

Country Support

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to partner with national leaders
and ministries

Malawi 2016 Ministry Need: \$13,800

Funding the **Malawi Country Support Account (CSA)** will help re-source the following people and strategic initiatives:

- evangelism, transportation and meetings costs for the superintendents of the three conferences
- a Malawian in his missionary work to Mozambique
- transportation, food and lodging scholarships for pastor-students for each of three modules per year



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Malawi



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- Population: 17,377,468
- Evangelical Christians: 19.6%
- FM Work Opened: 1973
- Ecclesiastical Accountability: FMC-USA through Bishop David Kendall

Central Annual Conference

- FM Churches: 31
- FM Membership: 6,118
- Ordained Elders: 13
- Conference Ministerial Candidates: 7

Northern Annual Conference

- FM Churches: 12
- FM Membership: 4,011
- Ordained Elders: 12
- Conference Ministerial Candidates: 4

Southern Annual Conference

- FM Churches: 67
- FM Membership: 6,269
- Ordained Elders: 22
- Conference Ministerial Candidates: 4

The Free Methodist Church in Malawi

Origins

A graduate of the Free Methodist Bible School in Zimbabwe returned to his home in Malawi in December 1973 to preach and to establish Free Methodist churches. Missionaries from Zimbabwe visited and gave encouragement to the fast-growing work. In 1977 a short-term Bible school was established in Salima.

Present Ministries

The Malawi churches were organized into an annual conference in 1979, then into three in 1996. These conferences have multiple circuits, each with their own church-planting programs.

Outreach to the World

The students and pastors of the Malawi FM Church have planted several churches across the borders in Mozambique, Tanzania and Zambia.