

# News & Prayer Letter.

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Message from CEO:

**"This is impossible" words which are regularly gasped as we look at the situation around us.**

***"Faith, mighty faith, the promise sees, And looks to God alone; Laughs at impossibilities, And cries it shall be done".*** Charles Wesley

***Matthew 19:26*** "But Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.

Since day one, in October 2006, Mission International has faced many situations that would appear to be impossible. Our very first project, The Hope Centre in Burundi, was one of these impossibilities. We had embarked on a project for which we had no funding. The very first fundraising meeting we had raised around £1,000 on the night and we were so blessed at God's provision. However, during the following week a cheque for £30,000 arrived for the work of the Hope Centre. God had begun to provide through the generosity of His people. Soon after another element of the impossibility was overcome. Who will build the Hope Centre. Mission International CEO Hugh Henderson received an unexpected call from the Carr Family, a builder and interior designer amongst them, who were keen to serve God somewhere and were ready to go. They became God's answer to the impossibility. Over the intervening few years over £100,000 came in to build the centre, a series of 4 homes, which remains in action today.

There have been other very challenging situations for which God has answered our prayers; and it is appropriate for me to thank all of those who remember the work in prayer, for God has answered in amazing ways.

Today we face other impossibilities. 50 Widows in D.R. Congo, whose husbands have died through disease, accident and violence, and are left to look after their children alone. To address this, and other problems experienced the community, the £40,000 **Project New Life Centre** is planned to be built, when funds become available. Situated north of Lake Kivu it is intended to help those traumatised by rape, violence and loss. In conjunction with this, small income generating business enterprises are planned to provide means for widows to feed, clothe and educate their children.

The devastation caused by Tropical Cyclone Ana that has left large parts of Mozambique and Malawi flooded is a further impossibility. Many have lost homes and belongings, and animals and farmland with crops, to the cyclone and their governments are unprepared to help. Mission International has been called upon to give assistance and we look to God to guide us in this endeavour. ***Thank you to everyone who supports and prays for the work of Mission International***

*Hugh Henderson MBE*

**CEO Mission International**

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# BIG meal 2021

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## BIG MEAL 2021

## THANK YOU



A massive thank you to all who contributed to the BIG Meal 2021. Despite the difficulties faced worldwide due to the Covid pandemic it was a great success. - (as you can see from the various photos provided by our MI Partners).



**MALAWI APPEAL:** the situation in southern Malawi, near Blantyre, is critical. Flood waters due to the recent Cyclone have destroyed homes, belongings and crops. Mission International can get funds to people to help them buy food and medicine to help them survive this trauma. If you can help please donate on-line here:

<https://account.stewardship.org.uk/donation/oneoff/MalawiProjects>



**D.R.CONGO** -Mission International partners in D.R. Congo and Malawi have identified many widows, whose husband's have died of disease, including Covid, and accidents. These women and their children are at risk since the main breadwinner is no longer there. MI would like to offer help to them so that they can begin small business enterprises. If you would like to support this initiative and help these women then you can donate online here:

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