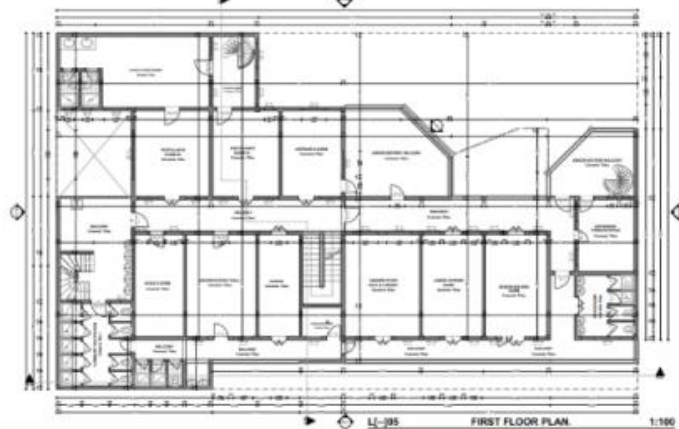
# The Plans



## GROUND FLOOR



## FIRST FLOOR



**NOTES**

1. THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CITY OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, PLANNING AND ZONING ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, AND THE CITY OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, PLANNING AND ZONING ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, AND THE CITY OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, PLANNING AND ZONING ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED.

**REVISIONS**

NO.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
1	01/15/2024	ISSUED FOR PERMIT

**ARCHITECT'S REG. NO. (A742)**  
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# *Angels in Chokaa*



*Classroom (former chicken coop)*

*Formator's mini dorm*



# *Mercy and Compassion*



*"Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.'" Matthew 19:14*



# From Global Humanitarian Mission

*The Compassionate Franciscan Sisters of the Poor need you!*

They are faithfully living out the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and the life and Charism of their Patron, St. Francis of Assisi, under the most miserable circumstances. *They have nothing but their faith in God.*

*Just think how far-reaching your gifts will be!*

*32,630 individuals living in upper and lower Chokaa will benefit  
from the light of your love!*



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