



## FOUNDATION UPDATE MAY 1, 2019

### Feeding the children.

Over the past few months, Levison and his team of volunteers have been feeding the (mainly) orphan children of Ibuluma twice a week, and as we noted in the April Newsletter, the beneficial effect this is having on their schoolwork.

Word is spreading, and children are coming from outside the village, drawn like bees to honey, to be fed. On 18/04/2019, Levison wrote: *Children we are receiving now come from as far as 7 or 8 km. Walking in wilderness, crossing rivers just to come at the resource centre to get some skills and get fed. I am happy they have also brought new skills like making baskets and dancing.*

And on 25/04/2019: *Yesterday we had 478 children fed and more than fifty came late and were not fed. Instead I gave them exercise books and pens. We had children as far as Bugulira a village which is about 17 km from here. You will see long lines of children queuing for food. Life is tough in Malawi.*



CHILDREN FROM AFAR QUEUEING FOR FOOD

Levison has calculated that the annual cost to feed one child twice a week is £10. This is based on an average of 364 over the last 6 months and does not

include the crops grown by the Foundation – maize, groundnuts and soya beans. It comprises transportation of maize and milling costs; oil; salt and supplementary relish to eat with the nsima. Although the goats will soon produce milk and the hens, eggs, all of which will add nourishment to the meals, and vegetables are growing in the Foundation gardens it means that Levison has to find £50+ per week. Kind folk have sponsored the feeding costs up until the end of June.



EASTER CELEBRATIONS



A SIMPLE BUT NUTRITIOUS MEAL

But when we consider what has been accomplished so far, we can rest assured that God will continue to inspire and provide for the future. Thank you for your interest and support.

An inspirational book which depicts the poverty and drought of Southern Malawi is *The Boy Who Harnessed The Wind* by William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer. The film by the same name is available on Netflix.

Watch the trailer <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nPkr9HmgIG0>

Levison's recent video on youtube says it all [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bVsryK\\_TcJk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bVsryK_TcJk)