



# CELEBRATION OF IMPACT



UK AND IRELAND

**Langham**  
PARTNERSHIP

# WELCOME!



'It was 50 years ago today...' well maybe not quite so precisely – but as we Celebrate 2019's impact and momentum we can note that the Langham Trust was founded in 1969. This was the year John Stott and All Souls worked out the way 'Uncle John' could be given space to follow the vision which led to the mission and ministry of Langham Partnership UKI today.

We should all be amazed and inspired by the impact and momentum that this mission and ministry continues to show. These pages testify to the growing reach of Langham Programmes throughout the majority world. Critical to this growth is the expanding partnership with our supporters and donors – please sense the privilege and importance of playing your part in all that is summarised in this Celebration. Your prayers, your gifts

and the encouragement of an increasing awareness of the importance of legacy support are truly bearing godly fruit. Your partnership is greatly valued. Thank you!

This 50-year anniversary of the Vision forms a significant staging post in our preparation for celebrating 2021's centenary of Uncle John's birth. The impact and momentum laid out in this report deserve far wider acknowledgement – could you help 'spread the news' and invite others to back this vision, and then with them and us continue to grow the necessary partnerships and support?

With thanks and Christian greetings

**John Libby**  
National Director



One FAQ is: how does Langham Partnership UKI, as part of a truly global mission and ministry, manage its environmental impact?

We keep travel, especially by vehicle and plane, to the minimum we can and compensate for the journeys we do have to make by acting to offset. By encouraging dispersed home working we eradicate much

of the emissions that might result from daily commutes. We are avid users of digital technology to communicate and both our global Leadership Team Executive Committee and our UK Senior Leadership Team meet remotely, at least monthly and fortnightly respectively. All our staff are conscious of our policy to make our carbon footprint as light as possible and our intention is to become carbon neutral or better.

# WHO WE ARE

Langham comes from a vision that God gave to John Stott in 1969. This has grown under God's blessing and through the generosity of many people around the world. They are committed, like John Stott, to the centrality of the Bible in the life of the church, and the need to be equipped and growing to maturity in Christ through the ministry of pastors who believe, teach and live by the Word of God. Langham does this through three programmes.



## **Langham Preaching**

grew from the initial two countries in 2001 to having now launched indigenously led movements for biblical preaching in some 87 countries around the world.



**Langham Literature**, not only continues to distribute evangelical books to hundreds of seminaries and thousands of pastors, but also fosters the development of indigenous publishers and has launched plans for one-volume commentaries on the whole Bible in every major continental region.

**Langham Scholars** not only multiply their influence in biblically faithful theological education in the majority world, but are spearheading increased visibility for majority world evangelical scholarship in western theological academic circles.



**In the following pages see how the three programmes have developed during 2019.**

A woman with dark hair, wearing a black sequined top, is shown in profile, looking down at an open Bible. Her hand is resting on her chin. The background is a blurred church interior with wooden pews. The image is framed by a white circular border.

# LANGHAM PREACHING

Langham trains pastors around the world to preach and teach the Bible, equipping them to biblically shepherd their churches.

## HOW IT WORKS

### Regional Pastor Training

A pastor travels to an annual one-week long Langham training seminar with other pastors and lay leaders.

### Local Preaching Club

Each pastor returns to their community and forms a "Preaching Club" with nearby pastors and lay people, to continue training and support.

### Growing Churches

Pastors and lay leaders teach the Bible, biblically shepherding local believers to grow in their faith and apply God's word in their context.

### Christ in the Community

Churches more and more become salt and light in their communities and extend the Gospel in their families, neighbourhoods, schools and work places.

## IMPACT DURING 2019

- We held 338 (323) Training Seminars.
- Which shepherd 1190 (850) preaching clubs.
- In turn equipping 10896 (10350) pastors and lay leaders to teach Gods word.

(2018 figures)



## HOW IT WORKS

### Book Distribution

We distribute biblical resources to churches, pastors, Bible colleges and seminaries.

### Book Development

We help develop ground breaking commentaries written in and for the local context.

### Publisher Support

We support writers and publishers who translate and write books for the local context.

Launch of Arabic Bible Commentary

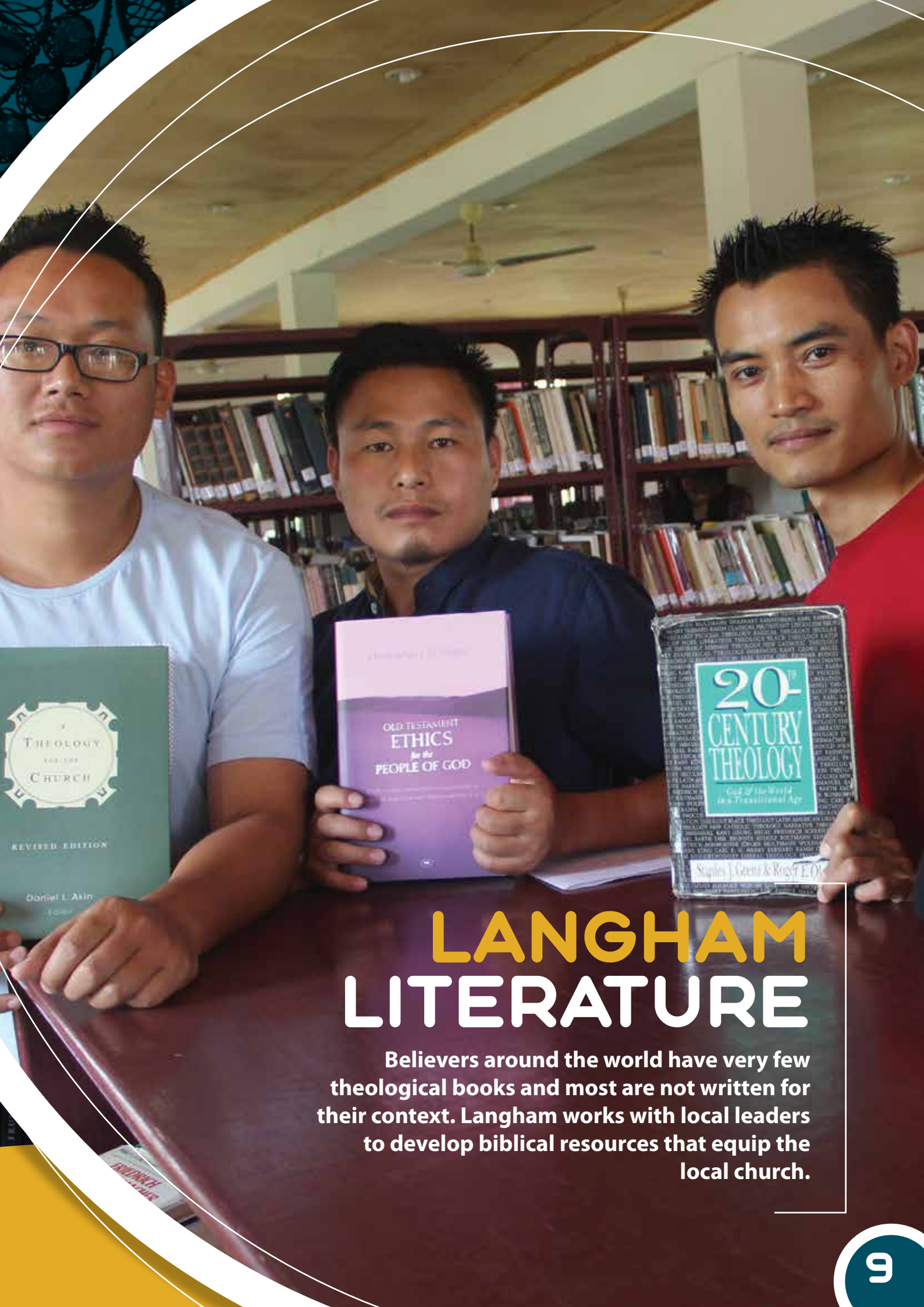


## LANGHAM IMPACT DURING 2019

- We supplied 17697 Bible centred books to 773 Majority World colleges across 84 countries.
- We distributed 35817 Bible centred books to Majority world pastors, students and ministry partners.
- We distributed 44,115 books to partner Majority world publishers. (67404 books in total).
- We supported 22 indigenous publishers in 20 countries, producing 47 local language books with the help of our Publisher grants.
- We published 47 (41) books.
- We completed the following one book Bible commentaries
  - Latin American Bible Commentary (Spanish)*
  - Africa Bible Commentary (Hausa translation)*
  - Arabic Contemporary Commentary*

(2018 figures)





THEOLOGY  
FOR THE  
CHURCH  
REVISED EDITION  
Daniel L. Akin  
Editor

OLD TESTAMENT  
ETHICS  
for the  
PEOPLE OF GOD

20<sup>TH</sup>  
CENTURY  
THEOLOGY  
God of the World  
in a Translational Age  
Stanley J. Grenz & Roger E. Olson

# LANGHAM LITERATURE

Believers around the world have very few theological books and most are not written for their context. Langham works with local leaders to develop biblical resources that equip the local church.





# LANGHAM SCHOLARS

Langham Partnership equips Christian leaders from around the world to receive theological PhDs and then serve the church in their home nations.

# IMPACT DURING 2019

## HOW IT WORKS

### Scholarship

We fund scholarships and shepherd these leaders through their PhD studies.

### Ministry

Scholars biblically train and disciple future pastors and Christian leaders in their nations.

### Multiplication

Christian leaders start new ministries and churches, equipped to make disciples.

- Langham supported 73 (69) students from 41 (39) Majority world countries in their theological doctoral programs.
- This included 18 new students.
- We celebrated the graduation of 9 scholars, joining a global fellowship of over 300 graduated Langham Scholars serving and shaping nations with a biblical worldview point.

(2018 figures)





# LANGHAM UK AND IRELAND IN NUMBERS

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We travelled the country holding supporter events at Trinity College Bristol, All Souls London, Carrubbers Edinburgh, Malone House Belfast, Tyndale House Cambridge and Willersley Castle in Matlock.

WE SENT OUT  
**1248**  
ENEWS EMAILS  
**EACH MONTH**

WE POSTED  
**2355**  
TRANSFORM MAGAZINES  
**TWICE**  
DURING THE YEAR

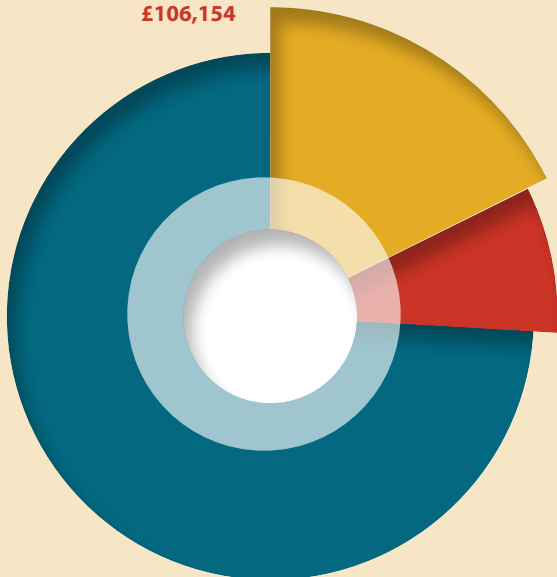
WE MET OVER  
**250**  
SUPPORTERS  
AT EVENTS,  
INCLUDING VISION  
DAYS AND KESWICK

## Langham Partnership UKI Expenditure 2018-19

**74%** Programmes  
**£1,026,377**

**18%** Development  
**£244,326**

**8%** Administration and Governance  
**£106,154**



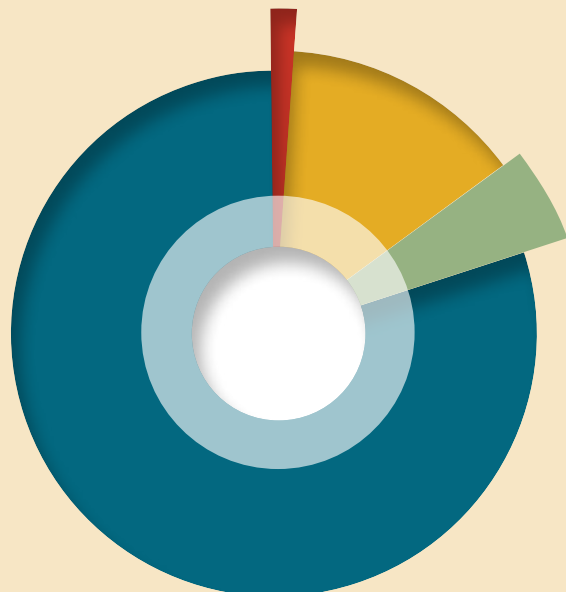
## Langham Partnership UKI Income 2018-19

**80%** Donations  
**£1,104,623**

**14%** Gift Aid  
**£195,998**

**5%** Legacy Income  
**£60,667**

**1%** Other  
**£17,243**



# GOVERNANCE, STAFFING AND RESOURCING

The Langham Partnership is overseen by the Langham Partnership International Council (comprising of global members) which is supported by a Global Executive. This includes the UK's Reverend Dr Christopher J H Wright as International Ministries Director and the Reverend Canon John Libby as the Executive Director of Langham UKI.

**In the UK and Ireland, the work of Langham UKI is managed by a board of Trustees comprising:**



## Mary Evans (as Chair)

Mary taught maths before studying at LBC. Continuing 30 years on the staff of LBC/LST, she was vice-principal for the last few years. She has lectured in majority world countries and served on the councils of Bible Society, Global

Connections, EA, Latin Link and SIM. Previously Academic Dean in Addis Ababa, she remains a visiting lecturer and has authored books and commentaries.



## David Ball

David is Director of the Group-based Open Learning Discipleship (GOLD) Project and works as a consultant for SEAN International. He and his wife, Angie, spent 15 years in India as Crosslinks mission partners before

returning to the UK and he continues to train Christians in their context of ministry.



## Ronald Clements

Ronald Clements is a freelance writer and researcher and writes biographies of missionaries in Asia, murder mysteries, and for TV and film. Ronald graduated from King's College, London in Civil Engineering and worked as a junior

engineer after completing his Ph.D. Between 1986 and 1996, he and his wife lived in Fujian Province, China, where Ronald lectured in Civil Engineering at a Chinese university.



## Norman Fraser

Norman is an IT entrepreneur starting a number of successful companies, including the first British venture in the Republic of Moldova and is currently Chairman of a computer hardware company. He has degrees from

Edinburgh and London Universities, and is Adjunct Professor of Business and Management, Aalborg University, Denmark. Norman is a past Assistant Head of Student Ministries at UCCF, and has served on the boards of IVP and Living Leadership.



## Alan Johnston

Alan holds Non-Executive Director roles in the Financial Services Sector. After reading Economics and Accounting at the University of Newcastle upon Tyne he qualified as a Chartered Accountant with Armstrong Watson and remained with

the firm throughout his career, latterly as Senior Partner. Alan is vice chair of the PCC of St. James Carlisle and a member of Chapter of Carlisle Cathedral.



## Stephen Mackay

Stephen has lived in Africa, Canada, Hong Kong and across Europe. He served as a Captain in the Royal Engineers before becoming a Civil Engineer designing power stations and skyscrapers. A

theology degree followed by an MTh led to a working partnership with theological publishers in Spain. The history and work of OMF in East Asia has also been a lifelong interest.



## Keith Mallon

Keith studied maths before embarking on a finance career in London with PWC. Having spent time in commercial training and various Finance Director and general

management roles he and his growing family responded to their hearts' desire to support mission. He applied his skills to leading the finance structures and teams of Operation Mobilisation and was part of their International Executive. In 2014 he returned to commercial life in Sheffield where he has an active consultancy business.



## Steve Osei-Mensah

Steve Osei- Mensah has over 32 years of business experience in Europe, Asia, Africa, & North America. He has been a partner with both PwC & Ernst & Young (Strategy, Financial services, Operations and Risk / Governance). Currently he is an

Independent Consulting Partner, mentoring and coaching several global executives and partners in leadership transition. Steve is also a trustee of Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF)UK, MAF International. His heritage is Ghanaian & British.



### **Gillian Phillips**

Gillian has a background in teaching and market research. For the past ten years she has worked as a consultant to several mission organisations in developing new forms of governance, conducting assessments of effectiveness and relevance and developing coaching as a tool for mission support. She is on the international board of SIM.



### **Judith Sawers**

Judith and her husband, Will, work with Wycliffe Bible Translators supporting national translation teams in central Africa, and as part of Wycliffe's member care team in the UK. Judith's degree in Biblical Studies and Linguistics and a call whilst in her teens to serve God cross-culturally led them in this direction. Her work now focuses on publicity and prayer-raising for the Central African Republic, and supporting colleagues in raising personal financial support in the UK.



### **David Turner**

David Turner is a Circuit Judge dividing his time between the Crown and Family Courts in Chelmsford, Essex, and the Royal Courts of Justice in London where he sits as deputy High Court Judge.

Called to the bar in 1976, he became a QC in 2000, a judge in 2004 and a Bencher of Gray's Inn in 2016. He is Chancellor of the Diocese of Chester and sits as an ecclesiastical judge.



## **Senior Management Team comprising:**



### **John Libby** *National Director*

John spent 16 years in international banking with significant experience in senior financial management in the UK and USA. Ordained in the Church of England, he spent 18 years as vicar of St. James, Carlisle. A Christian entrepreneur, John is on the board of Five Talents UK and built and fund-raised for charitable enterprises including the Keppleway Trust, with connections in Africa. John is an Hon. Canon of Carlisle.



### **Helen Hamilton** *Chief Finance Officer*

Helen joined the Langham Leadership Team in November 2017 as CFO for the UK and Ireland. A history graduate, she is a chartered accountant and previously worked in local government overseeing funding for schools, and before that in external audit for the Audit Commission. Her role is to oversee the finances for Langham UK and Ireland working to ensure the programme staff are released to do the work on the ground through smooth and efficient financial systems.



### **Simon Foulds** *Supporter Development Manager*

Simon has been working in the Charity sector for 30 years. Holding fundraising roles for The Children's Society, Treetops Hospice, Bible Society, Royal British Legion and The National Holocaust Centre.

Simon lives in Nottingham with Vanessa and their youngest child Imogen, with Emily and Edward at university. Simon is local preacher for the Methodist Church and a Scout leader.



### **Cindy Crossley** *Operations Manager*

Cindy has been working with Langham for 13 years holding a variety of responsibilities. Prior to this she worked for two other Christian charities.

Cindy holds dual citizenship having moved here 34 years ago from America. She is very involved in her local church and is also a certified Gallop Strengths Coach.



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