



Sermon Notes

Term – Autumn Term

Series – Tearfund Launch

Gathering & Date – 15th October 2018

Title – Feeding of the 5000

Preacher – Nadine Parkinson

Reading: Mark 6:30 - 44

Main message of this talk in one sentence Introducing Christchurch to the Tearfund Partnership project

Main points –

Introduction to Tearfund - <https://youtu.be/-1calPRNack>

Church and community mobilisation in Africa,

<https://learn.tearfund.org/~media/files/tilz/churches/ccm/2017-tearfund-ccm-in-africa-en.pdf> (10 page booklet)

Reflections on Mark 6:30-44

The flyer handed out at the end of the gathering has also been attached with a brief testimony from someone involved in the project and some more information about the 'Transformation in the Diocese of Kitgum'

For further thought and prayer –

1. Look at the 10 page booklet on the Kitgum project which includes prayer points on page 9
2. Re-read the feeding of the 5000 passage
3. Share with the group, any key points that were significant to you from the talk/reading?
4. What is our response to those in need?
5. How can we best help those in need?
6. The boy brought his packed lunch and offered it to Jesus, what do you have to offer in helping those in need?
7. How can you bless someone this week; a friend, a neighbour, a work colleague, using those gifts that God has given to you?