PROGRAM PROFILE

SOUTHWEST ETHIOPIA BIBLE TRANSLATION COORDINATION OFFICE

Lutheran**Bible** Translators

COUNTRY: Ethiopia

BIBLE TRANSFRIDE

PARTNER: EECMY South West Synod

POPULATION: 486,600





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THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY IN ETHIOPIA IS EAGER to have the Word of God translated into their languages, and they work together for the success of the translation.

The Ethiopian Evangelical Church Mekane Yesus South West Synod (a locally led initiative for Bible translation) was established in 1990. The synod's main goal is to connect people to Christ through the proclamation of the Gospel while embodying God's love through wholistic service.

The South West Synod and its partners strive to find ways to reach all the languages of the synod and beyond. There are six Bible translation projects in progress: Ale, Dhirayta, Hamer, Konso, Tsa'makko, and Zayse. "God's Word is perfect, understandable, and it is clearly speaking to the hearts of many in my language," says one translation reviewer.

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