

# Pray for the Middle East

*The Invitation, December 12, 2024*



As we are all aware, there is a lot to pray for in the Middle East. There is a lot of pain, and there are many different parties involved. We are called to pray for all the people affected by the situation in the Middle East. ("And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people" Ephesians 6:18.) Please take a moment right now to pray for the Middle East and also please pray with us on December 12, our prayer day for the YWAM prayer initiative called The Invitation.

**Our survey:** Also, please help us improve The Invitation. Please take three minutes to complete our survey by clicking this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7NJ7CRJ>. Thank you!

*Topic suggested by E. Koster, written by Nathan van de G. in Norway. Photo of a wall in Israel that says "Path to Peace" in three languages, by Cole Keister on Unsplash.*

1. **Pray for all those affected by the conflicts in the Middle East.** Pray that everyone affected gets the help they need, that they find comfort in Jesus and that He reveals himself to them, whether they are in Israel, Gaza, Palestine, Lebanon or any other Middle Eastern country.
2. **Pray for all those who lost someone during the conflicts.** Pray that they are able to find comfort.
3. **Pray for all those who had to leave their homes behind.** Pray for those who had to flee and for those whose houses are unlivable. Pray that they find a new roof over their heads and that they receive the needed provision.
4. **Pray for all those in power, that they may be guided by God's merciful hand.** Pray for the leaders of all the different countries and organizations involved. Pray that they will act mercifully and pray that they will understand the true meaning of grace. Pray that they will be guided by God's hand to make the right decisions.

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