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Expanding global awareness
of the Lord's greatness

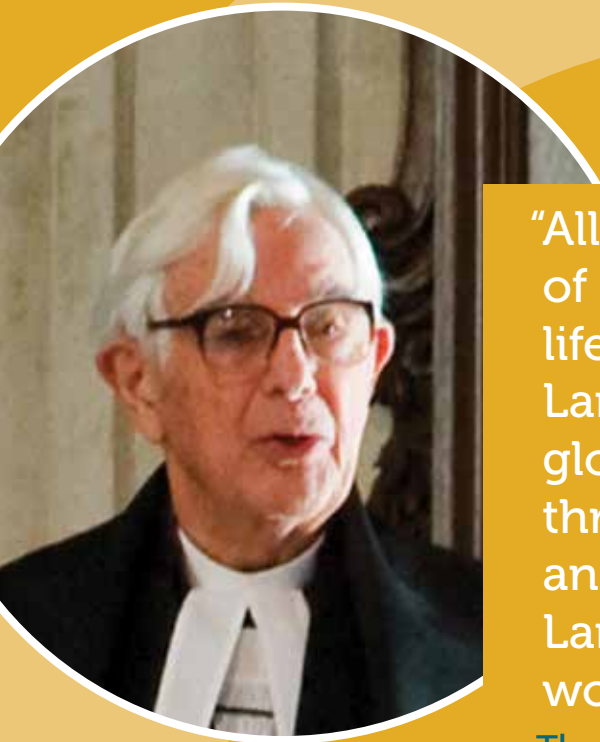


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PARTNERSHIP

“O **magnify** the LORD with me and let us exalt his name together.”

(Psalm 34:3, ESV)



“All who owe, as I do, an immense debt of thankfulness to God for John Stott’s life and ministry will rejoice that through Langham the various ‘legacies’ of his global work for the gospel continue and thrive. It is my privilege through prayer and finances to play a part in helping Langham bring Christ to our needy world.”

The Rt Revd Timothy Dudley-Smith

This is your invitation to share in this same **privilege**.



Our vision is to see churches in the majority world equipped for mission and growing to maturity in Christ through the ministry of pastors and leaders who believe, teach and live by the Word of God.

Welcome

Will you join with us in seeking transformation within the global church and see its members grow in Christlike maturity?

The first strand of what became the Langham Partnership was started over 50 years ago when our founder Revd Dr John Stott heard and saw the global church was vibrant and full of life but lacked the resources to grow in maturity.

Langham believes the way to grow in maturity is through the Word of God. It's on that foundation that Langham seeks to build by:-

- Developing biblical books (Langham Literature)
- Training local preachers (Langham Preaching)
- Equipping theological leaders (Langham Scholars)

Langham now works in over 90 countries impacting over 650,000 people each year.

Langham is committed to continuing our founder's vision and is now seeking renewed investment in our scalable and proven ministries of Literature, Preaching and Scholars. This will accelerate global churches' growth in maturity in Christ as it becomes ever more self-sustaining and fulfils its mission to be a light to the world.

Our goal is to raise £6.2m in the UK and Ireland (globally £29.1m) to accelerate the support and

growth of biblically faithful and culturally relevant literature, preachers and leaders. When combined, these will help transform God's people to better reflect His character, grow in Christian maturity and so MAGNIFY awareness of his glorious Name.

Additionally, this will inspire reform in the world where social, political, economic and democratic changes are causing seismic shifts, to better reflect God's Kingdom and grow the global church.

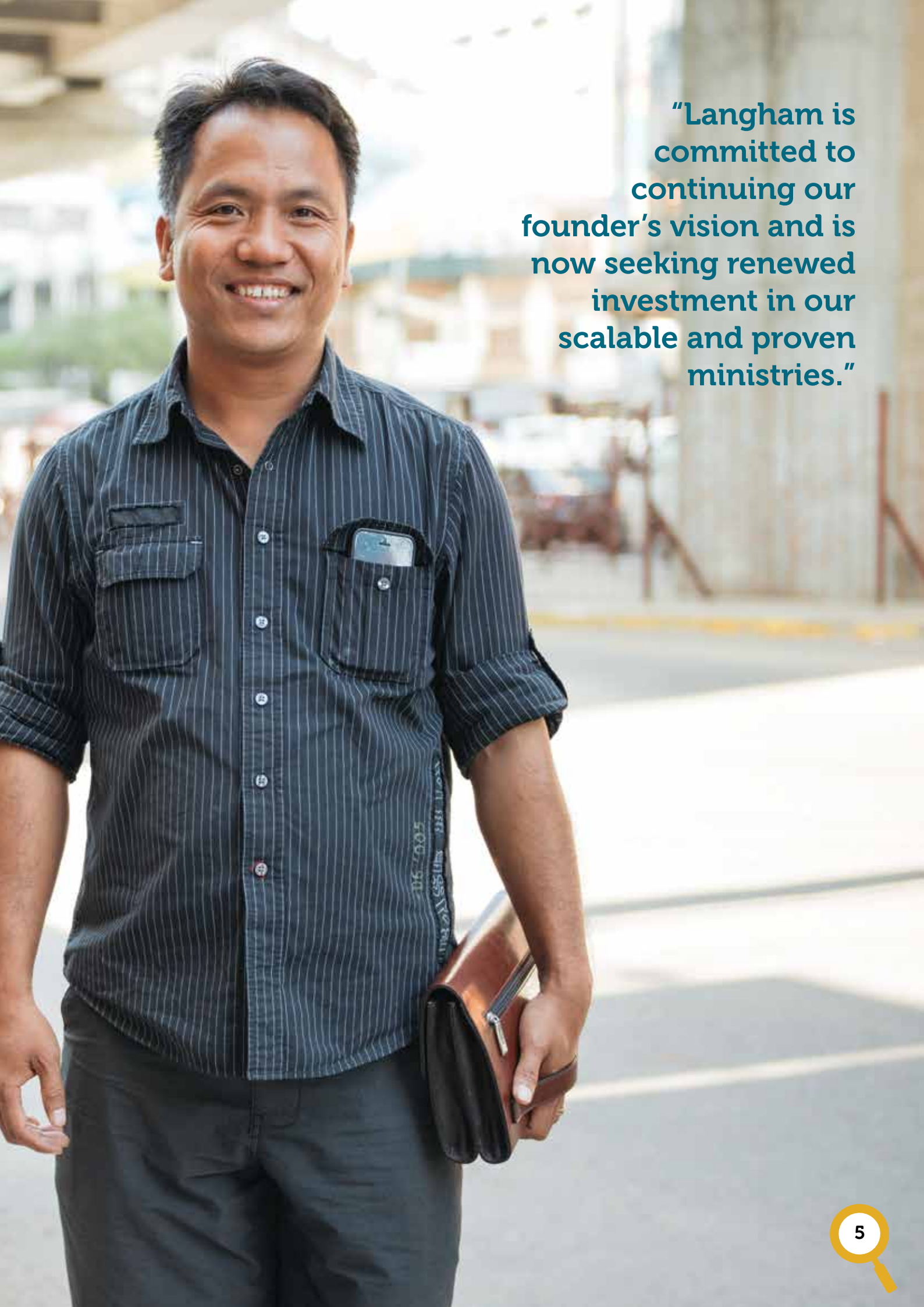


With this great goal in mind, I invite you to join Langham in this mission, to deepen your partnership with the global church and together encourage and accelerate the maturity of God's people.



Revd Canon John Libby
National Director





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Challenge to address

With the exploding growth of the church in the Majority World the need for equipped church teachers to faithfully proclaim Christ is as urgent and vital as ever.

Closing the vacuum in leadership which this growth has created, and ensuring believers are protected from false, irrelevant, or stagnant teaching, must be a priority if the global church is to grow in maturity and size in the face of opposition.

- The ratio of formally trained ministers in the UK is one minister for every 142 church members. *
- The ratio outside the US and UK is an astounding one pastor for every 450,000 church members.

- It is estimated that only 5% of pastors in the majority world have formal biblical or theological training.
- Every day it is estimated 174,000 people start their new lives in Christ.
- Every week thousands of churches are planted in hopes to be salt and light in their communities.

We believe Langham is uniquely and strategically positioned to equip and empower indigenous leaders through the multiplying effect of investing in scholars, literature, and preaching, to meet these needs and challenges which are growing exponentially.

*figures from UK Church Statistics 2005-15



“By perpetually listening to the needs of the global church, Langham is finding creative, cost-effective solutions to meet those needs just as John Stott did in the organisation’s humble beginnings... There is much yet to be done at this critical juncture in the history of the global church. Langham is on the forefront of bringing God’s Word to the world.”

Mark Labberton, President of Fuller Theological Seminary and former Study Assistant of John Stott



Our vision

To see churches in the majority world equipped for mission and growing to maturity in Christ through the ministry of pastors and leaders who believe, teach and live by the Word of God.

“Churches live, grow and flourish by the Word of God, and they languish and die without it.”

The Reverend Dr John Stott, Founder, Langham Partnership

Our Mission

To further build and grow the ministry of the Word of God through:

- Investing £11.1m in multiplying the creation and distribution of evangelical literature
- Investing £10m in nurturing national movements for training in biblical preaching
- Investing £8m in strengthening the theological training of pastors and leaders by qualified evangelical teachers.

“Stott foresaw the rise of Christianity in the global south before most anybody... Langham Partnership is a leader in equipping the global church to grow in maturity. I can think of no more strategic work...this ministry has been a game changer.”

Tim Keller, Author and Pastor, Redeemer Presbyterian Church, New York, NY



Literature

We work with local leaders to create and distribute biblical, faithful and contextual resources that equip the local church. As a result, students, pastors, and leaders have the biblical resources they need to provide biblical solutions to regional and global issues, helping believers grow in Christlikeness.

By increasing the distribution of biblical books and resources to both seminaries and seminary graduates, this will not only resource scholars as they study but continue their spiritual and academic growth once they have returned to their home nations - making them ever better preachers and pastors.

The continued production of contextualised commentaries is essential to empowering pastors and leaders to teach the Word of God in a way that engages with local history, politics, society, and culture, demonstrating its global relevance for all nations.

Ensuring that these are then translated and distributed, together with other works by indigenous authors, is essential to resource other leaders and teachers grappling with similar issues in their own home nations.

Mentoring and training regional publishers, writers, and editors will enable them to create and distribute their own high-quality and relevant Christian works by key theological thought leaders around the world.



Investing £10.1m in multiplying the creation and distribution of evangelical literature

- £192,500 could produce a new commentary for a majority world area
- £25,000 could provide 7 new majority world college literacy grants
- £12,000 could translate 3 books into a heart language
- £3,000 could mentor 3 new majority world writers

The new Langham Service Centre in Carlisle will enable us to ship more than 295,000 books annually, world-wide, to seminaries, graduates, and preaching club members.



Strengthen Local Biblical Literature Ecosystems

Mentor and Support Local Literature Creators:

- 190%** increase of local publishers to 35
- 280%** increase of local editors to 23
- 290%** increase of local writers to 115

Catalyse Majority World Markets:

Stimulate the desire for indigenously written literature in **10+** nations.

Produce More Groundbreaking Bible Commentary Projects

Develop more one-volume Bible commentaries and major projects like the Muslim Background Bible Commentary, South Asia Study Bible, and Central and Eastern European Bible Commentary. We would like to translate more

existing commentaries into other neighbouring regional languages, such as Portuguese and Tamil, to respond to the growing demand, producing over 27 ground-breaking projects.

Increase Book Distribution



Grant 60% More Library Books

Supply 650 Majority World Seminary and Bible College libraries with £4.3m worth of books.



Provide 20% More Books to Pastors

Equip 106,000 Langham Preaching participants with resource books.



Distribute 125% More Books

Increase to 300,000 books sent annually to the Majority World. Construct a new Global Center for Biblical Literature.

**All percentages are above normal baseline levels without growth*



Preaching



We are training pastors and lay leaders to be people of conviction and character, who preach God's Word with clarity, faithfulness and relevance. As a result, local congregations regularly receive quality preaching and teaching from their pastors and leaders and together they grow in Christlikeness.

Though we are impacting tens of thousands of preachers around the world, tens of thousands more beckon, and there are currently 20 countries who've invited Langham to start preaching movements.

Investment in the existing preaching movements so that they mature and become self-sustaining will lead to their expansion and the raising up of local trainers who can then support other regional movements and bring them to maturity.

Indigenous Bible colleges and seminaries are requesting support to improve their preaching training curricula including developing homiletics

programmes that are embedded with Langham's expository preaching principles.

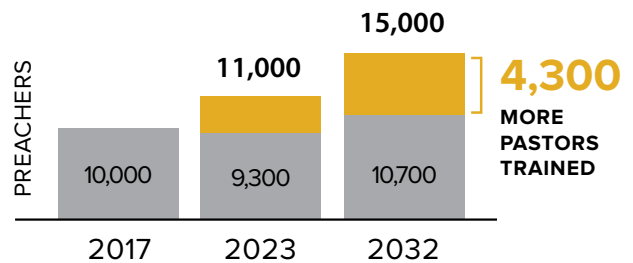
Investing £8.4m in nurturing national movements for training and biblical preaching.

- £52,000 could bring a preaching movement to self-sustainment
- £22,000 could launch a new preaching movement
- £10,000 could train 30 new preachers
- £879 could launch a new preaching club

Through the creation of 2,500 preaching clubs, more than 595,000 people will regularly receive quality preaching from their pastor and lay preachers

Increase Preachers Trained Annually

(40% Increase)



(Rebound from Covid-depressed levels by 2023)

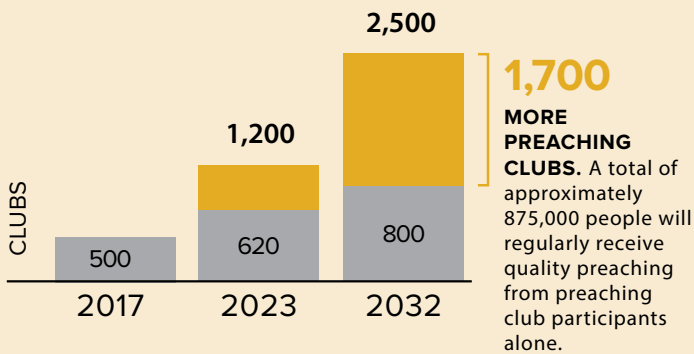
Trained pastors preach with clarity, relevance, and faithfulness.

- MAGNIFY CAMPAIGN ACCELERATED GROWTH
- NORMAL BASELINE MINISTRY



Develop More Preaching Clubs

(213% Increase)



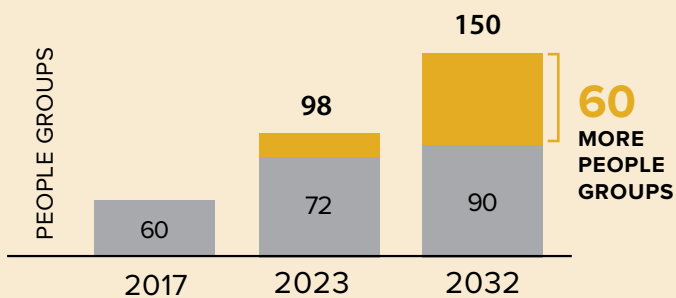
1,700 MORE PREACHING CLUBS. A total of approximately 875,000 people will regularly receive quality preaching from preaching club participants alone.



Clubs meet regularly to practice what they've learned and pray for one another.

Launch Preaching Movements to New People Groups

(67% Increase)



A preaching "movement" is a sustained active commitment of a critical mass of local believers. A separate preaching movement exists for each distinct people group that has a common language, culture and geographic proximity.

Scholars

We are developing a global community of theological scholars and leaders who go on to teach others and advance church maturity. As a result they model and promote Christlike humility, biblically faithful application of scripture and cultural relevance.

The impact of the Langham Scholars programme is proven and so to increase the number of churches and individuals impacted, particularly from high priority regions like the Arab world, it is vital to increase the number of annual scholarships available, while also ensuring that the Scholars continue to be carefully selected, mentored during their studies, and connected to a global network of alumni upon graduation.

This enables us to help develop a global community of leaders in theological education who, at local and national levels, transformatively influence others and promote church maturity, modelling Christlike humility, biblical grounding, and cultural relevance.

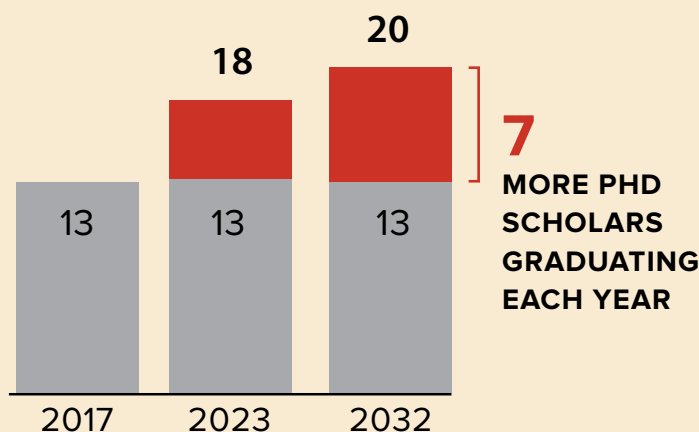
Investing £6.3m in strengthening the theological training of pastors and leaders by qualified evangelical teachers through scholarships to enable PhD study.

- £77,000 could provide a new PhD scholarship for 5 years
- £26,000 could provide the care and support of a scholar for over 5 years of study
- £2,500 could sponsor a scholar attending a theological conference
- £800 could support a scholar-led preacher training programme

Over their ministry careers, 285 scholars will raise up approximately 2.2 million Christian leaders for the Majority World church.



Increase the Quantity of PhD Scholars



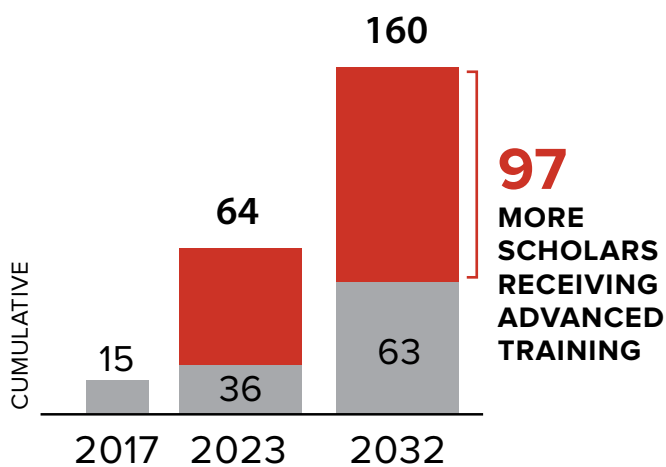
A **50% increase** in the number of scholars mobilised. Over 15 years, a total of **285 more scholars** will go on to equip another **2.2 million** future church planters, Bible teachers, pastors and Christian leaders over the course of their ministries.

PhD Scholars Graduating Each Year

- NORMAL BASELINE MINISTRY
- MAGNIFY CAMPAIGN ACCELERATED GROWTH



Maximise Influence of Post-PhD Scholars



A **150% increase** in further developing and leveraging those with completed PhDs will allow these scholars to produce **160** desperately needed books, writings and other biblical resources for places like Francophone Africa. Pressing issues like corruption, sex trafficking and violence against women will be addressed.

Improve Scholar Selection, Care and Training

Better select, prepare and shepherd scholars to serve in the Majority World with increased focus on high-priority regions such as the Muslim world and Francophone Africa.

Strengthen Majority World Partnerships

Intensify mentoring of Majority World institutions, co-sponsoring international conferences, providing conference scholarships for Langham Scholars and placing key messengers in strategic speaking roles for many non-Langham gatherings.

Call to Action



Langham works in over 90 countries. We are now looking to double that global impact over 5 years and make it sustainable at that level for a further 10 years while growing our core support. This is your invitation to join us in what we believe is a profound godly vision. **Will you join us in making a gift to the magnify campaign?**

Cash Gifts

£3.4m UKI CAMPAIGN Gifts Pyramid

Gift Amount	Partners	Totals
£1m	1	£1m
£500k	1	£500k
£250k	3	£750,000
£100k	4	£400,000
£50k	5	£250,000
£25k	10	£250,000
£10k	15	£150,000
	Many gifts	£100,000
TOTAL		£3.4m

Gifts in Wills

Langham recognises that many may wish to support this campaign through a gift in their will. This was intentionally modelled by John Stott in the assignment of his book royalties to Langham. Over a 15 year period we would hope for gifts in this range.

£2.8m UKI CAMPAIGN Gifts Pyramid

Gift Amount	Partners	Totals
£1m	1	£1m
£500k	1	£500k
£250k	2	£500,000
£100k	3	£300,000
£50k	4	£200,000
£25k	5	£125,000
£10k	10	£100,000
£5k	20	£50,000
Various	Many	£25,000
TOTAL		£2.8M

Ways to give

CAMPAIGN GIFT

Langham is looking for partners who share our vision to see Christians around the globe mature in their faith and make a gift that will transform lives forever.

This campaign offers many exciting opportunities to support the work, transforming Langham's work and the lives of the people we work with. Gifts can be made over a period of time to take full advantage of tax incentives.

If you wish to discuss making a transformative gift, please use the contact details on the back page.

MONTHLY GIFT

Monthly gifts offer everyone the opportunity to make a gift on a scale that is both sustainable and personally appropriate.

Langham relies on monthly gifts as a dependable income, allowing us to plan into the future the work we can do.


To set up a monthly gift for the campaign, please use the contact details on the back page.

GIFTS IN WILLS

A legacy is a gift that everyone can give, regardless of their financial circumstances during their lifetime. A gift in your will to Langham will support generations to come, whether it is scholars, preachers or literature.

Legacy gifts, small and large, play an important part in our history. John Stott's estate still supports us to this day with the royalties from his books.

To discuss leaving a gift in your will, please use the contact details on the back page.



“I give because it is wonderful to see
John Stott’s vision being realised in so
many exciting ways.”
(Ness and Dermot, Northern Ireland)

“We support Langham because we have
both been blessed and encouraged in our
own Christian lives and ministries by good
Bible preaching and we wish that others
worldwide would hear good preaching and
become Biblical preachers.”
(Stephen & Jennifer, Essex)

“We support Langham because of the
impressive way it carries out the strategic task
of equipping church leaders to make disciples
of Jesus in all corners of the globe.”
(John and Di, Godmanchester)



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