



**WORLD  
AIDS DAY**  
1 DECEMBER  
2014

**VCT@WORK**

5 million workers by 2015

**CLOSE THE HIV  
TESTING GAP**

## **WORLD AIDS DAY PROGRAMME AT THE ILO**

### **At the ILO Colonnades**

- 11:45** Formation of the Human Red Ribbon
- 12:00** Picture of the Human Red Ribbon
- 12:10** Address by Guy Ryder, ILO Director General
- 12:20** Address by Jan Beagle, UNAIDS Deputy Executive Director

### **Event in Room II (R3-South)**

- 12: 35** Introductory remarks by Alice Ouédraogo, Chief of ILOAIDS
- 12: 40** Launch of short videos on People living with HIV
- 12: 50** Address by Pablo T. Aguilera, Executive Director HIV Young Leaders Fund
- 13: 00** Questions/answers, moderated by Afsar Syed, ILOAIDS

### **ILO Cinema room (R2-South)**

- 17:00** Coffee & cake
- Movie: THEMBA





# THEMBA

## A boy called Hope



**THEMBA**, is the moving story of a young Xhosa boy who dreams of being a soccer star. His non-idyllic childhood comes to an abrupt end when his mother is forced to look for work in Cape Town after losing her job, and he and his sister are left in the care of her lover. After Themba is raped, he and his sister go to look for their mother in Cape Town even though his soccer team stands to win the Eastern Cape Junior championships. They find her living with HIV. Themba has to face the fact that he, too, is infected. Against all odds, he realizes his soccer dream and plays for Bafana Bafana. This gives him the courage to take a public stand and tell the world that he is HIV-positive.

**By director:** Stefanie Sycholt

**Starring:** Junior Singo, Simphiwe Dana, Jens Lehmann, Patrick Mofokeng, etc...

**Award winning:** 14 international film prizes, including CINEMA FOR PEACE, UNICEF, the German Trade Union movement, DGB, and the international youth film prize from the Centre International de Film Pour L'Enfance et Jeunesse.

**Duration:** 1 hour 45 minutes