

## Partnership with the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, Blantyre Synod

This partnership involves the members of the **Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, Blantyre Synod**, agreeing to pray for the spread of the gospel throughout Australia and to keep the members of the Presbyterian Church of Australia aware of the work of the Gospel in Malawi through articles and literature. On its part, the Presbyterian Church of Australia has agreed to send visiting lecturers to provide ministry training at the Theological Resource Centre or other venues within the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, Blantyre Synod, to provide theological resources and to provide funds for the running and renovation costs of the Theological Resource Centre.



Magunda Congregation



Zomba Theological College



One of the ORBUS School buildings

The Presbyterian Church of Australia was involved with the establishment of the ORBUS school and ministry which cares for vulnerable children. ORBUS is now under the direction of the Synod with some input from Australia. We also assist Church of Central Africa Presbyterian schools and in particular PLC Melbourne has taken a practical and ongoing interest in partnering with Neno Girls Mission School.

### MALAWI

POPULATION: 19,000,000

Capital: Lilongwe

Christians 76%

Evangelical Christian 19%

Malawi has a great influx of funds via the African Muslim Agency. These extend Islam's influence through primary education, scholarships for tertiary students to go to Muslim nations, aid distribution, drilling wells, medical aid, mosque building and many other means. Although the impact of these has thus far been quite limited, pray for awareness and training for the equipping of Christians to meet this challenge. Pray also for a persistent, loving witness to Muslims throughout Malawi. (Operation World)