



MONTHLY PRAYER GUIDE

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This month, pray for persecuted Christians around the world who desperately long to draw closer to God – despite the danger.

WEEK 1

Oct.
4 - 10

PRAY FOR PERSECUTED BELIEVERS IN CHINA

In China, it's becoming more and more dangerous to be a Christian. Believers have reported having their Bibles confiscated and burned right in front of them. In some cases, authorities have ordered people to take down pictures of Jesus and images of crosses or risk losing government benefits. *Pray that God will comfort Chinese believers in these scary and uncertain times.*

WEEK 2

Oct.
11 - 17

PRAY FOR SAFETY FOR FAMILIES IN NIGERIA

Nigeria is home to two of the world's deadliest terrorist groups – Boko Haram and Fulani herdsmen who will kill Christ-followers without a thought. The lives of Christian men, women, and children are constantly in danger. Many have fled their homes just to stay alive. *Pray that God will keep His people safe in Nigeria and will give them strength and bravery.*

WEEK 3

Oct.
18 - 24

PRAY FOR UNDERGROUND CHRISTIANS IN NORTH KOREA

North Korea has consistently been ranked as the most dangerous country in the world for Christians. Just being discovered with a Bible can send someone to a political labor camp for a 15-year sentence – a sentence many won't survive. Despite the danger, underground believers and seekers continue to ask for copies of God's Word. *Pray that more copies are able to be secretly sent to North Korea so persecuted Christians can eventually hold a Bible in their hands.*

WEEK 4

**Oct.
25 - 31**

PRAY FOR ABUSED CHRIST-FOLLOWERS IN INDIA

Less than five percent of India's population is Christian, and radical Hindus consider these people to be blemishes on their country that need to be removed. Some believers have even been beaten within an inch of their lives – often by their own family members who are trying to get them to convert back to Hinduism. *Pray that Christians in India will find comfort and strength in the Bible and remember that their Heavenly Father loves them even if their earthly family rejects them.*

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Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
– Matthew 5:10 (NIV)

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