



MONTHLY PRAYER GUIDE

As we approach International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church, please join us in praying for our persecuted brothers and sisters around the globe.

OCTOBER
2022



WEEK 1

Oct.
2 - 8

PRAY FOR GOD'S PROTECTION OVER CHRISTIANS IN AFGHANISTAN

Afghanistan is currently ranked as the most dangerous country in the entire world to be a Christian. When someone converts from Islam to Christianity, their family may disown them or even kill them, and the persecution has gotten even worse since the Taliban took over. *Pray that God gives peace and strength to Afghan Christians during this time.*

WEEK 2

Oct.
9 - 15

PRAY FOR PASTORS AND CHURCH LEADERS IN CHINA

Officially sanctioned churches in China must operate under strict regulations, so pastors who want to preach the unfiltered Word of God must operate as part of the underground church. These church leaders and their families are closely monitored by authorities and punished if they are deemed a threat. *Pray that God will give courage to these pastors and give them opportunities to continue sharing the Gospel.*

WEEK 3

Oct.
16 - 22

PRAY FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS IN NIGERIA

Nigeria is home to Boko Haram and the Fulani herdsman, two of the most dangerous and deadly terrorist groups in the world. They have been known to behead Christians and leave their bodies lying in the streets or burn entire villages to the ground because Christ-followers lived there. *Pray that God will protect Nigerian believers living under this reign of terror.*

WEEK 4

**Oct.
23 - 29**

PRAY FOR SUFFERING BELIEVERS IN NORTH KOREA

Christians living in North Korea can be thrown in jail for up to 15 years for “crimes” as simple as telling someone about Jesus or owning a Bible. On top of this tremendous persecution, North Korean believers are also starving because of a nationwide famine. *Pray that God will provide divine comfort for the underground church of North Korea as well as the physical help they need to survive.*

**Want to help Christians in North Korea?
Visit worldhelp.net/prayer to learn how.**



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We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed.

– 2 Corinthians 4:8-9

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