



International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church

Sunday, November 4

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PRAY WITH THEM
NORTH KOREA

Pray alongside Christians in the underground church of North Korea on the International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church.

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Regard prisoners as if you were in prison with them. Look on victims of abuse as if what happened to them had happened to you. Hebrews 13:3

Hello Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

You're invited again to join TPCBC Prayer Ministry in praying for persecuted Christians, leading up to the International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church (IDOP), which is Sunday, November 4. This year, we stand together in lifting up Christians in North Korea, the country that has ranked #1 on the Open Doors World Watch List for 17 consecutive years, indicating that it is the most difficult place in the world to be a Christian. Yet there is reason for hope! The world's attention turned to the Korean peninsula in early 2018, and for the first time in years, North Korean President Kim Jong-un and other leaders of the North Korean regime began engaging in open conversation with leaders of the free world. **Open Doors is convinced that now is the time for Christians to come together to pray for North Korea.** They believe that what is happening in North Korea demonstrates that persecution is the issue of our time—and an issue on which those who follow Jesus cannot afford to be neutral. That is why they're praying that God will raise up 100,000 Christians who will commit to standing in prayer with their brothers and sisters in the underground church of North Korea for the International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church. Please join us in joining them!

PRA YER POINTS: (Praying Specifically with North Korean believers)

- Pray with North Korean Christians for their protection, strength and endurance. They face persecution from state authorities and their non-Christian families, friends and neighbors.
- Pray that North Korean President Kim Jong-un and his regime will come to know the one true God and open his country to the Gospel for healing and restoration.

- Pray that God will move on Kim Jong-un to release the estimated 50,000 Christians who are unjustly held in detention centers and prison camps throughout the country.
- Pray that the underground church will grow in boldness and be ready for widespread evangelism efforts when the opportunity arises.
- Pray that Kim Jong-un will allow for the creation of new churches where North Koreans can freely worship.

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