

Learn About Christian Aid in Zambia

Local Christian Aid supporters, Anne and Martyn Speight are visiting Zambia this September to see first-hand the impact of what Christian Aid, through their local partners, are doing to improve people's lives. Anne and Martyn are keen to share their experiences and ask anyone who is interested to contact them. Perhaps for an illustrated talk, a discussion or an interactive game. They can also give a selection of prayer pointers. Their contact details are below and Anne and Martyn are happy to share with adults, children or young people and can be available daytime or evening, weekday or for Sunday worship.

The Zambia visit starts in the project office in the capital Lusaka. Then continues north to a project, in Luanshya, which is working with victims of Gender Based Violence. This is followed by a visit to the Zimba Silica Mining site in Mufulira to see training projects that are empowering women involved in silica mining. On the journey back to Lusaka Anne and Martyn will go to the Mpunde Mission Hospital to see the 'Making Agric a Business' project, which is improving the livelihood and economic resilience of women and marginalized groups.



Christian Aid's ground-breaking work began in 1945, when it was founded by British and Irish churches to help refugees following the Second World War. The charity continues to have an ecumenical Christian base and now provides emergency relief and long-term sustainable development for poor communities worldwide. It was one of the first organisations to speak out about Climate Change, Environmental Issues, HIV Aids, Women's Rights and issues connected to Global Finance Structures. Through a variety of projects Christian Aid helps to bring about change that will end the causes of poverty and achieve equality, dignity and freedom for all people, regardless of their faith or nationality.

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