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MALAWI

Location: Zomba

Mission: Theological Education & Music Ministry

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Last week in church when it came to prayer – the request was unusual for this time of year, “We need rain and we need food”.

It neatly summarises a major concern that most Malawians have at the moment.

Malawi predominantly depends on rain to water its crops, irrigation is rare. The rains came very late this year and were extremely short.

Here in Zomba, in January we had only a third of the normal rainfall.

The main food crop – maize is doing very badly. And now maize is very expensive on the market.

The rains are still very sporadic and in addition it is very hot, which is also not good for the harvest.

I spoke to a colleague and he basically said that he expects to harvest empty bags, instead of full bags.

It is a growing concern for everyone and we simply ask you stand with Malawi.



Prayer Points

- Please pray for God's mercy to send the rain.