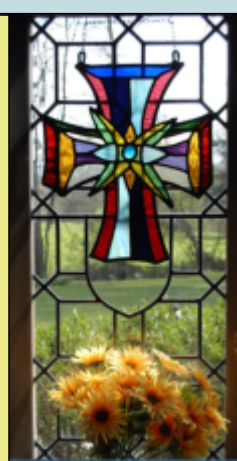




Yeldall Manor is a drug and alcohol treatment centre for men struggling with addiction. Yeldall accepts men from all walks of life, background, ethnicity, culture and faith. Yeldall was established by a Christian family over 45 years ago. Addiction affects all areas of life; recovery is therefore about addressing issues in people's physical, emotional, mental and spiritual health, as well as practical life problems and damaged relationships.

- 3-stage approach:
- 1- residential - counselling, keyworking - groups. Training, local work.
  - 2- semi-independent - counselling, keyworking - groups. independent living skills community voluntary work.
  - 3- separate accommodation (in houses by partner organisations) - counselling, keyworking - groups. Training, local work.



- Pray for:
- Residents at all stages of rehabilitation and reintegration into working life;
  - More funds for bursaries and maintenance;
  - Wisdom, perseverance and good health for staff.



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love God. love neighbour.

Urban Neighbours of Hope is a missional order affiliated with Churches of Christ (in Australia and Thailand) and the Baptist Union (in New Zealand).




Elise and Jon Fletcher with Elliot, Sam and Bow were called to serve in Klong Toey, a slum in Bangkok, Thailand in 2014. After a time in the UK, they return in mid 2024.



Jon and Elise work between Bangkok and Shrewsbury. Much can be done remotely, but some physical trips are needed. The house in Klong Toey needs further work.

Royrak jewellery continues to grow, with new designs and increasing sales. Pui, the local manager keeps it running. Other projects, such as training interns, are going well.



On returning in summer 2024, the family look forward to rejoining the UNOH fellowship, seeking to "live on the edge" living an incarnational model with poor people in a slum. Cross-cultural relationships transform lives and make Jesus known in unexpected people and places.

Jon is also working with Alternative Care Thailand (ACT), advocating fostering and adoption for children. It can be frustrating, but policies are changing slowly. Children are better looked after in families than in institutions.

- Pray for:
- A clear vision for the family's future in Thailand;
  - Good health for the family, especially Bow;
  - Growth of all the UNOH projects, especially Royrak;
  - Good fellowship within the UNOH family; funding;
  - Relationships with Thai officials, locally and in ACT.


UNOH.org  
jonandelisefletcher.com  
alternativecarethailand.com



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January 2024



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The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service 2008

JAC is committed to engaging with young people, **encouraging** them to make **positive choices**

Just Around the Corner (JAC) Ltd (1998) is based in Berkshire UK, involved with young people and their families, assisting those who are finding life difficult. JAC also works in schools in towns around Wokingham, supporting and mentoring struggling students.

Rehoboth (near Wokingham) is a centre that uses equine assisted learning and other activities, such as arts and crafts, as therapies for children and young people, who are often referred from local schools.

Eden church (Woodley) offers youth oriented worship.



- Pray for:
- Rehoboth, stables, animals, team, especially trainees;
  - Schools work, work with children and young people;
  - Eden church; JAC House.

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**LAMB (Lutheran Aid to Medicine in Bangladesh), Parbatipur.**



LAMB provides quality health care to the rural population in North West Bangladesh (Dinajpur District) through local community clinics and a 150 bed hospital. Bengali staff and international volunteers work together to show God's love and care especially to women.



LAMB Health (UK-based) supports LAMB through prayer and by raising money for the Poor Fund. This proportionally covers medical costs for the very poor so that no one is turned away.

LAMB works in the community to reduce the number of child marriages and teenage pregnancies; also to improve adolescents' resilience and mental wellbeing. God's compassion is shown through the work with disabled children and adults, in a country where disability is seen negatively and often hidden away.

**Please pray for:**

- David Chandran, the new leader, to know God's wisdom;
- For financial stability for the various projects;
- For more communities to stand against child marriage.

[www.lambhealth.org.uk](http://www.lambhealth.org.uk)  
[www.lambproject.org](http://www.lambproject.org)  
Charity: 1101217



**Church Mission Society**

Ben and Katy Ray, Zachary, Alessia and Julia are in Usa River near Arusha, Tanzania.

After 12 years with Neema Crafts, Iringa, the Rays are now part of SAFI, Tanzania (See Ability First International - "pure") seeking to widen the scope of training people with disabilities in craftwork. They hope to set up a physical centre with a deaf-run café. Negotiations have started on a potential site.



The Neema Centre in Iringa now involves Hannah and Joseph Adams, CMS associates.

Ben and Katy have made links with URRC (Usa River Rehabilitation and Training Center) under Meru Diocese of the local Lutheran church. URRC train people with disabilities in crafts, such as carpentry, tailoring, locksmithing and baking. They have a Special Education Training Unit (SETU) for which the Rays have offered innovations. The Rays have made many other links, aiming to set up an international fellowship for Arusha.

**Please pray for:**

- Ben, Katy and their family for good health;
- Hannah and Joseph and staff in Neema, Iringa;
- Building of new SAFI project;
- Clear vision for their future work.

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[churchmissionsociety.org](http://churchmissionsociety.org)  
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**Kimbilio**  
Children's Sanctuary  
in the D.R Congo

Helping children build a future with hope,  
supporting street children in  
Lubumbashi, D.R. Congo



Kimbilio is a project working since 2009 with vulnerable children in Lubumbashi in the south of the Democratic Republic of Congo. It runs a day centre, two transit homes and two longer term homes, whilst finding ways to reintegrate the children with their families. The nutritional, healthcare, well-being and educational needs are met through the support programme and the running of a school for these children and the local community. Training courses for young mums in sewing and hairdressing are also run and sponsorship is given to ongoing education.

The project is currently fundraising for a much needed new Day Centre. Rev Ian Harvey directs the project from Manchester UK. The project is run in DRC by a local staff team linked to the Anglican Diocese.

**Please pray for:**

- The ongoing running of the project with food costs escalating;
- The well-being of the children and successful reintegration into families and community;
- Provision of a New Day Centre;
- Wisdom and good health for the staff;
- Peace stability and prosperity for DRC.

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