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Death Count Climbs As Quotes to Ponder

"Most churches think their members are gathered into one simply to take care of and build up each other. They know not that God rules the world by the prayers of his saints; that prayer is the power by which Satan is conquered; that by prayer the Church on earth has disposal of the powers of the heavenly world." - Andrew Murray

"You have no idea the tremendous influence you can have in the heavenlies and in world events if you become a true intercessor and pray through the news of our day. Wars could be stopped. The course of an entire nation could be changed by one person saying to God, "What then what then will you do for your great name?" - Brother Andrew

"God wants the Church to bind principalities and powers with authority and to determine the politics of nations." - Ingulf Schmidt

"Intercession is not petition. Intercession is position. It is not something we do-it is something we are. It is not an exercise we engage in at a certain time of the day-it is a life that we live." - Ronald Dunn

Syria talks to end the conflict ongoing now

"Iran will be invited to participate in the Oct. 30 round of talks in Vienna on ending the conflict in Syria, a U.S. State Department spokesman said Oct. 27, Reuters reported. An unnamed official from the Middle East said Iran had already been invited by both the United States and Russia, and Iranian Deputy Foreign Minister Hossein Amir-Abdollahian would attend the talks. The possible participation of Iranian Iranian Foreign Minister Mohammad Javad Zarif was still under discussion, the official said. Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov spoke with both Zarif and U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry earlier in the day.



From Stratfor.com, OCTOBER 28, 2015



Some Important IPC Leadership Team Prayer Concerns

The Lord is guiding and blessing the UPrising: World Youth Prayer Assembly in South Korea where it will happen next year, July 26-30. A suitable venue near the DMZ has been offered for the WYPA with lots of possibilities for 2000 to 2500 participants with hotels 15 minutes away. Young leaders there are on board and keen to move ahead and we hope to bring more senior leaders into the process as well. Please pray for the mobilization of the right youth, children and seniors from every region of the world to take part so that it will be truly global, intergenerational and tri-generational.



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Death Count Climbs As Rescuers Reach Quake-Hit Regions of Afghanistan, Pakistan

by RFE/RL 27.10.2015

"Rescue operations have begun to reveal the full scale of an Afghan earthquake that killed hundreds and caused damage across South Asia. Officials said that the death toll from the magnitude-7.5 quake that struck on October 26 was continuing to rise as rescuers



reached remote areas. As of early October 27, the death toll had risen to more than 300, with at least 241 fatalities and 1,600 injuries recorded in Pakistan.

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Prayer Alert for Afghanistan-Taliban overran a major city

From a friend who works in the country:
"You all heard that bad news about the capture of
Kunduz city by the Taliban. This has been a very
significant victory for the Taliban and very big boost to
their morale and at the same time discouraged the
Afghan Army and Police even more. It can have a
strong ripple effect like what happened in Iraq when
the Army run away from the IS even through they had
more solders and better weapons. Kunduz is very
strategic and it is not even a typical strong Pashtun
area like Kandahar or Helmand. We know that the
Taliban are supported by Islamists from Tajikistan,
Pakistan, Uzbekistan and Chechenia."



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ISIS (Daesh) Threatens the Execution of 180 Assyrian

Christians

Driven out of their ancestral homes, killed and crucified, Assyrian Christians face execution at the hands of their Daesh captors. This latest threat is to execute 180 of the 230 who were abducted from their Khabur river valley villages in mass raids in February. Ridiculous ransoms are demanded for their lives. Negotiations led by Bishop Otnaial, head of the Church of the East in Syria, have been suspended due to "the unbearable demands of the terror group." The



original demand was 23 millions dollars to free 230 people. Terrorist have "drastically reduced" their demand to 12 millions for 180 people.

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A Muslim Man BECOMES A CHRISTIAN - Because the KORAN told him to!

YouTube, Published on Oct 1, 2015

Discover the reasons why a Muslim man from a Muslim country decided to ask the question "Who is Jesus?"

Learn why all the answers in the Koran led him to the truth of who Jesus actually was.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sTZYT9ve-AU



Jesus Christ is mentioned many more times than Muhammad in the Koran. Let's pray for many millions of Muslims among the estimated 1.4 billion to be drawn to Him even as they read the Koran and go about other Islamic practices so that they will want to also read the Bible and come to know Christ like this man did.

International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church Two 12 hours calls, November 1st & 8th



Download the flyer:

https://www.getamericapraying.com/groupdocs/90_1444326184.pdf

Please join in helping others to find this opportunity to pray together for International Day of

Prayer for the Persecuted Church.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER November 1 and 8

Persecution of Christians has increased around the world, including imprisonments, torture and beheadings. The **International Day of Prayer** is a time set apart for us to remember the thousands of Christian brothers and sisters around the world who suffer persecution because they have confessed Jesus Christ as Lord. Please join fellow believes in Christ around the world in prayer for the persecuted on both **Sunday, November 1** and **Sunday, November 8**.

For more information visit International Day of Prayer at http://idop.org/en/.

Pray for the Reaching of the Remaining Unreached Peoples

Finishing The Task Conference December 2-4, 2015

Prayer Requests:

 Pray that the majority of the remaining 511 Unengaged Unreached People Groups (UUPGs) will be engaged at this year's FTT Conference.



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Report on the Deliverance and Destiny of America Initiative, October 18-20

Thanks for your prayers for last week's national security prayer initiative, "Seeking God's Face for the Deliverance and Destiny of America" as well as the National Day of Prayer Leadership Summit. Both events were wonderful. The Lord was among us and gave us a magnificent time with so many prayer leaders from across the country. We are in the process of digitizing the video of the many excellent presentations and will let you know how to access them.



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One Defining Winter- Valley Forge



The fight to sustain David's Tent

As those in Christ, we are **not merely survivors**, but **we are victorious!** Yet at times it sure seems that the greatest victory is simply surviving. **"...and after you have done everything -- to stand"** Ephesians 6:13

In the winter of 1777-1778, General George Washington and the Revolutionary Army suffered through winter in Valley Forge, PA. Thousands of troops died there, as they were ill-clothed, ill-housed and under-supplied. In compassion for his men, George Washington wrote a candid circular letter to the leadership of the 13 colonies appealing for more troops and supplies, while at the same time appealing to heaven in prayer. The Battle of the Valley Forge Winter had its casualties, but the army survived and eventually was victorious.

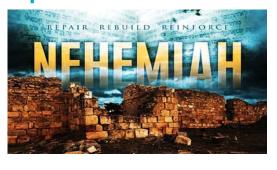
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"Grassroots Awakening": Trumpet Call to the Wall USA

A watchman call to rise and build for America

Then I said to the nobles, the rulers, and the rest of the people, "The work is great and extensive, and we are separated far from one another on the wall. Wherever you hear the sound of the trumpet, rally to us there. Our God will fight for us."

Nehemiah 4:19-20



Need: America is at a tipping point requiring stronger relationships and strategic intervention and communication to turn the course of the nation.

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Children in Prayer in Jerusalem, Israel and Papua, Indonesia

1) CiP Track: Jerusalem House of Prayer for All Nations



(JOEL 2:28; PSALM 8:2; PSALM 127:4)

Led by Ps. Ir. Tety Irwan, M.Th., Leaders of Children in Prayer (CiP) International and also Pastor of Salt and Light Community Church (SLCC) in Indonesia with a team of five from Indonesia.

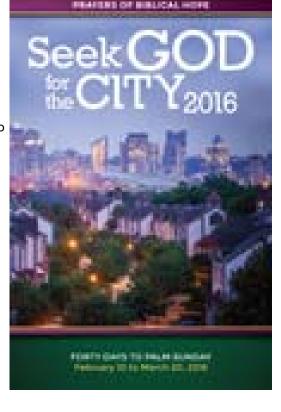
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Seek God for the City

Dear Praying friend,

In difficult days, even great-hearted Christians can become more self-absorbed, and tend to pray "fix-it" prayers. Such problem-solving prayers ask God to help us get back to what we remember as normal. But now is the time to pray "fulfill-it-all" prayers. These are the prayers that cry out with hope-filled desperation for God to advance His purposes in our lives and communities. God is exalting His Son as He brings life-giving changes by the power of the gospel, even in the face of great evil and worsening darkness.

Seek God for the City helps ordinary people pray beyond their own concerns, learning to pray the scriptures with clarity and relevance for people throughout their communities.



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IPC Calendar

1 Nov & 8 Nov, 2015 International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church: Two 12 hours calls

Download the flyer

2 - 4 Dec, 2015 Finishing the Task Conference http://www.finishingthetask.com

10 Feb thru 20 Mar, 2016 Seek God for the City www.waymakers.org





www.ipcprayer.org

The IPC Website

The website consists of the following sections, and we would appreciate it if you could assist

us in the following ways:

- Home: Please send us news of international prayer-related interest such as upcoming initiatives and conferences. We will update our calendar regularly with such dates.
- 2. Regions: Please send us strategic prayer requests and alerts for your nation or region.

Please send your suggestions to the IPC administrator at office@ipcprayer.org

About International Prayer Connect (IPC)



OUR VISION:

"Compelled by God to seek Christ's glory worldwide for the blessing, healing, and transforming of the nations, International Prayer Connect exists as a coalition of prayer networkers and mobilizers working together to motivate, develop and equip national movements and local churches to fill all nations with prayer for the fulfillment of the Great Commandment and the completion of the Great Commission."

HOW WE OPERATE:

The IPC is not an organization as such. We are a fellowship of people involved in mobilizing prayer throughout the world. We

function as an international "network of networks", connecting international, regional, and national prayer ministries and networks. We also arrange or support special prayer initiatives that bring prayer leaders together from time to time to pray for matters of regional and global concern to the Body of Christ. Regional prayer summits have been arranged or supported by the IPC in most regions of the world as well as international prayer initiatives for the United Nations, Hollywood, and other issues.

The IPC is led by an international leadership team, now called the International Prayer Council, is composed of twenty leaders who coordinate regional prayer networks or international prayer initiatives of various kinds. We seek to be catalysts and connectors within the global prayer movement towards the fulfillment of Habakkuk 2:14- that "the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

We do not have an official membership but connect with individuals and networks through *IPC Connections*, a periodical newsletter distributed via e-mail to give prayer information to interested people. Please share this newsletter with prayer coordinators, prayer network leaders, and others who have an interest in the global prayer movement so that they can be informed about different prayer initiatives, existing prayer networks, and how to participate in them.

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