

The logo for Edinburgh City Mission is displayed on a window of a stone building. It consists of the words "EDINBURGH", "CITY", and "MISSION" stacked vertically in a white, sans-serif font. The text is enclosed within a white square frame with L-shaped corner brackets.

EDINBURGH  
CITY  
MISSION

A lasting  
**LEGACY**  
for your **city**

[www.edinburghcitymission.org.uk](http://www.edinburghcitymission.org.uk)

# Leaving a *LEGACY* in Edinburgh

Edinburgh City Mission started in 1832 to support people in need in our City, and to show them the great love of Jesus that transforms lives.

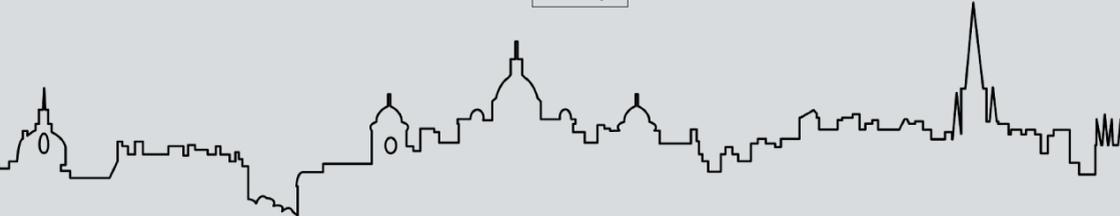
It would take a whole book to tell you about the amazing things that God has done over the years. Lives have been turned around in amazing ways! And although many generations have witnessed transformation in Edinburgh, there is still a lot of work to do!

The truth is that we exist today thanks to the generous supports of thousands of people that have partnered with us through prayer, finances and offering physical support over these 188 years!

1832

Eternity!

Today!



## How can you get INVOLVED?

God uses his Church to build his Kingdom on Earth. That is why we would like to invite you to partner with the City Mission and to leave a lasting legacy for this beautiful city that we love - a city that needs Jesus more than ever.

There are many ways in which you can partner with us throughout your whole life and leave a legacy alongside us at Edinburgh City Mission! We want to show you three of the most sustainable ways you can support us.

Become a Mission Enabler!



Include Edinburgh City Mission in your will!



Donate in memory of a loved one!



## Meet one of our MISSION ENABLERS!

At a very early age I knew that God had given me a heart for people, and wanted me to work with people and help people. But in my teenage years, because my dad died when I was still young, I became the breadwinner and had to work to help my mother and my brothers.

Until one day. When I was 15 my ambition was to be a millionaire because of the poverty - Sadly, to become a millionaire, I did dishonest things. But then I started going along to the Mission Hall and one day, someone was talking about being dishonest, and I realised I had to change my life, or I would end up bad. So that's when I became a Christian, and that's why I started to get involved in the City Mission.

And then in 1984 I started working for Edinburgh City Mission as a missionary in Pilton. It was perfect for me and my heart for people because it was a very similar environment to the one I was brought up in.

I love Edinburgh, I loved growing up in Niddrie, there was a sense of community. But people need to be able to cope with life. People struggle to cope with life, money, health employment and the biggest one is relationships, people are lonely and isolated all over the city.



Bill McGilliray and Edinburgh City Mission's CEO Duncan Cuthill. In his 20s, Duncan volunteered at Pilton while Bill was a missionary there for the City Mission.

People still needs Jesus Christ in their lives, because he changes lifestyles. And that motivates me to keep working and do everything I can to keep helping people. At my age, I am still involved, I am a volunteer at two Basic Banks and I love it, I love interacting with folk and telling them about God.

## Include us in your *Will*

We know how important it is for you to make provision for your family and loved ones a priority when thinking about your will. Over and above, including us in your will could help us maintain our current projects around the most deprived areas of Edinburgh, or even create new projects and send more Mission Strengtheners to other places in the city.

We also know that changing this document requires time and resources. That's why we partnered with Leonard Thomson, a solicitor who is willing to help you do this for free, should you decide to include a minimum of £1000 in your will for us.

E-mail [duncan@edinburghcitymission.org.uk](mailto:duncan@edinburghcitymission.org.uk) if you would like to explore this possibility.



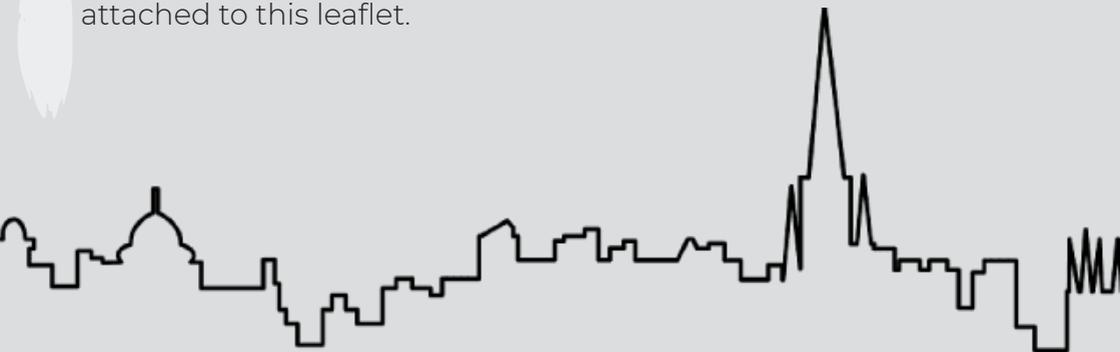
## Donate in *MEMORY* of a loved one

If you are thinking about a way to commemorate the life of someone you loved, perhaps consider having a collection and donate the proceeds to Edinburgh City Mission.

There are several ways you can give a one-off donation to us:

- Go to [www.justgiving.co.uk/edinburghcitymission/](http://www.justgiving.co.uk/edinburghcitymission/)
- Send a cheque made payable to Edinburgh City Mission
- Banktransfer
- Through our Facebook account [www.facebook.com/edinburghcitymission/](http://www.facebook.com/edinburghcitymission/)

Find the postal address and bank details on the insert attached to this leaflet.





The earth is the *LORD'S*,  
and everything in it,  
the world, and all who live in it.

— Psalm 24:1 —