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To: UEM General Secretary

Re: Message of Solidarity to German community

Dear UEM General Secretary

The Anglican Church of Rwanda, EAR (Butare, Cyangugu, Kigeme and Shyogwe Dioceses) is very saddened by the heavy rain that caused deadly flooding which is taking away many lives and ravaging the South West of Germany. EAR grieves for those who have lost their lives in such tragedy and sends heartfelt condolences, love and prayers to all brothers and sisters whose beloved ones have passed away. Our love and prayers to those who are physically injured and those still missing.

We're praying for this disaster to completely stop and for those who are tirelessly doing all possible to rescue those still missing. May the Lord God protect and empower you all with His mighty hand and Holy Spirit.

We also hold in our prayers those still in danger and those whose all belongings are devastated. Our heavenly Father, the giver of lives and all we need, may provide for those who have no shelters, no food and no basic needs and bless all those who are taking actions to support.

In Rwanda, we are also experiencing many deaths and high infection rate like never before. It is due to the deadly Delta COVID-19 variant which has forced the country to lockdowns. Please continue to hold us in your prayers, as we pray for you as well.

May the Lord Continue to guard and protect you from all dangers and keep you safe.

The Right Reverend Dr. Jered KALIMBA
The Bishop of Shyogwe Diocese and EAR Representative in the UEM family

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