## WEEKLY UPDATE ON YCD-PATIMALAWI ACTIVITIES DONE IN SUPPORTING FLOOD VICTIMS IN CHIKWAWA - MALAWI



The tropical storm ANA that has left thousands of people across southern African including Malawi homeless, people have got no food, no shelter, no water and no electricity. So far there are too little efforts from the government. The government through the Department of Disaster Management (DODMA) has given food but it is too little to keep the flood victims alive. We have also seen United Nation Population Fund (UNFPA) distributing clothes, soap, buckets of water and toothpaste. The Red Cross has also distributed water buckets. However, all these are not enough as people are still starving, sanitation compromised and the situation is still very dare unless some intervention is done.

With support from PATIMALAWI and well-wishers from Switzerland (CHF7500) YCD has this week managed to feed 2,621 flood victims as seen in the pictures below. We gave each of them 10kgs bag of maize floor and a packet of soya pieces.



We found these people staying in the bush as they have no shelter and no food. On this bush there are 2420 flood victims. We gave them 500 bags of maize flour (10kgs each) and packets of soya pieces so that they can cook and eat together for 7 days.



## Displaced and separated children

The tropical storm ANA that has left many children displaced and separated from their families. We found these four kids separated from their parents. These kids were washed away by the floods. We are meanwhile bringing them to their parents now.



We found these people staying in house where chickens stay as they have no shelter and no food.



Alex Malekano. All his belongings including his house were carried away by the water and he is now living in sack rapped hat.

## Distributing Maize to the people:

















We would like in a very special way thank PATIMALAWI in Switzerland and well-wisher from both Switzerland and Germany for your timely support during this time of the flood disaster in Malawi.

Thank you all for your support Francis Folley – YCD Malawi