
ABCUSA Call to Prayer for Myanmar 2021



Prayer For Burma

Almighty God, you are omnipotent. We humbly come in repentance into your presence. Hear us as we pray for the people and the dire situation in Burma. Incline your ears to the groans of the people who are being oppressed, slaughtered, and displaced. Hear the cries of the children. Sicknesses, hunger, poverty, and fear are rampant. Please open the hearts of the Burma Army leaders that they will learn to have compassion. You are our only source of hope and solace. Please heal the land of Burma, O God. We ask all of this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Specific prayer requests:

- For President U Win Myint, State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi, Election Commission members, and other government leaders who have been arrested, some of whose current locations are unknown
- For the Civil Disobedience Movement (CDM), for its peaceful demonstrations, for the safety of its participants, and for their ability to provide food and other basic needs for their families during the protest
- For government employees who have quit their jobs for the sake of freedom at the risk of losing their homes
- For hundreds of government employees who are now homeless and living in local churches
- For doctors and nurses providing medical care through private hospitals as part of CDM
- For people living as refugees in IDP camps (camps for Internally Displaced Persons) in the Kachin, Kayin (Karen), and Rakhine states
- For an end to violence, bloodshed, beatings, and shootings by Burma's police and army
- For family and friends in Burma of church members in America, especially those with whom they are unable to get in contact
- For God's protection and guidance for the people of Burma
- For peace and stability in Burma and an end to suffering
- For an end to dictatorship
- For the United States and the United Nations to take appropriate action
- For reassurance for the people of Burma, that they may know that they are not alone, that people are advocating for them, and that God will enable them to get through the current harsh times
- For people of Burma and throughout the world to turn to God
- For the coming of God's Reign, that there may be peace on earth as there is in heaven

This prayer and these requests have been shared by Chin, Karen, and Kachin congregations in the Greater Seattle area which are affiliated with the Evergreen Association of American Baptist Churches.