

## PRAY FOR AFGHANISTAN

- Pray for Afghans, including those who assisted U.S. troops, human rights defenders, religious minorities, and others, who will be left vulnerable as our troops withdraw from
- Afghanistan — as their lives and the lives of their families are most in danger.
- Pray for peace and the protection for those in Afghanistan right now.
- Pray for courageous, strong leadership in the U.S. and worldwide moving forward, and for a compassionate response to the needs of Afghan refugees.
- Pray for welcoming communities that will be receiving Afghans in the coming days and weeks, that people will be filled with love and compassion
- Pray this compassion moment leads to true conviction and change for practices within individuals' lives, communities and the nation as we seek to restore our heritage of welcoming strangers
- Pray for the international community would also welcome and assist Afghan refugees who are being displaced
- Pray the U.S. would lead a worldwide effort to get refugees to safety, process applications in a timely manner, and work with nongovernmental organizations to welcome, assist, and protect these families.
- The Afghan members of our Christian family treasure our prayers during this time of trial. Here are some specific ways you can pray for them:
  - **PRAY FOR GOD'S PROTECTION.** The situation on the ground is fluid right now. Pray for God's protection over His people.
  - **PRAY FOR WISDOM.** Ask God to bless our brothers and sisters with discernment as they decide whether to stay or go and even with whom they should talk.
  - **PRAY FOR FELLOWSHIP.** Believers in Afghanistan often must keep their faith a secret — even from family members. Pray that God will help each Afghan believer to connect and fellowship with at least one other believer in person, by phone or through some other technology. Pray that God will remind them that they are not alone, but are part of the global body of Christ.

Prayer Video Here: <https://prayercast.com/afghanistan.html>

Pray for appropriate and expedient solutions to ongoing threats of violence.

Pray for Afghans who are seeking Truth to boldly embrace a new identity in Christ.

Pray for protection over Afghan believers and perseverance despite suffering.