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Marigat, Kenya

On Sundays after mass we were able to spend some time with the children of Marigat. Many of them spoke English and all were curious and friendly. During the week we were kept busy with the mobile clinic run by the nurses. John was the driver and during the clinics he weighed babies and gathered information from the patients. I spent most of my time filling prescriptions for the 80 to 100 people who came to the clinics each day.
This is a school run by the nuns. Schools were happy places in Kenya and at this particular school, singing was a large part of the children's day. The sisters were a wonderful influence on the lives of those children, as they were for John and myself.

This is Moses, the lab tech, working at one of the clinics. Fees at the clinic were kept very low, but only a few could afford the basic lab tests offered.