

# Climate Justice for Tanzania – a sustainable Approach to Climate Change

Invitation to an international online Dialogue on Thursday, January 13th 2022,  
16:00 - 18:00 (German Time), 6pm - 8pm (Tanzanian Time)



Malya Farm, East of Lake Victoria Diocese, Tanzania. Foto: K. Davis

Climate change is omnipresent. Last summer impacts of climate change were perceptible in Germany and all over Europe with floods, wildfires as well as the warmest temperatures ever recorded. Our partners in Tanzania already experienced those and other impacts of global warming for a much longer period of time. Climate change is a global crisis and requires joint and decisive action also on the part of the churches. There are plenty of solutions and inspiring projects already implemented.

With this online dialogue we want to focus on the role of churches and the theological background of a commitment to climate justice and climate action. Furthermore we will have a common look on the facts and figures about the climate crises and its effects on Tanzania. In addition we want to get inspired by the best practice project „Water for Malya“ and discuss what is needed to act together and initiate further projects and change in our churches.

**We want to discuss these topics with:**

## Climate Change and Climate Justice – Our Theological Foundations

*Bishop Andrew Gulle, East of Lake Victoria Diocese (ELVD)*

*Bishop Tilman Jeremias, Church District of Mecklenburg and Pomerania*

## Climate Justice: Numbers, Facts and Interrelations

*Uli Eder, Infodesk for Climate Justice, Center for Global Ministries and Ecumenical Relations (ZMÖ)*

## Impacts of Climate Change in Tanzania

*Paul Mpazi, Head of the Department of Planning and Investment, ELVD*

## “Water for Malya” – A Sustainable Approach to Climate Change

*Joygrace Shoo, Project Development and Coordination, ELVD*

*Dr. Anne-Christina Achterberg-Boness, Project Development and Coordination, ELVD*

## Moderation:

*Judith Meyer Kahrs, Infodesk for Climate Justice and*

*Katharina Davis, Coordinator Africa Desk, Center for Global Ministries and Ecumenical Relations*

**Registration and Translation:** To participate in our online dialogue for free, sign up now via the following link:

<https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMuc-2uqzoqHtBi1p0JYj3vjH5gPzoMd2IE>

The Zoom-conference room will be open 30 minutes before the start of the event.

There will be a German and a Kiswahili translation of the provided inputs.

This event is hosted by the Center for Global Ministries and Ecumenical Relations of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Northern Germany in cooperation with the East of Lake Victoria Diocese and the Ecumenical Office for the Church District Mecklenburg.

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