

## August

**Sun 1** Pray that the orphan day-care centres would speak powerfully of God's love to their communities.

**Mon 2** Pray for ZM Director, Jim Hasnip, as he meets with the national Church leadership during his visit to Malawi.

First timers with old timers to Malawi!  
3rd August Jim Hasnip and Robbie Brown  
7th August Colin and Ruth Cresswell  
All returning 22nd August.

### ZEC Health and Rural Development

**Tue 3** Pray for Alfred Ndoya, Development Co-ordinator, as he helps to set up small-scale, self-help businesses.

**Wed 4** Pray for Sylvester Chimulambe, doctor at Mitsidi and Medical Co-ordinator, with responsibility for staffing and standards of care and treatment at all ZEC health centres.

**Thu 5** Give thanks for the staff in their daily work at **Ntonda** and **Nthorowa** Rural Hospitals and **Chiole, Muluma, Matanda** and **Lumbira (Mitsidi)** health centres.

**Fri 6** Pray that staff will become increasingly committed to the local community and minister Jesus to their patients.

**Sat 7** Reconstruction on a new site is under way at **Muluma**. Give thanks that funds for the materials have so far been provided locally.

**Sun 8** Give thanks for Etice, a long-serving midwife at Ntonda. Pray that her example will inspire others to service.

**Mon 9** Pray that the right person may be found to replace the administrator at Nthorowa.

**Tue 10** Pray for the trial of a food security project there.

### ZEC Education

**Wed 11** Pray for Harry Kamwaza, Education Co-ordinator, that he may be able to organise the school sponsorship scheme, so that sponsorship may be forthcoming.

### Zambesi Evangelical Church (ZEC) Mozambique

**Thu 12** ZEC Mozambique has some 20,000 members and needs wise and Godly leadership.

**Fri 13** ZEC leaders have theological experience; pray for the development of their management ability (Ex18:15-26).

**Sat 14** Pray that the Lord would uphold Chairman Joseph Baison and his deputy Robert Daniel, and that they would be well supported by other leaders.

**Sun 15** General Secretary Francisco Khumayo resigned recently. Please pray for the right person to replace him.

**Mon 16** Remember also Enock Zuze, Deputy Gen. Sec., taking on these responsibilities for the time being.

### Churchplanting (Mz)

**Tue 17** Support David Waite, Churchplanting Co-ordinator,

in prayer. He covers a wide area to reach all of his team.

**Wed 18** Give thanks for churchplanters Akorinto Bito and Innocent Moffatt who are working well together.

**Thu 19** Roofing materials are still needed for churches in both Mozambique and Malawi.

**Chiyanjano** (Women's Fellowship Mz)

**Fri 20** Ruth Smart (Chiyanjano Co-ordinator) covers a lot of ground supporting local fellowships. Pray that she would find others to help her in this ministry.

**Fellowship of Youth** (FoY Mz)

**Sat 21** Pray for Isaac Fainoti (FoY Co-ordinator) as he aims to develop the skills of young people in leadership.

**Sun 22** Pray that many young people who came to the Lord recently will be effectively disciplined.

### ZEC Malawi Synod

**Mon 23** Pray again for all involved in the ZEC Malawi Synod over the next few days.

**Tue 24** Pray that God's man may be elected as chairman.

**Children For Christ Ministries (CFCM)**

**Wed 25** Give thanks for the many Bible clubs running week by week and the commitment of those who run them.

**Thu 26** Pray for White Zibophe and Elevate Mizinga, as they plan training events and prepare materials.

Pray that through these events many more people would learn how they too can teach children the Bible.

**Thu 26** Pray for David and Kirsty Kanyumi expecting their second child today, and for Ethan with all the changes of living in the UK

**Fri 27** Pray for the EBCoM Graduation Ceremony/Service

**Sat 28** Pray that the Lord will help the graduates to serve him wholeheartedly and single-mindedly in their ministry.

**Sun 29** Pray for Hugh Brown, for his witness and his prison ministry in Mzimba, Northern Region.

**Mon 30** Pray for Angus and Lisa Gaisford in their work with AQUAID Lifeline.

**Tue 31** Give thanks for AQUAID and the orphan care, rural development and church building work it supports.

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## In Prayer

June - August 2010

'Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since ... it is the Lord Christ you are serving' Col 3:23-24, NIV).

### June

#### Zambesi Evangelical Church (ZEC) Malawi

**Tue 1** Give thanks for the ZEC congregations, which continue to share God's word and encourage one another.

**Wed 2** Give thanks for seminars held for pastors and Quarterly executives in central and southern regions. Pray that what has been learned will bear fruit as these men return to their churches.

**Thu 3** Pray for Synod leaders, Winston Chidzambuyo (Acting Chairman) and Malison Ndau (General Secretary) in their oversight and care of the church.

**Fri 4** Please pray now for the Synod on 24-26 August. After the internal conflict of recent years, pray that everyone will come in a right relationship with God and each other.

**Sat 5** Pray for those in administrative roles in the Synod office, that they would be efficient and effective in enabling the leadership to support the local churches.

**Sun 6** Pray for Pastor Wilfred Banda (Dep. Gen. Secretary) and his family. His 15-year-old daughter died recently.

**Mon 7** Pastor Ng'oma and his congregation at Karonga suffered in the earthquake in December. Pray that God would supply their needs and help them care for others.

**Tue 8** Lower Shire (S. Malawi) is experiencing a very dry spell. Pray that ZEC churches would support one another.

#### Regional Superintendents (RS)

**Wed 9** Pray for Joe Tsokalida, RS Central Region. Anthony Moloseni is acting RS South. Pray that he would provide much-needed encouragement in the area.

**Thu 10** The ZEC leaders ask for wisdom as they seek the right man to replace Eric Mpanga as RS North.

Pray also for David, Kirsty and Ethan Kanyumi as they return to the UK for 4 months following 2 years in Malawi.

#### Churchplanting (Mw)

**Fri 11** Churchplanting in the north is tough. Pray that the Lord himself would encourage churchplanters and pastors to persevere.

**Sat 12** Kondwani Makumbi has begun at Namwera, in

Mangochi district as a churchplanter. Pray for him in this spiritually dark, Muslim area.

**Sun 13** Pray for James Namaya, working to plant a church in a nearby village.

Pray also for Lesley Beaton, due to give birth today.

**Mon 14** Thank God for the pastor of ZEC Mangochi, who supports and encourages these two churchplanters.

**14–28 June:** Phalombe (South) and Kasungu (North) Pastors' and Elders' Bookset Conferences in the Chichewa language  
*Co-ordinator:* Saul Mateyu  
*Bibleteachers:* Abraham Folayan, Saul Mateyu and Robert Yanduya.

### Chiyanjano (Women's Fellowship Mw)

**Tue 15** Pray for Mrs M. Jumbe of Limbe ZEC, recently elected as national chairman, that she will guide and encourage the women with wisdom.

**Wed 16** Thank God for the faithful service of Mrs Fungatira and Mrs Chilembwe during the past years.

### Fellowship of Youth (FoY Mw)

**Thu 17** Pray for local FoY groups, which come in all shapes and sizes, as they seek to encourage one another and deepen their knowledge of the Bible.

**Fri 18** Pray that they will continue to be a witness in the community by finding practical ways to help.

**Sat 19** Remember Willard Muwalo (FoY Co-ordinator) and pray that he will use the resources of the FoY national committee to equip and strengthen local FoY groups.

### Sunday School

**Sun 20** Pray for Mrs Jessie Makina, as she continues to train and equip Sunday school teachers in the north.

**Mon 21** Pray that people would increasingly see the value of training children in the Word of God.

### ZM in the UK

**Tue 22** Pray that the ZM UK Executive, meeting today, will sense God's leading and make wise decisions following on from the visit to Malawi of Margaret Court, Bill Wilson and Jim Hasnip in February.

**Wed 23** As ZM UK staff meet today, pray that this team, which is growing as more volunteer reps come forward, will understand each other and work well together.

**Thu 24** Robbie Brown is ZM's most recent volunteer rep. He started in May, is based in Fife, Scotland, and celebrates his birthday today. Pray that he will encourage many supporters in the coming year.

**Fri 25** Pray that all those involved in the Synod meeting in two months would prepare themselves in heart and mind.

**Sat 26** Pray for Tom Jardine in Bournemouth, as he aims to raise awareness of ZM in the South of England. Pray for more openings for him to 'spread the word'.

**Sun 27** Give thanks for Ruth Cresswell, who has designed and run the ZM website since 2002. Pray that her (first) visit to Malawi will be really special, as she meets the people behind the stories.

**Mon 28** Colin Cresswell continues to teach and encourage churches in and around East Anglia. Pray for him as he travels.

**Tue 29** Pray for Dave Brown as he plans how best to develop ZM's work with UK churches and individuals.

**Wed 30** Give thanks that Myra Wilson's ankle has healed, and she has resumed her ministry for ZM in N. Scotland.

### July

**Thu 1** Pray for Ralph Gunn, based in Motherwell, as he continues to faithfully represent ZM.

**Fri 2** Give thanks for Dave Watson, book-keeping in the ZM office one day a week.

**Sat 3** Remember Richard Brassington (Administrator) who has many demands on his time.

**Sun 4** Give thanks for the positive contribution Lizzie Hasnip makes as Hon PA to the director.

**Mon 5** Give thanks for the increasing number of people giving their time and energy freely to the work of ZM.

### Evangelical Bible College of Malawi (EBCoM)

**Tue 6** Thank God for the many ways in which students and staff alike are helping out at EBCoM, taking on extra responsibilities.

**Wed 7** Thank God for the serving pastors who help at EBCoM part-time, providing a much-needed practical dimension to the teaching.

**Thu 8** Pray for Colin Cresswell on his birthday. EBCoM Short (2-day) courses on Youth Ministry & Leadership and Introduction to Synoptic Studies begin.

**Fri 9** Remember Michael John Phiri, Acting Principal, and Ruth Folayan, who is Academic Dean and supervises the student librarians.

**Sat 10** Pray for wisdom in the appointment of a college librarian, and that God would prompt the EBCoM council in their appointment of a college principal.

**Sun 11** Pray for Robert Yanduya, lecturer, Dean of Students and Extension Programme Co-ordinator.

**Mon 12** Remember Saul Mateyu, lecturer and College Registrar, as well as Co-ordinator for the Pastors' and Elders' Bookset Conference.

**Tue 13** Continue to pray for Mercy Mkwezalamba and the women she teaches on the Wives' Course.

**Wed 14** There is pressure on non-academic staff, as the

college has to squeeze in another term before the end of August, due to government changes of the academic year.

**Thu 15** Pray for Limbikani Kabitchi and Charles Evason, 2nd year students, suffering from ongoing illness.

**Fri 16** Pray for Ethan Kanyumi who is 4 today.

**Sat 17** Pray for the admission interviews for the new year in October, that only those called by God will be selected.

**Sun 18** Thank God for those who sponsor students, and pray that He would continue to raise up other supporters.

**Mon 19** Pray for SIM missionaries: Ruth Guinness and Megumi and Helen Fazakerley.

**Tue 20** Pray also for Bursar, Jonathan Lloyd, and his wife, Erica, of Brethren In Christ World Mission (BICWM).

**Wed 21** Pray for Steve & Renee Ginder (BICWM), as their faithful and invaluable service with EBCoM ends this year.

### ZM in Malawi

**Thu 22** Remember Abraham and Ruth Folayan, and the many responsibilities they have. Pray that the Lord would raise up those able to shoulder these responsibilities, as they begin to plan for retirement in 2011.

*Give thanks for the life of  
John Finlayson and remember Janette  
and the family.*

**Fri 23** Rejoice with ZM Administrator, Zion Majiga, on the safe delivery of a baby boy, Yankho, on 11th February.

**Sat 24** Pray again for the ZEC Synod a month today, and for the election of the new chairman. Pray that a man of Godly stature and a servant heart would be chosen.

**Sun 25** Pray that Zion will have patience and wisdom for all the demands made on her as she returns to work.

**Mon 26** David and Kirsty Kanyumi are well into their home assignment now. Pray for continued good health and strengthening of relationships with UK churches.

**Tue 27** Robbie Beaton celebrates his birthday today, EBCoM Sports and Fellowship Day. Pray that the seeds of the gospel he has sown among the disadvantaged at the Sports Club will bear fruit.

**Wed 28** Remember Robbie and Lesley, and Rachel, Colin, Hope, Jesse, Yamika and the new baby. Pray that God would give them time for one another as well as for others.

**Orphan Care** (Chifunga, Mphongo, Nthorowa & Ntonda)

**Thu 29** Pray that church members would continue to provide the practical help needed to care for the 480 orphans at these ZEC Centres.

**Fri 30** Pray that church leaders would ensure that Bible teaching for these children is not neglected.

**Sat 31** Pray for the ongoing funds needed for this ministry.