



The Mercy Club was founded in 2010 to cater for children who are either infected or affected by HIV/AIDS. Some of these children are positively living with HIV/AIDS while others lost parents or close relatives to this scourge. The club is made of 23 children between the ages of 8 and 16.



The cardinal aim of this club is to encourage these children to support each other and also gain understanding of issues concerning HIV/AIDS, STDs and youth reproductive health in order to avoid HIV infection or re-infection. Through this club, they are supported to offer appropriate support to their parents/relatives and other people living with HIV/AIDS, and extend support to their peers too.



These children and adolescents get equipped with peer education skills enabling them to facilitate workshops and seminars which are held during school days.

During holidays they support out of school youth. Their major focus is on promotion of positive behavior among young people.

Some of the activities of the group include;

These children disseminate information about HIV/AIDS by;

- Singing songs
- Reading scripts with information about HIV/AIDS
- Publicly narrating their personal experiences