Churches' Commission for Migrants in Europe



The Churches' Commission for Migrants in Europe (CCME) is delighted to invite vou to the webinar:

Elections to the European Parliament (EP) 2024 – 2029
Why do they matter to churches and Christian organisations?
Focus on asylum and migration

With MEPs Lena Düpont and Tineke Strik

Webinar 21st May 15.00-16.30 h (Brussels time)

From 6th to 9th June 2024, the citizens of the 27 EU member states will elect the 720 members of the European Parliament (MEPs) for the term 2024-29.

Many churches and Christian organisations have and will engage with MEPs on issues of concern.

The webinar aims at outlining the importance of the European Parliament in its next term – highlighting issues of asylum and migration – a central concern to churches and Christian organisations - in which the next EP will continue to play an important role.



MEP Lena Düpont



MEP Tineke Strik

With Lena Düpont (German CDU/European Peoples Party) and Tineke Strike (Dutch Groenlinks/Greens) two MEPs from different political groups working on the issues who are standing for re-election will contribute their perspective. Both have in the last term of the EP played central roles as members of the LIBE Committee and its work on European asylum and migration legislation

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This webinar aims to mobilise churches and Christian communities across Europe, and the broader public, highlighting the significance of participating in the upcoming European Parliament elections to address central concerns of churches and Christian organisation in the area of asylum and migration

Draft agenda

15.00 Welcome by Dr Torsten Moritz CCME General Secretary

Outlining some central concerns on EU asylum and migration policy

15.15 Tinke Strik (NL/Greens) Asylum and migration in the EP 2024-29: plans , concerns, commitments

15.40 Q & A

15.50 Lena Düpont (DE/EPP) Asylum and migration in the EP 2024-29: plans , concerns, commitments

16.15 Q & A

16.25 Concluding remarks CCME

Around 16.30 End

Please sign up for participation at:

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The event is conducted in English