

*Bringing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the Remote Tribal Communities of Malawi*

Lake Malawi, Karonga

*"Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation." — Mark 16:15-18*

**33+**

**120,000+**

**356+**

**17+**

**14 yrs**

Evangelistic  
Outreaches

People Who Heard  
the Gospel

Partner  
Churches

Churches  
Roofed

Years of  
Ministry

**WHO WE ARE**

## **XTUPIE Ministries**

XTUPIE — **X** (The Cross) **T** (To) **U** (Unite) **P** (People) **I** (In) **E** (Evangelism) — is an interdenominational ministry in Southern Africa dedicated to declaring the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout Southern Africa and the world.

Founded in 2010 by Bishops Martin and Suzette De Villiers, the ministry operates through a powerful partnership with the Holy Cross Pentecostal Church of Malawi, now spanning over 356 churches across Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia, Tanzania, and South Africa.

**OUR VISION**

## **What Drives Us**

- Declare the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every tribe and nation
- Bring salvation, healing, and hope to the unreached
- Uplift communities through practical compassion
- Build and strengthen rural churches
- Train and equip local pastors for lasting impact
- Support orphans, widows, and vulnerable families

# The Story of Malawi for Jesus

Since 2011 — Reaching the Unreached, One Village at a Time

## HOW IT BEGAN

### Malawi for Jesus

Malawi for Jesus was founded in Lilongwe on 2 September 2011 during our first outreach to Malawi. When we arrived, it became clear that the need was far greater than any one ministry could meet alone. We formed a strategic partnership with the Holy Cross Pentecostal Church of Malawi to take the message of Jesus Christ into the rural and tribal areas through crusades, outreaches, and conventions.

The founding team included Bishops Martin and Suzette De Villiers (South Africa), Bishop George Mkandawire and others who shared the same burning vision.



Bishops surrounded by children in a remote village

## EXPLOSIVE GROWTH

### From 50 to 356 Churches

When the Malawi for Jesus ministry began in 2011, our partner church — Holy Cross Pentecostal Church — had 50 congregations. Today, through God's grace and faithful outreach, that number has grown to over 356 churches spanning Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia, Tanzania, and South Africa, with more than 100,000 believers.

## FIRST OUTREACH

### Kawamba, Kasungu — 2011

What God did in Kawamba was simply remarkable. More than 3,000 people responded to the Gospel and many were healed by the power of God. After the crusade, a revival broke out in the nearby town of Kasungu — churches overflowed with new believers attending for the very first time.

We took an offering among the congregation to build a local church. The generosity of people who gave from their poverty left a lasting impression on every member of our team. By God's grace, the Kawamba church was completed in December 2011.



Ministry team & partner pastors in Malawi

## OUR PARTNERSHIP

### Holy Cross Pentecostal Church

Through the Holy Cross Pentecostal Church network, we have access to every corner of Malawi — including favour with tribal chiefs and village leaders who have welcomed us and, in some cases, donated land for churches, orphanages, and clinics.

Local interpreters, worship teams, volunteers, and community connections make every outreach more effective and ensure new believers are disciplined in local churches.

# How We Bring the Gospel to Life

Six Pillars of Ministry — Reaching Body, Mind & Spirit

## 1 EVANGELISTIC OUTREACHES

Since 2011, over 33 crusades have reached thousands with the Gospel. We preach, pray for the sick, and connect new believers to local churches. More than 120,000 people have responded.

## 2 JESUS FILM MINISTRY

Many in rural Malawi cannot read. The Jesus Film brings Christ alive visually in Chichewa and Tumbuka. Entire villages gather under the stars — often seeing the story of Jesus for the first time.

## 3 CHURCH ROOFING PROJECTS

Communities build the walls with local bricks and volunteer labour. We provide the roofing materials. Over 17 churches have been completed, creating permanent homes for worship and fellowship.

## 4 ORPHAN CARE

Rather than institutions, we place children into loving Christian homes, carefully matching each child to a family. We provide food assistance and educational support for a brighter future.

## 5 FOOD DISTRIBUTION

When drought or disaster strikes, we respond immediately. In 2026, we distributed over 900 kg of maize to more than 40 pastor families facing severe food shortages in the Central Region.

## 6 PASTOR TRAINING

Strong churches need strong leaders. We equip rural pastors with biblical teaching, leadership training, and downloadable sermon resources available year-round on our website.



## Current Needs & Prayer Points

- **4x4 Ministry Vehicle:** Our current small car cannot safely navigate remote rural roads — a 4x4 is urgently needed.
- **Church Roofing Projects:** Many congregations have already built their walls; they just need roofing materials to complete their church.
- **Food Relief:** Pastor families in the Central & Southern Regions face severe food insecurity and need immediate support.
- **Jesus Film Equipment:** Portable projection equipment is needed to screen the Jesus Film in villages with no prior Gospel access.
- **Orphan Care Program:** Funding is needed to place and support orphaned children in loving, stable Christian family homes.



# About Malawi

## *"The Warm Heart of Africa"*

Malawi is one of the most densely populated countries in Africa and one of the least developed. The rural areas are extremely remote — people often walk more than 20 km simply to reach a clinic. Roads deteriorate rapidly beyond the main highways, and entire communities exist on subsistence farming.

Yet Malawi is extraordinarily open to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The people are warm, generous, and spiritually hungry. It is rough but well worth every investment of time, prayer, and resources.

### HOW CAN YOU HELP?

## Partner With Us

The harvest in Malawi is incredibly large and the need is immense. We cannot do it alone — we need people and churches with a similar vision to join us.

- Commit to regular prayer for Malawi and our ministry teams
- Give financially to fund outreaches, roofing projects, and food relief

### LOOKING AHEAD

## Vision for the Future

- Reach new remote regions and tribal communities of Malawi
- Expand the Jesus Film ministry across more districts
- Build more permanent church buildings in rural areas
- Increase the number of annual evangelistic crusades
- Grow the orphan care and pastor support programs

## *Partner With Malawi for Jesus*

*Together we can reach thousands more with the Good News of Jesus Christ*

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