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International Colloquium

in celebration of 10th year of *Evangelii Gaudium* and 3rd year of *Fratelli Tutti*

Mwalimu JULIUS NYERERE A 'Politician with Soul', and A 'Servant of God'

"I beg the Lord to grant us more politicians who are genuinely disturbed by the state of society, the people, the lives of the poor! It is vital that government leaders and financial leaders take heed and broaden their horizons, working to ensure that all citizens have dignified work, education and healthcare."
--*Evangelii Gaudium* (2013:205)

"For many people today, politics is a distasteful word, often due to the mistakes, corruption and inefficiency of some politicians. Yet can our world function without politics? Once more, I appeal for a renewed appreciation of politics as 'a lofty vocation and one of the highest forms of charity, inasmuch as it seeks the common good.'"
--*Fratelli Tutti* (2020:176, 180)

This colloquium explores the link between faith and the political career of Julius Nyerere, the first president of Tanzania (in office 1964-85), as an example of the new politics advocated by Pope Francis.

Forum Speakers:

Dr. Ng'wanza Kamata

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Dr. Ethan R. Sanders

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Fr. Festo Mkenda, SJ

Academic Director, Roman Archives of the Society of Jesus

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