MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 17TH NOVEMBER 2026.

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect partly cloudy to cloudy conditions to persist over most areas with isolated thunderstorms and rain which will be heavy in some areas due to the influence of the Inter-Tropical convergence Zone (ITCZ) which is oscillating over Malawi.

ADVISORY: Strong and gusty winds accompanying thunderstorms may damage roofs and blow debris across roads. The public is therefore advised to strengthen weak structures and roofs.

SHIRE VALLEY (areas along Shire River and around Lakes Chiuta and Chilwa)

Expect mostly cloudy and warm conditions tonight and during morning. Partly cloudy to cloudy and very hot conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.26°C and Max.39°C

SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza including Ntcheu, Neno, Mwanza, Mulanje, Thyolo, Zomba, Chiradzulu, Phalombe and Blantyre)

Mostly cloudy and mild conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain tonight and during morning. Expect partly cloudy to cloudy and hot conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain which will be locally heavy in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.21°C and Max.28°C

CENTRAL AREAS (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa and Kasungu)

Expect cloudy and mild conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain tonight and during morning. Expect cloudy and hot conditions with locally heavy rain and thunderstorms in the afternoon. Windy conditions are also likely in some areas.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.21°C and Max.29°C

LAKESHORE AREAS (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma and Karonga)

Cloudy and warm conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain tonight and during morning. Cloudy and hot conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain which will be heavy in some areas during afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min.24°C and Max.33°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Expect cloudy and mild conditions with isolated thunderstorms and rain tonight and during morning. Cloudy and warm conditions with locally heavy rain and thunderstorms during the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min.19°C and Max.28°C

WINDS: Variable but gusty in stormy areas.

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY: Cloudy with isolated thunderstorms and rain.

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 17TH NOVEMBER 2026.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:09	17:48	12:39
LILONGWE	05:06	17:53	12:47
BLANTYRE	05:09	17:48	12:39

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