

PROFILE



**LINDA INGLIS
MALAWI**

Presbyterians Sharing supports Linda Inglis as she works with The Church of Central Africa Presbyterian's Blantyre Synod as Visitor Coordinator. She coordinates visits for people from various church partners around the world. Working with the Synod General Secretary and various Synod committees, Linda helps to plan programs that will engage visitors effectively in the mission work of the Synod.

Linda has seen a growing demand from Church partners, congregations and individuals who want to participate in some of the life and work of the Blantyre Synod. She believes that mission visits help people to witness the wonderful faith and joy of Christians in Malawi and awaken them to the realities faced by everyday people in one of the world's poorest countries.

Linda is an active volunteer and leader in a program for people with disabilities, called Tidzalerana. She is also Chair of the Open Arms Board, a residential program for infants and toddlers (often AIDS orphans) who have been abandoned or lack adequate family support.

Linda's husband, Glenn, is working as the Executive Director of the Blantyre Synod Health and Development Commission (BSHDC). BSHDC focuses on livelihood security programs including an HIV/AIDS program which aims at prevention and de-stigmatization, human rights, gender and advocacy programs. It also provides food and support in times of emergency.

Learn more by reading the Inglis' letters online at www.presbyterian.ca/international/letters.

