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Location: **Nairobi, KENYA**

Mission: **Christian education**



### A Trip to Ruiru

It was a very hot Wednesday when I visited Ruiru Town Church, an hour's drive outside Nairobi. It brought back happy memories of working in the parish. Years ago, I was involved in the children's ministry within the 12 congregations. Over time, the number of churches increased, causing the parish to be subdivided again and again. Now it is a whole Presbytery in its own right!

The building sits on prime land with just a boundary wall between it and the noisy main road on one side and a bustling market on the other. The central location ensures that it continues to be a hub for church activities.

Climbing the stairs to the offices behind the sanctuary brought me to the door of the Theological Education by Extension (TEE) outlet, staffed by Rosaria and Emily. This is the busiest TEE branch of the department. In the month of January, over 500 books were sold. Each one representing a student who has enrolled in a TEE programme.

The office space is quite dark and feels like a storeroom as the walls are lined with towering shelves, stacked high with copies of course books and big cardboard boxes. There was a piece of string around the front of the tallest bookcase and attached to the window bars at either side of the unit to keep it from toppling!



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I was there to meet with the acting TEE director, Rev Jecinta. She is the first lady to grace the TEE chair. After enquiring about the issues the staff are facing, she tasked Rosaria and Emily with the job of spring cleaning the office, getting a handyman to secure the wobbly bookcase and rearranging the furniture to make it a better-organised, safer place to work in. When this assignment is accomplished, the clients will benefit too. I thank God for Rev. Jecinta, whose fresh eyes could see how a few small changes can make a big difference.

### Points for Prayer:

- Pray for Rev. Jecinta in this new role as the acting TEE director alongside her post of chaplain at the Presbyterian University. Remember her husband and family of four young children.
- Pray for the TEE outlet housed within Ruiru Town Church and ask for blessings on Rosaria and Emily as they cope with the demands of a busy office.
- Remember the 500+ learners who get their TEE books from the Ruiru outlet. Pray for their individual studies and the group meetings where they discuss scripture, share insights, challenge assumptions, and enrich their spiritual growth.