

CHRISTIAN AID

Community Partnerships

(from the Christian Aid website www.christianaid.org.uk)

Together we grow stronger, and by standing shoulder to shoulder with communities around the world we have the opportunity to end poverty once and for all.

Through Community Partnerships Christian Aid links groups in Britain and Ireland with projects in some of the world's poorest communities. Donations to projects through Community Partnerships are match-funded by the European Union, meaning that for every pound we give, at least three more are donated. It's a smart investment and a great way to make our money go further for people living in poverty across the globe.

How does it work?

The Colinton Christian Aid Committee intends to commit to raising £5000 over the next two years for one of the projects. The European Union will then turn our £5000 into £20,000!

What kind of Projects?

We have already supported the Sao Paulo Urban Project to the tune of £2500, as reported in Colinton News (April 2013), which became £10,000 through the addition of EU funding.



We will shortly be deciding on our new project, and we will let you know in the next Colinton News.

And, of course, we do not want to raise only £5000 over two years. We are still committed to helping those in desperate need, people like these Syrians trying to cope with the harsh winter in a refugee camp.



So, put on your Thinking Caps: it's the Christian Aid Quiz Night!



Where? The Episcopal Church Hall

Time? 7.15pm – 10.30pm

How many? Teams of **no more than 8 people**.

Cost? £8 each

What happens? You pit your wits against the brightest brains in Colinton. Tickets entitle you to answer the questions, eat sandwiches and sticky cakes, buy drinks from the bar, win prizes, valuable (???) ones for the winners, paltry for the poorest!

Organise a team and get your tickets*

** Contact details are given in the printed magazine*