PRAYER FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Prayer requests for our church

- 1. Ask Jesus to help us grow in compassion and prayer for the persecuted believers around the world to Identify with those who suffer for their faith (1 Cor 12:26; Heb 13:3).
- 2. Pray that we will not be misguided by the pursuit of earthly comfort over a pursuit of intimacy with God. (Mark 12:30)
- Pray that we will seize the day doing all we can to love, care, support, and reach out to others (Matt 6:27; Eph 5:15-17).
- **4.** Pray for Southland to grow in our understanding and faith in Jesus and in helping others grow in their relationship with Him. (2 Thess. 1:3; 2 Cor 8:7).



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Prayer requests from persecuted churches

Peace: Pray for pastors, church planters, and believers/churches to experience the peace that passes all understanding as they face hostility and repression. Pray that others will be impacted by the peace of God in their lives.

Energy: Pray for strength and endurance to meet the demands and strains of encouraging one another and sharing their faith with others who are seeking for hope and peace.

Wisdom: Pray that they will have wisdom in times of being forced into making decisions that create risk for themselves and others. Pray for wisdom in building up and encouraging one another in the faith.

Equipping: Pray for Bibles, pray for pastors to be able to have what they need to equip the churches, pray for those who are coming to faith to have the encouragement they need to grow in their relationship with God.

