

WorldHelp® Prayer Guide

This month, pray for the one in 10 people worldwide who don't have access to clean water.

MARCH
2020

WEEK 1

March
2 - 8

PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

In impoverished countries, the job of collecting water from rivers or streams often falls to the women and children. Many make the trip at night to avoid the heat of the day, but they can fall prey to wild animals or dangerous men on their journeys. *Pray that God will protect women and children who don't have a well nearby and must face many threats to get water.*

WEEK 2

March
9 - 15

PRAY FOR PEOPLE SICK FROM WATERBORNE DISEASES

Dirty water carries parasites and bacteria. And many families are forced not only to drink dirty water, but also to cook with it, wash their clothes in it, and clean with it. This can cause life-threatening diseases such as cholera, typhoid, and dysentery. *Pray for the quick recovery of people facing these diseases and that they will receive clean water so they can stay healthy.*

WEEK 3

March
16 - 22

PRAY FOR A SUCCESSFUL WORLD WATER DAY

March 22 is World Water Day. Each year on this day, people around the world turn their attention toward the global water crisis — a problem that is too often ignored — and ask themselves, “What can I do to help?” Some donate their time, others their money, and many use their voices to speak out about this issue. *Pray that more people will participate in World Water Day than ever before and that families in need will receive clean water as a result.*

WEEK 4

**March
23 - 29**

PRAY FOR FARMERS FACING DROUGHT

A lack of water is especially hard for farming communities. In seasons of drought, the streams dry up and, without a well in their village, farmers have no way to water their fields. Livestock die, crops wither away, and families lose their livelihood. *Pray that God will provide for these families during difficult times and that they will soon have water to keep their cattle and crops alive.*

**You can provide clean water
to one person for a year.**

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“The poor and the needy search for water, but there is none; their tongues are parched with thirst. But I the Lord will answer them;

I, the God of Israel, will not forsake them.”

- Isaiah 41:17 (NIV)

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