

christians
against
poverty

CAP

when
hope
walks in



CAP Sunday 2018



Stuart

Hope extinguished

Right now, *14 million* people
in our nation are living
in poverty.

Redefining hope

*‘Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me? Put your **hope** in God, for I will yet praise him, my Saviour and my God.’*

Psalm 43:5

The Greek for the word '**hope**' is '*elpis*' which means '*to anticipate with pleasure and to confidently expect*'.

The dictionary definition for **hope** is '*a feeling of expectation and desire for a particular thing to happen*'.

The four messages of hope

1. *You're not alone*

'And our hope for you is firm, because we know that just as you share in our sufferings, so also you share in our comfort.'

2 Corinthians 1:7

2. CAP's service works

*'So the poor have **hope**,
and injustice shuts its mouth.'*

Job 5:16



23,000 people are helped
by CAP every year through
their four services.



2,500 families
become debt free
each year through
CAP Debt Help.



805 people found
work last year through
CAP Job Clubs.



600 additional people were helped in 2017 through CAP's other two services, Fresh Start and Life Skills.

3. We believe in you

*“For I know the plans I have for you” declares the Lord ... “plans to give you **hope** and a future”*

Jeremiah 29:11

4. *The hope of salvation*

*‘Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my Saviour, and my
hope is in you all day long.’*

Psalm 25:5



As a result of CAP's work,
more than **1,000 people**
make a personal commitment
to Jesus every year.

£5 a month will bring hope to one new person every month.

£15 a month will bring hope to three people every month.

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