PRAYERFOCUS



Telcome to our May edition of Prayer Focus. This month we are praying for our charity shops, for initiatives delivered through our Children At Risk programme, for 40th Anniversary activities including our Spring Ball and for our partners' work in Zambia and North Africa.



I-6 MAY

WEEKONE

We pray for our charity shops, remembering their important role in resourcing Global Care's work.

Please pray for:

- completion of the Radford shop refurbishment
- new volunteers for Radford, as the volunteer team shrank during the refurbishment
- give thanks for Jill and Jules, the shop managers, and their commitment to Global Care
- for good income in sales and from Gift Aid claims, to better support Global Care's international work
- for the children sponsored by each shop

7-13 MAY

WEEKTW/0

We pray for work delivered through our Children At Risk fund, helping us act in emergencies, support planned interventions & start new initiatives.

Please pray for:

- a new education & mentoring project in Malawi supported via Children At Risk on a pilot basis
- Heavena, a community outreach and resource centre for victims of domestic violence & trafficking in Sri Lanka
- give thanks for all the donors who support Children At Risk with monthly donations from £3
- John, who has a speaking engagement on Sunday 14th, for wisdom and positive outcomes



Anniversary
Spring Ball
Please pray for a
successful evening
of fundraising!

Ticket sales end at 12 noon on 5th May. If you are still thinking of coming, book now so you don't miss out! www.globalcare.org/spring ball

WEEK THREE

We pray for teams & activities supporting our Anniversary Appeal.

Please pray for:

- our Comms team, especially Anita, as they finalise arrangements for the Anniversary Ball on Saturday
- everyone who has decided to host a tea party as part of our Big Tea Party initiative
- new relationships for Global Care from the tea parties & Anniversary Ball, as well as donations
- wisdom & encouragement for our trustees, who meet on Saturday
- good weather & great outcomes for the Anniversary Ball & Auction on Saturday

"I lift up my eyes to the hills.
Where does my help come
from? My help comes from
the Lord, the Maker of
heaven and earth."

Psalm 121: 1

28-31 MAY

21-27 MAY

WEEKFOUR

We pray for our partners in Zambia, New Life Foundation Action Trust (NLAFT), the sponsored children and M8 school.

Please pray for:

- more sponsors to help the most vulnerable children in Kabompo
- improved economic security & an end to currency devaluation
- wisdom for the NLAFT team
- an end to vandalism at M8 school
- families struggling with rising prices
- give thanks for the opportunities which M8 offers marginalised children - including representing the area at a district-wide athletics competition

WEEK FIVE

We pray for our partners in North Africa, working with abandoned children in a residential setting.

Please pray for:

- new workers willing to commit to the children as house parents for the long term.
- wisdom & healing for the children, as they grow to understand their stories in a culture which may not welcome children from nontraditional family structures
- wisdom & encouragement for our long-term partners as they consider the future of the project
- give thanks & pray for gospel witness via love in action here