



Welcome to Crosslinks' October news

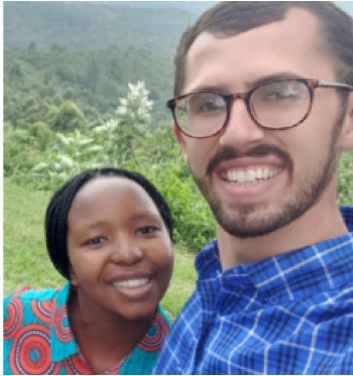
We've welcomed four new mission partners aboard in the last month! Meet Adam and Nomfundo Tomalin, serving in South Africa, and Alastair and Elise Donaldson, serving in the Republic of Ireland below.

Bookings are now open for our upcoming conference – *Lift Up Your Eyes* – in Belfast with Dr Josh Moody, author and senior pastor of College Church in Wheaton, Illinois. Scroll on to book your ticket.

In our featured article, Matt Gurtler, serving in Moldova, considers what's behind the wine, food and flowers with which Moldovans adorn the graves of their loved ones at Paștele Blajinilor ('Memorial Easter'), and scroll on to find several job opportunities to join our growing team. Please share with anyone who might be interested.

Thank you for your partnership in the gospel.

Welcome to our new mission partners



Adam and Nomfundo Tomalin

Adam and Nomfundo are currently training at in Cape Town, South Africa, at George Whitefield College (Adam in Theology) and South African Theological Seminary (Nomfundo in Christian counselling) in preparation to serve the Lord in rural South Africa.

Alastair and Elise Donaldson

Alastair and Elise – with their children Josiah (8) and Edith (5) – moved to County Galway at the beginning of August to serve in the local community and in gospel partnership with Calvary Church, Loughrea, the Republic of Ireland.



Bookings are open for our Belfast conference



Join us in Belfast on Saturday 22 February 2025 for an fantastic opportunity to have our eyes and hearts lifted. We'll be exploring John's Gospel with Dr Josh Moody, author and senior pastor of College Church in Wheaton, Illinois, and discovering the opportunities God has blessed us with to accelerate our gospel outreach both globally and locally. Crosslinks mission partners will also share how the Lord has been at work where he has sent them.

Book your ticket

Join us to pray



on 4 November, 7:30pm

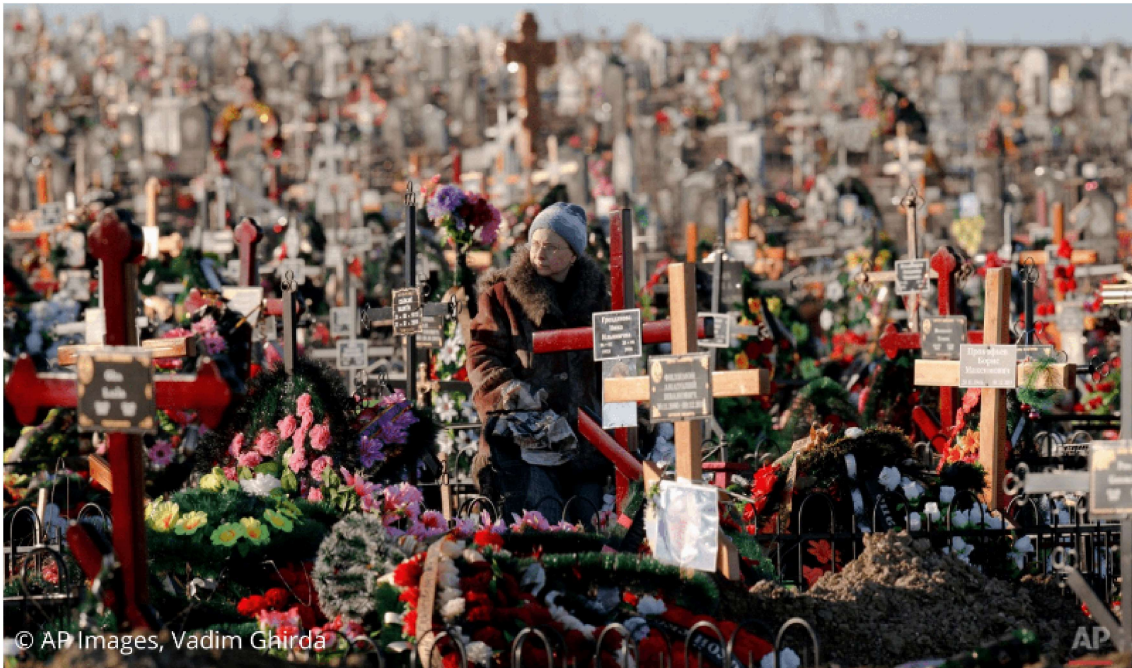
Join the Crosslinks in Ireland prayer meeting to hear from and pray for [Josh and Cathy Hooker](#) who serve with the Diocese of Down and Dromore in Northern Ireland and who are preparing to return to Namibia. To join, [click here](#).

on 18 November, 7pm

Join us for our monthly online mission partner prayer meeting to hear from and pray for [Alun and Debbie Burt](#), who serve at St Thomas Church in Heideveld, a township in Cape Town, South Africa. To join, [click here](#).



Cemeteries, celebrations and sins like scarlet



It's easy to look down on followers of empty religious traditions, but [Matt Gurtler](#) considers the longing behind these practices and the message of grace we all need to hear.

'We are more sinful than we could possibly understand, and God is more gracious than we could ever dream. This is something we all need to hear and be reminded of, whether we're a religious tradition-keeper, a respectable moralist, a wild hedonist – or an observer of another culture, often tempted to feel superior.'

[Keep reading Matt's article.](#)

Our team is growing!

Browse opportunities to join our office team below, and please do forward to anyone who might be interested.

Vacancy: Mission Personnel Assistant

This role combines people skills and an eye for logistical detail in providing essential support to the Mission Personnel team as they prepare prospective staff for mission, support them throughout their placement and ensure that they are suitably equipped. **This full time role includes both office working and some opportunity to work from home within the normal working week.**

Full job description [here](#). Email joinus@crosslinks.org for an application form.

Vacancy: Finance Assistant

This role supports the Finance team in ensuring the overall financial health of Crosslinks. Previous experience in a finance role in the charitable sector, or in an administrative role providing financial information, and confidence using spreadsheets and data entry systems would be beneficial. **This full time role includes both office working and some opportunity to work from home within**

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Vacancy: Finance Manager

This role assists the Director of Finance and Operations in ensuring the overall financial health of Crosslinks and meeting stakeholder requirements. This covers all aspects of reporting and budgeting and ensuring compliance with Crosslinks financial policies and procedures. **This full time role includes both office working and some opportunity to work from home within the normal working week.**

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