







## FACTS:

- **DCA operated in Zimbabwe** from the early to the late 1980s providing support to refugees following the war of independence. In 2014, DCA reopened its offices to respond to the worsening economic and humanitarian situation in the country.
- **Offices in country:** The country office is in Harare, with a field office located in Bulawayo and Karoi.
- **Beneficiaries in 2021:** 354,061 individuals.
- **Turnover in 2021:** EUR 10711532.
- **Projects:** 27
- **Employees:** 68
- **Partners:** 23
- Future of Hope Foundation, Pro Africa, Institute for Rural Technologies (IRT), Organisation of Rural Associations for Progress (ORAP), Farmers Association of Community self-Help Investment Groups (FACHIG), Tsambe, Fambidzanai Permaculture Centre (FPC), Bulawayo Vendors and Traders Association (BVTA); Hilfswerk Austria International (HWA); Bulawayo Projects Centre (BPC), Ecumenical Church Leaders Forum (ECLF), Catholic Commission on Justice and Peace (CCJP), Zimbabwe Divine Destiny (ZDD), Zimbabwe Christian Alliance (ZCA), Residents Associations (from Harare, Bulawayo, Masvingo, Mutare and Gweru), Zimbabwe Lawyers for Human Rights (ZLHR), Women in Law Southern Africa (WLSA) and Local Governance Trust (LGT).

## OPERATIONAL CONTEXT AND KEY RESULTS:

Zimbabwe as a country is facing serious negative impacts of climate change and protracted economic and political crisis. In response DanChurchAid is carrying out both self-implemented projects and working with local implementing partners and has achieved the following:

-  **Resilience building**, supporting 49,456 individuals.
-  **Climate change related and man-made disaster response** 44,981 individuals.
-  Interventions to address **Food Insecurity** facing 150,553 individuals through cash transfers and food distributions in peri-urban, urban, and rural settings.
-  DCA works with partners in supporting **smallholder farmers** to enhance food and income security in Zimbabwe and Mozambique, reaching a total of 52,486 households in 2020.
-  Working with **church fraternities and residence associations** to promote social cohesion through **peace building** initiatives reaching 7,644 direct beneficiaries.
-  Promoting **gender equality and women's participation** in public life.

## WHAT WE DO:

In Zimbabwe DCA focuses primarily on three programmatic areas namely:

**Building Resilient Communities:** DCA supports vulnerable urban and rural communities and individuals to build absorptive, adaptive, and transformative capacities in addressing natural and socioeconomic shocks. DCA supports rights holders to improve economic production and productivity, value chain development, climate change adaptation and mitigation.

**Saving Lives:** DCA Zimbabwe supports individuals affected by disasters including drought, flooding, and economic crisis, to meet basic needs and save lives in both rural and urban areas. DCA 's interventions also extend to climate and manmade humanitarian emergencies in Mozambique.

**Fighting Extreme Inequalities:** DCA is working towards enhancing active citizenship by promoting social cohesion through peace building Initiatives, promoting citizen voice and agency so that they can engage with duty bearers at local government level and hold them to account.

In all its work, DCA Zimbabwe is mainstreaming gender, women's resilience, women leadership development, and women's economic empowerment.

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## HOW AND WHERE WE WORK :

DCA works with partners in Mashonaland West, Mashonaland Central, Masvingo, Matabeleland North and South Midlands, Harare Metropolitan and Bulawayo metropolitan provinces of Zimbabwe.

In **Matabeleland North and South** DCA works with partners, under the auspices of the Zimbabwe Resilience Building Fund supported by the UNDP in Insiza, Lupane and Matobo districts known as the Sizimele Programme. Under the ECHO COVID 19 Vaccination programme, DCA has included three additional districts which are Gwanda, Beitbridge and Plumtree, all in **Matabeleland South Province**.

In **Harare and Bulawayo** metropolitan provinces, DCA scaled-up urban cash transfer programming to households in Epworth, Harare South, Mzilikazi and Pelandaba combining cash transfers and livelihoods activities. In the same provinces, DCA using Crisis Modifier resources responded to diarrhea outbreaks by providing potable water to the affected areas. The water supply response was also supported by the Coca Cola Foundation in Bulawayo through drilling and mechanizing boreholes.

In **Harare, Bulawayo, Manicaland, Masvingo and Midlands provinces**, DCA works with partners to promote citizen voice and agency so that they can engage with duty bearers at local government level and hold them to account

In **Mashonaland Central and West provinces** DCA is working with partners to implement projects to improve biodiversity and natural resources management supported by DANIDA and UNDP.

The church-led **peace building work covers all the 10 provinces** of Zimbabwe.



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