

WALDENSIAN MISSIONS AID SOCIETY, SCOTLAND

-The Scottish Waldensian Society –

Founded in 1850- Supporting the Waldensian/Methodist Churches in Italy
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The Society's website is at : - www.scottishwaldensian.org.uk. It contains information on the society, with contact and donation facilities.

*In this year of Covid 19, No Delegate from the Waldensian Church to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland visited this year, as no Assembly took place in May 2020. Similarly, there was no **Synod** of the Waldensian/Methodist Churches in **Torre Pellice** in August of this year, with instead some cultural events taking place in that period. Churches in Italy and Scotland are now beginning to operate in new ways, with Zoom services, and church services with limited numbers. We all hope and pray that life can return to the former "normal", when the battle against the disease has succeeded, e.g. when suitable antidote medication can be found and implemented.*

*Copies of the excellent book, "**An Alliance Across the Alps**", by Mr. R. D. Kernohan, on the links between Scotland and the Reformed Churches in Italy, are still available. This is a most useful Book, with the full history of the Society and its work since foundation in 1850. The book can be obtained from me at £10 per copy.*

The Society records its appreciation of the continuing support of all its members most warmly. Likewise, donations for the ongoing work will be most welcome, and Gift Aid Declarations can be provided to donors who pay U.K. tax. The Society is usually able to provide a Speaker or a video or CD, for presentations to any interested organisations, who may wish to know more of the work of the Waldensian and Methodist Church and Community in Italy. Requests for further information, including copies of the Waldensian Review, will be welcomed. Up to date information can be obtained from the Website of the Waldensian Church – www.chiesavaldese.org – in both English and Italian. In future I would be happy to send this Newsletter by email. Please advise of your email address for this purpose.

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