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Africa

All Africa Council of Churches

- Development education
- Human rights advocacy
- Training in peace building

Ethiopian Orthodox Church

- Development Commission
- Water security

National Council of Churches in Kenya

Peace building initiatives

Christian Council of Mozambique

 Converting Weapons for War into Instruments for Peace

Christian Council of Namibia

- Teacher training/development
- New Sudan Council of Churches
- Relief/development

Sudan Council of Churches

- Health in refugee camps/cities
- Christian Council of Zambia

Water security

Zimbabwe Council of Churches

- Training in construction of water tanks
- Rainwater harvesting

Africa Regional Emergencies through Action by Churches Together International

- NSCC war relief
- · Council of Churches of Liberia war relief
- ZCC drought appeal
- · CCM drought appeal

Asia

Christian Conference of Asia

- · Urban/rural ministry programs
- Youth development
- Education programs

World Student Christian Federation

Justice/development

Christian Commission for

8 · Spring/Summer 2003

- Development in Bangladesh
- Ethnic community development

Myanmar Council of Churches

Service/development

Church World Service, Cambodia

- Village water/agriculture/leadership
- De-mining project
- Amity Foundation, China • Training of village doctors

Organisation for Eelam Refugee Rehabilitation, India

- Tamil refugee relief
- Indonesian Christian NGO Network

Capacity building

- LAKAS, Philippines

 Indigenous community leaders
- National Council of Churches in the Philippines
- · Decade to Overcome Violence

National Council of Churches in Sri Lanka

· Relief and rehabilitation

Burma Border Consortium

- Thai-Burma border refugee camps
- Burma relief program

East Timor YASONA

Reconstruction/development

Middle East

Middle East Council of Churches

 Department for Service to Palestinian Refugees

Jerusalem Liaison Office

- Lebanon Inter-church Network
- Relief/development

Coptic Orthodox Church of Egypt • BLESS program

Iraq Emergency Appeal through Action by Churches Together International

- Middle East Council of Churches
- Assyrian Church of the East

Pacific

Pacific Council of Churches

· Development/capacity building

Ecumenical Centre for Research, Education and Advocacy, Fiji • Leadership/social justice

Pacific Theological College
• Education/training

Pacific Concerns Resource Centre • Research/information

- Solomon Islands Christian Association
- Peace Office
- · Youth capacity building
- Papua New Guinea Council of Churches

 Capacity building

Pacific Emergency Programs through Action by Churches Together International

Tonga cyclone

International Projects

World Council of Churches

- Ecumenical formation
- · Solidarity/sharing courses
- · Pacific Desk, Fiji
- · Ecumenical Advocacy Alliance

Action by Churches Together

- Coordination/training
- · Evaluation of ACT Alliance
- World Student Christian Federation Geneva
- · Mobilisation of youth for peace

World Student Christian Federation Africa

Development skills/empowermentWomen's Workshop in Ghana

Frontier Interns in Mission

Partnership Exchange/Development

Australian Council for Overseas Aid

Non-government Organisations Coalition

Refugee/Displaced Peoples Programs

· National Aboriginal and Torres Strait

Islander Ecumenical Commission

· Education/Advocacy Programs

Australia

Partnership visits