# **The Lutheran World Federation**

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**Annex 1 - Church Profile**

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| 1. **Basic information** | | | | |
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| **Country:** |  | | | |
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| 1. **Historical Background** | | | | |
| **How was the church started and by whom?** **What have been the major developments/changes/transitions over the years?** | | | | |
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| 1. **Present Situation** | | | | |
| **What is the current structure of the church?** | | | | |
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| **How are church leadership and governance processes organized?** | | | | |
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| **How are women, men and youth involved in the life and leadership of the church?** | | | | |
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| **How does the church promote gender equality and participation of youth?** | | | | |
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| **Does the church have a Gender Policy?** | | Yes | | No |
| **Does the church have a Code of Conduct?** | | Yes | | No |
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| 1. **Political and Socio-Economic Context** | | | | |
| **Provide an analysis of the current social, political and economic situation in the country, its impact on the life and work of the church.** | | | | |
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| 1. **Main Challenges, Priorities and Activities** | | | | |
| **Does the church have a strategic plan?** | | Yes | No | |
| **What are currently the main challenges and priorities the church is faced with?** | | | | |
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| **Which activities does the church carry out to fulfill these priorities and overcome these challenges?** | | | | |
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| **Partnership and Relationships** | | | | |
| **Provide an overview of the church’s bilateral partners in mission and development.** | | | | |
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| **Enumerate the church’s relationships with ecumenical and inter-faith partners. Indicate areas of partnership and any other ecumenical initiatives undertaken or with whom the church is in partnership.** | | | | |
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| 1. **Capacity self-assessment** | | | | |
| **Please list the capacity needs/gaps in your church (if any), specifically in relation to project work, and explain the way these could be addressed.** | | | | |
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| 1. **Ongoing Projects with LWF/DMD and New Requests** | | | | |
| To be completed by LWF/DMD | | | | |
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