

The Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call 2019



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The theme for the 2019 Bishop of Southwark's Lent Call is "*I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly*" (John 10.10b).

As you and your parish prepare for Lent and look forward to Easter I commend to your prayers the projects and peoples that we are supporting this year.

In 2019 the Bishop's Lent Call is supporting projects within Southwark Diocese and in Kenya, Sri Lanka and our Link Dioceses in Zimbabwe.

Projects in Zimbabwe:

Initiatives supporting agribusiness, education and infrastructure in our Link Dioceses of Central Zimbabwe, Matabeleland, Masvingo and Manicaland.

Improving leprosy-affected communities in Sri Lanka

Urban mission training at Carlile College, Nairobi

Projects in the Diocese of Southwark:

The Sutton Women's Centre

Christian CARE, Merton

Salmon Youth Centre

It is possible to give to the Lent Call online as well as by cheque, which should be sent to John Jackson at Trinity House. Do follow our Twitter feed ([@southwarkcofe](https://twitter.com/southwarkcofe)) and Lent Call blog as we will be adding extra material about the projects each week. I hope and pray that you will find them useful as you encourage those in your care to use Lent well and to give generously to the Bishop's Lent Call.

The Rt Revd Christopher Chessun

There will be information about each project displayed in the churches and resources for prayer on each of the prayer tables.
